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PROCEEDINGS

FOURTEENTH DAY — THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1995

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

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 19).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Alexander; Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Averitt; Bailey; Berlanga; Black; Bosse; Brady; Brimer; Carona; Carter; Combs; Conley; Cook; Corte; Counts; Crabb; Craddick; Cuellar, H.; Cuellar, R.; Culberson; Danburg; Davila; Davis; De La Garza; Dear; Delisi; Denny; Driver; Dukes; Duncan; Dutton; Edwards; Ehrhardt; Eiland; Elkins; Farrar; Finnell; Gallego; Giddings; Glaze; Goodman; Goolsby; Gray; Greenberg; Gutierrez; Haggerty; Hamric; Hartnett; Hawley; Heflin; Hernandez; Hightower; Hilbert; Hill; Hirschi; Hochberg; Holzheuser; Horn; Howard; Hudson; Hunter, B.; Hunter, T.; Jackson; Janek; Johnson; Jones, D.; Jones, J.; Junell; King; Krusee; Kubiak; Kuempel; Lewis, G.; Lewis, R.; Longoria; Luna; Madden; Marchant; Maxey; McCoulskey; McDonald; Moffat; Mowery; Munoz; Naishtat; Nixon; Oakley; Ogden; Oliveira; Park; Pickett; Pitts; Place; Price; Puente; Rabuck; Rangel; Raymond; Reyna; Rhodes; Romo; Rusling; Sadler; Saunders; Seidlits; Serna; Shields; Siebert; Smithee; Solis; Solomons; Stiles; Swinford; Talton; Telford; Tillery; Torres; Turner, B.; Turner, S.; Uher; Van de Putte; Walker; West; Williamson; Willis; Wohlgenuth; Wolens; Woolley; Yarbrough; Yost; Zbranek.

Absent, Excused — Chisum; Coleman; Grusendorf; Hilderbran; McCall; Moreno; Patterson; Ramsay; Rodriguez.

Absent — Bomer; Clemons; Harris; Kamel; Thompson; Wilson.

The invocation was offered by Reverend Kenny Wood, Riverbend Church, Austin, as follows:

Not to us, God, not to us, but to you go the honor and applause. Amen.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

Chisum on motion of Swinford.

Ramsay on motion of Telford.

Rodriguez on motion of Kubiak.

Grusendorf on motion of Holzheuser.

Coleman on motion of Gallego.

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

Hilderbran on motion of Raymond.

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

McCall on motion of Raymond.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of medical reasons:

Moreno on motion of Rangel.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, February 2, 1995

The Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives
House Chamber

The Honorable
Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following:

HCR 5 by Greenberg, Combs, Maxey, Naishtat (Sponsor-Barrientos), in memory of Susan Hadden.

SCR 1 by Leedom, authorizing the erection of a monument in the State Cemetery in memory of Captain John J. Grumbles.

SCR 39 by Patterson, Jerry, declaring February 5 through 11, 1995 as Burn Awareness Week.

SB 23 by Wentworth, et al., relating to directing the supreme court to adopt certain rules of civil procedure.

SB 31 by Lucio, et al., relating to the assessment of attorney's fees, costs, and damages for certain frivolous lawsuits and defenses.

SB 102 by Bivins, relating to state employee contributions to the federal old age and survivors insurance program.

SB 122 by Harris, Chris, relating to the collection of certain fees related to the probate of a will.

SB 238 by Sibley and Cain, relating to the employment and commissioning of law enforcement personnel to provide security services to certain educational institutions.

SB 258 by Wentworth, relating to institutions of higher education that may offer alcoholic beverage seller training programs.

SB 283 by Brown, et al., relating to the authority of certain prosecuting attorneys to apply for a protective order.

SB 284 by Brown, et al., relating to the liability of a peace officer who provides standby assistance to a victim of family violence.

SB 290 by Henderson, et al., relating to the delay of the employer trip reduction program.

Respectfully,
Betty King
Secretary of the Senate

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

Thompson on motion of S. Turner.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

Speaker Laney presented Dr. Susan Murphey of Houston as the "Doctor for the Day."

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

SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The speaker signed in the presence of the house, after giving due notice thereof, the following enrolled resolutions:

HCR 33, HCR 54**HR 81 - ADOPTED**

Representative Averitt moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 81**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The speaker laid before the house the following resolution:

By Averitt,

HR 81, Commending Dr. Herbert H. Reynolds for his service to Baylor University and the State of Texas.

The resolution was adopted without objection.

(Wilson now present)

HR 105 - ADOPTED

Representative Johnson moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 105**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The speaker laid before the house the following resolution:

By Johnson,

HR 105, Commending the Jasper Chamber of Commerce.

The resolution was adopted without objection.

On motion of Representative B. Hunter, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 105** as signers thereof.

HR 106 - ADOPTED

Representative Johnson moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 106**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The speaker laid before the house the following resolution:

By Johnson,

HR 106, Commending the members of the Nacogdoches Kiwanis Club on the occasion of the club's 40th anniversary.

The resolution was adopted without objection.

On motion of Representative B. Hunter, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 106** as signers thereof.

HR 80 - ADOPTED

Representative Longoria moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 80**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The speaker laid before the house the following resolution:

By Longoria,

HR 80, Congratulating Sebastian and Rogelia Hernandez on their 50th wedding anniversary.

The resolution was adopted without objection.

(Kamel now present)

HR 104 - ADOPTED

Representative Alonzo moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 104**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The speaker laid before the house the following resolution:

By Alonzo,

HR 104, Commemorating the 147th anniversary of the Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo.

The resolution was read and was adopted without objection.

On motion of Representative Berlanga, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 104** as signers thereof.

**PERMANENT OFFICERS
OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

The speaker requested the reading clerk to read the names of the permanent officers for the House of Representatives of the Seventy-Fourth Legislature:

- Chief Clerk Cynthia Gerhardt
- Sergeant-at-Arms Rod Welsh
- Parliamentarian Robert I. Kelly
- Assistant Parliamentarian Sharon Carter

Journal Clerk	Alice Finley
Reading Clerk	Fernando Gomez
Voting Clerk	Mike Fickel
Doorkeeper	Pete Peterson
Chaplain	Gerald Mann

(Harris now present)

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT

Representative Smithee moved that, at the conclusion of the reading of bills and resolutions on first reading and referral to committees, the house adjourn until 10 a.m. Monday, February 6.

The motion prevailed without objection.

(Clemons now present)

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following house bills were today laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees:

By D. Jones,

HB 601, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the depository of the Lubbock County Hospital District of Lubbock County, Texas.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Gray,

HB 602, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to warnings a veterinarian must give before euthanatizing or disposing of certain animals.

To Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

By Gray,

HB 603, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of a qualified domestic relations order to clarify or modify a final divorce decree that provides for the division of a pension or other retirement benefits.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Hartnett, Allen, Marchant, and Wolens,

HB 604, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of municipal courts of record in Irving.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Denny and Solomons,

HB 605, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the statutory county courts and statutory probate court in Denton County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Rodriguez,

HB 606, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain activities that may be practiced by a licensed professional counselor.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Rodriguez,

HB 607, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the requirements for licensing as a professional counselor.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Brimer, Wohlgemuth, et al.,

HB 608, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a municipality to receive sales and use tax information from the comptroller.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Brimer, and Wohlgemuth, et al.,

HB 609, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to authorizing municipalities to spend hotel occupancy tax revenue for certain costs.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Brimer,

HB 610, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the requirement that an applicant for renewal of a driver's license complete a driving safety course.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Hartnett,

HB 611, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to challenges for cause to prospective jurors in certain capital cases.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Counts,

HB 612, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of real estate appraisers.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Uher,

HB 613, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the composition and functions of the Texas Commission on Fire Protection.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Uher,

HB 614, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility of a defendant for placement in the state boot camp program.

To Committee on Corrections.

By Uher,

HB 615, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the adjudication and disposition of children for delinquent conduct that violates certain penal laws of this state.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Dutton,

HB 616, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the waiver of a trial by jury by a defendant in a criminal case.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Hirschi,

HB 617, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the representation of certain indigent persons by public defenders in Wichita County.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Carter,

HB 618, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of the Department of Public Safety to establish a checkpoint on a street or highway

to determine whether persons are driving while intoxicated or whether persons possess controlled substances in violation of the Texas Controlled Substances Act.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Carter, et al.,

HB 619, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring the use of protective helmets for bicycle safety; providing criminal penalties.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Carter,

HB 620, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to excavation operations that may damage underground facilities; providing civil penalties.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Zbranek,

HB 621, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption for senior citizens from the red drum tag requirement.

To Committee on State Recreational Resources.

By Dutton,

HB 622, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to protection of an employee in the private sector who reports certain activities; providing a civil penalty.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Combs, et al.,

HB 623, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of property that is located in more than one appraisal district.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Romo,

HB 624, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the payment, and procedures to enforce payment, of taxes and fees collected by the comptroller; providing penalties.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Reyna,

HB 625, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the vehicle emissions inspection and maintenance program.

To Committee on Environmental Regulations.

By Coleman,

HB 626, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a county judge in counties with a population greater than 2,400,000 to delegate certain responsibilities.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Willis,

HB 627, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the tax appraisal of certain land owned or formerly owned by disabled veterans and designated for agricultural use.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Maxey,

HB 628, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to tuition fees and student loans of certain graduate students employed as teaching assistants, assistant instructors, or research assistants at public institutions of higher education.

To Committee on Higher Education.

By Janek,

HB 629, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to conforming the Harris County Road Law to the Open Meetings Act and other statutes applicable to meetings of commissioners courts.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Janek,

HB 630, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to disclosure of certain information contained in a complaint against a physician that is filed with the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Janek,

HB 631, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the waiver of juvenile court jurisdiction over a child and transfer of certain children to district or criminal courts.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Oakley,

HB 632, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to safety standards for public and private playgrounds and limits on the civil liability of a person who provides and maintains a safe playground.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Dutton,

HB 633, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the admission of a child to first grade.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Rodriguez,

HB 634, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the dates of the primary elections.

To Committee on Elections.

By R. Lewis,

HB 635, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to territory contained within the Jefferson County Water Control and Improvement District No. 10.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ogden, et al.,

HB 636, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the offense of intoxication manslaughter and to the creation of the offense of causing injury to a pregnant woman.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Dutton,

HB 637, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certification of court reporters.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Puente,

HB 638, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to arbitration agreements in certain contracts.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By De La Garza, et al.,

HB 639, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a juvenile court to order certain children to perform community service.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By De La Garza,

HB 640, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the treatment for tax purposes of property held and used for a public purpose under an interlocal contract between political subdivisions.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By De La Garza,

HB 641, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to disposition of a juvenile case without referral to juvenile court and to intake conference and adjustment in a juvenile case.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By De La Garza,

HB 642, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the application of hotel occupancy taxes to a housing authority.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By De La Garza,

HB 643, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to student discipline and certain offenses against school employees.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Brimer,

HB 644, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to covenants not to compete.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Brimer,

HB 645, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to municipal approval of certain amending plats.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Munoz,

HB 646, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to computation of the standard service retirement annuity under the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Committee on Appropriations.

By Farrar,

HB 647, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the suspension of a managing conservator's or possessory conservator's possession of and access to a child on a conviction for child abuse; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Ramsay, et al.,

HB 648, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the personal needs allowance for certain Medicaid recipients who are residents of long-term care facilities.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Wilson,

HB 649, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to institutions of higher education that may offer alcoholic beverage seller training programs.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Wilson,

HB 650, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to donations to a state agency by certain attorneys.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Dear,

HB 651, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to eligibility for service retirement from the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Committee on Pensions and Investments.

By J. Jones,

HB 652, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the offense of improper storage of a firearm and the civil liability of a person who negligently stores a firearm.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By J. Jones,

HB 653, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to sales of alcoholic beverages near a church, school, hospital, or residential neighborhood.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By J. Jones,

HB 654, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to permitting a sequestered juror to vote on election day.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Goodman, et al.,

HB 655, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the recodification of statutes relating to parents and children and suits affecting the parent-child relationship.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Goodman,

HB 656, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain advertising by attorneys.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Goodman,

HB 657, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the protection of certain children of persons who abuse controlled substances.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Goodman,

HB 658, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to alternative education programs in public schools.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Goodman, Van de Putte, et al.,

HB 659, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the voluntary termination of parental rights.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Uher,

HB 660, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from the regulation of air conditioning and refrigeration contractors.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Uher, Chisum, Heflin, Goodman, et al.,

HB 661, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to parental rights concerning children attending public schools; providing criminal penalties.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Danburg,

HB 662, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to resign-to-run-provisions for certain elective offices.

To Committee on Elections.

By Danburg,

HB 663, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the vote required to adopt a measure at an election.

To Committee on Elections.

By Wilson,

HB 664, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a referendum on whether certain municipalities should create a sports facility district.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By H. Cuellar, et al.,

HB 665, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the evaluation and effect of certain governmental actions to acquire private property.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By Oliveira, et al.,

HB 666, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of bonds by a higher education facilities corporation to finance facilities for certain military-related primary or secondary schools.

To Committee on Higher Education.

By Kuempel,

HB 667, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of auctions and auctioneers.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Junell, T. Hunter, Duncan, et al.,

HB 668, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to civil remedies for deceptive trade practices.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Gutierrez, De La Garza, R. Cuellar, and Munoz,

HB 669, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the quarantine of rabid animals.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Telford,

HB 670, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to permitting competitive hunting dog events on certain state-controlled property.

To Committee on State Recreational Resources.

By Thompson,

HB 671, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the jurisdiction of justice and municipal courts over certain misdemeanor offenses committed by a child and to the punishment for those offenses.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Thompson,

HB 672, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the assignment of a retired or former judge of a statutory probate court.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Thompson,

HB 673, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the assignment of a former statutory probate court judge.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 674, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility of certain persons to serve as members of an appraisal review board.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Craddick and Solomons,

HB 675, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the computation of the net taxable earned surplus of a limited liability company for franchise tax purposes.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Craddick and Moreno,

HB 676, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to exempting from severance taxation certain hydrocarbons, including condensate, produced from certain previously inactive oil and gas wells.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Craddick,

HB 677, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the validity of certain documents to which certain notaries public fail to attach an official seal.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Craddick,

HB 678, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the capacity of a container of beer.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Craddick,

HB 679, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the effect of certain types of divorce decrees on retirement benefits payable by the Employees Retirement System of Texas.

To Committee on Pensions and Investments.

By Craddick,

HB 680, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a change of annuity selection by a retiree of the Employees Retirement System of Texas.

To Committee on Pensions and Investments.

By Craddick,

HB 681, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to employee misconduct under the unemployment compensation system.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Craddick,

HB 682, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of certain animal control officers; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Craddick,

HB 683, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from the oil and gas production taxes for marginal oil and gas wells and to the promotion of the drilling of new oil and gas wells.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Craddick,

HB 684, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from the oil and gas production taxes for certain marginal oil leases remaining in production; providing a civil penalty.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Pickett,

HB 685, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the award of costs in actions for a declaratory judgment.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Hernandez,

HB 686, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the student loan program administered by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board; authorizing the issuance of bonds.

To Committee on Financial Institutions.

By Hernandez, et al.,

HB 687, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to parental consent for certain public school district actions toward a student.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Hernandez,

HB 688, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the right of an employee to time off from work to participate in certain school activities of the employee's child.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Hernandez, et al.,

HB 689, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to parental involvement and rights in public education.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Van de Putte,

HB 690, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to notices required to be posted by certain applicants for an on-premises alcoholic beverage permit or license.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By R. Lewis,

HB 691, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to indemnification in certain construction contracts.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Culberson, et al.,

HB 692, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the ability to recover damages for injuries to a convicted criminal arising from the commission of the offense.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Culberson,

HB 693, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requests for issuance of arrest warrants for inmates who fail to report to parole officers as required by the terms of the inmates' release on parole or to mandatory supervision.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Culberson,

HB 694, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to access to certain personal information by an inmate of a prison or jail or an offender who is released on parole, community supervision, or mandatory supervision.

To Committee on Corrections.

By Culberson,

HB 695, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the availability of release to mandatory supervision to an inmate confined in the institutional division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

To Committee on Corrections.

By Culberson,

HB 696, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a waiver from statutes and rules for a school district or campus regarding textbook selection.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Culberson,

HB 697, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to textbooks used in public schools.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Culberson,

HB 698, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the composition of the permanent school fund and the financing of the foundation school program.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Culberson, et al.,

HB 699, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility of certain military veterans and other persons with military-related service and survivors of certain military veterans to an exemption from tuition, fees, and charges at a public institution of higher education if the person is in default of an educational loan made under a federal program.

To Committee on Higher Education.

By Culberson,

HB 700, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the designation of expert witnesses by the claimant in a professional malpractice claim.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Culberson,

HB 701, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to limiting to 10 the number of paid holidays that may be taken by a state employee during a fiscal year.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Culberson, et al.,

HB 702, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the repeal of certain wage requirements regarding payment for services under certain public contracts.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Danburg, et al.,

HB 703, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to trespassing on the premises of a health care facility; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Junell and Craddick,

HB 704, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from the oil and gas production taxes for certain inactive oil and gas wells returned to production; providing a civil penalty.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By J. Jones, et al.,

HB 705, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the offense of authorizing or employing persons without identification to work in certain sexually oriented businesses.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By J. Jones,

HB 706, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a municipal drainage utility system.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Finnell and T. Hunter,

HB 707, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a distance learning clearinghouse in the Department of Information Resources.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Finnell and T. Hunter,

HB 708, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a distance learning clearinghouse in the Central Education Agency.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Wilson,

HB 709, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the purchase of textbooks by school districts.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Moffat, Rusling, et al.,

HB 710, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to completion of a driving safety course in connection with certain motor vehicle offenses.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Moffat,

HB 711, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the statute of limitations for actions for personal injury or death.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Moffat,

HB 712, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the penalty for the offense of passing a school bus.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Oakley,

HB 713, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of private investigators and private security agencies; creating a criminal penalty.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Culberson, et al.,

HB 714, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to exempting a school district from the obligation to comply with certain unfunded state educational mandates.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Delisi,

HB 715, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to exempting a medical facility or a physician's office or clinic from regulation as a tattoo parlor.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Talton, Hirschi, T. Hunter, Marchant, et al.,

HB 716, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility of a person who has served as a member of the United States Senate or House of Representatives to be a candidate for the same office.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Allen,

HB 717, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to financing public education.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Driver,

HB 718, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the information in a property reappraisal notice for property taxes.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Duncan and Krusee,

HB 719, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the representation of a person before an executive state agency by a member of the legislature.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Bosse,

HB 720, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to access to diaper changing stations in restrooms.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By De La Garza, Gutierrez, R. Cuellar, and Munoz,

HB 721, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the control of rabies; providing criminal penalties.

To Committee on Public Health.

By B. Turner, et al.,

HB 722, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to liability for false disparagement of perishable food products.

To Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

By B. Turner, Rabuck, Saunders, D. Jones, Swinford, et al.,

HB 723, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to legislative review and gubernatorial suspension of certain rules of state agencies.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By B. Turner,

HB 724, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the rights, powers, privileges, authority, functions, and duties of the Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Combs, et al.,

HB 725, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the transfer of rights under certain residential mortgage loan contracts.

To Committee on Financial Institutions.

By Denny,

HB 726, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the procedures for awarding construction contracts by or for the Parks and Wildlife Department.

To Committee on State Recreational Resources.

By Hernandez,

HB 727, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a state business daily to give notice before a state agency makes a procurement with a value that exceeds \$25,000.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Moreno,

HB 728, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to granting county civil service commissions certain powers necessary to conduct hearings.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Mowery,

HB 729, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to voting in connection with certain judicial races.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Mowery,

HB 730, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the administration of appraisal districts and the appraisal of property for ad valorem taxation.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Allen, et al.,

HB 731, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the investment of funds of a local government or an institution of higher education.

To Committee on Pensions and Investments.

By Talton and Combs,

HB 732, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the invocation of the rule in a criminal trial.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Hilderbran,

HB 733, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the determination of value in condemnation proceedings.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By Pitts,

HB 734, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring adequate state funding of mandates on political subdivisions.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 735, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to uses of balances in the inaugural fund; making appropriations.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Craddick,

HB 736, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the declination of remuneration by elected or appointed state officers.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Delisi, et al.,

HB 737, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to prohibiting smoking in state facilities and vehicles.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Greenberg, et al.,

HB 738, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to public notification of the release of a sex offender into the community; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Ramsay,

HB 739, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the administration of the alcoholic beverage tax stamp program.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Farrar,

HB 740, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the sale of land pursuant to foreclosure by a home-rule municipality.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Farrar,

HB 741, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a municipality's liability for claims arising from land acquired pursuant to foreclosure.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Farrar,

HB 742, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the sale or exchange of land by a home-rule municipality.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Janek,

HB 743, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a county to establish a juvenile curfew in all areas of the county; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Janek,

HB 744, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to tort reform.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By H. Cuellar, Carona, et al.,

HB 745, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to criminal responsibility of a parent for a child's delinquent conduct; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Hill,

HB 746, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to assistance to school districts at or below the equalized wealth level through the creation of an equalization account funded by unclaimed lottery prizes.

To Committee on Appropriations.

By J. Jones,

HB 747, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the conditions of community supervision for repeat offenders convicted of certain offenses involving driving, boating, or flying while intoxicated.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By De La Garza,

HB 748, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to eligibility for beginning positions in fire or police departments.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Danburg, et al.,

HB 749, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a voluntary, consensual encumbrance on homestead property for the purpose of an equity loan.

To Committee on Financial Institutions.

By Horn,

HB 750, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the prohibition of certain disbursements from a county fund to a person with an outstanding debt to the state or the county.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Horn,

HB 751, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the auditing of county jails.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Rhodes, et al.,

HB 752, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to eligibility for certain law enforcement training programs and examinations.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By King,

HB 753, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the validation of a certain agreement between the Edwards Underground Water District, the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District, and the Uvalde County Underground Water Conservation District.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Carona,

HB 754, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the responsibilities of amusement park riders and to suits brought for injuries incurred on amusement park rides.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Rangel,

HB 755, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to tuition at Texas A&M University—Kingsville charged to residents of bordering nations.

To Committee on Higher Education.

By Rangel, et al.,

HB 756, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the provision of interpreters, telecommunication devices, and other services for deaf or hearing-impaired persons who are arrested or confined.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Rangel,

HB 757, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a judicial district composed of Starr County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Rangel, Kamel, De La Garza, Gray, Janek, et al.,

HB 758, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a county to establish a juvenile curfew in all areas of the county; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Thompson,

HB 759, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain retired judges serving as local administrative district judges.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Horn, et al.,

HB 760, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the elimination of the requirement of a license plate on the front of a motor vehicle.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Bailey,

HB 761, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to cost estimates for procedures and services by hospitals and nursing homes and to reports on the status of health care services.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Hartnett,

HB 762, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appointment of a court investigator in a guardianship matter.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Rodriguez,

HB 763, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation by municipalities of outdoor lighting.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Munoz,

HB 764, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to possession and delivery of a child in the company of a person arrested for an offense relating to child custody.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Goodman,

HB 765, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appraisal of property for ad valorem tax purposes and to the boundaries of an appraisal district.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Counts,

HB 766, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of title insurance.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Craddick,

HB 767, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the terms of court of the 142nd District Court.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 768, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to statutory court judges and district judges exchanging benches and transferring cases.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Smithee,

HB 769, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to parental rights concerning children attending public schools.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Smithee,

HB 770, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the attorney for service of process of certain insurance companies.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Smithee,

HB 771, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the exclusion of certain nursing homes from the definition of health care provider for purposes of professional liability insurance coverage.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Smithee,

HB 772, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain persons who are prohibited from representing others before the Texas Department of Insurance.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Smithee,

HB 773, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to motor vehicle liability insurance premium discounts and dismissal of certain citations for completion of a driving safety course; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Smithee,

HB 774, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain technical corrections to the Insurance Code.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Smithee,

HB 775, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to corporations transacting certain insurance business.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Smithee,

HB 776, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the acceptance of certain federal funds by the Texas Department of Insurance.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Allen and J. Jones,

HB 777, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to creating an offense for engaging in certain conduct associated with a performance harmful to a minor.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Romo,

HB 778, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the admissibility into evidence of certain reproductions of records.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Kuempel,

HB 779, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the payment of wages through electronic funds transfer.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Horn,

HB 780, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to reports of certain traffic accidents.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Oliveira,

HB 781, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the statutory county courts in Cameron County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Kuempel,

HB 782, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to use of flashing warning lights and other warning equipment on a school bus.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Nixon,

HB 783, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility for community supervision for a defendant who has previously been convicted of a felony.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Ogden, Rabuck, et al.,

HB 784, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to state indemnification of and assistance to school districts and employees sued in connection with voluntary school prayer or a moment of silence.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Seidlits,

HB 785, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of manufactured housing.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Hernandez, Berlanga, Edwards, Bailey, et al.,

HB 786, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to compensation for school district personnel.

To Committee on Appropriations.

By Hernandez,

HB 787, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of an office of parental involvement at the Central Education Agency.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Brimer,

HB 788, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a municipality to create an industrial development corporation and to levy a sales and use tax to carry out the projects of the corporation.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Van de Putte, et al.,

HB 789, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to promoting awareness of the federal earned income tax credit program for working families.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

(Farrar in the chair)

By J. Jones,

HB 790, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the punishment and eligibility for parole of defendants convicted of habitual acts of sexual assault.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By J. Jones, et al.,

HB 791, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the disposition of children who engage in certain delinquent conduct on three or more occasions.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By J. Jones, et al.,

HB 792, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the punishment for the offense of transferring certain weapons to a minor.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By J. Jones, et al.,

HB 793, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the criminal responsibility of a person who is 15 years of age or older for possession of a handgun in violation of a penal law.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By J. Jones,

HB 794, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the suspension or denial of a driver's license or permit to certain children who use or possess a firearm.
To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Hightower,

HB 795, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to reinstatement, purchase, and transfer of service credit between the Employees Retirement System of Texas and the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.
To Committee on Pensions and Investments.

By Carona,

HB 796, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of air conditioning and refrigeration contractors; providing penalties.
To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Carona,

HB 797, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of the sale and use of certain refrigerants; providing a criminal penalty.
To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Carona,

HB 798, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from regulation as a proprietary school for certain nonprofit associations that conduct training programs regarding air conditioning and refrigeration contracting.
To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Carona,

HB 799, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from the Residential Service Company Act for persons who are licensed to perform air conditioning and refrigeration contracting.
To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Carona,

HB 800, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to municipal requirements regarding the regulation of air conditioning and refrigeration contractors.
To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Carona,

HB 801, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to persons who may inspect certain air conditioning systems as part of a real estate inspection.
To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By R. Lewis,

HB 802, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the conduct indicating a need for supervision by a child in violation of school rules.
To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Patterson,

HB 803, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the liability of a landowner for the acts of certain persons.
To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Patterson,

HB 804, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring courts hearing criminal cases to report certain persons who are not citizens of the United States to the federal government.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Conley,

HB 805, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the small business air compliance funding program.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 806, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the identification of origin of municipal, industrial, or hazardous waste accepted for disposal.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 807, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of specially designed Texas nature license plates and establishing the environmental education account in the general revenue fund.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Wolens,

HB 808, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to financial disclosure requirements and standards of conduct applying to county and district officers, candidates, and employees.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Williamson, et al.,

HB 809, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the purposes for which funds received by local crime stoppers programs may be used.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Duncan and Stiles,

HB 810, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appointment of appellate justices and judges and to retention elections for those justices and judges.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Duncan and Stiles,

HB 811, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the nonpartisan election of district judges, to the retention or rejection of district judges, and to the creation of certain judicial districts.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Duncan,

HB 812, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to procedures before administrative agencies.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Duncan,

HB 813, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to sources of names for a jury wheel.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Coleman, et al.,

HB 814, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the operation of certain historic cemeteries by nonprofit cemetery corporations.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Goolsby, et al.,

HB 815, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a recreational facility fee at The University of Texas at Dallas.

To Committee on Higher Education.

By Thompson and Danburg,

HB 816, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain acts of family violence for which a protective order may be issued.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Thompson,

HB 817, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to identification of individuals executing certain documents.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Horn,

HB 818, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to grants awarded under the smart jobs fund program.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Thompson,

HB 819, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the signature of a notary public on behalf of an individual with a disability.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Allen,

HB 820, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to court orders to grant a name change to certain persons convicted of a criminal offense.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Edwards,

HB 821, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a school uniform pilot program.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Edwards,

HB 822, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the prohibition of employment discrimination against a person based on the person's criminal history record.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Heflin,

HB 823, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the amount a hotel or motel may charge for a telephone call.

To Committee on Economic Development.

By Uher,

HB 824, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a statutory county court in Matagorda County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Uher,

HB 825, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the jurisdiction of juvenile courts over certain persons who have previously been certified as adults.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Carona, et al.,

HB 826, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to criminal responsibility of a parent for a child's delinquent conduct; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Craddick,

HB 827, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the exemption of a municipality from the payment of attorney's fees in declaratory judgment actions.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Craddick,

HB 828, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a county to regulate the sale, possession, or use of fireworks.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 829, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of the voters of a county to authorize the county to regulate the sale, possession, or use of fireworks; providing a criminal penalty.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 830, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring seat-locking devices on certain water vessels.

To Committee on State Recreational Resources.

By Craddick,

HB 831, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers and duties of police officers and marshals in certain municipalities and to the method of selecting a marshal in certain municipalities.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 832, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the civil liability of a governmental entity that supervises a defendant performing community service.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Craddick,

HB 833, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the composition of the eighth and eleventh court of appeals districts.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Craddick,

HB 834, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the county courts at law in Midland County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Craddick, et al.,

HB 835, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to violation of speed limits required by federal law.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Craddick,

HB 836, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appraisal of oil and gas property for ad valorem tax purposes.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Yarbrough and West,

HB 837, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of the commissioners court of a county with a population of 2.8 million or more to regulate the sale, possession, or use of fireworks; providing a criminal penalty.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Conley,

HB 838, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the designation of Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission special investigators as peace officers.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Denny, Madden, McCall, Driver, et al.,

HB 839, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to imposing a limitation on the amount of special expenses that certain municipalities may retain from amounts collected in certain court proceedings.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Denny, Madden, McCall, Driver, et al.,

HB 840, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the enforcement of the limitation on the amount that certain municipalities may retain from amounts collected for traffic violations.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Denny,

HB 841, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to depositories for trust funds held by county and district clerks.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Denny and Solomons,

HB 842, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the statutory county courts and statutory probate court in Denton County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Alexander, Craddick, Stiles, Chisum, and Saunders,

HB 843, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of petroleum storage tanks.

To Committee on Appropriations.

By Hilderbran, H. Cuellar, Van de Putte, Coleman, et al.,

HB 844, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to eligibility for and the provision of AFDC and Medicaid benefits.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Hochberg,

HB 845, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to suits for abuse of governmental proceedings.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Counts,

HB 846, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operation, and financing of the Garza County Underground and Fresh Water Conservation District.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Gallego,

HB 847, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the priority given to the hearing of certain matters by trial courts.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Gallego,

HB 848, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the removal procedure applying to county officers.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Gallego,

HB 849, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the requirement that safety belts be worn by persons operating or riding in certain motor vehicles.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Gallego,

HB 850, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the composition of the Public Safety Commission.

To Committee on Public Safety.

(Speaker in the chair)

By Gallego,

HB 851, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the consequences of certain criminal offenses arising out of the operation of a motor vehicle by a person without a driver's license.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Gallego,

HB 852, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to investigations of judges by the State Commission on Judicial Conduct.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Gallego,

HB 853, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the effect of death or divorce on a marriage for the purpose of applying nepotism prohibitions.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Junell, et al.,

HB 854, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the exemption of certain plumbers from continuing professional education requirements.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Gallego,

HB 855, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to participation by the office of the attorney general in the prosecution of criminal cases.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Horn,

HB 856, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the scope of practice of a dentist performing oral and maxillofacial surgery.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Yost, et al.,

HB 857, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the cost-benefit analysis of an environmental rule or regulation proposed by a state agency or the legislature.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Giddings, et al.,

HB 858, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation for public school students.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Giddings,

HB 859, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to financing of certain urban improvements.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Giddings,

HB 860, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the furnishing of certain credit information by certain lessors and used vehicle dealers.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Swinford,

HB 861, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring that a proposed state agency rule may not be adopted or take effect until the appropriate legislative committees hold hearings on the proposed rule.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By R. Lewis,

HB 862, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to allowing certain retired commissioned officers of the Department of Public Safety to carry a handgun.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Maxey,

HB 863, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to payment error rates in the food stamp and AFDC programs.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Maxey,

HB 864, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the provision of and reimbursement for certain case management services.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Maxey, Naishtat, and Raymond,

HB 865, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an increase in federal funding for mental health services for children and families.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Maxey and Dukes,

HB 866, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to public school health clinics.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Maxey,

HB 867, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an automated system for providing reimbursements to nursing homes under the state Medicaid program.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Maxey, Raymond, and Naishtat,

HB 868, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the reduction of fraud in certain public assistance programs.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Maxey,

HB 869, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to coordinated delivery of health and human services programs.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Maxey, Naishtat, and Raymond,

HB 870, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, powers, and duties of the health care purchasing office.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Maxey,

HB 871, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to securing a hospital lien.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Maxey and Danburg,

HB 872, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of the assignment and accelerated payment of death benefits and the business of purchasing the right to death benefits from a policy owner with a catastrophic or life-threatening illness.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Duncan,

HB 873, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of premium finance companies.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Pickett,

HB 874, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the location of certain examinations required for licensing by the Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Pickett,

HB 875, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appointment of members of a municipal zoning board of adjustment.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Yost,

HB 876, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the joint or separate prosecution of multiple defendants charged with offenses arising from the same criminal transaction.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Saunders,

HB 877, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the enforcement of tariffs of certain water supply or sewer service corporations.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Dear,

HB 878, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to prepaid legal services contracts.

To Committee on Insurance.

By H. Cuellar,

HB 879, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain jury panels in Webb County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By H. Cuellar,

HB 880, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an additional security fee collected in Webb County.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By H. Cuellar,

HB 881, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to contracts made by the Texas Commission on Fire Protection implementing the commission's volunteer program.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Giddings,

HB 882, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the requirement that the governing body of a municipality approve change orders for municipal construction contracts.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By McDonald, et al.,

HB 883, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the establishment of a reeducation program for certain registered nurses.

To Committee on Public Health.

By J. Jones and Allen,

HB 884, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to harmful performance in the presence of a minor; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Madden,

HB 885, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the amount of insurance coverage allowed under group life insurance policies.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Duncan, De La Garza, Kamel, Rangel, Janek, et al.,

HB 886, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a municipality to staff, operate and provide for a temporary processing facility for juveniles taken into custody under provisions of municipal curfew ordinances.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Pickett,

HB 887, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to allowing a municipality to impose a fee against certain alarm system companies for excessive false alarms.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Marchant,

HB 888, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the correction of an ad valorem tax appraisal roll.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Marchant, Patterson, Brimer, Berlanga, et al.,

HB 889, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to interstate banking, branch banking, and bank holding companies.

To Committee on Financial Institutions.

By Allen,

HB 890, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the jurisdiction of the justice courts in a county with a population of two million or more.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Allen,

HB 891, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to work programs for certain persons committed to a facility of the Texas Youth Commission.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Yarbrough, et al.,

HB 892, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the power of a county to enact a juvenile curfew; providing a penalty.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Yarbrough,

HB 893, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to polygraph tests administered to employees of a sheriff's department in certain counties.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Naishtat, et al.,

HB 894, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the establishment of caseload standards for certain employees of the Texas Department of Human Services or the Department of Protective and Regulatory Services.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Raymond,

HB 895, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the conveyance of certain state-owned real property in Wilson County.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By S. Turner,

HB 896, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring bidders for certain contracts with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to show proof of support of employment programs for released felons and to the use of that information by the Texas Board of Criminal Justice in awarding contracts.

To Committee on Corrections.

By S. Turner,

HB 897, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of podiatry.
To Committee on Public Health.

By Rodriguez,

HB 898, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the change of the name of the San Antonio State Chest Hospital to the Texas Center for Infectious Disease.

To Committee on Public Health.

By Yarbrough,

HB 899, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a county to adopt codes for buildings in unincorporated areas.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Grusendorf, et al.,

HB 900, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a franchise tax and property tax credit for certain corporations for payment of certain tuition.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Yarbrough,

HB 901, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the payment of workers' compensation benefits for certain county law enforcement officers.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Denny,

HB 902, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the privatization of highway maintenance work by the Texas Department of Transportation.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Denny,

HB 903, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to merging the Texas Department on Aging into the Health and Human Services Commission.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Madden,

HB 904, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to funding of vocational education in public schools.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Madden,

HB 905, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to school district expenditures for administrative purposes.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Madden,

HB 906, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the penalty for overreporting attendance under the foundation school program.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Shields,

HB 907, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to prekindergarten classes in public schools.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Shields,

HB 908, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to computing and reporting the number of state employees.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Talton,

HB 909, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the level of assistance granted to certain welfare recipients.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Talton, et al.,

HB 910, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to identifying certain fathers who are not named on the birth certificate and establishing their paternity.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Talton,

HB 911, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to eligibility for AFDC benefits.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Talton,

HB 912, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to participation of certain AFDC recipients in the job opportunities and basic skills (JOBS) training program.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Talton, et al.,

HB 913, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to termination of AFDC payments for certain children.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Counts,

HB 914, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the adoption of the Interstate Insurance Receivership Compact by this state.

To Committee on Insurance.

By G. Lewis,

HB 915, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a judicial district composed of Tarrant County.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Seidlits,

HB 916, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a municipality to implement a photographic traffic-control system; providing for imposition of a civil penalty.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Bailey,

HB 917, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to prohibiting certain counties from contracting with a nongovernmental association for the provision of law enforcement services by the county.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Hamric,

HB 918, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the punishment for, or disposition of juvenile cases involving, the offenses of transfer of a weapon to a minor and possession of a weapon by a minor.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Hamric,

HB 919, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the attendance of a parent or other custodian of a child in certain hearings relating to a child in need of supervision or a delinquent child.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Uher,

HB 920, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the areas subject to a statute governing creation, extension, renewal, or modification of deed restrictions applicable to residential real estate subdivisions.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By Uher,

HB 921, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to approval of bonds issued by a conservation and reclamation district.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Thompson,

HB 922, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the operation of the sexual assault program fund.

To Committee on Appropriations.

By Denny,

HB 923, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to vocational education and to vocational counseling in public schools.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Denny,

HB 924, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the revocation of the registration of a motor vehicle operated in violation of the Texas Motor Vehicle Safety-Responsibility Act.

To Committee on Transportation.

By T. Hunter, et al.,

HB 925, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of geologists and geophysicists; providing a civil and criminal penalty.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Duncan and Junell,

HB 926, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of political contributions and expenditures in connection with certain judicial candidates and

officeholders and to the disclosure by a judge of certain special relationships with attorneys; providing criminal penalties.

To Committee on Elections.

By Junell, Hochberg, et al.,

HB 927, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to state assistance in financing public school facilities.

To Committee on Public Education.

By Maxey,

HB 928, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to AFDC recipients who are eligible for assistance under certain federal programs.

To Committee on Human Services.

By Krusee,

HB 929, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of specially designed license plates for certain military personnel and veterans.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Johnson, McCoulskey, Averitt, Dear, et al.,

HB 930, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to benefits payable by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Committee on Appropriations.

By Krusee,

HB 931, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to information provided by victims in certain criminal proceedings occurring before sentencing.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Krusee,

HB 932, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a member of the state military to possess certain weapons while in the discharge of official duties.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Kubiak,

HB 933, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the punishment for a person convicted of a state jail felony.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Seidlits,

HB 934, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to directing the supreme court to adopt certain rules of civil procedure.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Romo, Hirschi, et al.,

HB 935, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to smoking and the use of other tobacco products at school activities and on school property.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Madden,

HB 936, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to deposit of certain payments made to the comptroller.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Madden,

HB 937, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the establishment and operation of a self-insured guaranty account for the protection of policyholders of the Texas workers' compensation insurance fund.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Telford,

HB 938, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to tuition fees at public upper-level institutions of higher education for students residing in bordering states.

To Committee on Higher Education.

By Giddings,

HB 939, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the requirement that the commissioners court of a county approve change orders for county construction contracts.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Hartnett,

HB 940, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to damages that may be awarded against a county or precinct officer who inadvertently overcharges a person a fee.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Stiles,

HB 941, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the service and return of a subpoena in a criminal proceeding.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Craddick,

HB 942, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to an exemption from the oil and gas production taxes for certain horizontally drilled wells; providing a civil penalty.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By S. Turner,

HB 943, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to performance audits of certain metropolitan transit authorities.

To Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Madden,

HB 944, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the cancellation of certain city council elections.

To Committee on Elections.

By Madden,

HB 945, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the administration of an election when the county election officer is opposed in that election.

To Committee on Elections.

By Pitts,

HB 946, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the disclosure at the sale of real property of information concerning the imposition of ad valorem taxes on the property.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Pitts,

HB 947, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to loans secured by liens on agricultural or open-space land.

To Committee on Financial Institutions.

By Moreno,

HB 948, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the grounds for expulsion from school.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Hightower,

HB 949, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the applicability of the open records law to certain incarcerated individuals.

To Committee on Corrections.

By Ogden,

HB 950, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to informed consent to the performance of an abortion.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Ogden,

HB 951, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to notice to a parent, guardian, or conservator before an abortion may be performed on a pregnant minor; providing a criminal penalty.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By De La Garza,

HB 952, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to county programs to mentor and counsel juveniles found to have engaged in conduct indicating a need for supervision.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Duncan, Yost, Walker, et al.,

HB 953, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to state aid for counties that provide secure residential care facilities for certain delinquent children.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Duncan,

HB 954, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to recovery from certain insureds of payments made by the Texas Property and Casualty Insurance Guaranty Association.

To Committee on Insurance.

By Brimer,

HB 955, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to charges for sales of motor vehicle fuel involving certain means of payment; providing a criminal penalty.

To Committee on Energy Resources.

By B. Turner, West, Black, Alexander, and Walker,

HB 956, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to designation of portions of Farm-to-Market Roads 503 and 1929 as the Ray C. Stoker, Jr., Highway.

To Committee on Transportation.

By B. Turner, et al.,

HB 957, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a cause of action for an owner of land harmed by certain actions of a governmental entity.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By B. Turner,

HB 958, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of certain counties to impose a county hotel occupancy tax.

To Committee on Ways and Means.

By Davis and Thompson,

HB 959, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain retired and former judges.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Puente,

HB 960, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to authorizing counties to sell county-developed computer software.

To Committee on County Affairs.

By Puente,

HB 961, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the punishment for the offense of deadly conduct.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Seidlits,

HB 962, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of commercial carriers; providing civil, administrative, and criminal penalties.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Pickett,

HB 963, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to liner requirements for municipal solid waste landfills.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 964, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the recordation in county deed records of certain solid waste activities; imposing a civil penalty.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 965, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to municipal solid waste disposal fees.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 966, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of certain employees of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission to issue field citations for certain violations.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 967, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to restrictions on the location of facilities that store hazardous wastes, hazardous substances, or bulk fuel.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Conley,

HB 968, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to decentralization of certain Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission staff.

To Committee on Natural Resources.

By Bosse and Crabb,

HB 969, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the extraterritorial jurisdiction of certain municipalities.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By Bosse,

HB 970, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the consideration of an economic benefit gained by a person through a violation of law when calculating certain penalties against that person for that violation.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By T. Hunter, Junell, Duncan, Eiland, et al.,

HB 971, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to health care liability claims.

To Committee on Civil Practices.

By Dutton,

HB 972, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to discovery in a criminal case.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Dutton,

HB 973, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the right of a defendant in a criminal case to a speedy trial.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Goodman,

HB 974, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the placement of a lien on a motor vehicle for certain persons delinquent in the payment of child support.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Goodman,

HB 975, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requiring the reporting of substance abuse by a pregnant woman as child abuse.

To Committee on Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

By Maxey,

HB 976, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authorized activities of a holder of a brewpub license.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Maxey,

HB 977, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authorized activities of certain holders of a brewer's or manufacturer's license.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Maxey,

HB 978, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to container capacity permitted for beer bottles and cans.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

By Oliveira,

HB 979, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to notice and cure provisions required for a defaulting purchaser under a contract for deed; and to requirements for a contract for deed transaction in certain counties.

To Committee on Business and Industry.

By Maxey,

HB 980, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authorized activities of a holder of a brewpub license.

To Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

The following house joint resolutions were today laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees:

By Marchant, et al.,

HJR 1, A joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of terms to which a person may be elected to the Texas Legislature or the United States Congress.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Dutton,

HJR 5, A joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment relating to regulation by the legislature of a prosecutor's preparation for trial.

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

The following resolutions were laid before the house and referred to committees:

By Saunders,

HCR 2, Recognizing the first full week in June as National Garden Week.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Uher and Laney,

HCR 3, In memory of Robert W. Calvert.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Saunders, et al.,

HCR 4, Authorizing the State Preservation Board to provide for the planting of a tree on the Capitol grounds in memory of Dorothy Sanders.

To Committee on House Administration.

By Glaze,

HCR 6, Designating Wills Point as the Bluebird Capital of Texas.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Talton, Craddick, Rabuck, Chisum, T. Hunter, et al.,

HCR 11, Claiming sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the United

States Constitution over all powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by the United States Constitution.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Talton,

HCR 12, Urging the Congress of the United States to amend the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 to exempt school districts from the employee trip reduction provisions required in extreme and severe nonattainment areas.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Kubiak, Hilderbran, et al.,

HCR 13, Urging the Congress of the United States to cease funding for the Endangered Species Act.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By McCall, Oakley, et al.,

HCR 14, Requesting the Texas delegation to the United States Congress to appear before a joint session of the Texas Legislature to discuss the problems that unfunded mandates present to Texas.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By H. Cuellar,

HCR 16, Requesting the government of the United Mexican States to abolish its \$50 limit on duty-free goods or to raise the limit significantly or reciprocate United States duty provisions.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Park,

HCR 17, Claiming sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States over all powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by the United States Constitution.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Chisum,

HCR 18, Authorizing a delegation to represent Texas at a Conference of the States.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Combs,

HCR 19, Commemorating the 75th anniversary of the ratification of the Nineteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Rabuck, et al.,

HCR 20, Claiming sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the United States Constitution over all other powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by that constitution.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Finnell,

HCR 22, Granting the Texas YMCA youth and government program permission to use the house and senate chambers.

To Committee on House Administration.

By Raymond, Hilderbran, and Berlanga,

HCR 23, Memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose an amendment to the Constitution requiring a balanced budget.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Brimer and Wohlgemuth,

HCR 24, Requesting the United States Congress to reconsider the requirement of stormwater discharge permits for cities having a population of fewer than 100,000.

To Committee on Environmental Regulation.

By Counts,

HCR 25, Commending Bill Sarpalius for his service in the Texas Senate and the United States Congress.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Rabuck,

HCR 26, Honoring the organizers and participants of the Conroe Cajun Catfish Festival.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Thompson, et al.,

HCR 27, Requesting the Texas Center for the Judiciary, Inc., to include in its judicial education curriculum training in issues relating to domestic violence.

To Committee on Judicial Affairs.

By Craddick,

HCR 28, Paying tribute to the life of Richard Milhous Nixon.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Craddick,

HCR 29, Paying tribute to the life of Patricia Ryan Nixon.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By B. Hunter,

HCR 30, Requesting the National Archives and Records Administration to make copies of joint resolutions of the 12th Legislature ratifying amendments XIII, XIV, and XV to the United States Constitution and transmit them for placement in the state archives.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Yost,

HCR 31, Proclaiming Gladewater as the Antique Capital of East Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Moreno,

HCR 32, Congratulating Nolan Richardson on his many accomplishments in the sport of basketball.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Johnson,

HCR 34, Relating to the purchase of certain real property by Stephen F. Austin State University.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By Raymond, et al.,

HCR 35, Paying tribute to the life of Jacqueline Lee Bouvier Kennedy Onassis.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Swinford, Walker, Smithee, Chisum, Duncan, et al.,

HCR 37, Rejecting the suggestion by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service that Texas has failed to manage its natural resources in the Ogallala Aquifer in an environmentally conscious manner and expressing opposition to the addition of the Arkansas River Shiner to the endangered species list.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

By Edwards,

HCR 39, Memorializing the Congress of the United States to continue financial support of Amtrak.

To Committee on Transportation.

By Craddick,

HCR 40, Requesting the Congress of the United States to cease the appropriation of United States funds for any military activity not authorized by the congress.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Craddick,

HCR 41, Claiming sovereignty under the 10th Amendment to the United States Constitution over all other powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by that constitution.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Raymond,

HCR 43, Designating the harvester ant as the Official State Insect.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Raymond, Hilderbran, and King,

HCR 44, Designating the prickly pear cactus as the official state plant.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By King,

HCR 46, Memorializing the Congress to encourage the National Weather Service to update the Hondo radar facility.

To Committee on Public Safety.

By Chisum and Swinford,

HCR 48, In Memory of Malouf Abraham, Sr.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions

By Chisum and Swinford,

HCR 49, In memory of Guy Hazlett.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Chisum,

HCR 50, Designating the longhorn as the official state mammal.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Stiles and Price,

HCR 51, In memory of Benjamin Joseph Rogers.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Stiles and Zbranek,

HCR 52, In memory of James Ronald "Ronnie" McWaters.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Stiles,

HCR 53, Designating Seaport Coffee as the official State Coffee of Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Krusee, Combs, Yarbrough, and Willis,

HCR 57, Memorializing the Congress to propose an amendment to the United States Constitution exempting desecration of the American flag from protection by the First Amendment.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Saunders,

HR 7, Granting the Texas Junior College Student Government Association permission to use the house chamber on April 2, 1995.

To Committee on House Administration.

By Munoz,

HR 8, In memory of Travis Hiester.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Wilson,

HR 9, Commending Benjamin L. Hall III for his service to the city of Houston.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Kubiak,

HR 11, Designating Milam County as the wild dewberry capital of the state of Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Kubiak,

HR 12, Designating the Texas State Noodle Cookoff in Giddings as the official noodle cookoff of the State of Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Kubiak,

HR 13, Designating Texas Ladies Aside as the official Equestrian Drill Team of Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Kubiak,

HR 14, Commending Dusty Henson for his business accomplishments.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By McCoulskey,

HR 15, Congratulating Zin, Linda, Reginald, Rachel, and Randy Hawkins on being named the 1993 Outstanding Family of the Year.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Giddings,

HR 16, Commending Clementine Lear for her significant contributions to the betterment of her community and state.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 17, Congratulating the Vernon Regional Junior College men's rodeo team on attaining the 1994 National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association championship.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 18, Honoring the Possum Kingdom Relays.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 19, Honoring St. Peter Lutheran Church on its 100 years of service as a house of worship.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 20, Paying tribute to the life of former Montague County Sheriff W. F. Conway.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 21, Congratulating coach Jim Wood and the Quanah High School boys' golf squad on attaining the UIL Class 2A golf championship.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 22, Congratulating the 1993-1994 Holliday Eagle Band on winning the Class 2A state championship in marching band competition.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 23, Honoring the members of the Iwo Jima Survivors Association of Texas on their 50th anniversary reunion.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 24, Congratulating coach Lonnie Gaylor and the Graham High School Lady Blues golf squad on their 1994 UIL Class 3A state championship.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 25, Paying tribute to the life of the Honorable Maurice Benton Ball.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Finnell,

HR 26, Paying tribute to the life of Jack Crain.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Yost,

HR 27, Recognizing Henry C. Wedemeyer as the original designer of the Reverse of the State Seal of Texas.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By De La Garza,

HR 29, Paying tribute to the life of Dr. Ralph Franklin Schilling, Jr.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Kubiak,

HR 31, Honoring Mike Buzbee for his exemplary work on behalf of the children and families of the Lone Star State.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By H. Cuellar,

HR 32, Commending Aida Laurel Garza for her contributions to the Laredo Independent School District.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Yarbrough, et al.,

HR 38, Requesting the U.S. Congress to continue its efforts to locate U.S. military personnel missing in action in Southeast Asia.

To Committee on State Affairs.

By Finnell,

HR 39, Congratulating Don C. King on the occasion of his retirement.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By J. Jones,

HR 50, Commending Dr. D. G. Edwards for his contributions as a physician and spiritual leader.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By J. Jones,

HR 51, Commending Officer Earnest Jenkins, Jr., for his contributions to drug-abuse education.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By J. Jones,

HR 52, Honoring Dr. Reginald Mack Leffall for his many years of exceptional service to the church.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By J. Jones,

HR 53, Commending the developers and business owners of the Just Us Mall in Dallas.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Raymond,

HR 59, Congratulating the Freer High School Lady Buckaroos on winning the 1994 Class 2A volleyball championship.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Moreno,

HR 62, Congratulating Miguel Ignacio "Nacho" Tinajero on being selected as a finalist for the National Teacher of the Year award.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Naishtat,

HR 65, Granting the Boy Scouts of America permission to use the house chamber on February 11, 1995.

To Committee on House Administration.

By Ogden,

HR 69, Congratulating Mildred Sullivan on her 105th birthday.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Counts,

HR 70, Commending Rigdon Edwards for his contributions to the petroleum marketing industry.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Kubiak,

HR 75, Designating June 10, 1995, as Snider Family Day.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Yarbrough,

HR 76, Congratulating Ryan Bruce Salinas on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By B. Hunter,

HR 78, In memory of Harold Crawford.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By B. Hunter,

HR 79, In memory of Richard Dillard.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Longoria,

HR 80, Congratulating Sebastian and Rogelia Hernandez on their 50th wedding anniversary.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Saunders,

HR 82, Recognizing the first week in October as German Cultural Awareness Week in Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Saunders, et al.,

HR 83, Recognizing the last full week in October as Czech heritage week in Texas.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

By Davis, et al.,

HR 84, Commending Mr. R. C. Hickman for his contributions to the preservation of African-American history.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Kubiak,

HR 89, Congratulating Jake and Lynn Yarter on their 50th wedding anniversary.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Telford,

HR 92, Commending Dr. Walter J. Wyrick, Sr., for his long service to the people of the Texarkana area.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By De La Garza,

HR 94, Honoring the memory of Travis Hiester.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Oakley,

HR 95, In memory of Phillip LaFrance Willis.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Corte,

HR 99, Commending Matthew Michael Morris on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

By Solis,

HR 100, Commending the Valley AIDS Council for its outstanding service to the people of the Rio Grande Valley.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following senate bills were today laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees:

SB 4 to Committee on Appropriations.

SB 8 to Committee on Appropriations.

SB 59 to Committee on State Affairs.

SB 89 to Committee on Human Services.

SB 114 to Committee on Higher Education.

SB 181 to Committee on Higher Education.

SB 192 to Committee on Public Health.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

The following senate joint resolution was today laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committee:

SJR 7 to Committee on State Affairs.

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

The following resolutions were laid before the house and referred to committees:

SCR 6, Claiming sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the United States Constitution over all other powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by that constitution.

To Committee on State Affairs.

SCR 7, Designating January 25, 1995, as "Children's Advocacy Day" at the Capitol.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

SCR 13, Recognizing the people of the Republic of China on Taiwan.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

SCR 15, Petitioning the Secretary of Health and Human Services to award to the Texas Council on Family Violence the National Domestic Violence Hotline Grant to set up a national hotline for victims of domestic violence.

To Committee on Human Services.

SCR 25, Relating to the purchase of certain real property by Stephen F. Austin State University.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

SCR 26, Declaring that polka music is the most preserved music in Texas and recognizing the contributions of the Polka Lovers Klub of America.

To Committee on State, Federal, and International Relations.

SCR 33, Rejecting the suggestion by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service that Texas has failed to manage its natural resources in the Ogallala Aquifer in an environmentally conscious manner and expressing opposition to the addition of the Arkansas River Shiner to the endangered species list.

To Committee on Land and Resource Management.

SCR 34, Recognizing February 22, 1995, as Collin County Day.

To Committee on Rules and Resolutions.

SCR 35, Authorizing the State Preservation Board to erect on the Capitol grounds, a memorial honoring Texans who fought and died in the Korean War.

To Committee on House Administration.

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with a previous motion, the house, at 11:30 a.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. Monday, February 6.

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