HOUSE JOURNAL

EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION

PROCEEDINGS

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY — MONDAY, MARCH 9, 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 49).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, C.; Anderson, R.; Ashby; Aycock; Bell; Bernal; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Burkett; Burns; Burrows; Button; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Coleman; Collier; Cook; Craddick; Crownover; Cyrier; Dale; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Dukes; 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; Israel; Johnson; Kacal; Keffer; Keough; King, K.; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Klick; Koop; Krause; Kuempel; Landgraf; Larson; Laubenberg; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; McClendon; Metcalf; Meyer; 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.; VanDeaver; Villalba; Vo; Walle; White, J.; White, M.; Workman; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Absent, Excused — Isaac; Leach.

Absent — Miles; Turner, S.

The speaker recognized Representative Dutton who offered the invocation.

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

(S. Turner now present)

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

Isaac on motion of Landgraf.

Leach on motion of E. S. Turner.

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

Tinderholt on motion of Spitzer.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS SUSPENDED

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

(Wray in the chair)

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

Hunter on motion of Muñoz.

HR 915 - ADOPTED (by E. Rodriguez)

Representative E. Rodriguez moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 915**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 915, Honoring former New Mexico governor Bill Richardson for the donation of his professional papers to the Briscoe Center for American History at The University of Texas at Austin.

HR 915 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Moody, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 915** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative E. Rodriguez who introduced the Honorable Bill Richardson and representatives of the Briscoe Center for American History.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The chair recognized Representative Huberty who presented Dr. Minh-Hang Chu of Humble as the "Doctor for the Day."

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

HR 406 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Capriglione)

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

HR 406, In memory of Keith Everest Friend of Grapevine.

On motion of Representative Capriglione, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 406** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Capriglione who introduced family members and friends of Keith Everest Friend.

SCR 16 - ADOPTED (Lucio - House Sponsor)

Representative Lucio moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **SCR 16**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

SCR 16, Recognizing the Brownsville Independent School District on its 100th anniversary.

SCR 16 was adopted.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

Notice was given at this time that the speaker had signed bills and resolutions in the presence of the house (see the addendum to the daily journal, Signed by the Speaker, Senate List No. 6).

HR 221 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Herrero and Wu)

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

HR 221, In memory of Oscar Soliz of Corpus Christi.

On motion of Representative Raymond, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 221** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Herrero who introduced family members of Oscar Soliz.

HR 179 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Wu)

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

HR 179, In memory of Teresa de Jesus Flores Solis.

On motion of Representative Raymond, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 179** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Wu who introduced family members of Teresa de Jesus Flores Solis.

(Miles now present)

COMMITTEES GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

Pursuant to Rule 4, Section 9 of the House Rules, Representative Crownover 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.

FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED

Representative Phillips moved to suspend the five-day posting rule and all necessary rules to allow the Committee on Homeland Security and Public Safety to consider **HB 11** and pending business at 8 a.m. Wednesday, March 11 in E2.012.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

Homeland Security and Public Safety, 8 a.m. Wednesday, March 11, E2.012, for a public hearing, to consider **HB 11** and pending business.

HR 396 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Crownover and Howard)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 396, Commending Dr. David L. Lakey for his service as commissioner of the Texas Department of State Health Services.

On motion of Representative Crownover, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 396** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Crownover who introduced Dr. David L. Lakey and members of his family.

HR 791 - ADOPTED (by Riddle and Harless)

Representative Riddle moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 791**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 791, In memory of Spencer Paul Golvach of Houston.

HR 791 was read and was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of Representatives Dutton and S. King, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 791** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Riddle who introduced family members of Spencer Paul Golvach.

PROVIDING FOR A CONGRATULATORY AND MEMORIAL CALENDAR

Representative McClendon moved to set a congratulatory and memorial calendar for 10 a.m. Thursday, March 12.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

Rules and Resolutions, upon adjournment today, 3W.15, for a formal meeting, to set a calendar.

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT

At 3:10 p.m., Representatives Capriglione, Herrero, Riddle, and Wu 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 Keith Everest Friend of Grapevine, Oscar Soliz of Corpus Christi, Spencer Paul Golvach of Houston, and Teresa de Jesus Flores Solis of Laredo.

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.)

(Galindo in the chair)

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES CORRECTIONS IN REFERRAL

Bills and joint resolutions were at this time laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees. Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair at this time corrected the referral of measures to committees. (See the addendum to the daily journal, Referred to Committees, List No. 2.)

(Burns in the chair)

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES CORRECTIONS IN REFERRAL

Bills and joint resolutions were at this time laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees. Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair at this time corrected the referral of measures to committees. (See the addendum to the daily journal, Referred to Committees, List No. 3.)

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with a previous motion, the house, at 5:19 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 869 (By Leach), Relating to a certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth. To Public Health.

HB 881 (By Dukes), Relating to outsourcing a service performed by a health and human services agency to a private commercial contractor.

To State Affairs.

HB 995 (By González), Relating to the establishment of stormwater control planning authorities in certain counties.

To County Affairs.

HB 996 (By Parker), Relating to the effect of certain agreements with a collective bargaining organization on certain state-funded public work contracts.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1006 (By Y. Davis), Relating to the preference given by state agencies to goods offered by bidders in this state or manufactured, produced, or grown in this state or in the United States.

To State Affairs.

HB 1007 (By Y. Davis), Relating to the purchase of iron, steel, and manufactured goods made in the United States for certain state, state-aided, and governmental entity construction projects.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1063 (By Lucio), Relating to state assistance to certain counties for indigent burial costs.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 1312 (By P. King), Relating to the eligibility of a landman for unemployment compensation.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1335 (By Gutierrez), Relating to the collection of attorney fees in property owners' association foreclosures.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1340 (By Blanco), Relating to the placement of military occupational specialty codes on certain notices of state agency employment openings.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1342 (By Sheets), Relating to the prosecution of the offense of sexual assault committed against certain victims.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1343 (By Sheets), Relating to the prosecution of the offense of sexual assault committed against certain victims.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1354 (By Howard), Relating to the creation of a select interim committee to undertake a comprehensive review of personal financial disclosures made to the Texas Ethics Commission and certain other authorities.

To General Investigating and Ethics.

HB 1355 (By Shaheen), Relating to the consequences for an elected officer who threatens, punishes, or intimidates a person based on the person's religious beliefs; creating a criminal offense.

To General Investigating and Ethics.

HB 1357 (By Sheets), Relating to certain title insurance policy liability and reinsurance requirements.

To Insurance.

HB 1358 (By Spitzer and Wray), Relating to a presumption that applies to certain conduct involving certain controlled substances that endangers a child.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1359 (By Wu), Relating to procedures involving truancy and other fine-only misdemeanors committed by children.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1360 (By Isaac), Relating to the exemption of certain vehicles from registration fees.

To Transportation.

HB 1361 (By Isaac), Relating to an exemption for municipalities and this state from the compressed natural gas and liquefied natural gas tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1362 (By Shaheen), Relating to a local option exemption from ad valorem taxation by a county of a portion of the value of the residence homestead of a physician who provides health care services for which the physician agrees not to seek payment from any source, including the Medicaid program or otherwise from this state or the federal government, to indigent residents of the county.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1363 (By Johnson), Relating to the prosecution of the offense of prostitution.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1364 (By R. Miller), Relating to the issuance of specialty license plates to honor recipients of the Defense Meritorious Service Medal and the Meritorious Service Medal.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1365 (By Guillen), Relating to procedures involving truancy and other fine-only misdemeanors committed by children.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1366 (By Herrero), Relating to student eligibility for Foundation School Program benefits.

To Public Education.

HB 1367 (By Peña), Relating to eliminating the wrongful birth and wrongful life causes of action.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1368 (By Phillips), Relating to annual permits to move certain equipment; authorizing a fee.

To Transportation.

HB 1370 (By Phillips), Relating to the allocation of certain motor vehicle sales tax revenue to the state highway fund and to the uses of that revenue.

To Appropriations.

HB 1371 (By Dutton and Naishtat), Relating to the establishment of an office of consumer affairs for children in foster care.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1372 (By Isaac), Relating to the creation of the Cotton Center Municipal Utility District No. 1; granting a limited power of eminent domain; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments, fees, and taxes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1373 (By Giddings), Relating to the assignment of a public school student to an inexperienced or uncertified teacher.

To Public Education.

HB 1374 (By T. King), Relating to the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of certain dealer's heavy equipment inventory.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1375 (By S. Thompson), Relating to creating a defense to revocation of parole, mandatory supervision, or community supervision for a person who travels through a child safety zone.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1376 (By Paddie), Relating to the application of certain concealed handgun license laws to community supervision and corrections department officers and juvenile probation officers; reducing a fee.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1378 (By Flynn), Relating to annual financial reporting of debt information.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1379 (By Sheets), Relating to the standard valuation and nonforfeiture requirements for life insurance, accident and health insurance, and annuities.

To Insurance.

HB 1380 (By Flynn), Relating to transparency requirements for the disclosure of debt information to voters.

To Elections.

HB 1381 (By Moody), Relating to the employment of certain peace officers, detention officers, county jailers, or firefighters who are injured in the course and scope of duty.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1382 (By Moody), Relating to the procedure for rearrest and adjustment of the bond amount in certain criminal cases.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1383 (By Allen), Relating to the salary paid to classroom teachers employed by public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1384 (By S. Davis, Laubenberg, Peña, and Raney), Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.

To Higher Education.

HB 1385 (By Raymond), Relating to local option elections to legalize or prohibit the operation of eight-liners; providing penalties; imposing fees.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1386 (By Raymond), Relating to the prohibition of more than one counsel appearing in a misdemeanor case.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1389 (By Villalba), Relating to the funding of certain activities related to the commercialization of emerging technologies.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1390 (By S. Thompson), Relating to remedies for discrimination by a public employer against a public employee in connection with a claim for workers' compensation.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1451 (By Fallon), Relating to the availability of certain school district financial information on certain districts' Internet websites.

To Public Education.

HB 1471 (By Kuempel), Relating to the territory and board of the Canyon Regional Water Authority.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1480 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the definitions of dating violence and family violence for purposes of the issuance of a protective order.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1488 (By Sheets), Relating to voluntary registration and regulation of roofing contractors; providing criminal penalties; authorizing a fee.

To Insurance.

HB 1541 (By Burkett and S. Turner), Relating to peer specialists, peer services, and the provision of those services under the medical assistance program.

To Human Services.

HB 1544 (By Clardy), Relating to actuarial certification of title insurance company reserves.

To Insurance.

HB 1546 (By Allen), Relating to the award of diligent participation credit to defendants confined in a state jail felony facility.

To Corrections.

HB 1547 (By Kuempel), Relating to the funding of emergency medical services and trauma care.

To Appropriations.

HB 1549 (By McClendon), Relating to nonsubstantive corrections in statutes to references to the Texas Youth Commission and Texas Juvenile Probation Commission.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1550 (By Zerwas), Relating to the administration of epinephrine by pharmacists.

To Public Health.

HB 1551 (By Howard), Relating to money distributed by the School Land Board to the available school fund or to the State Board of Education for investment in the permanent school fund.

To Appropriations.

HB 1552 (By Craddick), Relating to oil and gas wells that traverse multiple tracts.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1553 (By Shaheen), Relating to requiring political subdivisions to participate in the federal electronic verification of employment authorization program or E-verify.

To State Affairs.

HB 1554 (By Shaheen), Relating to a report on local government operations prepared by the comptroller.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1555 (By Meyer), Relating to the elimination of straight-party voting. To Elections.

HB 1557 (By Alonzo), Relating to creation of a search and rescue task force in each disaster field response region.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1559 (By Parker), Relating to public school Internet website information concerning local programs and services available to assist homeless students.

To Public Education.

HB 1560 (By Hernandez), Relating to investment options for property recovered in a suit by a next friend or guardian ad litem on behalf of a minor or incapacitated person.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1561 (By Schaefer), Relating to the exemption from certain security licensure of certain persons who provide security services on a volunteer basis at a private primary or secondary school, a church or religious organization, or the meeting of certain nonprofit organizations.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1562 (By Schofield), Relating to establishing actual progress for the purposes of determining the right to repurchase real property from a condemning entity.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1564 (By J. White), Relating to the establishment of judicial donation trust funds to assist needy children and families appearing before justice and municipal courts.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1565 (By J. White), Relating to the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of qualified timber land.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1566 (By J. White), Relating to conditions of bond for defendants charged with certain offenses involving the operation of a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1567 (By S. Turner), Relating to the offense of driving while license invalid.

To Transportation.

HB 1568 (By Riddle), Relating to the evaluation of applications for certain financial assistance administered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1569 (By Isaac), Relating to the creation of a defense under the Solid Waste Disposal Act for persons engaged in certain recycling transactions.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1570 (By J. White), Relating to the punishment for the offense of burglary.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1571 (By J. White), Relating to notice of the right to employ counsel in truancy proceedings.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1573 (By J. White), Relating to the dissemination of confidential information contained in the juvenile justice information system.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1574 (By Muñoz and Hernandez), Relating to limitations imposed on baccalaureate degree programs offered by public junior colleges.

To Higher Education.

HB 1575 (By Guillen), Relating to requirements for reporting unclaimed mineral proceeds to the comptroller of public accounts.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1576 (By Guillen), Relating to requirements for reporting unclaimed mineral proceeds to the comptroller of public accounts.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1577 (By Guillen), Relating to notice regarding and abandoned property held in connection with receiverships for certain mineral interests.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1578 (By Guillen), Relating to the release of a motor vehicle accident report.

To Transportation.

HB 1579 (By Lucio), Relating to the sale and purchase of shark fins or products derived from shark fins; creating a criminal offense.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1580 (By Lozano), Relating to a court reporter for the county court at law in Kleberg County.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1581 (By Simpson), Relating to the duty of a water supply system to provide certain information to consumers regarding fluoride in drinking water.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1583 (By Clardy), Relating to block scheduling for associate degree and certificate programs at public junior colleges.

To Higher Education.

HB 1584 (By Farias), Relating to a voluntary donation to the fund for veterans' assistance when applying for a hunting or fishing license.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1585 (By Paul), Relating to the use of hotel occupancy tax revenue in certain municipalities.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1586 (By McClendon), Relating to the administration of Texas Juvenile Justice Department facilities and post-adjudication secure correctional facilities for juvenile offenders and to the commitment of juvenile offenders.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1587 (By Canales and Tinderholt), Relating to disclosing certain information about each substance used to execute a person convicted of capital murder.

To Corrections.

HB 1588 (By Villalba), Relating to the administrative determination of title to certain timeshare properties.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1589 (By Villalba), Relating to the payment of certain ad valorem tax refunds.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1590 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the minimum wage.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1591 (By Kuempel), Relating to the powers and duties of, and the application of the professional prosecutors law to, the county attorney of Guadalupe County and to abolishing the office of district attorney of the 25th Judicial District.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1592 (By Frank and Capriglione), Relating to comparisons of state budgets made by the Legislative Budget Board.

To Appropriations.

HB 1593 (By Blanco), Relating to notification of parents regarding the immunization status of students enrolled at a public school.

To Public Education.

HB 1594 (By Murr), Relating to increasing the punishment for contempt of court by certain juveniles in a justice or municipal court.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1595 (By Murr), Relating to testing certain defendants or confined persons for communicable diseases.

To Corrections.

HB 1596 (By Guerra, Martinez, Longoria, Muñoz, and Canales), Relating to the Hidalgo County Healthcare District; decreasing the possible maximum rate of a tax.

To County Affairs.

HB 1597 (By Blanco), Relating to state assistance for school employees uniform group health coverage.

To Public Education.

HB 1598 (By D. Miller), Relating to the Texas military forces oath of affirmation.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1599 (By K. King), Relating to grants for school districts and campuses providing blended and individualized learning staff development activities.

To Public Education.

HB 1600 (By K. King), Relating to the establishment of a grant program to assist school districts in developing or implementing innovative blended learning initiatives.

To Public Education.

HB 1601 (By Raymond), Relating to eligibility of certain school district employees for certification as a principal.

To Public Education.

HB 1602 (By Peña), Relating to the establishment of the Texas Commission on Immigration and Migration and a migrant worker visa pilot project.

To State Affairs.

HB 1605 (By Martinez), Relating to the fee charged for the Texas Airport Directory.

To Transportation.

HB 1606 (By Burkett), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Workforce Investment Council, including assumption of the duties of the Texas Skill Standards Board.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1607 (By Collier, Oliveira, and Sheets), Relating to the amount of temporary income benefits to which an injured employee is entitled under the workers' compensation system.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1608 (By Kacal), Relating to the fee charged by a county clerk for issuing noncertified copies of certain documents.

To County Affairs.

HB 1609 (By Kuempel), Relating to the annexation of an unincorporated enclave by certain general-law municipalities.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 1610 (By Kuempel), Relating to authority of certain general-law municipalities to annex an area without consent.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 1611 (By Guillen), Relating to the exemption from the assessment requirements of the Texas Success Initiative for students who successfully complete certain college preparatory courses.

To Higher Education.

HB 1612 (By Guillen), Relating to a requirement that public institutions of higher education provide certain information to students and school districts regarding student performance on Texas Success Initiative assessment instruments.

To Higher Education.

HB 1613 (By Guillen), Relating to the use of performance on certain assessment instruments designated by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to satisfy requirements concerning high school end-of-course assessment instruments.

To Higher Education.

HB 1614 (By Guillen), Relating to reporting of teacher turnover information by public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1615 (By Fallon), Relating to the days and hours early voting is conducted at a temporary branch early voting polling place.

To Elections.

HB 1617 (By Paddie), Relating to authorizing certain real property transactions involving the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas.

To State Affairs.

HB 1620 (By Galindo), Relating to the prohibition of certain employment discrimination regarding an employee who is a volunteer emergency responder.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1621 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to notice and appeal of an adverse determination by utilization review agents.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1622 (By Paul), Relating to the allocation of certain revenue derived from the state gasoline tax.

To Appropriations.

HB 1623 (By Laubenberg and Burkett), Relating to the reimbursement of providers for the provision of certain home telemonitoring services under the Medicaid program.

To Public Health.

HB 1624 (By Smithee), Relating to transparency of certain information related to certain health benefit plan coverage.

To Insurance.

HB 1625 (By Faircloth), Relating to an exemption from the sales and use tax for certain lightbulbs for a limited period.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1627 (By Coleman), Relating to the use of deadly force in defense of a person or property.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1628 (By Johnson), Relating to authorizing a credit union or other financial institution to conduct savings promotion raffles.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1630 (By Romero), Relating to certain limitations on settlement agreements with a governmental unit.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1631 (By Phelan), Relating to the enforcement of commercial motor vehicle safety standards in certain municipalities and counties.

To Transportation.

HB 1632 (By Romero), Relating to the electronic completion of an application for a ballot to be voted by mail.

To Elections.

HB 1633 (By Romero), Relating to application and notification requirements for a permit to drill an oil or gas well in or near an easement held by the Texas Department of Transportation.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1634 (By Romero), Relating to a franchise tax credit for certain taxable entities offering postsecondary tuition assistance.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1635 (By Guillen), Relating to the management of groundwater, including the classification of and the obtaining of information regarding groundwater and the formulation of desired future conditions by a groundwater conservation district.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1636 (By Hernandez), Relating to filing requirements applicable to administrative writs of withholding for child support.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1637 (By Guillen), Relating to the use of certain money deposited to the state highway fund for transportation projects in energy-producing regions of this state.

To Transportation.

HB 1638 (By Smithee), Relating to nonpreferred provider claims under a preferred provider benefit plan related to emergency care.

To Insurance.

HB 1639 (By Farias and Kuempel), Relating to providing certain information to the public and to purchasers of affected property regarding impact of certain military airport operations.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1640 (By Farias and Kuempel), Relating to the compatibility of certain defense community regulations and structures with military operations.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1641 (By Farias), Relating to the licensing and regulation of certain employees of fire protection sprinkler system contractors; providing a penalty; imposing a fee; requiring occupational licenses.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1642 (By Pickett), Relating to the rights, remedies, and liability of certain owners and operators of environmentally contaminated property; authorizing a fee.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1643 (By Riddle), Relating to abatement of public nuisances on undeveloped land in the unincorporated area of a county.

To County Affairs.

HB 1644 (By Smithee), Relating to the oath of a person admitted to practice law in the State of Texas.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1645 (By Gutierrez), Relating to the participation of certain large counties in the countywide polling place program.

To Elections.

HB 1647 (By Murphy), Relating to voter information provided by political subdivisions before an election to authorize the issuance of bonds.

To Elections.

HB 1648 (By M. White, Klick, Fletcher, Flynn, and Laubenberg), Relating to voluntary and informed consent to an abortion and prevention of coerced abortions; providing penalties; creating an offense.

To State Affairs.

HB 1649 (By E. S. Turner), Relating to the transportation and storage of firearms and ammunition in private vehicles on the campuses of institutions of higher education.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1651 (By E. S. Turner), Relating to the authority of a person who is licensed to carry a handgun to openly carry a secured handgun; creating a criminal offense; providing penalties.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1653 (By E. Rodriguez, Parker, Laubenberg, Simmons, and C. Anderson), Relating to the ownership or operation of a motor vehicle dealership by certain manufacturers or distributors.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1654 (By M. White), Relating to public agreements or contracts related to United Nations Agenda 21.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 1655 (By Reynolds), Relating to the expunction of certain files and records arising from a criminal investigation; creating a criminal offense.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1657 (By Vo), Relating to the determination of an experience-rated employer's eligibility for a surplus credit rate under the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1658 (By Vo), Relating to the disqualification of certain temporary employees for unemployment compensation benefits.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1659 (By R. Miller), Relating to an application for a ballot to be voted by mail.

To Elections.

HB 1660 (By Moody), Relating to certain protective orders and magistrate's orders for emergency protection.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1661 (By Guerra), Relating to Medicaid billing for the services of substitute dentists.

To Public Health.

HB 1663 (By Cook), Relating to a defendant's payment of costs associated with a court-appointed counsel.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1664 (By Leach), Relating to the authority of a school district to excuse from school attendance a student who is exempt from a final examination.

To Public Education.

HB 1666 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to the liability of certain persons for damages arising from training exercises to prepare the persons to respond to certain emergencies.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1667 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to the designation of certain physicians as preferred providers.

To Insurance.

HB 1668 (By Workman), Relating to the status of a subcontractor as an employee for the purposes of workers' compensation insurance coverage.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1669 (By R. Anderson), Relating to increasing the punishment for subsequent convictions for indecent exposure.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1670 (By Sheets), Relating to the possession and removal of a placenta from a hospital or birthing center.

To Public Health.

HB 1672 (By González), Relating to requiring public institutions of higher education to request student disciplinary records for certain applicants for admission to the institution.

To Higher Education.

HB 1673 (By VanDeaver), Relating to eliminating certain state-required assessment instruments and certain end-of-course assessment instruments not required by federal law.

To Public Education.

HB 1674 (By Howard), Relating to a physician counseling requirement for persons claiming an immunization exemption on the basis of conscience, including a religious belief.

To Public Health.

HB 1675 (By Bohac and Workman), Relating to increasing the period of time for exempting freeport goods from ad valorem taxation.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1676 (By Aycock), Relating to authority of public and open-enrollment charter school campuses to maintain a supply of and administer anaphylaxis medicine.

To Public Education.

HB 1677 (By Aycock), Relating to the public school finance system.

To Public Education.

HB 1679 (By Raymond), Relating to the continuation of the Texas Council for Developmental Disabilities.

To Human Services.

HB 1680 (By Raymond), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Health Services Authority as a quasi-governmental entity and the electronic exchange of health care information.

To Human Services.

HB 1681 (By Bohac), Relating to the authority of a county clerk to require an individual to present photo identification to file certain documents.

To County Affairs.

HB 1682 (By Bohac), Relating to the salary paid to certain professional employees of public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1683 (By Bohac), Relating to an identifying number assigned to a notary public by the secretary of state.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1685 (By Hughes), Relating to the satisfaction of a condition of community supervision requiring performance of community service.

To Corrections.

HB 1686 (By Farney), Relating to excluding a franchisor as an employer of a franchisee or a franchisee's employees.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1687 (By Faircloth), Relating to a study of the feasibility and desirability of creating and maintaining a coastal barrier system.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 1688 (By Faircloth), Relating to proceedings held in auxiliary facilities outside certain county seats.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1689 (By Faircloth), Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund an interprofessional health education center at The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston.

To Higher Education.

HB 1690 (By P. King, D. Bonnen, Parker, Sheets, and Smithee), Relating to the prosecution of offenses against public administration, including ethics offenses.

To General Investigating and Ethics.

HB 1794 (By Geren, Harless, Burkett, and Longoria), Relating to maximum penalties for certain environmental violations.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2463 (By Raymond), Relating to the functions of the Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services.

To Human Services.

HB 2632 (By Dutton), Relating to removing a criminal penalty and authorizing a civil penalty for truancy.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HJR 64 (By Elkins), Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of certain property owned by research technology corporations created by public or private institutions of higher education to develop and commercialize technologies owned by the institutions.

To Government Transparency and Operation.

HJR 84 (By Farias), Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation the total assessed value of the residence homestead of a veteran or current member of the armed services of the United States while the veteran or current service member participates in a veterans court program.

To Ways and Means.

HJR 85 (By Murphy), Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation real property leased to certain schools organized and operated primarily for the purpose of engaging in educational functions.

To Ways and Means.

HJR 86 (By Galindo), Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing elections for the recall of independent school district trustees.

To Elections.

HJR 87 (By C. Turner), Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for a credit against the ad valorem taxes imposed on qualifying real property used to provide housing to persons with disabilities.

To Ways and Means.

HR 704 (By Workman), Urging the federal government to return title to all federal public lands within the western states to the states where the land is located.

To Select State and Federal Power and Responsibility.

HR 937 (By Larson), Encouraging safe boating practices and paying tribute to the life of Kali Gorzell of San Antonio.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

List No. 2

HB 693 (By Gutierrez), Relating to the creation of a temporary visitor's driver's license, provisional temporary visitor's driver's license, and temporary visitor's driver's instruction permit; authorizing fees; creating an offense.

To State Affairs.

HB 861 (By Dale, Sheffield, Frullo, P. King, and Burkett), Relating to the prosecution of the offense of online solicitation of a minor.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1356 (By Isaac), Relating to the sale or rental of certain motor vehicle tires; creating a criminal offense.

To Transportation.

HB 1369 (By Dutton), Relating to the creation of a special prosecution division in the office of the attorney general to investigate and prosecute peace officer misconduct.

To Select Emerging Issues In Texas Law Enforcement.

HB 1377 (By Longoria), Relating to a restriction on certain accommodations in accessible hotel guest rooms; providing a civil penalty.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1387 (By R. Anderson), Relating to a franchise tax credit for entities offering internships to certain college students.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1388 (By Bohac), Relating to certain diseases or illnesses suffered by firefighters and emergency medical technicians.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1542 (By Paddie), Relating to the use of digital message display systems in certain public facilities.

To Government Transparency and Operation.

HB 1543 (By Alvarado), Relating to the creation of the Advisory Council on Hispanic Affairs in the office of the governor.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 1545 (By Naishtat), Relating to the creation of the State Cemetery preservation trust fund.

To Appropriations.

HB 1548 (By Harless), Relating to comprehensive reviews of certain special districts.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1556 (By R. Miller), Relating to prohibition of certain regulations by a county, municipality, or other political subdivision.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1563 (By R. Miller), Relating to the procedures for registering to vote. To Elections.

HB 1572 (By Peña), Relating to safety and security policies and procedures in the Capitol Complex.

To House Administration.

HB 1582 (By Simpson), Relating to the disclosure of all compensation paid to current or former elected officers.

To General Investigating and Ethics.

HB 1603 (By Villalba), Relating to the creation of the chancery court and the court of chancery appeals to hear certain cases.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1604 (By Bohac), Relating to the mandatory removal of public school students from classrooms following certain conduct.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1616 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to the establishment of a pilot program for the purchase of produce at farmers markets under certain nutritional assistance programs.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1626 (By Johnson), Relating to the designation of certain areas as banking development districts to encourage the establishment of financial institution branches in those areas.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1629 (By Johnson), Relating to crowdfunding portal regulation for the purpose of small business development.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1646 (By J. White and Sanford), Relating to a program allowing certain military voters on active duty overseas to cast a ballot electronically.

To Elections.

HB 1650 (By E. S. Turner), Relating to the legislative appropriations request process for the Texas Department of Transportation.

To Transportation.

HB 1652 (By E. S. Turner), Relating to the permissible uses of the state highway fund.

To Transportation.

HB 1656 (By Anchia), Relating to public financing of campaigns for appellate judicial offices; providing civil penalties.

To Elections.

HB 1671 (By Cook), Relating to defining terms applicable to groups that accept political contributions or make political expenditures.

To State Affairs.

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair corrects the referral of the following bills and resolutions:

HB 1653 (By E. Rodriguez, Parker, Laubenberg, Simmons, and C. Anderson), Relating to the ownership or operation of a motor vehicle dealership by certain manufacturers or distributors.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

List No. 3

HB 1391 (By Burkett), Relating to appointment of a nonparent as managing conservator of a child.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1392 (By Bell), Relating to the recovery of stranded oil, gas, or oil and gas from depleting Cenozoic Era reservoirs.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1393 (By S. Turner), Relating to the establishment of a home and community-based services program under the Medicaid program for certain persons with severe and persistent mental illness.

To Human Services.

HB 1394 (By Burns), Relating to the composition, governance, and authority of a regional tollway authority that has or proposes to have projects located in counties that are not part of the authority.

To Transportation.

HB 1397 (By Shaheen), Relating to the eligibility to serve as a member of the board of trustees of the Texas County and District Retirement System.

To Pensions.

HB 1398 (By Craddick), Relating to the motor vehicle sales tax applicable to motor vehicles used by transportation companies for certain purposes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1399 (By Goldman), Relating to procedures and requirements for the issuance of certificates of obligation.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1400 (By R. Anderson), Relating to the investment training requirement for certain local government officers.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1402 (By Nevárez), Relating to the creation of the Coates Ranch Municipal Utility District No. 1; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments, fees, and taxes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1403 (By Sheets), Relating to the definition of health care liability claim for the purposes of certain laws governing those claims.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1404 (By Leach), Relating to the creation of a committee to evaluate special education services in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1406 (By Sheets), Relating to the liability of a political subdivision of this state for certain claims relating to land acquired by the political subdivision under certain circumstances.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1408 (By Bell), Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for capital projects at Prairie View A&M University.

To Higher Education.

HB 1409 (By S. Thompson, Flynn, Otto, Bell, and Raney), Relating to the regulation of the practice of dental hygiene.

To Public Health.

HB 1411 (By Rinaldi), Relating to the cost of an attendance credit under the public school finance system.

To Public Education.

HB 1412 (By Blanco), Relating to the marketing and advertising of the veterans' assistance lottery game.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1413 (By Goldman), Relating to the practice of therapeutic optometry. To Public Health.

HB 1414 (By Smith), Relating to a prohibition of restrictions on the grade levels at which a public high school student may be eligible to enroll in a dual credit course.

To Public Education.

HB 1415 (By Kuempel), Relating to establishment or use of cemeteries in certain municipalities.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1416 (By Raymond), Relating to recusal of a justice of the supreme court or judge of the court of criminal appeals based on political contributions accepted by the justice or judge from a person involved in a case before the justice or judge.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1418 (By Bell), Relating to the annexation of certain territory by general law municipalities.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 1420 (By Lozano, Harless, and E. Rodriguez), Relating to the practice of therapeutic optometry.

To Public Health.

HB 1421 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to fees charged by the Coastal Plains Groundwater Conservation District.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1422 (By Lozano), Relating to the restoration of expired eminent domain authority of rural rail transportation districts.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 1423 (By Allen), Relating to the authority of certain counties to contract with a private vendor for the operation of a detention facility.

To County Affairs.

HB 1424 (By Lozano), Relating to the designation of certain synthetic compounds to Penalty Group 2 or 2-A of the Texas Controlled Substances Act; increasing penalties for certain persons convicted of the manufacture and delivery of controlled substances.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1428 (By Raymond and Naishtat), Relating to the administration of housing funds set aside for persons with disabilities through the homebuyer assistance program.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1429 (By S. King), Relating to the creation of a grant program to support community mental health programs for veterans with mental illness.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1430 (By S. King), Relating to the inclusion of mental health in the public services endorsement on a public school diploma and in information about health science career pathways.

To Public Education.

HB 1431 (By S. King), Relating to the development of a career-oriented foreign language program that public schools may offer.

To Public Education.

HB 1432 (By Howard, Israel, and E. Rodriguez), Relating to optional fees on registration of vehicles in certain counties to fund transportation projects; authorizing a fee.

To Transportation.

HB 1434 (By McClendon), Relating to the assignment of certain behavioral health professionals and school counselors to a public school campus.

To Public Education.

HB 1438 (By S. Thompson), Relating to guardianships and other matters related to incapacitated persons.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1440 (By Bell, Johnson, Villalba, and Meyer), Relating to the eligibility of Elite Rodeo Association World Championships for funding from the Major Events trust fund.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1491 (By McClendon), Relating to the publication of confidential criminal and juvenile justice records of certain juveniles; providing civil penalties.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1492 (By D. Miller), Relating to consideration of asbestos or silica trust claims in certain actions asserting asbestos- or silica-related injuries.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1493 (By Rinaldi), Relating to authorization for a school district board of trustees to adopt or remove term limits.

To Public Education.

HB 1494 (By Hughes), Relating to the filing by a court reporter of an official transcript of a court proceeding.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1495 (By S. Davis), Relating to authorizing the electronic transmission of certain communications related to the prevention of communicable diseases.

To Public Health.

HB 1496 (By S. Davis), Relating to search warrants issued to obtain a DNA specimen through a buccal swab or another method.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1497 (By Schaefer, Bell, and Dutton), Relating to the issuance of school district teaching permits to persons who teach career and technical education.

To Public Education.

HB 1498 (By S. Davis), Relating to student use of sunscreen products in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1499 (By S. Davis), Relating to giving notice of certain information about an election electronically.

To Elections.

HB 1500 (By S. Thompson), Relating to certain temporary orders in a suit for modification of an order in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1502 (By Murphy), Relating to the elimination of certain formula funding and dropped course restrictions for students enrolled in accelerated, affordable baccalaureate programs at public institutions of higher education.

To Higher Education.

HB 1503 (By Canales), Relating to the rights of certain defendants who successfully complete a term of community supervision.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1504 (By Canales), Relating to a lottery prize winner's choice to remain anonymous on authorization to withhold five percent of winnings.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1505 (By Alvarado), Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund a science and technology building at the downtown campus of the University of Houston.

To Higher Education.

HB 1506 (By Villalba), Relating to the transfer of a portion of certain money in the Texas emerging technology fund to the Texas Enterprise Fund.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1507 (By Farias), Relating to a report to the Texas Juvenile Justice Department concerning restorative justice programs for juvenile offenders in certain counties.

To Juvenile Justice and Family Issues.

HB 1508 (By Raymond), Relating to the issuance of a license in this state to certain physicians licensed outside of this state.

To Public Health.

HB 1618 (By K. King), Relating to the period of eligibility for support from the universal service plan for certain providers.

To State Affairs.

HB 1619 (By K. King), Relating to the use of and disbursements from the universal service fund for certain small and rural companies.

To State Affairs.

HB 1662 (By Sheets), Relating to the exemption of certain property from municipal drainage service charges.

To Urban Affairs.

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair corrects the referral of the following bills and resolutions:

HB 1006 (By Y. Davis), Relating to the preference given by state agencies to goods offered by bidders in this state or manufactured, produced, or grown in this state or in the United States.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

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

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STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Favorable reports have been filed by committees as follows:

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Defense and Veterans' Affairs - HB 339, HB 437