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PROCEEDINGS

THIRTY-SECOND DAY — MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2015

The house met at 2:02 p.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 54).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, R.; Ashby; Aycok; Bell; Bernal; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Burkett; Burns; Burrows; Button; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Collier; Cook; Craddick; Crownover; Cyrier; Dale; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Dutton; Elkins; Faircloth; Fallon; Farias; Farney; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Galindo; Geren; Giddings; Goldman; Gonzales; González; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Hernandez; Herrero; Howard; Huberty; Hughes; Hunter; Isaac; Israel; Johnson; Keffer; Keough; King, K.; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Klick; Koop; Krause; Kuempel; Landgraf; Larson; Laubenberg; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martínez; Martínez Fischer; McClendon; Metcalf; Meyer; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, R.; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Naishtat; Nevárez; Oliveira; Otto; Paddie; Parker; Paul; Peña; Phelan; Phillips; Pickett; Price; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Riddle; Rinaldi; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Romero; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Schofield; Schubert; Shaheen; Sheets; Sheffield; Simmons; Simpson; Smith; Smithee; Spitzer; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Tinderholt; Turner, C.; Turner, E.S.; Turner, S.; VanDeaver; Villalba; Vo; Walle; White, J.; White, M.; Workman; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Absent, Excused — Anderson, C.; Dukes; Kacal; Leach.

Absent — Coleman.

The speaker recognized Representative Gonzales who introduced Lazarus Gonzales, Jr., senior pastor, Templo Cristo Para Todos, Alvin, who offered the invocation as follows:

My Heavenly Father, I thank you for a state legislature that starts their business day by acknowledging you and asking for your guidance. I thank you for men and women that have left homes, families, and businesses to answer the call to serve the people of Texas. I also want to lift up the staff members of each representative because success is never a one-man job; it takes teamwork. Ephesians 4:12 tells us that the stronger your team is, the more you can fulfill your dream; therefore, I pray for this spirit of teamwork to permeate these hallowed halls so that our dream of a better and stronger Texas can continue. We will be careful to give you all the honor and glory.

The speaker recognized Representative Gonzales who introduced Evangeline Gonzales, senior pastor, Templo Cristo Para Todos, Alvin, who offered the invocation as follows:

Lord, with full confidence I come to the throne of grace, knowing that in your divine providence you have established institutions which include governments, people in authority, and the family. Everything you institute and ordain has your provision to those that seek it. May your divine wisdom, knowledge, and understanding be imparted on our legislators and all those who govern. Bless their families and assure them that you are their refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. We thank you, Lord, for the greater blessings and prosperity that await their families and our State of Texas. In Jesus' name.

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

C. Anderson on motion of R. Miller.

Dukes on motion of Allen.

Kacal on motion of Metcalf.

Leach on motion of E. S. Turner.

(Cyrier in the chair)

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS SUSPENDED

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

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

McClendon on motion of Allen.

HB 4124 - PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE

Representative Burns requested permission to introduce and have placed on first reading **HB 4124**.

Permission to introduce was granted by (Record 55): 134 Yeas, 0 Nays, 1 Present, not voting.

Yeas — Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, R.; Ashby; Aycock; Bell; Bernal; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Burkett; Burns; Burrows; Button; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Collier; Cook; Cyrier(C); Dale; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Dutton; Elkins; Faircloth; Fallon; Farias; Farney; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Galindo; Geren; Giddings; Goldman; Gonzales; González; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Hernandez; Howard;

Huberty; Hughes; Hunter; Isaac; Israel; Johnson; Keffer; Keough; King, K.; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Klick; Koop; Krause; Kuempel; Landgraf; Larson; Laubenberg; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martínez; Martínez Fischer; Metcalf; Meyer; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, R.; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Naishtat; Nevárez; Oliveira; Otto; Paddie; Paul; Peña; Phelan; Phillips; Pickett; Price; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Riddle; Rinaldi; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Romero; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Schofield; Schubert; Shaheen; Sheets; Sheffield; Simmons; Simpson; Smith; Smithee; Spitzer; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Tinderholt; Turner, C.; Turner, E.S.; VanDeaver; Villalba; Vo; Walle; White, M.; Workman; Wray; Wu; Zedler.

Present, not voting — Mr. Speaker.

Absent, Excused — Anderson, C.; Dukes; Kacal; Leach; McClendon.

Absent — Coleman; Craddick; Crownover; Herrero; Moody; Parker; Turner, S.; White, J.; Zerwas.

STATEMENTS OF VOTE

When Record No. 55 was taken, I was temporarily out of the house chamber. I would have voted yes.

Coleman

When Record No. 55 was taken, I was in the house but away from my desk. I would have voted yes.

Herrero

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The chair recognized Representative Guerra who presented Dr. Oscar Cortes of McAllen as the "Doctor for the Day."

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

HR 1221 - ADOPTED (by Giddings)

Representative Giddings moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1221**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1221, Honoring the Academic Bridge Program at The University of Texas at Dallas.

HR 1221 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Button, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1221** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Giddings who introduced representatives of the Academic Bridge Program.

(Coleman now present)

HR 813 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

(by Nevárez)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 813, Recognizing the Aztec Theater in Eagle Pass for its contribution to that city's cultural heritage.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Nevárez who introduced representatives of the Aztec Theater.

HR 1252 - ADOPTED

(by Muñoz and Guerra)

Representative Muñoz moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1252**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1252, Honoring the McAllen Mariachi Oro 6A State Champion.

HR 1252 was adopted.

On motion of Representatives Guerra and Longoria, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1252** as signers thereof.

HR 691 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

(by Fallon)

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

HR 691, In memory of John S. Marshall of The Colony.

On motion of Representatives R. Miller and Simmons, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 691** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Fallon who introduced family members of John S. Marshall.

COMMITTEES GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

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

postings. For purposes of this motion, those committees and subcommittees that are scheduled to meet upon adjournment or final recess today shall be considered to be scheduled to meet during bill referral today.

Permission to meet was granted.

HR 1263 - ADOPTED
(by Y. Davis)

Representative Y. Davis moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1263**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1263, In memory of Bishop James Neaul Haynes of Dallas.

HR 1263 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of Representative Rose, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1263** as signers thereof.

HR 479 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED
(by Herrero, Hunter, and Howard)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 479, In memory of Linda Bridges, president of the Texas chapter of the American Federation of Teachers.

On motion of Representative Hunter, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 479** as signers thereof.

(Speaker in the chair)

EMERGENCY CALENDAR
HOUSE BILLS
SECOND READING

The following bills were laid before the house and read second time:

HB 10 ON SECOND READING
(by S. Thompson, Hunter, Longoria, Parker, Harless, et al.)

HB 10, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain criminal and civil consequences of trafficking of persons, compelling prostitution, and certain other related criminal offenses; to the prevention, prosecution, and punishment of those offenses, and to compensation paid to victims of those offenses.

HB 10 was passed to engrossment by (Record 56): 142 Yeas, 0 Nays, 1 Present, not voting.

Yeas — Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, R.; Ashby; Aycock; Bell; Bernal; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Burkett; Burns; Burrows; Button; Capriglione; Clardy; Coleman; Collier; Cook; Craddick; Crownover; Cyrier; Dale; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Dutton; Elkins; Faircloth;

Fallon; Farias; Farney; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Galindo; Geren; Giddings; Goldman; Gonzales; González; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Hernandez; Herrero; Howard; Huberty; Hughes; Hunter; Isaac; Israel; Johnson; Keffer; Keough; King, K.; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Klick; Koop; Krause; Kuempel; Landgraf; Larson; Laubenberg; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; Metcalf; Meyer; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, R.; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Naishtat; Nevárez; Oliveira; Otto; Paddie; Parker; Paul; Peña; Phelan; Phillips; Pickett; Price; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Riddle; Rinaldi; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Romero; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Schofield; Schubert; Shaheen; Sheets; Sheffield; Simmons; Simpson; Smith; Smithee; Spitzer; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Tinderholt; Turner, C.; Turner, E.S.; Turner, S.; VanDeaver; Villalba; Vo; Walle; White, J.; White, M.; Workman; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Present, not voting — Mr. Speaker(C).

Absent, Excused — Anderson, C.; Dukes; Kacal; Leach; McClendon.

Absent — Canales.

STATEMENT OF VOTE

When Record No. 56 was taken, my vote failed to register. I would have voted yes.

Canales

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs, during bill referral today, 3W.9, for a formal meeting, to consider pending business.

HB 11 - RULES SUSPENDED

Representative Hunter moved to suspend Rule 6, Section 16(f) of the House Rules to consider the rule governing floor consideration for **HB 11** at this time.

The motion prevailed.

HB 11 - COMMITTEE ON CALENDARS RULE ADOPTED

Representative Hunter moved to adopt the following rule governing floor consideration for **HB 11**:

Section 1. All original amendments that will be offered during second reading consideration of the bill must be filed with the chief clerk by 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 17.

The Committee on Calendars rule was adopted by (Record 57): 135 Yeas, 4 Nays, 1 Present, not voting.

Yeas — Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, R.; Ashby; Aycock; Bell; Bernal; Blanco; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Burkett; Burns; Burrows; Button; Capriglione; Clardy; Coleman; Collier; Cook; Craddick; Crownover; Cyrier; Dale; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Dutton; Elkins; Faircloth; Fallon; Farias; Farney; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Galindo; Geren; Giddings; Goldman; Gonzales; González; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Hernandez; Herrero; Howard; Huberty; Hughes; Hunter; Isaac; Israel; Johnson; Keffer; Keough; King, K.; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Klick; Koop; Krause; Kuempel; Landgraf; Larson; Laubenberg; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; Metcalf; Meyer; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, R.; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Naishtat; Nevárez; Otto; Paddie; Parker; Paul; Peña; Phelan; Phillips; Pickett; Price; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Riddle; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Romero; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Schofield; Schubert; Shaheen; Sheets; Sheffield; Simmons; Smith; Smithee; Spitzer; Springer; Stephenson; Thompson, E.; Turner, C.; Turner, E.S.; Turner, S.; VanDeaver; Villalba; Vo; Walle; White, J.; White, M.; Workman; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Nays — Rinaldi; Simpson; Stickland; Tinderholt.

Present, not voting — Mr. Speaker(C).

Absent, Excused — Anderson, C.; Dukes; Kacal; Leach; McClendon.

Absent — Bohac; Canales; Oliveira; Thompson, S.

STATEMENTS OF VOTE

When Record No. 57 was taken, I was in the house but away from my desk. I would have voted yes.

Bohac

When Record No. 57 was taken, my vote failed to register. I would have voted yes.

Canales

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT

At 3:20 p.m., Representatives Y. Davis and Fallon 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. tomorrow in memory of James Neaul Haynes of Dallas and John S. Marshall of The Colony.

The motion prevailed.

**BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING
AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES
RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES**

Bills and joint resolutions were at this time laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees. Resolutions were at this time laid before the house and referred to committees. (See the addendum to the daily journal, Referred to Committees, List No. 1.)

(Zedler in the chair)

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with a previous motion, the house, at 4:34 p.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

ADDENDUM

REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

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

List No. 1

HB 12 (By Longoria, S. Thompson, Phillips, and G. Bonnen), Relating to the border prosecution unit.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 13 (By Pickett), Relating to the funding and operations of the Texas Department of Transportation and local transportation entities.

To Transportation.

HB 14 (By Morrison), Relating to the Texas emissions reduction plan.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 19 (By S. King), Relating to mental health and preventive services programs for veterans' and military families.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 26 (By Button), Relating to state economic development measures, including administration of the Texas Enterprise Fund, creation of the Economic Incentive Oversight Board, abolishment of the Texas emerging technology fund and certain programs and funds administered by the Texas Economic

Development Bank, renaming the Major Events trust fund to the Major Events Reimbursement Program, and disposition of balances from the Texas emerging technology fund.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 27 (By Button), Relating to state economic development measures, including administration of the Texas Enterprise Fund, the abolishment of the Texas emerging technology fund, and the disposition of balances from the Texas emerging technology fund.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 28 (By Button), Relating to an audit by the state auditor of certain programs and funds providing economic development incentives to entities and other persons.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 29 (By Springer), Relating to the funding of certain activities related to the commercialization of emerging technologies.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 31 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to decreasing the state sales and use tax rate.

To Ways and Means.

HB 32 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to decreasing the rates of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 33 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to the EZ computation of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 35 (By Murphy), Relating to the amount of the discount allowed for prepayment of sales and use taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 39 (By Smithee), Relating to guardianships for incapacitated persons.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 200 (By Keffer), Relating to the regulation of groundwater.

To Natural Resources.

HB 300 (By Gonzales), Relating to the allocation to the Parks and Wildlife Department of the proceeds from taxes imposed on the sale, storage, or use of sporting goods.

To Appropriations.

HB 600 (By Dukes), Relating to child protective services and employees of the Department of Family and Protective Services.

To Human Services.

HB 700 (By Giddings), Relating to the repeal of the Texas B-On-time student loan program.

To Higher Education.

HB 1000 (By Zerwas), Relating to state support for general academic teaching institutions in this state.

To Higher Education.

HB 1521 (By Farrar), Relating to state agency authority to establish child-care subsidy programs.

To State Affairs.

HB 1524 (By Farrar), Relating to the languages in which certain labor and employment notices must be provided.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1704 (By Deshotel), Relating to gestational agreements and a requirement that pregnancy be disclosed in a suit for the dissolution of a marriage.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1715 (By Oliveira), Relating to a report by the comptroller on wage theft.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1736 (By Villalba), Relating to building energy efficiency performance standards; establishing the Building Energy Efficiency Advisory Committee.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1737 (By Fallon), Relating to an exemption from the sales tax for firearms and hunting supplies for a limited period.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1749 (By Elkins), Relating to the organization of public employees.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1760 (By Geren), Relating to maximum penalties for certain environmental violations.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1771 (By Raney), Relating to the donation of sick leave by state employees.

To State Affairs.

HB 1799 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the adoption of the Uniform Electronic Legal Material Act.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1800 (By Walle), Relating to regulation of public nuisance, aggressive, and dangerous dogs; authorizing fees and creating offenses.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1805 (By Dutton), Relating to abolishing a fee imposed on certain sexually oriented businesses.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1809 (By Naishtat), Relating to creation of an employment-first task force advisory committee.

To Human Services.

HB 1811 (By Naishtat), Relating to a study of the participation of individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities in public higher education.

To Human Services.

HB 1814 (By Farney), Relating to the online renewal of driver's licenses of certain active duty military personnel.

To Transportation.

HB 1832 (By Pickett), Relating to the requirements for and confidentiality of state agency continuity of operations plans.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1839 (By Israel), Relating to authority for certain state employees to work flexible hours and to work from home or other authorized alternative work sites.

To State Affairs.

HB 1898 (By González), Relating to state government worksite breast-feeding policies.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1899 (By Schaefer), Relating to an award for certain members of the state military forces who served in defense support to a civilian authority mission.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1913 (By Burkett), Relating to public meetings of joint airport boards.

To Transportation.

HB 1916 (By Sheffield), Relating to the enforcement of certain local traffic laws on the campus of a public or private institution of higher education.

To Higher Education.

HB 1926 (By Kacal), Relating to the governance of certain municipal power agencies; providing authority to issue bonds.

To State Affairs.

HB 1939 (By Rinaldi and Springer), Relating to the provision of bags to customers of a business at the point of sale.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1942 (By Simmons), Relating to judicial authority to issue orders allowing minors to consent to abortions and disclosure of that authority.

To State Affairs.

HB 1999 (By Elkins), Relating to the recommendations made by the Sunset Advisory Commission regarding state agencies reviewed under the Texas Sunset Act.

To State Affairs.

HB 2003 (By Raymond), Relating to the applicability of the law governing the mineral use of subdivided land.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2017 (By R. Miller), Relating to permissible locations of open-enrollment charter schools created by institutions of higher education.

To Public Education.

HB 2039 (By Burkett), Relating to the disclosure and use of certain information in the Department of Family and Protective Services central registry of child abuse or neglect cases and the report of certain information regarding those cases to the legislature.

To Human Services.

HB 2111 (By Sheets), Relating to an exemption from the franchise tax and certain filing fees for certain businesses owned by veterans during an initial period of operation in the state.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2117 (By T. King), Relating to the definition of "heavy equipment" for purposes of the ad valorem taxation of certain dealer's heavy equipment inventory.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2126 (By Klick), Relating to authorizing school districts to suspend classes on primary and general election days and requiring the commissioner of education to adjust funding for certain related absences.

To Public Education.

HB 2146 (By Raymond), Relating to the deadline for filing an application for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of the residence homestead of a 100 percent or totally disabled veteran.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2152 (By Fletcher), Relating to the confidentiality of certain information concerning service members of the state military forces.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2164 (By J. White), Relating to the applicability of certain unfunded mandates on political subdivisions.

To Government Transparency and Operation.

HB 2169 (By Collier), Relating to requiring used motor vehicle dealers to inspect vehicles for sale to consumers for certain defects; creating a civil penalty.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2173 (By Rinaldi), Relating to quorum and voting requirements for the transaction of business by the board of the Irving Flood Control District Section III of Dallas County.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2207 (By Keffer), Relating to the foreclosure sale of property subject to oil or gas lease.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2231 (By Fletcher), Relating to the service areas of certain junior college districts.

To Higher Education.

HB 2239 (By C. Turner), Relating to prohibiting certain unsolicited mail by credit access businesses; providing a civil penalty.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2291 (By Parker and Meyer), Relating to increasing the punishment for certain persons convicted of the offense of possession or promotion of child pornography.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2294 (By Bohac), Relating to the audit, assessment, and collection of sales and use tax on general aviation aircraft under the Texas Tax Code.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2295 (By Meyer), Relating to the date of the election for trustees of an independent school district.

To Public Education.

HB 2296 (By Smith), Relating to regulation by a municipality of the possession of an open container or the public consumption of alcoholic beverages.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2297 (By Smith), Relating to the use of electronic processes by and electronic information submitted to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission; authorizing a fee.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2298 (By Pickett), Relating to prohibiting certain public places from excluding peace officers or special investigators from carrying weapons on the premises.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2299 (By Riddle), Relating to the nonsubstantive revision of certain laws concerning community supervision granted in criminal cases, including conforming amendments.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2300 (By Riddle), Relating to eliminating telegraph transmission as a method to communicate certain information in a criminal case.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2301 (By Riddle), Relating to time credits awarded against the cumulative period of commitment or treatment of certain defendants determined to be incompetent to stand trial.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2302 (By Riddle), Relating to the mandatory dismissal of misdemeanor charges against certain defendants determined to be incompetent to stand trial.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2303 (By Kuempel), Relating to a landowner's liability for injuries incurred during certain recreational activities.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2304 (By Price), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Health and Human Services Commission and the provision of health and human services in this state.

To Human Services.

HB 2305 (By Canales), Relating to the eligibility for an exemption from ad valorem taxation for property used by certain nonprofit community business organizations.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2306 (By Canales), Relating to the additional tax imposed on land appraised for ad valorem tax purposes as qualified open-space land if a change in use of the land occurs.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2308 (By Keffer), Relating to the consideration by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality of the economic impact of an appropriation of state water in determining whether to grant an application for the appropriation.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2311 (By Kacal), Relating to the failure to handle certain animals in accordance with rules of the Texas Animal Health Commission; imposing a criminal penalty.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2312 (By Guillen), Relating to the designation of a portion of Interstate Highway 37 as the Trooper Terry Wayne Miller Memorial Highway.

To Transportation.

HB 2313 (By Bohac), Relating to an exemption from the sales and use tax for items sold through a vending machine operated by certain nonprofit organizations.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2314 (By J. White), Relating to abolishing the regulation of hair braiding.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2315 (By Márquez and Israel), Relating to the election date for members of the board of trustees of an independent school district.

To Elections.

HB 2316 (By Márquez), Relating to the authority of the asset management division of the General Land Office to sell real property to a federally recognized Indian tribe.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 2317 (By Frullo), Relating to reinsurance financial statement credit and accounting.

To Insurance.

HB 2318 (By Ashby), Relating to a credit or refund for diesel fuel taxes paid on diesel fuel used in this state by auxiliary power units or power take-off equipment.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2319 (By Parker and Meyer), Relating to the prosecution of the offense of prostitution, increasing a criminal penalty.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2320 (By Peña), Relating to requirements for a peace officer stopping a motor vehicle for a suspected violation of a traffic law.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2321 (By Longoria), Relating to regulation of the sale, distribution, possession, use, and advertising of vapor products; authorizing a fee; creating offenses.

To Public Health.

HB 2322 (By J. White), Relating to the issuance of certain payments by a community supervision and corrections department.

To Corrections.

HB 2324 (By Smithee), Relating to the designation of certain rest areas on Interstate Highway 27 in Hale County as the James E. "Pete" and Nelda Laney Safety Stops.

To Transportation.

HB 2325 (By Price), Relating to the permissible wealth per student of certain school districts.

To Public Education.

HB 2326 (By Price), Relating to the sparsity adjustment for certain school districts under the Foundation School Program.

To Public Education.

HB 2327 (By S. Thompson, Harless, Oliveira, and P. King), Relating to a study on periodic rate adjustment by electric utilities.

To State Affairs.

HB 2328 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the manufacture of wine by the holder of a winery permit.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2329 (By Gutierrez), Relating to the operation of casino gaming in this state by licensed persons in counties that have approved casino gaming; requiring occupational licenses or certifications; creating criminal offenses and providing other penalties; authorizing fees.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2330 (By Zerwas), Relating to the right of a dentist to contract for certain services.

To Public Health.

HB 2331 (By Metcalf), Relating to the computation of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2332 (By D. Miller), Relating to the naming by the Texas Historical Commission of certain areas without historical value that are on historic sites.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 2333 (By Raymond), Relating to the duty of business entities to use an automated external defibrillator.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2334 (By Lozano), Relating to the deposit of certain fees and penalties from programs administered by the Department of Agriculture.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2335 (By Collier), Relating to an annual report of used motor vehicle purchaser complaints.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2336 (By Flynn), Relating to the collection, consideration, and use of information not readily available to the general public by appraisal districts for ad valorem tax determination purposes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2337 (By Gonzales), Relating to the composition of the board of directors of an appraisal district.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2338 (By Keffer), Relating to excepting certain appropriations from computations regarding the constitutional limitation on the rate of growth of appropriations.

To Appropriations.

HB 2339 (By Smith), Relating to consumption of alcoholic beverages in public entertainment facilities.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2340 (By Sheffield), Relating to regulation of prescribed pediatric extended care centers; amending a provision subject to a criminal penalty.

To Public Health.

HB 2341 (By Darby), Relating to the retention and use of sales tax revenue collected by certain retailers to provide job training and placement services to certain persons.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2346 (By Pickett), Relating to granting limited state law enforcement authority to commissioned law enforcement officers of a Federal Reserve bank.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2374 (By Dutton), Relating to access to certain law enforcement, corrections, and prosecutorial records under the public information law.

To Government Transparency and Operation.

HB 2376 (By S. Turner), Relating to the creation and administration of a disaster recovery fund.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2379 (By Bohac), Relating to the liability of first responders who provide roadside assistance.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2400 (By Bohac), Relating to the sale of motor vehicles to manufacturers.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2422 (By Bohac), Relating to the acquisition and use by a school district of an electroencephalogram brain assessment platform to monitor concussions in student athletes.

To Public Education.

HB 2430 (By Kuempel), Relating to food and beverage consumption in certain public swimming pools.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2433 (By Burkett), Relating to the functions of the Department of Family and Protective Services and procedures applicable to suits affecting the parent-child relationship, investigations of child abuse and neglect, and conservatorship of a child; affecting fee amounts and authorizing an administrative penalty.

To Human Services.

HB 2443 (By Zedler), Relating to the deposit of optometrist and therapeutic optometrist license fees in the University of Houston development fund for use by the University of Houston College of Optometry.

To Higher Education.

HB 2445 (By J. White), Relating to conduct that constitutes the offense of displaying a firearm in a public place.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2467 (By P. King), Relating to the exclusion from the premium and maintenance tax base of federal fees imposed on insurers and other providers under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, and recouped from policyholders, whether separately stated or through rates charged for health care coverage.

To Insurance.

HB 2468 (By Raymond), Relating to the transfer of certain state real property from the Texas Department of Transportation to the City of Laredo.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 2479 (By Guerra), Relating to the authority and rights of pharmacy services administrative organizations to conduct the business of independent pharmacies with respect to certain pharmacy benefits.

To Insurance.

HB 2486 (By Keffer), Relating to the right of a person to enter the person's residence or former residence accompanied by a peace officer to recover certain personal property; creating an offense.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2487 (By Smithee), Relating to the authority of an independent school district to contract with a municipality for the design, improvement, or construction of an instructional facility, stadium, or other athletic facility.

To Public Education.

HB 2491 (By Pickett), Relating to licensing and appointment of title insurance escrow officers; changing the limit applicable to a fee; authorizing a fee.

To Insurance.

HB 2492 (By Darby and Bohac), Relating to exemption from the sales tax for certain water-efficient products for a limited period.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2493 (By Parker), Relating to self-directed and semi-independent status of the State Securities Board.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2494 (By Ashby), Relating to the licensing and regulation of associate auctioneers; amending provisions subject to a criminal penalty; requiring an occupational license.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2495 (By Martinez), Relating to citrus pest and disease management.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2496 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to a filing fee submitted with an application for a place on a ballot.

To Elections.

HB 2497 (By Martinez), Relating to a compact with other states regarding the licensure of emergency medical services personnel and the authority of those personnel to perform job duties in this state and other states.

To Public Health.

HB 2498 (By Zerwas), Relating to a compact with other states regarding the licensure of emergency medical services personnel and the authority of those personnel to perform job duties in this state and other states.

To Public Health.

HB 2499 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the electronic filing of bail bonds in certain counties.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2500 (By E. Rodriguez and Isaac), Relating to a franchise tax deduction for certain energy-generating equipment.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2501 (By Parker), Relating to the powers and duties of the Shale Creek Water Control and Improvement District; providing authority to issue bonds, impose a tax, and levy assessments for roadway purposes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 2502 (By Larson), Relating to the commencement of construction of a project following the filing of a final decision to issue an air quality permit or permit amendment for the project.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2503 (By Zerwas), Relating to examination requirements for certain applicants for a license to practice medicine.

To Public Health.

HB 2504 (By Phillips), Relating to the operation and functions of the Texas Grain Producer Indemnity Board.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2505 (By Clardy), Relating to health benefit plan coverage for abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic drugs.

To Insurance.

HB 2506 (By Parker), Relating to an exemption for certain tangible personal property related to medical data centers from the sales and use tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2507 (By Kacal), Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for certain equipment used for digital audio broadcasting.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2508 (By Parker), Relating to the powers and duties of the Alpha Ranch Water Control and Improvement District of Denton and Wise Counties; providing authority to issue bonds, impose a tax, and levy assessments for roadway purposes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 2509 (By Parker), Relating to the powers and duties of the Brookfield Water Control and Improvement District; providing authority to issue bonds, impose a tax, and levy assessments for roadway purposes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 2512 (By Zedler), Relating to the adoption of a uniform collaborative law Act.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2513 (By Kacal), Relating to the provision of automatic location identification and automatic tier two facility identification as part of the 9-1-1 system.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2514 (By Tinderholt), Relating to standing for certain individuals to file a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2515 (By Muñoz), Relating to authority to establish, operate, and maintain a foreign trade zone at or adjacent to the Pharr port of entry.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 2516 (By Keffer), Relating to the certification of municipal police officers to enforce commercial motor vehicle safety standards.

To Transportation.

HB 2517 (By Hernandez), Relating to the establishment of the Texas Promise Scholarship Program for certain students at two-year public institutions of higher education.

To Higher Education.

HB 2519 (By Coleman), Relating to expenditures made by emergency services districts and the sale of district property.

To County Affairs.

HB 2520 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to restrictions on the political activities of a county clerk who administers elections; creating a criminal offense.

To Elections.

HB 2522 (By Coleman), Relating to the powers and duties of a county treasurer.

To County Affairs.

HB 2523 (By Collier and Coleman), Relating to the continuation of certain public benefits, including medical assistance, for individuals after release from confinement in a county jail.

To Public Health.

HB 2524 (By Coleman), Relating to legal services provided by a district or county attorney to county and precinct officials.

To County Affairs.

HB 2525 (By Coleman), Relating to the appointment of counsel to represent indigent defendants in criminal cases.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2526 (By Coleman), Relating to authorizing the East Downtown Management District to impose a tax, fee, or assessment on a residential property.

To County Affairs.

HB 2527 (By Guillen), Relating to the application of the sales and use tax to the lease or rental to a caterer of certain tangible personal property.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2529 (By Lucio), Relating to regulation of fireworks by certain municipalities.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2530 (By Stephenson), Relating to the abolishment of the Wharton County child support office.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2531 (By Krause), Relating to the regulation of abortion procedures; providing civil penalties; affecting the prosecution of a criminal offense.

To State Affairs.

HB 2532 (By Bell), Relating to a study on the effectiveness of regulations governing the design and construction of Type I municipal solid waste landfills overlying aquifers.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2533 (By Goldman), Relating to the repeal of an offense prohibiting offensive noise on a premises covered by an alcoholic beverage license or permit.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2534 (By Parker), Relating to the regulation of state trust companies.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2535 (By Bell), Relating to liability for damages incurred in connection with certain excavation activities and an award of attorney's fees in lawsuits to recover the cost of the damages.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2537 (By Vo), Relating to an employee's right to leave to care for a sibling with a serious health condition.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2538 (By Oliveira and Lucio), Relating to the designation of certain customer bill payment assistance program costs as an expense of operation that is a first lien against revenue securing certain public securities or obligations in certain municipalities.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 2539 (By González), Relating to training requirements for a member of the board of trustees of an independent school district.

To Public Education.

HB 2540 (By Simpson), Relating to the designation of Spur 63 in Gregg County as the Texas Ranger Glenn Elliott Memorial Highway.

To Transportation.

HB 2541 (By Zerwas), Relating to health benefit plan coverage of certain treatments for enrollees diagnosed with a terminal illness; authorizing administrative and civil penalties.

To Insurance.

HB 2542 (By Gonzales), Relating to the establishment and administration of the qualified ABLE program; granting authority to impose a fee.

To Human Services.

HB 2543 (By Farney), Relating to public school teacher performance appraisals, continuing education, professional development, career advancement, and compensation.

To Public Education.

HB 2544 (By Lozano), Relating to adverse possession of real property by a cotenant heir against other cotenant heirs.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2545 (By Sheffield), Relating to the eligibility of certain students to participate in a school district's special education program.

To Public Education.

HB 2546 (By Springer), Relating to the location of home-produced wine, ale, malt liquor or beer competitions

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2547 (By R. Miller), Relating to the transfer of certain state property from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to Fort Bend County.

To Corrections.

HB 2548 (By Stephenson), Relating to the disposal of agricultural pesticides.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2549 (By Y. Davis), Relating to the authority and operation of regional tollway authorities.

To Transportation.

HB 2551 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the evaluation of the reduction of emissions of air contaminants achieved from certain programs.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2552 (By Parker), Relating to the powers and duties of the Canyon Falls Municipal Utility District No. 1 of Denton County; providing authority to issue bonds and impose a tax.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 2553 (By M. White and Rinaldi), Relating to a private business owner's right to choose whether to provide goods or services.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2554 (By M. White), Relating to pedestrian use of a sidewalk.
To Transportation.

HB 2555 (By M. White), Relating to the definition of marriage in this state and the prohibition against the creation or recognition of a marriage between persons of the same sex or a civil union.
To State Affairs.

HB 2557 (By Zerwas), Relating to the status of a charitable organization formed by a hospital district.
To County Affairs.

HB 2559 (By Zerwas), Relating to hospital district real property.
To County Affairs.

HB 2560 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the filing of an application for a place on the general primary election ballot.
To Elections.

HB 2561 (By Keffer), Relating to the allocation of congestion rents in the ERCOT wholesale market.
To State Affairs.

HB 2563 (By Vo), Relating to persons who solicit customers on behalf of a retail electric provider; adding provisions subject to a criminal penalty.
To State Affairs.

HB 2564 (By Nevárez), Relating to prohibiting a publisher or manufacturer from requiring a school district or open-enrollment charter school to place a minimum order of instructional materials.
To Public Education.

HB 2565 (By Krause), Relating to the creation of a commission to review certain penal laws of this state.
To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2566 (By VanDeaver), Relating to educator preparation programs.
To Public Education.

HB 2568 (By Morrison), Relating to authorizing a student center fee at the University of Houston-Victoria.
To Higher Education.

HB 2569 (By Johnson), Relating to identifying teen pregnancy crisis areas.
To Public Health.

HB 2570 (By Johnson), Relating to the incorporation of climate and precipitation forecasts in state, regional, and local water planning.
To Natural Resources.

HB 2571 (By Johnson), Relating to information on projected changes in weather, water availability, and climate variability in strategic plans of state agencies.
To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 2574 (By Johnson), Relating to increasing awareness of the danger of leaving a child in a hot motor vehicle.

To Transportation.

HB 2575 (By Johnson), Relating to increasing awareness of the danger of leaving a child in a motor vehicle.

To Transportation.

HB 2577 (By Martinez), Relating to certain comprehensive development agreements of the Texas Department of Transportation or a regional mobility authority.

To Transportation.

HB 2578 (By Price), Relating to the efficiency and consolidation of powers and duties within the health and human services system.

To Human Services.

HB 2579 (By Anchia), Relating to the governance and operation of certain independent school districts.

To Public Education.

HB 2580 (By Johnson), Relating to crowdfunding portal regulations.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2581 (By Springer), Relating to governmental actions affecting private property rights in certain oil and gas wells.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2583 (By Bell), Relating to access to criminal history record information by a county sheriff in certain counties.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2584 (By Naishtat), Relating to the authority of the executive commissioner of the Health and Human Services Commission to adopt rules defining certain medical conditions.

To Public Health.

HB 2585 (By Naishtat), Relating to implementation of a rapid response system in certain hospitals.

To Public Health.

HB 2586 (By Smithee), Relating to rulemaking authority for annuity contracts.

To Insurance.

HB 2587 (By Oliveira), Relating to a study regarding employers who do not participate in and injured employees who are not covered under the workers' compensation system.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2588 (By Naishtat), Relating to disclosures by nursing homes and assisted living facilities regarding certification or classification to provide specialized care, treatment, or personal care services to residents with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; adding requirements for an occupational license.

To Human Services.

HB 2589 (By Phelan), Relating to the prosecution of and punishment for assaulting a disabled individual; increasing a criminal penalty.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2591 (By Phillips), Relating to the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of certain dealer's heavy equipment.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2592 (By Phillips), Relating to the operation of ready-mixed concrete trucks on public roadways in this state; modifying provisions subject to a criminal penalty.

To Transportation.

HB 2593 (By Price), Relating to the method of determining the average daily attendance in certain school districts.

To Public Education.

HB 2594 (By Parker), Relating to the modification or termination of restrictions by petition in certain real estate developments with certain amenities.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2596 (By Leach), Relating to the date by which certain protective order information must be entered by a local law enforcement agency into the statewide law enforcement information system.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2597 (By Reynolds), Relating to the creation of a mental health treatment for incarceration diversion pilot program.

To Corrections.

HB 2598 (By Kuempel, Ashby, and Wray), Relating to the consideration of steel slag as solid waste by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2599 (By Reynolds), Relating to the ability of certain county assistance districts to annex roads.

To County Affairs.

HB 2600 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the regulation of food production and sales operations by a home food processor; requiring an occupational permit; authorizing a fee and an administrative penalty.

To Public Health.

HB 2601 (By Larson), Relating to voting eligibility requirements for members of a metropolitan planning organization policy board.

To Transportation.

HB 2602 (By Coleman), Relating to the prescribing and ordering of Schedule II controlled substances by certain advanced practice registered nurses and physician assistants.

To Public Health.

HB 2603 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for gun safety devices for a limited period.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2604 (By Dale), Relating to a concealed handgun license application that is submitted by a peace officer or a member of the state military forces.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2605 (By Aycock), Relating to the issuance of Gold Star family member specialty license plates; eliminating a fee.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2606 (By K. King and Kacal), Relating to the movement of special use vehicles on public highways; authorizing a fee; adding provisions subject to a criminal penalty.

To Transportation.

HB 2607 (By Lozano), Relating to treatment under the school finance system for certain school districts of maintenance and operations revenue in excess of the local share requirement.

To Public Education.

HB 2609 (By Farney), Relating to providing training academies for public school teachers who provide mathematics instruction to students in kindergarten through grade three.

To Public Education.

HB 2610 (By K. King), Relating to the minimum number of minutes of instruction for students to be provided by public school districts and the scheduling of the last day of school for students by public school districts.

To Public Education.

HB 2611 (By Pickett), Relating to repayment of money contributed by the Texas Department of Transportation or the Texas Transportation Commission for toll projects.

To Transportation.

HB 2612 (By Pickett), Relating to a report to the legislature regarding the elimination of toll roads.

To Transportation.

HB 2613 (By Dutton), Relating to the suspension of occupational and driver's licenses issued to persons who fail to pay an administrative penalty imposed by the Texas Funeral Service Commission.

To Public Health.

HB 2614 (By Dutton), Relating to a peace officer training advisory committee.

To Select Emerging Issues In Texas Law Enforcement.

HB 2616 (By Dutton), Relating to procedures related to juvenile justice proceedings; increasing the punishment for certain delinquent conduct.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2617 (By Dutton), Relating to reorganizing the grand jury as the probable cause jury.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2618 (By Muñoz), Relating to the regulation of third-party administrators, including pharmacy benefit managers; expanding the requirement of a certificate of authority to engage in an occupation; adding provisions subject to a criminal penalty.

To Insurance.

HB 2619 (By Burkett), Relating to the exercise of eminent domain by a toll project entity.

To Transportation.

HB 2620 (By Burkett), Relating to disclosure of financial studies and reports associated with a toll project.

To Transportation.

HB 2621 (By Raney), Relating to the board of trustees of the Blinn Junior College District.

To Higher Education.

HB 2622 (By R. Anderson), Relating to the procedure for claiming an exemption from ad valorem taxation by the Dallas County Utility and Reclamation District of certain property subject to a tax abatement agreement with the district and to the validation of certain actions of the district.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2623 (By Zedler), Relating to forfeiture actions by the federal government and to the transfer of seized property between certain state and federal entities.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2624 (By C. Turner), Relating to the effects of default on a student loan administered by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board on renewal of certain licenses.

To Higher Education.

HB 2625 (By Tinderholt), Relating to a waiver of concealed handgun license renewal fees for qualified handgun instructors.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2626 (By Rose), Relating to the creation of an advisory committee to examine and recommend a plan to increase the minimum age of juvenile jurisdiction.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2628 (By Clardy), Relating to the development and alignment by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board of curricula for certain educational programs.

To Higher Education.

HB 2629 (By Kacal), Relating to unauthorized persons at public or private institutions of higher education in this state and to trespass, damage, or defacement occurring on the grounds of those institutions; amending provisions subject to a criminal penalty and creating offenses.

To Higher Education.

HB 2630 (By S. Thompson), Relating to parenting education programs provided to families of children at risk for abuse and neglect.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2631 (By Rose), Relating to hazardous duty pay for certain employees working at state supported living centers and state hospitals.

To Human Services.

HB 2633 (By Hernandez), Relating to the release of information regarding motor vehicle accidents.

To Transportation.

HB 2634 (By Kuempel), Relating to the construction manager-at-risk used by a governmental entity.

To Government Transparency and Operation.

HB 2635 (By Kuempel and Cyrier), Relating to the creation and operation of a park and recreation district in counties that share a border on the San Marcos River and to the authority of the district to collect fees and issue bonds; creating a criminal offense and providing penalties.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 2637 (By Parker), Relating to apportionment of margin from receipts from the sale of locomotives for purposes of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2638 (By Raymond), Relating to reimbursement for complex rehabilitation technology equipment providers under the medical assistance program.

To Human Services.

HB 2639 (By Raymond), Relating to allowable food purchases under the supplemental nutrition assistance program.

To Human Services.

HB 2640 (By Huberty), Relating to the cost of confinement and imprisonment of persons not lawfully present in the United States and reimbursement from the federal government for that cost.

To State Affairs.

HB 2641 (By Zerwas), Relating to the exchange of electronic health information in this state.

To Public Health.

HB 2642 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the regulation of charitable bingo and amusement redemption machine game rooms; requiring an occupational permit; authorizing fees; creating civil and administrative penalties.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2644 (By Blanco), Relating to notice given of election precinct boundary changes.

To Elections.

HB 2645 (By Blanco), Relating to the violation of certain court orders or conditions of bond in a family violence, sexual assault or abuse, or stalking case; creating an offense.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2646 (By Giddings), Relating to the disclosure of information regarding communicable diseases to first responders and certain entities.

To Public Health.

HB 2647 (By Ashby and Larson), Relating to a limitation on the authority to curtail groundwater production from wells used for power generation or mining.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2648 (By Moody), Relating to progressive sanctions for providers of home and community-based services.

To Human Services.

HB 2649 (By Moody), Relating to requiring video recording in certain home and community-based services provider facilities.

To Human Services.

HB 2650 (By E. Thompson), Relating to the authority of the Public Utility Commission of Texas to regulate any entity that holds itself out as a telephone service provider.

To State Affairs.

HB 2651 (By Moody), Relating to law enforcement agency investigations of certain reports of child abuse or neglect.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2652 (By Moody), Relating to certain investigations of reports of child abuse or neglect and procedures for foster homes after a report of abuse or neglect.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2653 (By Moody), Relating to protective orders for certain victims of sexual assault or abuse, stalking, or trafficking.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2654 (By Elkins), Relating to the authority of the Harris-Galveston Subsidence District to regulate certain water wells.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2655 (By Frank), Relating to day care assistance and to requiring the Department of Family and Protective Services to study the effectiveness of the relative and other designated caregiver program.

To Human Services.

HB 2656 (By Raymond), Relating to the authority of the Department of Family and Protective Services to investigate abuse, neglect, or exploitation of individuals receiving services from certain providers.

To Human Services.

HB 2657 (By Moody), Relating to jurisdiction and court administration of the El Paso Criminal Law Magistrate Court.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2658 (By Moody), Relating to the courts authorized to hear certain matters relating to a *capias pro fine*.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2659 (By Howard), Relating to a transportation allotment credit for school districts required to take action to reduce wealth per student.

To Public Education.

HB 2660 (By Howard), Relating to Foundation School Program funding for students enrolled in an optional flexible school day program.

To Public Education.

HB 2662 (By Coleman), Relating to the determination of the market value of a residence homestead for ad valorem tax purposes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2663 (By Coleman), Relating to the treatment for ad valorem tax purposes of real property used for certain low-income or moderate-income housing.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2664 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the provision of funding under the foundation school program on the basis of property values that exclude one-half of optional homestead exemptions.

To Public Education.

HB 2665 (By Moody), Relating to access to and receipt of certain information regarding a ward by certain relatives of the ward.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2666 (By Naishtat), Relating to the exclusion of certain resources in determining eligibility for the supplemental nutrition assistance program.
To Human Services.

HB 2667 (By Ashby), Relating to the abolishment of certain programs and funds administered by the Texas Economic Development Bank.
To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2669 (By Galindo), Relating to the ability of an area proposed to be annexed to incorporate as a new general-law municipality.
To Urban Affairs.

HB 2670 (By Paul), Relating to the deadline for counties and municipalities to provide notice of a proposed property tax rate.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2671 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the suspension of a driver's license or denial of a driver's license renewal for failure to pay a debt owed to a governmental entity or failure to appear in court.
To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2673 (By Blanco), Relating to the eligibility of certain persons for the supplemental nutrition assistance program.
To Human Services.

HB 2674 (By Parker), Relating to the determination of cost of goods sold for purposes of computing the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2675 (By Larson), Relating to exempting manufacturers engaged in certain commercial research and development from registration under the Texas Controlled Substances Act.
To Public Health.

HB 2676 (By Stephenson), Relating to the regulation of money services businesses; affecting the prosecution of a criminal offense.
To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2677 (By González), Relating to training for employees of school districts and open-enrollment charter schools on the prevention of sexual abuse and other maltreatment of certain children.
To Public Education.

HB 2678 (By Lozano), Relating to the establishment of an online information and application system for state and local incentives for economic development purposes.
To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2679 (By Flynn), Relating to the powers of a public facility corporation.
To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2680 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to allocation of money from the law enforcement officer standards and education fund.
To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2681 (By Smith), Relating to information required in a notice of sale of real property under contract lien.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2684 (By Giddings), Relating to the creation of a model training curriculum and to the required training for school district peace officers and school resource officers.

To Public Education.

HB 2688 (By Workman), Relating to a common characteristic or use project in a public improvement district in certain municipalities.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2689 (By D. Miller), Relating to requirements for a partially deregulated telecommunications cooperative to offer certain services or make changes in its rates or tariffs.

To State Affairs.

HB 2690 (By Johnson), Relating to the prevention of overdose deaths by providing a defense for prosecution for certain offenses involving the delivery or possession of controlled substances and other prohibited drugs, substances, or paraphernalia for certain persons who seek medical attention for a suspected opioid overdose, and the prescription, administration, and possession of certain opioid antagonists for the treatment of suspected opioid overdoses.

To Public Health.

HB 2691 (By T. King), Relating to a sales and use tax exemption and an oil and gas severance tax credit for the use of alternative base fluids in energized fracturing operations; imposing a civil penalty.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2695 (By Howard), Relating to the reporting of physical assaults against certain direct care personnel.

To Public Health.

HB 2696 (By Howard), Relating to a grant program for, and a study on, reducing workplace violence in certain health facilities.

To Public Health.

HB 2697 (By Galindo), Relating to services provided by continuing care facilities.

To Human Services.

HB 2698 (By Longoria), Relating to the existing debt allotment under the foundation school program.

To Public Education.

HB 2699 (By Raymond), Relating to the functions and operations of the Department of Aging and Disability Services; increasing penalties.

To Human Services.

HB 2701 (By Pickett), Relating to the regulation of motor vehicles by the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles; creating a criminal offense; providing a penalty; authorizing fees.

To Transportation.

HB 2702 (By Pickett), Relating to an alternative composition of a board of directors of a regional mobility authority.

To Transportation.

HB 2703 (By Simmons), Relating to the establishment of the Texas Board of Behavior Analyst Examiners and the requirement to obtain a license to practice as a behavior analyst or assistant behavior analyst; imposing fees; providing an administrative penalty; creating a criminal offense.

To Public Health.

HB 2704 (By T. King), Relating to the sale or use of an incorrect weighing or measuring device; amending provisions subject to a criminal penalty.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2705 (By Wray), Relating to the value of property that may be transferred to a custodian or other person for the benefit of a minor under certain circumstances.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2707 (By Shaheen), Relating to the abolishment of the Music, Film, Television, and Multimedia Office in the office of the governor and the moving image industry incentive program.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2708 (By Coleman), Relating to the qualifications for teaching a driver education course.

To Transportation.

HB 2709 (By Geren), Relating to the eligibility of property used for large data center projects for ad valorem tax benefits under the Texas Economic Development Act.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2710 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the duty of an attorney ad litem to locate and represent a defendant in a suit to collect a delinquent ad valorem tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2711 (By Riddle), Relating to transportation of an individual with a mental illness by emergency medical services personnel.

To Human Services.

HB 2712 (By Geren), Relating to the temporary exemption of certain tangible personal property related to large data center projects from the sales and use tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2713 (By Goldman), Relating to abolishing the regulation of guard dog trainers.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2714 (By Phillips), Relating to commercial driver's licenses and commercial learner's permits and the operation of commercial motor vehicles; creating a criminal offense; amending provisions subject to a criminal penalty; authorizing fees.

To Transportation.

HB 2717 (By Goldman), Relating to the deregulation of hair braiding.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2718 (By Parker), Relating to a program to allow faith- and community-based organizations to offer supplemental assistance to certain recipients of public assistance.

To Human Services.

HB 2719 (By Goldman), Relating to the repeal of the criminal penalty for a violation of the interior designers licensing law.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2720 (By Goldman), Relating to abolishing shampoo apprentice permits.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2721 (By Blanco), Relating to public notice of the time for voting during an early voting period.

To Elections.

HB 2722 (By Goldman), Relating to prohibition of certain motor vehicles resembling emergency medical services vehicles; creating a criminal offense.

To Transportation.

HB 2723 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the appointment of an attorney ad litem for a parent in certain suits affecting the parent-child relationship.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2724 (By Blanco), Relating to the method for submitting an application for voting by mail to the early voting clerk.

To Elections.

HB 2725 (By Goldman), Relating to the days and hours that early voting is conducted by personal appearance.

To Elections.

HB 2726 (By Naishtat), Relating to the authority of a county clerk to charge a reasonable fee for services for which a fee is not otherwise prescribed.

To County Affairs.

HB 2727 (By S. King), Relating to the administration of multicounty statutory county courts and to the 1st Multicounty Court at Law.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2728 (By S. King), Relating to the amount the Texas Military Preparedness Commission may grant to local governmental entities for certain purposes.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2729 (By Metcalf), Relating to the moving image industry incentive program.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2730 (By Stephenson), Relating to the Thirteenth Court of Appeals District and to the creation of the Fifteenth Court of Appeals District; authorizing fees.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2731 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to the exemption of nonprofit ambulance companies from motor fuel taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2732 (By Metcalf), Relating to recovery of covered unemployment compensation debt through participation in the federal Treasury Offset Program.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2733 (By S. Thompson), Relating to payment and reimbursement of court costs in a guardianship proceeding.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2734 (By Capriglione), Relating to the voluntary certification of roofing companies by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation; authorizing fees.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2735 (By Capriglione), Relating to the sale of alcoholic beverages in certain areas annexed by a municipality.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2736 (By Capriglione), Relating to prohibiting the temporary closure of segments of the state highway system on days that certain scheduled events are being held.

To Transportation.

HB 2740 (By Capriglione), Relating to the automatic admission of students to general academic teaching institutions.

To Higher Education.

HB 2741 (By Capriglione), Relating to a competitive grant program to fund promotion of early literacy programs in certain communities in this state.

To Higher Education.

HB 2742 (By Capriglione), Relating to the maintenance and operations tax revenue of a school district located in a reinvestment zone.

To Public Education.

HB 2743 (By Capriglione), Relating to enrollment of certain retirees in the Texas Public School Employees Group Insurance Program.

To Pensions.

HB 2744 (By Capriglione), Relating to the use of automatic license plate readers by a law enforcement agency.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2745 (By Capriglione), Relating to the frequency restrictions on charitable raffles.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2746 (By Smith), Relating to the treatment for ad valorem tax purposes of pollution control property.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2747 (By Landgraf), Relating to juror service qualifications.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2748 (By Muñoz), Relating to warning signs for the sale of nitrous oxide; authorizing an administrative penalty.

To Public Health.

HB 2749 (By Coleman), Relating to coverage of certain eating disorders as serious mental illnesses under certain group health benefit plans.

To Insurance.

HB 2750 (By Coleman), Relating to legal services provided by a district or county attorney to county and precinct officials.

To County Affairs.

HB 2751 (By Guillen), Relating to the composition of the juvenile board of Atascosa County.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2752 (By Zerwas), Relating to a chronic respiratory disease state strategic plan developed by the Department of State Health Services.

To Public Health.

HB 2753 (By Villalba), Relating to the names of certain businesses.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2754 (By Capriglione), Relating to filing requirements for candidates for certain judicial offices.

To Elections.

HB 2755 (By S. Turner), Relating to the higher education fund, the management of investments of the permanent university fund, and the allocation and distribution of certain constitutional revenues to the University of Houston.

To Higher Education.

HB 2756 (By Burkett), Relating to making a voluntary contribution to the Special Olympics Texas fund when registering a motor vehicle or renewing a motor vehicle registration.

To Transportation.

HB 2757 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to prompt payment of physicians and health care providers under contract with certain self-insured health benefit plans.
To Insurance.

HB 2758 (By Martinez), Relating to the duties of excavators to notify operators of the location of planned excavations and the duties of operators to mark the location of underground facilities.
To Energy Resources.

HB 2759 (By Paddie), Relating to the exemption from certain construction requirements for volunteer fire departments in certain counties.
To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2760 (By Capriglione), Relating to the state virtual school network, including funding and the provision of courses.
To Public Education.

HB 2761 (By Parker), Relating to the awarding of certain contracts of the Veterans' Land Board to veteran-owned businesses.
To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2762 (By Laubenberg), Relating to petitions prescribed by law outside of code.
To Elections.

HB 2763 (By E. Thompson), Relating to a study of economically recyclable materials, economic impacts to the state and local governments of existing and increased recycling, the development of new markets for recycled materials and any infrastructure needs, and the potential to increase state revenues.
To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2764 (By Y. Davis), Relating to requiring certain regional transportation authority subregional boards to establish a labor advisory committee.
To Transportation.

HB 2765 (By Lucio), Relating to property tax relief, the school facilities allotment and the existing debt allotment under the Foundation School Program.
To Public Education.

HB 2766 (By Burkett), Relating to the confidentiality of a person's date of birth; affecting the prosecution of the offense of distribution or misuse of confidential information.
To Government Transparency and Operation.

HB 2767 (By Keffer), Relating to the powers, duties, and administration of groundwater conservation districts.
To Natural Resources.

HB 2768 (By Smithee), Relating to the operation and administration of and practice in courts in the judicial branch of state government and the composition of certain juvenile boards.
To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2769 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the date of expiration of a certain pilot revolving loan program established under the loanstar revolving loan program to provide for energy efficiency measures and renewable energy technology for certain organizations.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2770 (By Martinez), Relating to emergency response employees or volunteers and others exposed or potentially exposed to certain diseases or parasites.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2771 (By Martinez), Relating to employment activities of certain emergency response personnel for purposes of the Texas Workers' Compensation Act.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2772 (By Martinez), Relating to the authority of certain economic development corporations to undertake and operate transportation-related projects.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2773 (By Martinez), Relating to reimbursement for ambulance services provided to persons enrolled in the Medicaid managed care program.

To Public Health.

HB 2774 (By Smithee), Relating to the annual state salary supplement for certain county judges.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2775 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to a petition filed in connection with an application for a place on the ballot.

To Elections.

HB 2776 (By Murphy), Relating to certain premium discounts and rating programs for certain residential property insurance policies.

To Insurance.

HB 2777 (By Herrero), Relating to the admissibility of certain evidence in the prosecution of offenses involving family violence and other similar offenses committed against a member of the defendant's family or household.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2778 (By Elkins), Relating to the elections for which federal postcard applicant voters may be sent ballots by e-mail.

To Elections.

HB 2779 (By Elkins), Relating to the authority of a local government to impose a civil penalty for certain failures to obey a traffic-control signal.

To Transportation.

HB 2780 (By Naishtat), Relating to the parking and movement of vehicles in the Capitol Complex.

To House Administration.

HB 2781 (By Elkins), Relating to the enforcement of traffic laws by local authorities.

To Transportation.

HB 2782 (By Sheffield), Relating to prohibiting the establishment of a health benefit exchange for purposes of certain federal law.

To Insurance.

HB 2784 (By Faircloth), Relating to the authority of certain counties to regulate camping on public beaches.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 2785 (By Alvarado), Relating to notice requirements for certain meetings or hearings in fire or police departments in certain municipalities.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2786 (By Springer), Relating to incentives for the production of video games.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2787 (By Springer), Relating to authorization for certain health care facilities to secure residents with wheelchair safety belts.

To Human Services.

HB 2788 (By Springer), Relating to the authority of a retail public water utility to require an operator of a correctional facility to comply with water conservation measures.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2789 (By Raymond), Relating to trauma-informed care training for certain employees of state supported living centers and intermediate care facilities.

To Human Services.

HB 2790 (By Raymond), Relating to measures to ensure certain adopted students are informed regarding their eligibility for tuition and fee exemptions at certain institutions of higher education.

To Higher Education.

HB 2792 (By Meyer), Relating to access to certain information regarding the performance of public school campuses.

To Public Education.

HB 2793 (By Huberty), Relating to detention of juveniles accused only of running away from home.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2794 (By Farney), Relating to a delayed birth certificate; providing a criminal penalty.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2795 (By R. Miller), Relating to state compensation of certain political party officers.

To Elections.

HB 2796 (By K. King), Relating to the authority of certain telecommunications providers to commit to making infrastructure and network improvements in exchange for support from the universal service fund; adding provisions subject to a criminal penalty.

To State Affairs.

HB 2797 (By Villalba), Relating to the operation of certain property owners' associations.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2799 (By Stickland), Relating to home-school education for foster children.

To Human Services.

HB 2800 (By K. King), Relating to permissible teachers assigned to a bilingual education program and the permissible uses of the bilingual education allotment provided under the foundation school program.

To Public Education.

HB 2803 (By Peña), Relating to notice requirements for licensed lenders of deferred presentment transactions and motor vehicle certificate of title loans; adding a provision subject to a criminal penalty.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2804 (By Aycock), Relating to assessment of public school students and evaluation of public school performance.

To Public Education.

HB 2805 (By Frank), Relating to the priority applicable to certain interbasin transfers of water.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2808 (By J. White), Relating to credit services organizations and extensions of consumer credit facilitated by credit services organizations; increasing a criminal penalty.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2809 (By C. Anderson), Relating to the creation and operations of health care provider participation programs in certain counties.

To County Affairs.

HB 2810 (By K. King), Relating to proclamations issued by the State Board of Education for instructional materials.

To Public Education.

HB 2811 (By K. King), Relating to proclamations issued by the State Board of Education for instructional materials.

To Public Education.

HB 2813 (By K. King), Relating to health benefit plan coverage for ovarian cancer screening.

To Insurance.

HB 2814 (By Bohac), Relating to the grade levels at which students may enroll in courses provided through the state virtual school network.

To Public Education.

HB 2815 (By Bohac), Relating to the removal of restrictions on funding and payment of costs for certain full-time online educational programs.

To Public Education.

HB 2816 (By Krause), Relating to legislative and judicial review of state agency rulemaking.

To State Affairs.

HB 2817 (By S. Thompson), Relating to fees and costs imposed by mortgagees or mortgage servicers for certain legal services performed by an attorney.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2818 (By Nevárez), Relating to the designation of portions of State Highway 17 and United States Highway 67 as the General Alfred Valenzuela Highway.

To Transportation.

HB 2820 (By Reynolds), Relating to the authorization of certain industry professionals to provide instruction in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 2821 (By Clardy), Relating to court jurisdiction and procedures for truancy.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2822 (By Smithee), Relating to a notice or document sent by mail or electronic mail by a court, justice, judge, magistrate, or clerk of a judicial court.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2823 (By Spitzer), Relating to prohibiting certain physician questions regarding firearms.

To Public Health.

HB 2826 (By Murphy), Relating to the eligibility of property located in more than one school district for a limitation on appraised value for school district maintenance and operations ad valorem tax purposes under the Texas Economic Development Act.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2827 (By Phillips), Relating to the definition of homeland security activity for emergency management purposes.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2828 (By Phillips), Relating to background checks for certain municipal and county employees and volunteers.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2829 (By S. Thompson), Relating to requiring the provision of security from certain persons for the probable costs of a guardianship proceeding.
To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2830 (By Martinez), Relating to the duty of a county to refund an amount of \$2 or less paid to the county clerk.
To County Affairs.

HB 2832 (By Zerwas), Relating to the powers and duties of the North Fort Bend Water Authority.
To Natural Resources.

HB 2833 (By Farney), Relating to the issuance of interest-bearing time warrants by school districts.
To Public Education.

HB 2834 (By S. King), Relating to restrictions in connection with public subsidies and contracts awarded to businesses that employ undocumented workers.
To State Affairs.

HB 2835 (By S. King), Relating to the name of the program serving certain persons with special health care needs and prioritizing services provided under the program.
To State Affairs.

HB 2837 (By S. King), Relating to authorization agreements between a parent and a relative or other person for the care and custody of the parent's child.
To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2838 (By S. King), Relating to the authority of the governing body of a taxing unit to provide an additional exemption from ad valorem taxation of the residence homesteads of certain surviving spouses of peace officers and firefighters killed in the line of duty.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2839 (By Capriglione), Relating to the production of public information under the public information law.
To Government Transparency and Operation.

HB 2840 (By Cyrier), Relating to the eligibility of certain citizens residing outside the United States to vote a full ballot.
To Elections.

HB 2843 (By Lucio), Relating to requiring certain school districts to offer district-funded or tuition-supported prekindergarten.
To Public Education.

HB 2844 (By Raney), Relating to the application of the sales and use tax to the lease or rental to a full service event business of certain tangible personal property.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2845 (By Capriglione), Relating to the eligibility of a person to be a candidate for or holder of a public elective office.

To General Investigating and Ethics.

HB 2846 (By Goldman), Relating to abolishing certain specialty licenses and certificates for the practice of barbering or cosmetology.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2849 (By Sheffield), Relating to the qualifications for a coronal polishing certificate.

To Public Health.

HB 2850 (By Kuempel), Relating to the practices and professions regulated by the Texas Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board; requiring an occupational license; imposing fees.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2851 (By Parker), Relating to the immunities of a non-profit corporation created for the purpose of aiding open-enrollment charter schools in providing educational facilities.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 2854 (By Martinez), Relating to certain claims for benefits or compensation by firefighters and emergency medical technicians or their survivors.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2855 (By Darby, Paddie, and Dale), Relating to the authority of a political subdivision to prohibit an activity over which the Railroad Commission of Texas has jurisdiction.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2856 (By Nevárez), Relating to acceptable forms of identification for voting.

To Elections.

HB 2857 (By Martinez), Relating to parking privileges for people with disabilities; authorizing a fee; amending dismissal procedures for a criminal offense.

To Transportation.

HB 2858 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the recusal or disqualification of a statutory probate judge or other judge authorized to hear probate, guardianship, or mental health matters, and the subsequent assignment of another judge.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2859 (By Márquez), Relating to the establishment of membership service credit by a member of the Employees Retirement System of Texas for employment with a tribal government.

To Pensions.

HB 2861 (By Raymond), Relating to an optional procedure for the issuance of a permit by the City of Laredo for the movement of oversize or overweight vehicles carrying cargo in Webb County; authorizing a fee and adding a provision subject to criminal penalties.

To Transportation.

HB 2862 (By Bernal), Relating to the participation in the countywide polling place program.

To Elections.

HB 2863 (By Bernal), Relating to public school accountability for bilingual education and English as a second language and other special language programs.

To Public Education.

HB 2865 (By Burkett), Relating to electronic filing of certain reports; providing a penalty.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2866 (By Martinez), Relating to eligibility for and allocation of grants from the transportation infrastructure fund.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 2868 (By Martinez), Relating to the imposition of an additional fee for filing civil cases in certain Hidalgo County courts.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2869 (By Allen), Relating to the creation of an advisory committee to study issues related to community supervision and corrections departments.

To Corrections.

HB 2870 (By Alonzo), Relating to the regulation of firefighters and fire departments by the Texas Commission on Fire Protection.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2871 (By Allen), Relating to permit application requirements for solid waste facilities.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2872 (By S. King), Relating to the period for which certain property acquired by a charitable organization to provide low-income housing may be exempted from ad valorem taxation.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2873 (By Allen), Relating to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Pensions.

HB 2874 (By D. Miller), Relating to the amount of wine certain wineries may sell directly to consumers.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2876 (By D. Miller), Relating to the service areas of certain junior college districts.

To Higher Education.

HB 2877 (By Stephenson), Relating to peace officers who are members of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Pensions.

HB 2878 (By Márquez), Relating to certain rental assistance projects financed by private activity bonds.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2880 (By Price), Relating to the placement of certain substances in Penalty Groups 2 and 2-A of the Texas Controlled Substances Act for the purpose of prosecution of criminal offenses involving those substances.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2881 (By Smith), Relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for persons who served in the United States armed services and participated in Operation Restore Hope.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2882 (By D. Miller), Relating to the payment by certain alcoholic beverage permit or license holders of certain fees and taxes.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2883 (By Simmons), Relating to the addition of territory to a crime control and prevention district and to a fire control, prevention, and emergency medical services district.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 2884 (By Flynn), Relating to suspending a vehicle registration for the failure to establish financial responsibility; imposing penalties.

To Transportation.

HB 2885 (By Giddings), Relating to requiring a school district to report data regarding restraints administered to, sanctions imposed on, complaints filed against, citations issued to, and arrests made of students.

To Public Education.

HB 2886 (By Deshotel), Relating to providing a training course for public school prekindergarten teachers.

To Public Education.

HB 2887 (By Leach), Relating to the definition of a "Navigable stream".

To Natural Resources.

HB 2888 (By Lozano), Relating to the use of a county early voting polling place by a political subdivision.

To Elections.

HB 2890 (By Nevárez), Relating to the annual state salary supplement for certain county judges.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2891 (By Otto), Relating to certain reporting requirements for taxable entities.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2892 (By Murr), Relating to the procedure by which the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality may designate a watercourse as navigable.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2893 (By Frullo), Relating to the licensing of insurance agents and adjusters; providing a penalty.

To Insurance.

HB 2894 (By Lozano), Relating to the election of certain county bail bond board members.

To County Affairs.

HB 2895 (By T. King), Relating to the payment of certain attorney ad litem fees in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship filed by a governmental entity.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2896 (By Parker), Relating to apportionment of certain receipts of a broadcaster under the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2897 (By S. Davis), Relating to the identification requirements of certain health care providers associated with a hospital.

To Public Health.

HB 2899 (By Parker), Relating to restrictions on branch office licenses and employees under the Private Security Act.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2900 (By Goldman), Relating to compliance with federal voting system standards.

To Elections.

HB 2901 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the filing of a complaint with the Railroad Commission of Texas.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2902 (By S. Davis), Relating to studies and reports on immunization exemptions.

To Public Health.

HB 2903 (By S. Davis), Relating to training requirements for certain child-care workers.

To Human Services.

HB 2904 (By S. Davis), Relating to dismissal of certain actions for an asbestos-related or silica-related injury.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2906 (By S. Davis), Relating to certain diagnostic testing during pregnancy.

To Public Health.

HB 2907 (By Canales), Relating to allowing deferred adjudication community supervision for first-time offenders charged with certain intoxication offenses, requiring the use of an ignition interlock device on conviction of or placement on deferred adjudication for certain intoxication offenses, and authorizing ethyl alcohol monitoring as a condition of community supervision for certain intoxication offenses; imposing a fee.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2908 (By Parker), Relating to authorizing patients with certain terminal illnesses or severe chronic diseases to access certain investigational drugs, biological products, and devices that are in clinical trials.

To Public Health.

HB 2910 (By Murphy), Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for certain equipment used for mineral exploration and production.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2911 (By Stephenson), Relating to establishment of statewide and local emergency communications grant programs and financing of state emergency communications.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2912 (By Fallon), Relating to the determination of resident status of students by public institutions of higher education.

To State Affairs.

HB 2913 (By Aycock), Relating to the creation and operations of health care provider participation programs in certain counties.

To County Affairs.

HB 2914 (By Alvarado), Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of property owned by certain charitable organizations that provide affordable housing to low-income veterans and their dependents.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2915 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the transfer of certain general revenue to the Texas rail relocation and improvement fund.

To Transportation.

HB 2916 (By Schofield), Relating to voter registration offenses; increasing criminal penalties; creating an offense.

To Elections.

HB 2917 (By Alvarado), Relating to the authority of certain municipalities to impose term limits on the members of their governing bodies.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2919 (By Raney), Relating to an energy efficiency pilot program for state-owned buildings operated by the Texas Facilities Commission.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2920 (By Naishtat), Relating to the months of service to be eligible to serve as an assigned statutory probate court judge.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2921 (By Paul), Relating to authorizing a recreation and wellness facility fee at the University of Houston-Clear Lake.

To Higher Education.

HB 2922 (By Raney), Relating to selection of statewide competition locations by the University Interscholastic League.

To Public Education.

HB 2923 (By Miles), Relating to the conditions of confinement of children prior to certain judicial proceedings.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2925 (By Schofield), Relating to the delivery of certain voter registration certificates.

To Elections.

HB 2926 (By Anchia), Relating to low income housing tax credits awarded for at-risk developments.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2927 (By Guillen), Relating to alternative dispute resolution of certain insurance payment disputes with certain physicians and health care providers.

To Insurance.

HB 2928 (By Guillen), Relating to enrollment in public schools by a child without a parent, guardian, or other person with legal control of the child under a court order.

To Public Education.

HB 2929 (By Fallon), Relating to authorization for a school district board of trustees to adopt or remove term limits.

To Public Education.

HB 2930 (By Schofield), Relating to acceptable forms of identification for voting for certain persons.

To Elections.

HB 2931 (By Wu), Relating to the secure confinement of certain children.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2932 (By Anchia), Relating to a study and report by the Bureau of Economic Geology on land shifting

To Energy Resources.

HB 2933 (By R. Anderson), Relating to retirement benefits for certain peace officers who are members of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas, including the creation of a peace officer supplemental retirement fund.

To Pensions.

HB 2934 (By Wu), Relating to prohibiting the use of a mechanical or physical restraint on a child during a judicial proceeding in the juvenile court.
To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2935 (By Sheffield), Relating to a study of the use of a patient-reported outcomes registry in conjunction with health coverage for certain governmental employees.
To Pensions.

HB 2936 (By Sheffield), Relating to a pilot program for donation and redistribution of certain unused prescription medications; authorizing a fee.
To Public Health.

HB 2937 (By Schofield), Relating to the cancellation of a person's voter registration on notice that the person has acknowledged that the person is not a citizen.
To Elections.

HB 2938 (By Capriglione), Relating to the federal tax provisions applicable to the computation of the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2939 (By Capriglione), Relating to the deduction of certain officers' compensation as a cost of goods sold for purposes of the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2940 (By Capriglione), Relating to the determination of compensation for purposes of the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2941 (By Capriglione), Relating to the computation of wages and cash compensation for purposes of the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2942 (By Capriglione), Relating to passive entities for purposes of the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2943 (By Capriglione), Relating to the exclusion of certain payments from total revenue for purposes of the franchise tax.
To Ways and Means.

HB 2944 (By Schofield), Relating to the deadline for returning a ballot voted by mail.
To Elections.

HB 2945 (By Alonzo), Relating to the use of the juvenile case manager fund.
To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 2946 (By Phillips), Relating to certain laws governing the intersections of railroad tracks and public roadways.
To Transportation.

HB 2947 (By Meyer), Relating to the duty of a surplus lines insurance agent in the placement of a surplus lines insurance policy.

To Insurance.

HB 2948 (By Fallon), Relating to the eligibility requirements of deputy voter registrars.

To Elections.

HB 2950 (By Klick), Relating to the Task Force on Infectious Disease Preparedness and Response.

To Public Health.

HB 2951 (By Klick), Relating to the creation of the State Supported Living Center Realignment Commission.

To Human Services.

HB 2952 (By Klick), Relating to donation of unused prescription drugs.

To Public Health.

HB 2953 (By Schofield), Relating to the service of a poll watcher in an election.

To Elections.

HB 2955 (By Klick), Relating to certain public retirement systems.

To Pensions.

HB 2956 (By Klick), Relating to the appointment and training of volunteer deputy registrars; creating an offense.

To Elections.

HB 2957 (By Klick), Relating to motorcycle footrest and handhold requirements; amending provisions subject to a criminal penalty.

To Transportation.

HB 2958 (By Klick), Relating to reducing certain fees for licensed firearms dealers for a license to carry a concealed handgun.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2960 (By Schofield), Relating to certain information reported to county voter registrars and to the Department of Public Safety and to the cancellation of a driver's license based on that information.

To Elections.

HB 2964 (By Hernandez), Relating to staff and support personnel appointed by certain judges.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2965 (By Gonzales), Relating to administrative support positions with the Texas Military Department.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2967 (By Frullo), Relating to collection and use of certain information reported to and by the Texas Department of Insurance and certain approval authority and hearings held in connection with reported information.

To Insurance.

HB 2969 (By Herrero), Relating to the authority of the Texas Indigent Defense Commission to provide certain funding for indigent defense services.
To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2970 (By Herrero), Relating to the use of money paid as restitution to or on behalf of certain individuals depicted in child pornography.
To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2972 (By Stephenson), Relating to notice concerning the availability to persons who transport agricultural products of an overweight vehicle permit.
To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 2974 (By Flynn), Relating to contributions to, benefits from, and the administration of systems and programs administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.
To Pensions.

HB 2975 (By Martinez), Relating to speed limits.
To Transportation.

HB 2976 (By R. Anderson), Relating to the transportation allotments provided under the Foundation School Program to school districts that permit students to select a campus of attendance.
To Public Education.

HB 2977 (By Coleman), Relating to county powers, duties, and services; providing penalties; imposing fees.
To County Affairs.

HB 2978 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to the licensing and regulation of neurodiagnostic technologists; requiring an occupational license; creating an offense; providing penalties and authorizing fees.
To Public Health.

HB 2979 (By R. Anderson), Relating to health benefit plan coverage of hearing aids for certain individuals.
To Insurance.

HB 2980 (By J. Rodriguez), Relating to the method for submitting an application for voting by mail to the early voting clerk.
To Elections.

HB 2981 (By Schofield), Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations.
To Appropriations.

HB 2982 (By Israel), Relating to renewal of an appointment as a voluntary deputy registrar.
To Elections.

HB 2985 (By Israel), Relating to requiring the election of directors of certain districts to be held on a uniform election date.
To Natural Resources.

HB 2986 (By Israel), Relating to recording of minutes for a local canvassing authority.

To Elections.

HB 2987 (By Israel), Relating to issuance of a receipt for a voter registration application that may be used for the purpose of voting.

To Elections.

HB 2988 (By Keffer), Relating to the authority of the Railroad Commission of Texas to adopt certain rules related to ratemaking procedures and to the status of previously adopted rules.

To Energy Resources.

HB 3601 (By Darby), Relating to the payment of interest by state agencies.

To Appropriations.

HR 1134 (By Sanford), Commending Matt Hilton for his outstanding service as chief leadership officer of Step Up Realty.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1135 (By Muñoz), Recognizing the South Texas College Dual Enrollment Academies program on being named a 2014 Examples of Excelencia finalist.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1137 (By Canales), Congratulating Cynthia M. Sakulenzki of McAllen on her 15th anniversary as president and CEO of the Rio Grande Valley Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1138 (By Canales), Honoring Aguilar's Meat Market on its 30th anniversary in Edinburg.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1140 (By Guerra), Commending former Colonel Frank Plummer of McAllen for his military service.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1141 (By Guerra), Commending former U.S. Marine Corps Sergeant Antonio Cordova of Mission for his military service.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1147 (By Krause and Tinderholt), In memory of Kelly Walters of Arlington.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1149 (By C. Anderson), Honoring Joyce Eilene Denke of Riesel for her service with the Red Cross during the Vietnam War.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1151 (By Isaac), In memory of Dorothy Murphy.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1152 (By Isaac), In memory of Samantha Elizabeth Dean of the Kyle Police Department.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1154 (By Price), Commemorating March 2015 as National Athletic Training Month.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1155 (By Herrero), In memory of John J. Lewis of Violet.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1156 (By Herrero), Congratulating Luis Lopez of Corpus Christi on his retirement as owner and operator of Center Automatic Transmission and Engine Exchange.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1157 (By Herrero), Congratulating Dr. Mary Jane Hamilton on her receipt of the 2015 Georgia Regents University College of Nursing Phoebe Kandel Rohrer Distinguished Alumna and Presidential Alumna Awards.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1158 (By Herrero), In memory of Armando Sanchez, Sr., of Robstown.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1159 (By Herrero), Congratulating Paula Pizana on earning an Outstanding Employee Award from the Behavioral Health Center of Nueces County.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1160 (By Herrero), Congratulating Priscilla Cruz on earning an Outstanding Employee Award from the Behavioral Health Center of Nueces County.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1161 (By Herrero), Congratulating Janie Gonzalez on earning an Outstanding Employee Award from the Behavioral Health Center of Nueces County.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1162 (By Herrero), Congratulating Billie Padilla on earning an Outstanding Employee Award from the Behavioral Health Center of Nueces County.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1163 (By Herrero), Congratulating Susie Martinez on earning an Outstanding Employee Award from the Behavioral Health Center of Nueces County.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1165 (By Herrero), In memory of Sandra Kay Weems of Corpus Christi.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1166 (By Herrero), Congratulating Alfredo Reyna Flores and Alvaro Gaona of Corpus Christi for taking third place in the plate division of the 11th annual AWS Mike Mylnar Memorial Welding Contest.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1167 (By Herrero), Congratulating Leo Delgado, Jr., and Michael Guerrero of Corpus Christi for taking second place in the pipe division of the 11th annual AWS Mike Mylnar Memorial Welding Contest.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 1169 (By Muñoz), Congratulating Karla Espinosa of Mission on her selection as a Distinguished Finalist in the 2015 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program.

To Rules and Resolutions.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Favorable reports have been filed by committees as follows:

March 13

Economic and Small Business Development - **HB 900**

Higher Education - **HB 197, HB 495**

Homeland Security and Public Safety - **HB 11**

Human Services - **HB 550**

Transportation - **HB 80**

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