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EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION

PROCEEDINGS

SIXTEENTH DAY — TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2017

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

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 34).

Present — Mr. Speaker(C); Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, C.; Anderson, R.; Arévalo; Ashby; Bailes; Bell; Bernal; Biedermann; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Burkett; Burns; Burrows; Button; Cain; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Coleman; Collier; Cook; Cortez; Cosper; Craddick; Cyrier; Dale; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Dean; Dutton; Elkins; Faircloth; Fallon; Farrar; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Geren; Gervin-Hawkins; Giddings; Goldman; Gonzales; González; Gooden; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Hefner; Hernandez; Herrero; Hinojosa; Holland; Howard; Huberty; Hunter; Isaac; Israel; Johnson, E.; Johnson, J.; Kacal; Keough; King, K.; King, P.; King, T.; Klick; Koop; Krause; Kuempel; Lambert; Landgraf; Lang; Larson; Laubenberg; Leach; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Martinez; Metcalf; Meyer; Miller; Minjarez; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Neave; Nevárez; Oliveira; Oliverson; Ortega; Paddie; Parker; Paul; Perez; Phelan; Phillips; Pickett; Price; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Rinaldi; Roberts; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Romero; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Schofield; Schubert; Shaheen; Sheffield; Shine; Simmons; Smithee; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Stucky; Swanson; Thierry; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Tinderholt; Turner; Uresti; VanDeaver; Villalba; Vo; Walle; White; Wilson; Workman; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Absent — Deshotel; Dukes.

The speaker recognized Representative Burns who introduced Lisa Schwarz, founder and CEO, Crazy8 Ministries, Joshua, who offered the invocation as follows:

Dear Heavenly Father, on this the 14th day of February, Valentine's Day, I am reminded of the human's desire to celebrate love, that the need to love and to be loved is truly at the heart of every person. But more importantly, I am reminded of you and your love. God, you are love, and you fulfill the longing of every heart. We acknowledge your presence is with us in this room, and therefore, we are aware that love hovers here, too, available to each and every one of us.

God, may it be your love that brings about the simplicity that we so desperately need during complicated times. May it be your love that illuminates paths that otherwise would not be seen. May it be your love that impresses and

inspires. May it be your love that guides and directs. May it be your love that enlightens the eyes of all understanding, and may it be your love that releases a spirit of wisdom and revelation.

As you are God, so are we in this world. May we be motivated only by your love, which has been freely poured out into our hearts so that through us, you would be seen by all not just in word or in tongue but in deed and in truth.

I pray that all in this room would rest in your presence and allow your love to simplify and still the questions in their hearts and disturbances of their minds, that every moment is saturated with your peace which surpasses all understanding, and that love would remain at the heart of every matter. In Jesus' name, I pray. Amen.

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

(Ortega in the chair)

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The chair recognized Representative Israel who presented Dr. Larry Kravitz of Austin as the "Doctor for the Day."

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of personal business:

Allen on motion of Moody.

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

Gonzales on motion of Villalba.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the senate was received at this time (see the addendum to the daily journal, Messages from the Senate, Message No. 1).

(Dukes now present)

HR 130 - ADOPTED

(by Lozano)

Representative Lozano moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 130**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 130, Recognizing February 14, 2017, as Bee County Day at the State Capitol.

HR 130 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representatives Uresti and Hunter, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 130** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Lozano who introduced a delegation from Bee County.

HR 307 - ADOPTED (by Longoria)

Representative Longoria moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 307**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 307, Commemorating the 35th anniversary of Grupo Folklórico Tabasco and Mariachi Los Coyotes at La Joya High School.

HR 307 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Guerra, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 307** as signers thereof.

HR 430 - ADOPTED (by Thierry)

Representative Thierry moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 430**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 430, Commemorating the groundbreaking ceremony for the addition at Westbury High School.

HR 430 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Coleman, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 430** as signers thereof.

HR 371 - ADOPTED (by Israel)

Representative Israel moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 371**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 371, Honoring Lydia Clay and Barrett, Emily, and Hunter Chenevert on the occasion of National Donor Day.

HR 371 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representatives Howard and Krause, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 371** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Israel who introduced Lydia Clay; Cory Laurel; and Barrett, Emily, and Hunter Chenevert.

HR 283 - ADOPTED (by Guillen)

Representative Guillen moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 283**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 283, Recognizing February 14, 2017, as Rita L. Littlefield Kidney Day at the State Capitol.

HR 283 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative Uresti, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 283** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST

The chair recognized Representative Guillen who introduced Rita L. Littlefield.

HR 308 - ADOPTED (by Isaac)

Representative Isaac moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 308**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 308, Recognizing February 14, 2017, as Texas Aggregates and Concrete Association Day at the State Capitol.

HR 308 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Cyrier, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 308** as signers thereof.

HR 405 - ADOPTED (by Button, Burkett, Villalba, and Meyer)

Representative Button moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 405**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 405, In memory of Donald Benjamin Fielding of Dallas.

HR 405 was read and was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of Representatives Burkett, Leach, Fallon, Meyer, Koop, and Villalba, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 405** as signers thereof.

FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED

Representative Coleman moved to suspend the five-day posting rule to allow the Committee on County Affairs to conduct an organizational meeting during bill referral Thursday, February 16 in E2.026.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

Representative Coleman requested permission for the Committee on County Affairs to meet while the house is in session, during bill referral Thursday, February 16, in E2.026, for an organizational meeting.

Permission to meet was granted.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

County Affairs, during bill referral Thursday, February 16, E2.026, for an organizational meeting and a public hearing.

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT

At 10:52 a.m., Representative Meyer 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 Dr. Dennis Simon of Dallas.

The motion prevailed.

(Cyrier in the chair)

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 Nos. 1, 2, and 3.)

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with a previous motion, the house, at 11:44 a.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

ADDENDUM

HOUSE COMMITTEE SCHEDULE

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Effective Monday, February 13, 2017

MONDAY

7:30 a.m.	Appropriations	E1.030
9 a.m.	Human Services	E2.030
10 a.m.	International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs	E1.014
10:30 a.m. or upon adjournment	Local and Consent Calendars	Agricultural Museum, 1W.14
2 p.m. or upon adjournment	Business and Industry	E2.016
	Criminal Jurisprudence	E2.014
	Elections	E1.026
	Energy Resources	E2.010
	Government Transparency and Operation	E2.028
	Licensing and Administrative Procedures	E2.026
	Pensions	E2.012
	Texas Ports, Innovation and Infrastructure, Select	E1.010

TUESDAY

8 a.m.	Environmental Regulation	E1.026
	Homeland Security and Public Safety	E2.014
	Insurance	E2.016
	Public Health	E2.012
10:30 a.m. or upon adjournment	Rules and Resolutions	Agricultural Museum, 1W.14
	Urban Affairs	E2.028
2 p.m. or upon adjournment	Culture, Recreation, and Tourism	E1.010
	Investments and Financial Services	E2.010
	Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence	E2.026
	Public Education	E2.036

WEDNESDAY

8 a.m.	Agriculture and Livestock	E1.010
	Ways and Means	E2.012
10:30 a.m. or upon adjournment	Defense and Veterans' Affairs	E1.026

Higher Education	E2.030
Juvenile Justice and Family Issues	E2.016
Natural Resources	E2.010
State Affairs	JHR 140

2 p.m. or upon adjournment

Land and Resource Management	E2.026
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THURSDAY

8 a.m.

Economic and Small Business Development	E2.010
Special Purpose Districts	E2.028
State and Federal Power and Responsibility, Select	E2.036
Transportation	E2.012

10:30 a.m. or upon adjournment

Corrections	E2.014
County Affairs	E2.026
General Investigating and Ethics	E1.010
Redistricting	E1.026

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

HR 26 (By Murr), In memory of Betty Ann Peden of Hondo.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 27 (By Murr), In memory of Glen Clay Richardson of Sonora.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 28 (By Murr), In memory of Joe Benham of Kerrville.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 29 (By Roberts), Recognizing March 3, 2017, as National Speech and Debate Education Day in Texas.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 31 (By Cyrier), Recognizing Serena K. Formby-Condon on the occasion of National Brain Injury Awareness Month in March 2017.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 33 (By Roberts), Congratulating the Texas members of the 2016-2017 USA Debate, Development, and Leadership Teams on their many successes.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 34 (By Schofield), Commemorating the opening of Cypress Park High School in the Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District.
To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 35 (By Y. Davis), Congratulating the DeSoto High School football team on winning the UIL 6A Division 2 state championship.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 36 (By Ashby), Commemorating the 2017 G. B. Bennett School reunion in Buffalo.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 37 (By Ashby), Congratulating Juanita Aguilar on the 45th anniversary of her restaurant, Casa Morales.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 38 (By Ashby), Recognizing February 15, 2017, as Lufkin and Angelina County Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 39 (By Ashby), Honoring Sergeant Alfredo Fajardo and Officer Todd Little of the Crockett Police Department for their role in apprehending two criminals.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 40 (By Craddick), Congratulating Delnor Poss on his retirement as head coach of the Midland College men's golf team.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 41 (By Craddick), Congratulating David Carr on his retirement as superintendent of the Stanton Independent School District.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 42 (By Schofield), Commemorating the opening of Catherine Bethke Elementary School in the Katy Independent School District.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 43 (By Huberty), Recognizing February 27, 2017, as Texas PTA Rally Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 44 (By Ashby), Commemorating the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Madisonville Sidewalk Cattlemen's Association.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 45 (By Y. Davis), Congratulating A. C. Gonzalez on his retirement as city manager of Dallas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 47 (By Murr), In memory of Master Sergeant Rodney Lee Buentello (Ret.) of San Antonio.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 53 (By White), Recognizing January 24, 2017, as Texas Juvenile Justice Professional Day.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 54 (By Alonzo), Recognizing the 30th annual Grand Prairie Cinco de Mayo celebration in 2017.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 57 (By Villalba), Honoring the Texas Association of Authors.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 58 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Cinco de Mayo, 2018.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 59 (By Alonzo), Recognizing the month beginning March 31, 2017, as Cesar Chavez Farmworker Appreciation Month.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 60 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Cinco de Mayo, 2017.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 64 (By Alonzo), Recognizing the 2017 National Night Out Against Crime event.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 65 (By Alonzo), Recognizing the 2018 National Night Out Against Crime event.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 66 (By Alonzo), Recognizing Diez y Seis de Septiembre 2018.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 67 (By Alonzo), Recognizing the 31st annual Grand Prairie Cinco de Mayo celebration in 2018.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 68 (By Alonzo), Recognizing Diez y Seis de Septiembre 2017.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 69 (By Alonzo), Commending members of the Texas Dental Association and Texas Dental Association Smiles Foundation and recognizing the 2018 Texas Mission of Mercy.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 70 (By Alonzo), Commending members of the Texas Dental Association and Texas Dental Association Smiles Foundation and recognizing the 2017 Texas Mission of Mercy.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 71 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of William C. Velasquez, founder of the Southwest Voter Registration Education Project, on June 15, 2017, the 29th anniversary of his death.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 72 (By Alonzo), Honoring the 2017 and former presidents of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 73 (By Alonzo), Honoring the 2018 and former presidents of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 76 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of Irma Rangel and honoring the students of the Irma Lerma Rangel Young Women's Leadership School in 2016-2017, on the 13th anniversary of the opening of the school.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 77 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of Irma Rangel and honoring the students of the Irma Lerma Rangel Young Women's Leadership School in 2017-2018, on the 14th anniversary of the opening of the school.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 79 (By Alonzo), Commemorating the 115th anniversary of Oak Cliff's annexation to Dallas in 2018.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 81 (By Alonzo), Commemorating the 114th anniversary of Oak Cliff's annexation to Dallas in 2017.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 86 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of Selena Quintanilla Pérez on April 16, 2017, the 46th anniversary of her birth.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 87 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of Selena Quintanilla Pérez on April 16, 2018, the 47th anniversary of her birth.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 88 (By Alonzo), Commemorating the 2017 Oak Cliff Coalition for the Arts Cinco de Mayo parade and street festival.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 89 (By Alonzo), Commemorating the 2018 Oak Cliff Coalition for the Arts Cinco de Mayo parade and street festival.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 90 (By Alonzo), Recognizing National Crime Victims' Rights Week, April 2-8, 2017.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 91 (By Alonzo), Recognizing National Crime Victims' Rights Week in 2018.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 93 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of Selena Quintanilla Pérez on March 31, 2018, the 23rd anniversary of her passing.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 94 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of Selena Quintanilla Pérez on March 31, 2017, the 22nd anniversary of her passing.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 95 (By S. Davis), Congratulating Lieutenant Dennis Stanek on his retirement from the West University Place Fire Department.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 97 (By Alonzo), Commemorating the 170th anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 100 (By Alonzo), Paying tribute to the life of William C. Velasquez, founder of the Southwest Voter Registration Education Project, on June 15, 2018, the 30th anniversary of his death.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 104 (By S. Davis), Congratulating William A. Hyslop on his retirement as president and CEO of the MD Anderson Services Corporation and the MD Anderson Physicians Network.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 105 (By S. Davis), Recognizing the fourth-grade students of West University Elementary School in Houston on the occasion of their visit to the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 106 (By S. Davis), Congratulating Dr. James P. Allison on his receipt of the 2015 Lasker-DeBaakey Clinical Medical Research Award.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 107 (By S. Davis), In memory of Rudolph Victor Darilek of Houston.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 108 (By S. Davis), In memory of Bob Marshall of Houston.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 109 (By Craddick), Congratulating Dr. W. David Watts on his retirement as president of The University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 110 (By S. Davis), Congratulating Edgar Lovett Elementary School in Houston on its selection as a 2016 National Blue Ribbon School by the U.S. Department of Education.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 111 (By S. Davis), In memory of Lois Van Wart of Houston.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 113 (By Kuempel), In memory of Jan Kennady of New Braunfels.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 115 (By Kacal), In memory of Chief Darrell Lamond Allen of the Marlin Police Department and commemorating his posthumous receipt of a Star of Texas Award.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 122 (By Guillen), Congratulating Juan F. Garcia on his retirement as San Diego chief of police.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 123 (By Guillen), In memory of Jesus G. "Chick" Saenz of Benavides.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 124 (By Guillen), In memory of former George West mayor Sylvia Steele.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 125 (By S. Davis), Congratulating Jared Clark of Bellaire on qualifying for Team USA in the draft-legal duathlon event at the 2017 ITU World Championships Festival.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 126 (By S. Davis), In memory of Officer Marco Zarate of the Bellaire Police Department.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 127 (By S. Davis), In memory of Dr. Denton Cooley of Houston.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 129 (By Lozano), Recognizing February 15, 2017, as San Patricio County Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 132 (By Lozano), Recognizing January 31, 2017, as Javelina Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 135 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2018 in Cockrell Hill.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 136 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2017 in Cockrell Hill.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 137 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2018 in Texas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 138 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2017 in Texas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 139 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2018 in Dallas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 140 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2017 in Dallas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 141 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2018 in Grand Prairie.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 142 (By Alonzo), Commemorating Veterans Day 2017 in Grand Prairie.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 144 (By Faircloth), In memory of the Reverend Dr. Grayson Glass of Texas City.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 145 (By Howard), Recognizing January 23, 2017, as Expanded Learning Opportunities (ELO) Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 148 (By Stickland), Congratulating Ivan "Pudge" Rodriguez of the Texas Rangers on his induction into the National Baseball Hall of Fame.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 149 (By Thierry), In memory of Laura Christine Putkey of Houston.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 150 (By Stucky), In memory of Tyler Barnes Foster of Era.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 153 (By S. Davis, Morrison, Laubenberg, Button, and Burkett), Recognizing April 6, 2017, as Texas Federation of Republican Women Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 154 (By Muñoz), In memory of Ciro Ochoa Sr. of Mission.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 155 (By Muñoz), In memory of Oscar Garza of Mission.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 159 (By Muñoz), Congratulating Connie Garza on being named the First Lady of Mission by the Progress Times and the Greater Mission Chamber of Commerce.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 160 (By C. Anderson), Congratulating Amber Rhodes of Live Oak Classical School in Waco on being named a Commended Student by the National Merit Scholarship Program.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 161 (By C. Anderson), Congratulating Clifton and Ann Notgrass on their 65th wedding anniversary.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 162 (By C. Anderson), Congratulating Matt Rhule on being named head coach of the Baylor University football team.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 163 (By Villalba), In memory of Julian Kampfschulte of Lake Highlands.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 165 (By Murr), Commemorating the Pioneers Youth Leadership State Leadership Forum.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 166 (By Schofield, Bell, Zerwas, Vo, and Murphy), Congratulating the Katy Independent School District on being ranked by Niche.com as one of the top school districts in the Houston area.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 167 (By Ashby), Recognizing the Texas Forestry Association on the occasion of its seedling giveaway.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 168 (By Perez), Honoring Michael Conteh, founder of Tangible Difference Learning Center.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 171 (By Howard), Commemorating the 30th anniversary of Texas Democratic Women.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 172 (By Pickett), Commemorating the 50th anniversary of the national championship win by The University of Texas at El Paso men's basketball team.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 173 (By Lozano), Recognizing January 31, 2017, as Kingsville Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 174 (By T. King), Recognizing February 15, 2017, as Uvalde County Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 175 (By Pickett), Recognizing February 21-23, 2017, as El Paso Days at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 176 (By Ashby), Honoring Ronald H. Hufford for his service as executive director of the Texas Forestry Association.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 178 (By Guerra), Congratulating Canterbury Elementary School in Edinburg on being named a 2016 National Blue Ribbon School.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 180 (By Guerra), Congratulating Trevino Elementary School in Edinburg on being named a 2016 National Blue Ribbon School.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 181 (By Elkins), Congratulating Jon and Mary Peterson of Jersey Village on their 50th wedding anniversary.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 183 (By C. Anderson), Commending Officer Travis Nice of the Robinson Police Department for helping to deliver a baby during a traffic stop.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 184 (By C. Anderson), Congratulating Sherman H. Jackson Jr. of Waco on his recognition as one of the Voices of Valor by the Waco Tribune-Herald.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 189 (By Stucky, Parker, Simmons, and Fallon), Recognizing March 1, 2017, as Denton County Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 197 (By Price), Recognizing May 4, 2017, as National Day of Prayer in Texas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 202 (By S. Davis), Congratulating Lisa Falkenberg of the Houston Chronicle on her receipt of the 2015 Pulitzer Prize for Commentary.

To Rules and Resolutions.

List No. 2

HB 52 (By Metcalf), Relating to the enforcement of state and federal laws governing immigration and the duties of law enforcement agencies concerning arrested persons and certain persons lawfully detained.

To State Affairs.

HB 63 (By S. Davis and Zerwas), Relating to the operations of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.

To Public Health.

HB 67 (By White and J. Johnson), Relating to the repeal of the driver responsibility program.

To Transportation.

HB 74 (By Flynn), Relating to the Texas Balance of Powers Act.

To Select State and Federal Power and Responsibility.

HB 92 (By Guillen), Relating to the entitlement of spouses of certain veterans with disabilities to a veteran's employment preference.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 97 (By S. Davis), Relating to consent to the immunization of certain children for cancer prevention or treatment.

To Public Health.

HB 101 (By Craddick), Relating to the development of and contracting for reclaimed water facilities in certain municipalities.

To Natural Resources.

HB 106 (By Martinez), Relating to certain images captured by an unmanned aircraft.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 113 (By Keough, Metcalf, and Bell), Relating to the authority of the governing body of a local authority to impose a civil penalty for certain violations recorded by an automated traffic control system or a photographic traffic signal enforcement system; providing a civil penalty.

To Transportation.

HB 121 (By Keough), Relating to registration of a motor vehicle alleged to have been involved in a violation detected by a photographic traffic signal enforcement system.

To Transportation.

HB 123 (By White), Relating to performance incentive funding for certain medical schools based on public health impact.

To Appropriations.

HB 128 (By Minjarez), Relating to the eligibility of a relative or other designated caregiver of a foster child for monetary assistance.

To Human Services.

HB 135 (By Krause), Relating to reporting by political subdivisions regarding the receipt or expenditure of federal funds.

To Appropriations.

HB 205 (By Keough), Relating to child protective services; requiring burden of proof; providing court appointed attorney.

To Human Services.

HB 211 (By Canales), Relating to the participation of students under the supervision of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department in University Interscholastic League sponsored activities.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 230 (By Canales), Relating to the eligibility of school bus drivers for unemployment compensation benefits.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 235 (By E. Johnson), Relating to a grant program for law enforcement agencies that comply with certain reporting requirements.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 252 (By Hernandez), Relating to the requirement that certain employers provide advance notice of employee work schedules.

To Business and Industry.

HB 253 (By Hernandez), Relating to the period during which an employee may file a claim for unpaid wages with the Texas Workforce Commission.

To Business and Industry.

HB 257 (By Hernandez), Relating to a report by the Texas Workforce Commission regarding the transition from military service to employment.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 262 (By Howard), Relating to an exception from penalties for a physician's or health care professional's professional judgment in providing certain abortion services to patients.

To State Affairs.

HB 263 (By Lozano), Relating to the issuance of "Back the Blue" specialty license plates.

To Transportation.

List No. 3

HB 159 (By Dutton), Relating to electronic voter registration.
To Elections.

HB 160 (By Lucio), Relating to the use of a wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle; creating a criminal offense; modifying existing criminal penalties.
To Transportation.

HB 161 (By Dutton), Relating to the child support obligation of an obligor during the obligor's confinement in jail or prison.
To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 162 (By Lucio), Relating to conditions of community supervision for defendants convicted of certain criminal offenses involving animals.
To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 163 (By Dutton), Relating to early voting by mail by any qualified voter.
To Elections.

HB 164 (By Lucio), Relating to the establishment of a grocery access investment fund program.
To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 165 (By Raymond), Relating to health benefit plan coverage for certain equipment and supplies associated with diabetes treatment.
To Insurance.

HB 166 (By Lucio), Relating to the prohibition of corporal punishment as a method of student discipline.
To Public Education.

HB 167 (By Bell and Metcalf), Relating to a limitation on the maximum appraised value of real property for ad valorem tax purposes of 105 percent of the appraised value of the property for the preceding tax year.
To Ways and Means.

HB 168 (By Lucio), Relating to creating a voluntary program to recognize licensed before-school and after-school programs that promote healthy eating and physical activity.
To Public Education.

HB 169 (By Lucio), Relating to the establishment of a public law school in the Rio Grande Valley.
To Higher Education.

HB 170 (By Lucio and Metcalf), Relating to exempting books purchased, used, or consumed by university and college students from the sales and use tax for limited periods.
To Ways and Means.

HB 171 (By Dutton), Relating to certain facilities transactions between school districts and charter schools.

To Public Education.

HB 172 (By Lucio), Relating to the consideration of the performance of students of limited English proficiency on state assessment instruments and inclusion of related information in campus report cards.

To Public Education.

HB 173 (By Lucio), Relating to the licensing and regulation of certain rainwater harvesting; providing administrative penalties; authorizing fees; requiring an occupational license.

To Natural Resources.

HB 174 (By Lucio and Ashby), Relating to the authority of the Texas Water Development Board to provide financial assistance to political subdivisions for water supply projects.

To Natural Resources.

HB 175 (By Lucio), Relating to a study regarding the costs of educating students of limited English proficiency in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 176 (By Raymond), Relating to public and private school searches of students with parental consent and certain disciplinary measures and other procedures that may arise from such a search.

To Public Education.

HB 177 (By Lucio), Relating to the bilingual education allotment provided under the public school finance system.

To Public Education.

HB 179 (By Lucio), Relating to the employment of certified school counselors by school districts.

To Public Education.

HB 180 (By Lucio), Relating to the review of groundwater conservation districts by the state auditor.

To Natural Resources.

HB 181 (By Lucio), Relating to the use of public school counselors' work time.

To Public Education.

HB 182 (By Bernal), Relating to a study of the economic impact of requiring the disclosure of the sales price of real property.

To Ways and Means.

HB 183 (By Dutton), Relating to the consequences of successfully completing a period of deferred adjudication community supervision.

To Corrections.

HB 184 (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 185 (By Bernal), Relating to reporting principal turnover information in the performance report of a public school district.
To Public Education.

HB 186 (By Bernal), Relating to a study regarding the costs of educating educationally disadvantaged students and students of limited English proficiency in public schools.
To Public Education.

HB 187 (By Dutton), Relating to requiring the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to provide notice to certain persons of the right to vote.
To Corrections.

HB 188 (By Bernal), Relating to student/teacher ratios for prekindergarten classes in public schools.
To Public Education.

HB 190 (By Dutton), Relating to qualifications and registration of certain voters on parole or mandatory supervision.
To Elections.

HB 191 (By Bernal), Relating to the notice given by a property owner prohibiting a handgun license holder from carrying a handgun on certain property.
To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 194 (By Bernal), Relating to providing for endorsements for public high school students enrolled in special education programs.
To Public Education.

HB 195 (By Bernal), Relating to coverage for diagnostic mammography under certain health benefit plans.
To Insurance.

HB 196 (By González), Relating to providing free full-day prekindergarten for certain children.
To Public Education.

HB 197 (By Bernal), Relating to contracts and other documents issued by credit access businesses.
To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 198 (By Bernal), Relating to installment payments of ad valorem taxes imposed on certain residence homesteads.
To Ways and Means.

HB 199 (By Bernal), Relating to participation in the countywide polling place program.
To Elections.

HJR 26 (By Bell), Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to limit the maximum appraised value of real property for ad valorem tax purposes to 105 percent or more of the appraised value of the property for the preceding tax year.

To Ways and Means.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages from the senate were today received by the house:

Message No. 1

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

Austin, Texas

Tuesday, February 14, 2017

The Honorable Speaker of the House

House Chamber

Austin, Texas

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the senate to inform the house that the senate has taken the following action:

THE SENATE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

HCR 60 Anderson, Rodney SPONSOR: Hancock
Congratulating Andrew Anderson of Grand Prairie on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.

SB 502 Taylor, Van
Relating to the content of detailed reports filed by lobbyists and to monetary limits on expenditures by lobbyists.

SB 503 Taylor, Van
Relating to the prohibition on lobbying by certain elected officers.

Respectfully,

Patsy Spaw

Secretary of the Senate