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## PROCEEDINGS

TWELFTH DAY (CONTINUED) — TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021

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

The invocation was offered by Representative Holland as follows:

O God, the fountain of wisdom whose statutes are good and gracious and whose law is truth, we beseech thee so to guide and bless the legislature of Texas, that it may ordain for our governance only such things as please thee, to the glory of thy name and the welfare of the people, through Jesus Christ, thy son, our Lord. God bless Texas and amen.

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

### **FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED**

Representative Paddie moved to suspend the five-day posting rule to allow the Committee on State Affairs to consider **HB 3687** at 8 a.m. Thursday, March 25 in E1.004.

The motion prevailed.

### **COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT**

The following committee meeting was announced:

County Affairs, 10:35 a.m. or upon adjournment today, 1W.14, for a formal meeting, to consider pending business.

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

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

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Representative White moved that the house adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow in memory of Hermon Netherland of Colmesneil and Jennifer Lee Mixon of Woodville.

The motion prevailed.

The house accordingly, at 10:13 a.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

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**ADDENDUM**

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**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 3801** (By Metcalf), Relating to desired future conditions for groundwater that are declared unreasonable.

To Natural Resources.

**HB 3802** (By Lozano), Relating to certain rates and fees charged by water supply corporations.

To Natural Resources.

**HB 3803** (By Geren), Relating to the adoption of a certain plumbing code by the Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

**HB 3804** (By Lozano), Relating to continuing education and training requirements for educators and other school district personnel.

To Public Education.

**HB 3805** (By Howard), Relating to the costs of expansion of open-enrollment charter schools.

To Public Education.

**HB 3806** (By Fierro), Relating to the carrying of handguns on the campuses of and certain other locations associated with public junior colleges.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

**HB 3807** (By Hunter), Relating to the use of lifeguards and informational signs to improve safety on public beaches.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

**HB 3808** (By Hunter), Relating to the establishment of a statewide alert system and education program to improve water safety in the state.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

**HB 3809** (By Hunter), Relating to the setting of premium rates for Texas Windstorm Insurance Association policies by the commissioner of insurance.

To Insurance.

**HB 3810** (By Hunter), Relating to the authority of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association to raise premium rates on association policies.

To Insurance.

**HB 3811** (By Lucio), Relating to ad valorem taxation.

To Ways and Means.

**HB 3812** (By Hunter), Relating to the release of student directory information by a public institution of higher education.

To Higher Education.

**HB 3813** (By Harris), Relating to the authority of certain municipalities to impose regulations on amplified sound from certain venues.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

**HB 3814** (By Hunter), Relating to the regulation by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality of the discharge of preproduction plastic from point and nonpoint sources to ensure zero discharge or release of plastic into water or onto land in the state and to ensure the prompt cleanup of any discharged or released plastic.

To Environmental Regulation.

**HB 3815** (By Hunter), Relating to transitional living services provided to foster youth transitioning to independent living.

To Human Services.

**HB 3816** (By Hunter), Relating to certain claims for benefits, compensation, or assistance by certain public safety employees and survivors of certain public safety employees.

To Business and Industry.

**HB 3817** (By Hunter), Relating to the procedure for conducting surveys of public land, including the requirements regarding field notes and coordinate systems.

To Land and Resource Management.

**HB 3818** (By Guillen), Relating to payments associated with certain medical examinations under the workers' compensation system; imposing a fee.

To Business and Industry.

**HB 3819** (By Klick), Relating to a public school district policy providing that a school nurse may administer prescription asthma medicine to a student.

To Public Health.

**HB 3820** (By Klick), Relating to health care specialty consultations in certain child abuse or neglect investigations and assessments.

To Human Services.

**HB 3821** (By Hunter), Relating to employing and training mental health professionals for the mental health program for veterans.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

**HB 3822** (By Schaefer), Relating to the creation of an additional judicial district composed of Smith County.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

**HB 3823** (By Ramos), Relating to the civil penalty for certain signs placed on the right-of-way of a public road.

To Transportation.

**HB 3824** (By Muñoz), Relating to the calculation of the penalty imposed on a delinquent ad valorem tax.

To Ways and Means.

**HB 3825** (By Ramos, Howard, Thierry, and Zwiener), Relating to expanding access to women's health care services and family planning services by removing restrictions on the participation of certain health care providers.

To Public Health.

**HB 3826** (By Muñoz), Relating to bail bond surety advertising by a licensed attorney.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

**HB 3827** (By Wilson), Relating to the municipal disannexation of certain areas formerly designated as a census designated place.

To Land and Resource Management.

**HB 3828** (By Schaefer), Relating to voter qualification and registration.

To Elections.

**HB 3829** (By Muñoz), Relating to the conditions under which the comptroller may issue and file a tax lien.

To Ways and Means.

**HB 3830** (By Collier), Relating to certain continuing duties of the state that relate to exculpatory evidence in a criminal case.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

**HB 3831** (By Geren), Relating to a limitation on the use of certain unsubstantiated information relating to peace officer misconduct.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

**HB 3832** (By Wilson), Relating to municipalities and counties that adopt budgets that defund law enforcement agencies.

To Land and Resource Management.

**HB 3833** (By P. King), Relating to the additional ad valorem tax and interest imposed as a result of a change in the use of certain land.

To Ways and Means.

**HB 3834** (By Klick), Relating to providing access to local health departments and certain health service regional offices under Medicaid.

To Human Services.

**HB 3835** (By Moody), Relating to the establishment of regional assisted outpatient treatment programs to provide court-ordered outpatient mental health services in certain counties.

To County Affairs.

**HB 3836** (By Hunter), Relating to the electronic dissemination of commercial recordings or audiovisual works.

To Business and Industry.

**HB 3837** (By Huberty), Relating to the public school finance system.

To Public Education.

**HB 3838** (By Dominguez), Relating to the display of emergency and other notices by a governmental entity on the entity's Internet website.

To State Affairs.

**HB 3839** (By Coleman), Relating to home and community support services licensing requirements.

To Human Services.

**HB 3840** (By Dominguez), Relating to the electronic filing system used for the filing of documents in courts of this state; authorizing the imposition of a fee for use of that system in certain counties.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

**HB 3841** (By Cole), Relating to the adjustment of the voter-approval tax rate of a taxing unit to reflect public spending necessary to correct a deficiency in the first response capacity of a fire or police department of the taxing unit.

To Ways and Means.

**HB 3842** (By Coleman), Relating to the prohibited sale of flavored cigarettes, e-cigarettes, and tobacco products and administrative penalties for the prohibited sales.

To Public Health.

**HB 3843** (By Zwiener), Relating to the authority of a county to regulate impervious cover around certain floodplains.

To Land and Resource Management.

**HB 3844** (By J.D. Johnson), Relating to the establishment of the department of consumer affairs services for property owners and property owners' associations within the office of the attorney general.

To Business and Industry.

**HB 3845** (By J.D. Johnson), Relating to the failure of a property owners' association to file all dedicatory instruments of a residential subdivision as public records.

To Business and Industry.

**HB 3846** (By Krause), Relating to the scheduling of the first day of school for students by school districts and open-enrollment charter schools.

To Public Education.

**HB 3847** (By J.D. Johnson), Relating to a study on the long-term funding structure of the retired school employees group insurance fund.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

**HB 3848** (By C. Turner), Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue a certificate of authority or certificate of authorization regarding professional degrees.

To Higher Education.

**HB 3849** (By Slawson), Relating to regulation of state trust companies.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

**HB 3850** (By Slawson), Relating to regulation of state banks.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

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## APPENDIX

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### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Favorable reports have been filed by committees as follows:

**March 22**

Homeland Security and Public Safety - **HB 103, HB 461**

Insurance - **HB 317**

International Relations and Economic Development - **HB 21**

Licensing and Administrative Procedures - **HB 914, HB 1517, HB 1518, HB 1729**

Public Health - **HB 652, HB 780, HB 797**

Ways and Means - **HB 1195**