

# SENATE JOURNAL

EIGHTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE — FOURTH CALLED SESSION

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AUSTIN, TEXAS

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PROCEEDINGS

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**FOURTH DAY**

(Continued)

(Tuesday, December 5, 2023)

**AFTER RECESS**

The Senate met at 9:57 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

**AT EASE**

The President at 9:58 a.m. announced the Senate would stand At Ease subject to the call of the Chair.

**IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

The President at 12:49 p.m. called the Senate to order as In Legislative Session.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

HOUSE CHAMBER

Austin, Texas

Tuesday, December 5, 2023 - 1

The Honorable President of the Senate

Senate Chamber

Austin, Texas

Mr. President:

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

THE HOUSE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

**SCR 4** Sparks

Recognizing The University of Texas Permian Basin football team for winning the 2023 Lone Star Conference championship.

**SCR 5** Sparks

In memory of James Ratliff "Jay" Hurt Jr.

**SCR 6** Sparks

Recognizing the 2024 Texas Department of Public Safety Foundation BBQ Cook-Off.

**SCR 7** Sparks

In memory of James Ratliff "Buzz" Hurt Sr.

Respectfully,  
/s/Stephen Brown,  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives

### RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

The President announced the signing of the following enrolled resolutions in the presence of the Senate: **SCR 4, SCR 5, SCR 6, SCR 7.**

### RESOLUTIONS OF RECOGNITION

The following resolutions were adopted by the Senate:

#### Memorial Resolutions

**SR 73** by Hughes, In memory of Gregory Raymond Byrne.

**SR 75** by West, In memory of Troy Peterson Bacon II.

**SR 78** by Eckhardt and Hinojosa, In memory of David Gray Hall.

**SR 79** by Hughes, In memory of the life of Jerry Wayne Wallace.

**SR 80** by Hughes, In memory of Billy Lee Hughes.

**SR 81** by Hughes, In memory of Alice Jane Boulter Littlejohn.

**SR 85** by Menéndez, Alvarado, Blanco, Eckhardt, Gutierrez, Hinojosa, Johnson, LaMantia, Miles, West, Whitmire, and Zaffirini, In memory of Joyce W. Dorrycott.

#### Congratulatory Resolutions

**SCR 9** by Hughes, Recognizing Ray Wilson on the occasion of his retirement.

**SR 71** by Hughes, Recognizing Eddie Lucio Jr. for receiving the Defender of Life Award.

**SR 72** by Hughes, Recognizing Ray Wilson on the occasion of his retirement.

**SR 74** by Hinojosa, Recognizing Samuel Garcia for his inclusion on the *Forbes* magazine 30 Under 30 list.

**SR 77** by West, Recognizing John Ben Sutter on the occasion of his retirement.

**SR 82** by Hughes, Recognizing Pamela Anglin for her service as president of Paris Junior College.

**SR 83** by Hinojosa, Recognizing Robert Vasquez for his service to our country and state.

**SR 84** by Creighton, Recognizing the Albanian American Cultural Center for its contributions to the state.

### ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE

On motion of Senator Zaffirini, the President announced that the hour for final adjournment of the 88th Legislature, 4th Called Session, had arrived and declared the 88th Legislature, 4th Called Session, adjourned sine die at 12:53 p.m. Tuesday, December 5, 2023.

**APPENDIX**

**RESOLUTIONS ENROLLED**

December 5, 2023

**SCR 4, SCR 5, SCR 6, SCR 7, SR 71, SR 72, SR 73, SR 74, SR 75, SR 77, SR 78, SR 79, SR 80, SR 81, SR 82, SR 83, SR 84, SR 85**

**SENT TO GOVERNOR**

December 5, 2023

**SCR 4, SCR 5, SCR 6, SCR 7**

December 6, 2023

**SB 3**

**SIGNED BY GOVERNOR**

December 18, 2023

**SB 3, SB 4, SCR 3, SCR 4, SCR 5, SCR 6, SCR 7**

