

SENATE JOURNAL

EIGHTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE — REGULAR SESSION

AUSTIN, TEXAS

PROCEEDINGS

FIFTH DAY

(Wednesday, January 23, 2013)

The Senate met at 11:07 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Birdwell, Campbell, Carona, Davis, Deuell, Duncan, Ellis, Eltife, Estes, Fraser, Hancock, Hegar, Hinojosa, Huffman, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Patrick, Paxton, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Uresti, Van de Putte, Watson, West, Whitmire, Williams, Zaffirini.

The President announced that a quorum of the Senate was present.

Pastor Gary M. Renfro, Corinth Missionary Baptist Church, Austin, offered the invocation as follows:

Most great and gracious heavenly Father, we pause at this moment to give You thanks for the privilege of life, for a reasonable portion of health and strength, and for a sense of purpose and passion that guides us this day. I am grateful to the men and women who have gathered in this place to do the business of the people for the great State of Texas. May the effort and energy given to conducting this business be found worthy of Your favor. Grant us Your blessing, we pray. Amen.

Senator Whitmire moved that the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day be dispensed with and the Journal be approved as printed.

The motion prevailed without objection.

PHYSICIAN OF THE DAY

Senator Huffman was recognized and presented Dr. Clare Hawkins of Baytown as the Physician of the Day.

The Senate welcomed Dr. Hawkins and thanked him for his participation in the Physician of the Day program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following Message from the Governor was read and was referred to the Committee on Nominations:

January 16, 2013
Austin, Texas

TO THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION:

I ask the advice, consent and confirmation of the Senate with respect to the following appointments:

ACUPUNCTURE EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Raymond J. Graham - El Paso

Appointment Date: August 24, 2011

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Karen Anne Siegel - Houston

Appointment Date: August 24, 2011

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE, CHIEF

Lyn Cathleen Parsley - Austin

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: May 15, 2014

AFFORDABLE HOUSING CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS, TEXAS STATE

Gerard "Gerry" Evenwel, Jr. - Mount Pleasant

Appointment Date: December 15, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION, TEXAS

Steven M. Weinberg, M.D. - Colleyville

Appointment Date: November 15, 2011

Expiration Date: November 15, 2017

ANGELINA AND NECHES RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Louis A. Bronaugh - Lufkin

Appointment Date: April 12, 2012

Expiration Date: September 5, 2017

Patricia E. "Pat" Dickey - Crockett

Appointment Date: April 12, 2012

Expiration Date: September 5, 2017

Julie Dowell - Bullard

Appointment Date: April 12, 2012

Expiration Date: September 5, 2017

ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION, TEXAS

Brandon H. Bouma - Plainview

Appointment Date: September 6, 2011

Expiration Date: September 6, 2017

Thomas George Kezar - Dripping Springs

Appointment Date: September 6, 2011

Expiration Date: September 6, 2017

Ernesto A. "Ernie" Morales - Devine

Appointment Date: September 6, 2011

Expiration Date: September 6, 2017

Michael Louis Vickers, D.V.M. - Falfurrias

Appointment Date: September 6, 2011

Expiration Date: September 6, 2017

APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD, TEXAS

Luis Felipe De La Garza, Jr. - Laredo

Appointment Date: July 2, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2014

Laurie Carden Fontana - Houston

Appointment Date: July 2, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2014

Keith W. Kidd - Reno

Appointment Date: November 2, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2014

Shannon K. McClendon - Dripping Springs

Appointment Date: July 2, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2014

ARTS, TEXAS COMMISSION ON THE

Rita Esther Baca - El Paso

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Andrew Patrick Barlow - Austin

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Patricia A. "Patty" Bryant - Amarillo

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

David C. Garza - Rancho Viejo

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Mila Gibson - Sweetwater

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2015

Marsha Wilson Rappaport - Galveston

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2013

Ronald Byron Sanders - San Antonio

Appointment Date: September 9, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

AUTISM AND PERVASIVE DEVELOPMENTAL DISORDERS, TEXAS
COUNCIL ON

Nyria Melchor - Plano

Appointment Date: August 24, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Pamela R. Rollins, Ed.D. - Dallas

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Stephanie Ann Sokolosky, Ed.D. - Harlingen

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

BRAZOS RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Paul J. Christensen - Crawford

Appointment Date: December 6, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Chet David Creel - Olney

Appointment Date: December 6, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

William John "Bill" Rankin - Brenham

Appointment Date: December 6, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

CANCER PREVENTION AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF TEXAS
OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Arthur G. "Gerry" Geistweidt - Mason

Appointment Date: January 16, 2013

Expiration Date: January 31, 2015

Walker N. Moody - Houston

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: January 31, 2013

CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE AND STROKE, COUNCIL ON

Paula Sela Gomez - Brownsville

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Suzanne Scism Hildebrand - Live Oak

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Floristene Johnson - DeSoto

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Howard R. Marcus, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: November 9, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

John Neal Rutledge, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

CEMETERY COMMITTEE, STATE

James L. "Jim" Bayless, Jr. - Austin

Appointment Date: June 28, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS, TEXAS BOARD OF

Elaine "Anne" Boatright - Smithville

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

COASTAL WATER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Alan D. Conner - Dayton

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: April 1, 2014

COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY, CENTRAL

Herman I. Law - Burkett

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY, LOWER

Raymond A. "Ray" Gill, Jr. - Horseshoe Bay

Appointment Date: July 26, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

CORRECTIONAL MANAGED HEALTH CARE COMMITTEE

Harold Berenzweig, M.D. - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: March 27, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Margarita de la Garza-Graham, M.D. - Tyler

Appointment Date: December 23, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

CRIME STOPPERS COUNCIL, TEXAS

Jorge E. Gaytan - Houston

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: September 1, 2016

Emerson F. Lane, Jr. - Beaumont

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: September 1, 2016

Ernesto "Ernie" Rodriguez, Jr. - McAllen

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: September 1, 2016

DENTAL EXAMINERS, STATE BOARD OF

Lewis M. White - Humble

Appointment Date: December 21, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Emily Ann Willeford - San Antonio

Appointment Date: February 1, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

DIETITIANS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF

Belinda Bazan-Lara - San Antonio

Appointment Date: October 3, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Aida "Letty" Moreno-Brown - El Paso

Appointment Date: October 3, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Dwight Albert "D.A." Sharpe - Aurora

Appointment Date: October 3, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, TEXAS

James Bruce Bugg, Jr. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 28, 2012

Expiration Date:

Robert Franco, Jr. - Austin

Appointment Date: August 1, 2012

Expiration Date:

EDUCATION CHAIR, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Barbara Cargill - The Woodlands

Appointment Date: July 1, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD, TEXAS HIGHER

Robert W. "Bobby" Jenkins, Jr. - Austin

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Munir A. Lalani - Wichita Falls

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2015

James H. "Jim" Lee - Houston

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2013

Wanda Janelle Shepard - Weatherford

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

David Dean Teuscher, M.D. - Beaumont

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

EDUCATION, STATE COMMISSIONER OF

Michael L. Williams - Arlington

Appointment Date: August 27, 2012

Expiration Date: January 20, 2015

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS, COMMISSION ON STATE

Rick Campbell - Center

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Terry J. Henley - Meadows Place

Appointment Date: December 19, 2012

Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

Laura Gibbs Maczka - Richardson

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

EMERGENCY SERVICES RETIREMENT SYSTEM, TEXAS

Don Richard Shipman - Colleyville

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Francisco "Frank" Torres - Raymondville

Appointment Date: March 14, 2012

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Stephen K. "Steve" Williams - Carthage

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Cydney Donnell - Fredericksburg

Appointment Date: October 1, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2018

ENGINEERS, TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL

Sockalingam "Sam" Kannappan - Houston

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: September 26, 2017

Edward L. Summers, Ph.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: September 26, 2017

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, TEXAS COMMISSION ON

Christopher Tobias "Toby" Baker - Austin

Appointment Date: April 16, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

FACILITIES COMMISSION, TEXAS

Michael J. Novak - San Antonio

Appointment Date: December 23, 2011

Expiration Date: January 31, 2013

FARM AND RANCH LANDS CONSERVATION COUNCIL, TEXAS

James Cleveland Cathey, Ph.D. - College Station

Appointment Date: December 7, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

FINANCE COMMISSION OF TEXAS

Susan H. Burton - Addison

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2016

Darby Ray Byrd, Sr. - Orange

Appointment Date: February 2, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Victor E. Leal - Amarillo

Appointment Date: February 2, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Larry L. Patton - El Paso

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Hilliard "Jay" Shands, III - Lufkin

Appointment Date: February 2, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

FIRE FIGHTERS' PENSION COMMISSIONER

Sherri Barr Walker - Pflugerville

Appointment Date: July 15, 2011

Expiration Date: July 1, 2015

FIRE PROTECTION, TEXAS COMMISSION ON

Laurence Patton Ekiss - Taylor

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Robert Lamar Moore - Bryan

Appointment Date: December 7, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Ronald J. Poynter - McKinney

Appointment Date: December 7, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION, TEXAS

Richard B. Alpert - North Richland Hills

Appointment Date: October 31, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

Vincent J.M. Di Maio, M.D. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: October 31, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

Robert J. "Bobby" Lerma - Brownsville

Appointment Date: October 31, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

Nizam Peerwani, M.D. - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: October 31, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

FUNERAL SERVICE COMMISSION, TEXAS

Jean L. "Jeanne" Olinger, Ph.D. - Childress

Appointment Date: February 2, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

GALVESTON COUNTY PORTS, BOARD OF PILOT COMMISSIONERS FOR

Vandy Anderson - Galveston

Appointment Date: March 14, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2016

W. Bradshaw Boney - Galveston

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Linda R. Rounds, Ph.D. - Galveston

Appointment Date: March 14, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2016

GEOSCIENTISTS, TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL

Christopher C. Mathewson, Ph.D. - College Station

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

GUADALUPE RIVER AUTHORITY, UPPER

David M. "Mike" Hughes - Ingram

Appointment Date: July 1, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Hugh R. Jons, Jr. - Kerrville

Appointment Date: December 7, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

GUADALUPE-BLANCO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Kenneth A. Motl, D.V.M. - Port Lavaca

Appointment Date: January 4, 2013

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

GUARANTEED STUDENT LOAN CORPORATION, TEXAS

Fernando Trevino, Jr. - Del Rio

Appointment Date: June 6, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

GULF COAST WASTE DISPOSAL AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Zoe Milian Barinaga - Houston

Appointment Date: September 2, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2013

Stanley Craig Cromartie - League City

Appointment Date: October 12, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2014

Lamont Edward Meaux - Stowell

Appointment Date: October 12, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2014

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COUNCIL

Thomas Craig Wheat - University Park

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER OF

Kyle Janek, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: September 1, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

HEALTH COORDINATING COUNCIL, STATEWIDE

Lourdes Cuellar - Houston

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: August 1, 2017

Mabrie Griffith Jackson - Plano

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: August 1, 2017

Danny K. "Dan" McCoy, M.D. - Corsicana

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012

Expiration Date: August 1, 2017

Elizabeth J. Protas, Ph.D. - League City

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: August 1, 2017

James R. "Bob" Yancy - College Station

Appointment Date: December 19, 2012

Expiration Date: August 1, 2015

HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS, TEXAS

Frederick Joel Buckwold, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

David C. Fleeger, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Matthew J. "Matt" Hamlin - Argyle

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

James L. "Jim" Martin - Austin

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Edward W. Marx - Colleyville

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Kathleen Kay Scheel Mechler - Fredericksburg

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

William A. "Bill" Phillips, Jr. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Judith Day Powell - The Woodlands

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Jennifer Lynn Rangel - Austin

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Jimmy Darren Rodgers - Dallas

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

Stephen Yurco, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: June 15, 2013

HEALTH SERVICES COUNCIL, STATE

William T. "Bill" Lovell - Dallas

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Maria F. Teran - El Paso

Appointment Date: September 13, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

HEARING INSTRUMENTS, STATE COMMITTEE OF EXAMINERS IN THE
FITTING AND DISPENSING OF

Gary Allen Haun - San Angelo

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2015

William M. McCrae - San Antonio

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

Jesus F. "Jesse" Rangel, Jr. - Longview

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

Barbara A. Willy - Sugar Land

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

HISTORICAL COMMISSION, TEXAS

Michael D. "Mike" Donegan - Rockwall

Appointment Date: July 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

August W. Harris, III - Austin

Appointment Date: July 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Robert Kelly "Bob" Shepard - Weatherford

Appointment Date: January 28, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF

John Mark McWatters - Dallas

Appointment Date: February 23, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2015

INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION, GOVERNING BOARD OF THE TEXAS

Jon H. Burrows - Temple

Appointment Date: June 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

J. Knox Fitzpatrick - Dallas

Appointment Date: June 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Anthony C. "Tony" Odiorne - Georgetown

Appointment Date: June 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Olen U. Underwood - Willis

Appointment Date: June 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Benny "Glen" Whitley - Hurst
Appointment Date: June 18, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

INDUSTRIALIZED BUILDING CODE COUNCIL, TEXAS

Joe D. Campos - Dallas
Appointment Date: November 20, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Randall Reddin "Randy" Childers - Hewitt
Appointment Date: November 20, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Steven J. "Steve" Fitzpatrick - Tyler
Appointment Date: November 20, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

C. Mark Remmert - Liberty Hill
Appointment Date: November 20, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Jesse E. Rider - Tyler
Appointment Date: November 20, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

William F. "Dub" Smith, III - Dripping Springs
Appointment Date: November 20, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

INFORMATION RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

Arthur C. Troilo, III - Lakeway
Appointment Date: November 14, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Douglas Carl Wilson - Pflugerville
Appointment Date: February 23, 2012
Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

INSURANCE, COMMISSIONER OF

Eleanor Lynne Kitzman - Austin
Appointment Date: August 15, 2011
Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

JEFFERSON AND ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF PILOT COMMISSIONERS

Martin E. Broussard - Beaumont
Appointment Date: October 1, 2012
Expiration Date: August 22, 2014

George W. Brown, III - Beaumont
Appointment Date: September 2, 2011
Expiration Date: August 22, 2013

Gerald "Ray" Callas, M.D. - Beaumont

Appointment Date: October 1, 2012

Expiration Date: August 22, 2014

Russell S. Covington - Orange

Appointment Date: September 2, 2011

Expiration Date: August 22, 2013

William F. Scott - Nederland

Appointment Date: September 2, 2011

Expiration Date: August 22, 2013

JUDGE, 230TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, HARRIS COUNTY

Bradley S. "Brad" Hart - Humble

Appointment Date: January 7, 2013

Expiration Date:

JUDGE, 234TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, HARRIS COUNTY

Wesley R. Ward - Houston

Appointment Date: November 14, 2012

Expiration Date:

JUDICIAL CONDUCT, STATE COMMISSION ON

Valerie E. Ertz - Dallas

Appointment Date: November 19, 2011

Expiration Date: November 19, 2017

Patti Hutton Johnson - Canyon Lake

Appointment Date: November 19, 2011

Expiration Date: November 19, 2017

JUDICIAL COUNCIL, TEXAS

Ashley Johnson - Dallas

Appointment Date: August 3, 2011

Expiration Date: June 30, 2017

Virgil Justice - Kerrville

Appointment Date: August 3, 2011

Expiration Date: June 30, 2017

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Jeffrey S. Boyd - Austin

Appointment Date: December 3, 2012

Expiration Date:

JUVENILE JUSTICE BOARD, TEXAS

John A. Brieden, III - Brenham

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Joseph D. Brown - Sherman

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Carol Lynn Villarreal Bush - Waxahachie

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Scott W. Fisher - Bedford

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Jane Anderson King - Canyon

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Michael F. Meade - Simonton

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Mary Lou Mendoza - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Rene Luis Olvera, M.D. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Laura Lee Parker - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

James R. "Jimmy" Smith - Midland

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Calvin Wayne Stephens - Dallas

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Melissa Ann Weiss - Bellville

Appointment Date: November 7, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

LAVACA-NAVIDAD RIVER AUTHORITY

Glenn T. Martin - Edna

Appointment Date: October 1, 2012

Expiration Date: May 1, 2013

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER STANDARDS AND EDUCATION,
COMMISSION ON

Patricia Scheckel "Patt" Hollingsworth - Arlington

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: August 30, 2017

Ronald E. "Ron" Hood - Dripping Springs

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: August 30, 2017

James Neil Oakley - Spicewood
Appointment Date: September 26, 2011
Expiration Date: August 30, 2017

LEASE OF TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE LANDS, BOARD FOR

Wesley David Lloyd - Waco
Appointment Date: September 26, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

LEASE OF TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE LANDS, BOARD FOR

Wesley David Lloyd - Waco
Appointment Date: September 26, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES COMMISSION, TEXAS STATE

Sharon T. Carr - Katy
Appointment Date: May 9, 2012
Expiration Date: September 28, 2017

Fenton Lynwood Givens, Ph.D. - Plano

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012
Expiration Date: September 28, 2017

LOTTERY COMMISSION, TEXAS

Cynthia Tauss - League City
Appointment Date: September 26, 2011
Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL COMPACT COMMISSION

Richard H. Dolgener - Andrews
Appointment Date: September 12, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2015

Eric J. Doyal - Houston
Appointment Date: September 12, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

Milton B. Lee, II - San Antonio
Appointment Date: September 12, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

Linda Kay L. Morris - Waco
Appointment Date: September 12, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2015

John Matthew Salsman - College Station
Appointment Date: September 12, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Robert C. "Bob" Wilson - Lockhart
Appointment Date: September 12, 2011
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

MANUFACTURED HOUSING BOARD

Bobby R. "Bob" McCarn - Port Lavaca

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2013

MEDICAL BOARD, TEXAS

Carlos L. Gallardo - Frisco

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: April 13, 2017

William R. "Roy" Smythe, M.D. - Belton

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: April 13, 2013

Tessa P. "Paulette" Southard - Alice

Appointment Date: January 23, 2012

Expiration Date: April 13, 2015

MIDWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Fenton Lynwood Givens, Ph.D. - Plano

Appointment Date: February 25, 2012

Expiration Date: February 25, 2018

Charles "Jeff" Gregg - Seymour

Appointment Date: February 25, 2012

Expiration Date: February 25, 2018

Samuel Molinar Sanchez - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: February 25, 2012

Expiration Date: February 25, 2018

MILITARY PREPAREDNESS COMMISSION, TEXAS

William A. "Bill" Heine, III - Austin

Appointment Date: May 2, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Dennis L. Lewis - Texarkana

Appointment Date: May 2, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

MOTOR VEHICLES BOARD, TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF

Robert S. "Barney" Barnwell, III - Magnolia

Appointment Date: June 6, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Raymond Palacios, Jr. - El Paso

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY BOARD OF DIRECTORS, TEXAS

Jay L. Eisen - Beaumont

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: July 1, 2017

Delia M. Reyes - Dallas

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: July 1, 2017

John D. Swanson - Frisco

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: July 1, 2017

NECHES RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
UPPER

Milton Phillip "Phil" Jenkins - Palestine

Appointment Date: November 21, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

NECHES VALLEY AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LOWER

Matthew McDade "Dade" Phelan - Beaumont

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: July 28, 2017

Jordan W. Reese, IV - Beaumont

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: July 28, 2017

James Olan Webb - Silsbee

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: July 28, 2017

NONRESIDENT VIOLATOR COMPACT ADMINISTRATOR

Rebecca Lynn Davio, Ph.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: August 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

NORTH TEXAS TOLLWAY AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

William D. "Bill" Elliott - Ravenna

Appointment Date: February 3, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2013

NURSING, TEXAS BOARD OF

Nina Almasy - Austin

Appointment Date: December 21, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2013

Shelby H. Ellzey - Midlothian

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2015

ONE-CALL BOARD OF TEXAS

Dean D. Bernal - Lakeway

Appointment Date: August 31, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2015

Julio Cerda - Mission

Appointment Date: August 31, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2015

Joseph W. "Joe" Costa - Allen

Appointment Date: December 12, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2014

Jason Eric Hartgraves - Frisco

Appointment Date: August 31, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2015

Rodney Jay Unruh - Spring Branch

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2014

Janie Lou Walenta - Quitman

Appointment Date: August 31, 2012

Expiration Date: August 31, 2015

James B. "Jim" Wynn - Midland

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2014

Jay S. Zeidman - Houston

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2014

PARDONS AND PAROLES, BOARD OF

James Wayne LaFavers - Amarillo

Appointment Date: July 1, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Michelle Marie Skyrme - Palestine

Appointment Date: July 1, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

PARKS AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION

Bill Jones - Austin

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

PECOS RIVER COMPACT COMMISSIONER

Frederic "Rick" Tate - Marfa

Appointment Date: August 15, 2012

Expiration Date: January 23, 2017

PHARMACY, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Alice G. Mendoza - Kingsville

Appointment Date: August 31, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Phyllis A. Stine - Abilene

Appointment Date: August 31, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Jeanne D. Waggener - Waco

Appointment Date: August 31, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT BOARD, TEXAS

Reginald C. Baptiste, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: October 20, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Linda Lou Contreras - Allen

Appointment Date: August 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

James A. Endicott, Jr. - Harker Heights

Appointment Date: October 20, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Michael D. "Mike" Reis, M.D. - Woodway

Appointment Date: November 9, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

PLUMBING EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Enrique Castro - El Paso

Appointment Date: September 5, 2011

Expiration Date: September 5, 2017

Janet L. Gallagher - Pflugerville

Appointment Date: September 5, 2011

Expiration Date: September 5, 2017

Ricardo Jose Guerra - Austin

Appointment Date: September 5, 2011

Expiration Date: September 5, 2017

PODIATRIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Brian Bradford Carpenter, D.P.M. - Bridgeport

Appointment Date: August 24, 2011

Expiration Date: July 10, 2017

Fred E. Davis - Austin

Appointment Date: August 24, 2011

Expiration Date: July 10, 2017

Travis A. Motley, D.P.M. - Colleyville

Appointment Date: August 24, 2011

Expiration Date: July 10, 2017

PRESIDING JUDGE, FOURTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Homer "David" Peebles - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 19, 2012

Expiration Date: November 25, 2016

PRESIDING JUDGE, NINTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Kelly G. Moore - Brownfield

Appointment Date: November 19, 2012

Expiration Date: November 28, 2016

PRESIDING JUDGE, SIXTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Stephen B. Ables - Kerrville

Appointment Date: November 19, 2012

Expiration Date: December 18, 2016

PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS INCUBATOR BOARD

Barry N. Williams - New Braunfels

Appointment Date: October 31, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

PSYCHOLOGISTS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF

Donna Lord Black - Fulshear

Appointment Date: February 1, 2012

Expiration Date: October 31, 2017

Jo Ann Campbell - Abilene

Appointment Date: February 1, 2012

Expiration Date: October 31, 2017

John Robert Huffman - Southlake

Appointment Date: June 28, 2012

Expiration Date: October 31, 2017

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION

Ada E. Brown - Plano

Appointment Date: December 31, 2011

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

John Randall "Randy" Watson - Burleson

Appointment Date: December 27, 2012

Expiration Date: January 1, 2018

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

Kenneth W. Anderson, Jr. - Dallas

Appointment Date: September 17, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Rolando B. Pablos - Olmos Park

Appointment Date: September 17, 2011

Expiration Date: September 1, 2013

PURCHASING FROM PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, TEXAS COUNCIL ON

Michael "Kevin" Cloud - Austin

Appointment Date: August 15, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Glenn R. Hagler - Georgetown

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Dietrich M. von Biedenfeld - West Columbia

Appointment Date: April 24, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

RACING COMMISSION, TEXAS

Gary P. Aber, D.V.M. - Simonton

Appointment Date: May 15, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

John T. Steen, III - Houston

Appointment Date: October 3, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, TEXAS

Thomas John "T.J." Turner - Austin

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2015

RED RIVER AUTHORITY OF TEXAS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Nathan J. "Jim" Bell, IV - Paris

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: August 11, 2017

Montford T. "Monty" Johnson, III - Amarillo

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: August 11, 2017

Billy "Mayfield" McCraw, II - Telephone

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: August 11, 2017

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, CAMERON COUNTY

David Alex - Harlingen

Appointment Date: February 23, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, GRAYSON COUNTY

Will Rich "Bill" Hubbard, Jr. - Tioga

Appointment Date: February 23, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, HIDALGO COUNTY

Dennis Burluson - Mission

Appointment Date: February 28, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, NORTH EAST TEXAS

Linda Ryan Thomas - Longview

Appointment Date: February 23, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

RETIREMENT SYSTEM, TEXAS COUNTY AND DISTRICT

Herman C. "Chuck" Cazalas - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: February 16, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

Dorye Kristeen "Kristy" Roe - Bryan

Appointment Date: February 16, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

RIO GRANDE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Troy C. Allen - Edcouch

Appointment Date: January 4, 2013

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Lance S. Neuhaus - Mercedes

Appointment Date: January 4, 2013

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

SABINE RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Stanley Noble Mathews - Orange

Appointment Date: September 2, 2011

Expiration Date: July 6, 2017

Clifford Ralph Todd - Carthage

Appointment Date: September 2, 2011

Expiration Date: July 6, 2017

SAN JACINTO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

John D. Eckstrum - Montgomery

Appointment Date: June 15, 2012

Expiration Date: October 16, 2017

Joseph L. "Joe" Stunja - Kingwood

Appointment Date: June 15, 2012

Expiration Date: October 16, 2017

SCHOOL LAND BOARD

Thomas "Tommy" Orr, Jr. - Houston

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: August 29, 2013

SCHOOL SAFETY CENTER BOARD, TEXAS

Dewey "Mike" Cox - Driftwood

Appointment Date: February 29, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Garry Edward Eoff - Brownwood

Appointment Date: February 29, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Daniel Fraine Gilliam - Victoria

Appointment Date: June 18, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Daniel Riley Griffith, II - Pflugerville

Appointment Date: February 29, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Jason Robert Marlin - Coppell

Appointment Date: February 29, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Dawn DuBose Randle - Houston

Appointment Date: February 29, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

SECRETARY OF STATE

John Thomas Steen, Jr. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 27, 2012

Expiration Date: January 20, 2015

SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT, GOVERNING BOARD OF THE OFFICE OF VIOLENT

Elizabeth C. "Christy" Jack - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: February 23, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Leonardo E. "Leo" Longoria - McAllen

Appointment Date: February 23, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

Daniel P. "Dan" Powers - Carrollton

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

SEX OFFENDER TREATMENT, COUNCIL ON

Elsie M. Allen - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: October 4, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2015

Terri L. Bauer - Richardson

Appointment Date: December 6, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Carol M. "Missy" Rainey - Keller

Appointment Date: January 4, 2013

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION BOARD, STATE

Larry D. Jacobs - Montgomery

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2014

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY, STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR

Patricia Elaine "Patty" Brannon - San Antonio

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Vickie B. Dionne, Au.D. - Nederland

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Sonya Nelda Salinas - Mission

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

STATE EMPLOYEE CHARITABLE CAMPAIGN POLICY COMMITTEE

Amy Susan Baillargeon - Austin

Appointment Date: August 22, 2012

Expiration Date: January 1, 2014

Gregory Scott "Greg" Davidson - Lexington

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012

Expiration Date: January 1, 2014

Steven Wroe Jackson - Austin

Appointment Date: December 7, 2012

Expiration Date: January 1, 2014

Louri Marie O'Leary - Austin

Appointment Date: May 9, 2012

Expiration Date: January 1, 2014

Diane B. Smith - Cedar Park

Appointment Date: January 4, 2013

Expiration Date: January 1, 2014

STATE-FEDERAL RELATIONS, DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF

Jason Kevin Patteson - Austin

Appointment Date: October 15, 2011

Expiration Date:

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Constance M. "Connie" Ware - Marshall

Appointment Date: October 6, 2011

Expiration Date: January 31, 2015

TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Thelma "Karen" Charleston - Houston

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Joe Colonna, Jr. - Dallas

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2013

R. David Kelly - Plano

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Anita Ann Smith Palmer - Wichita Falls

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Erik D. Salwen - Houston

Appointment Date: July 16, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

TEXAS STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Joe M. Gurecky - Rosenberg

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

John K. Hatchel - Woodway

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Joe K. Hearne - Dallas

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

William F. Scott - Nederland

Appointment Date: September 26, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

John Bryan Walker - Houston

Appointment Date: January 24, 2012

Expiration Date: January 31, 2015

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, TEXAS

Jeff Austin, III - Tyler

Appointment Date: October 20, 2011

Expiration Date: February 1, 2013

Jeffrey A. "Jeff" Moseley - Houston

Appointment Date: June 25, 2012

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

TRINITY RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Henry Borbolla, III - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: December 21, 2012

Expiration Date: March 15, 2013

Tommy G. Fordyce - Huntsville

Appointment Date: December 27, 2012

Expiration Date: March 15, 2013

Harold E. Jenkins - Irving

Appointment Date: March 14, 2012

Expiration Date: March 15, 2015

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Spencer D. Armour, III - Midland

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Roger Fleming Welder - Victoria

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

Welcome W. Wilson, Jr. - Houston

Appointment Date: September 1, 2011

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Ernest W. "Ernie" Kuehne, Jr. - Dallas

Appointment Date: January 4, 2013

Expiration Date: May 22, 2017

Donald Cullen Potts - Dallas

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: May 22, 2017

Alfredo "Al" Silva - San Antonio

Appointment Date: August 30, 2011

Expiration Date: May 22, 2017

VETERANS COMMISSION, TEXAS

John K. "Jake" Ellzey - Midlothian

Appointment Date: May 25, 2012

Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

Richard A. McLeon, IV - Victoria
Appointment Date: May 25, 2012
Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

VETERANS' LAND BOARD

Alan L. Johnson - Harlingen
Appointment Date: January 4, 2013
Expiration Date: December 29, 2016

VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS, STATE BOARD OF

Janie Allen Carpenter, D.V.M. - Garland
Appointment Date: September 6, 2011
Expiration Date: August 26, 2017

Joe Mac King, D.V.M. - Dallas
Appointment Date: September 6, 2011
Expiration Date: August 26, 2017

Mamie Salazar-Harper - El Paso
Appointment Date: February 28, 2012
Expiration Date: August 26, 2015

Chad Michael Upham - Boerne
Appointment Date: September 6, 2011
Expiration Date: August 26, 2017

WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD, TEXAS

Lewis McMahan - Dallas
Appointment Date: June 11, 2012
Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

Fredrick A. "Rick" Rylander - Iraan
Appointment Date: June 11, 2012
Expiration Date: December 31, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Rick Perry

Governor

MESSAGES FROM THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

The following Messages from the Supreme Court of Texas were read and were referred to the Committee on Nominations:

THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

June 7, 2011

The Honorable David Dewhurst
Lieutenant Governor of Texas
Capitol Station
P. O. Box 12068
Austin, Texas 78711

Dear Lieutenant Governor Dewhurst:

Since adjournment of the 82nd Texas Legislature, the Supreme Court of Texas has made the following appointments to the State Bar of Texas Board of Directors that require the advice and consent of the Senate:

Eliseo Ruiz, Jr., Ph.D., Los Fresnos, Texas

Timothy Kelly, Austin, Texas

Dr. Ruiz was appointed on June 6, 2011, to a term of three years, which will expire on June 30, 2014. Dr. Ruiz succeeds Pamela Gilbert.

Mr. Kelly was appointed on June 6, 2011, to a term of three years, which will expire on June 30, 2014. Mr. Kelly succeeds John Hatchel.

The Supreme Court of Texas respectfully requests the consent and confirmation of the Senate for each of these appointments.

Sincerely,

/s/Wallace B. Jefferson
Chief Justice

THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

January 11, 2013

The Honorable David Dewhurst
Lieutenant Governor of Texas
Capitol Station
P. O. Box 12068
Austin, Texas 78711

Dear Lieutenant Governor Dewhurst:

Since adjournment of the 82nd Legislature, the Supreme Court of Texas has made the following appointments that require the advice and consent of the Senate:

Board of Directors of the State Bar of Texas

Dr. David Teuscher, Beaumont, Texas

David Alders, Nacogdoches, Texas

Dr. Teuscher was appointed May 14, 2012, to a term of three years, which will expire June 30, 2015. Dr. Teuscher succeeds Timothy Belton.

Mr. Alders was appointed August 14, 2012, to a term of three years, which will expire June 30, 2015. Mr. Alders succeeds Annette Raggette.

State Commission on Judicial Conduct

Hon. Joel Baker, Tyler, Texas

Judge Baker was reappointed December 11, 2012, to a term of six years, which will expire November 19, 2017.

The Supreme Court of Texas respectfully requests the consent and confirmation of the Senate for each of these appointments.

Sincerely,

/s/Wallace B. Jefferson
Chief Justice

MESSAGE FROM THE STATE BAR OF TEXAS

The following Message from the State Bar of Texas was read and was referred to the Committee on Nominations:

STATE BAR OF TEXAS
November 26, 2012

TO THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION:

I ask the advice, consent and confirmation of the Senate with respect to the following appointment:

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT for a term to expire October 31, 2017:

Ricky A. Raven
Thompson & Knight, LLP
333 Clay St., Ste 3300
Houston, TX 77002-4499

Mr. Raven was appointed on January 20, 2012 by then President Bob Black for a term beginning January 20, 2012 through October 31, 2017. Mr. Raven replaces Jorge Rangel, of Corpus Christi, whose term expired November 19, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Buck Files
President

SENATE RESOLUTION 20

Senator Nelson offered the following resolution:

SR 20, Recognizing January 20, 2013, through January 26, 2013, as Texas Nurse Anesthetists Week.

The resolution was read and was adopted without objection.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator Nelson was recognized and introduced to the Senate a Texas Association of Nurse Anesthetists delegation.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator Schwertner was recognized and introduced to the Senate a Grimes County delegation including members of the Navasota High School Rattlers football team.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator Van de Putte was recognized and introduced to the Senate recipients of the Texas Historical Commission's Texas Treasure Business Award.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

RESOLUTION SIGNED

The President announced the signing of the following enrolled resolution in the presence of the Senate: **SCR 5**.

STANDING COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The President announced the appointment of the following committees for the 83rd Legislature:

ADMINISTRATION

Eltife, Chair; Uresti, Vice-chair; Carona, Hancock, Whitmire, Williams, Zaffirini.

AGRICULTURE, RURAL AFFAIRS AND HOMELAND SECURITY

Estes, Chair; Uresti, Vice-chair; Hegar, Hinojosa, Schwertner.

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Carona, Chair; Taylor, Vice-chair; Eltife, Estes, Hancock, Lucio, Van de Putte, Watson, Whitmire.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Whitmire, Chair; Huffman, Vice-chair; Carona, Hinojosa, Patrick, Rodríguez, Schwertner.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Deuell, Chair; Hancock, Vice-chair; Birdwell, Davis, Eltife, Fraser, Watson.

EDUCATION

Patrick, Chair; Lucio, Vice-chair; Campbell, Duncan, Paxton, Seliger, Taylor, Van de Putte, West.

FINANCE

Williams, Chair; Hinojosa, Vice-chair; Deuell, Duncan, Eltife, Estes, Hegar, Huffman, Lucio, Nelson, Patrick, Seliger, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Zaffirini, Chair; Schwertner, Vice-chair; Birdwell, Paxton, Rodríguez, Taylor.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Nelson, Chair; Deuell, Vice-chair; Huffman, Nichols, Schwertner, Taylor, Uresti, West, Zaffirini.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Seliger, Chair; Watson, Vice-chair; Birdwell, Duncan, Patrick, West, Zaffirini.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Hinojosa, Chair; Nichols, Vice-chair; Paxton, Taylor.

JURISPRUDENCE

West, Chair; Rodríguez, Vice-chair; Campbell, Carona, Hancock, Paxton.

NATURAL RESOURCES

Fraser, Chair; Estes, Vice-chair; Deuell, Duncan, Ellis, Eltife, Hegar, Hinojosa, Nichols, Seliger, Uresti.

NOMINATIONS

Hegar, Chair; Campbell, Vice-chair; Carona, Fraser, Nelson, Watson.

OPEN GOVERNMENT

Ellis, Chair; Davis, Vice-chair; Nelson, Seliger, Williams.

STATE AFFAIRS

Duncan, Chair; Deuell, Vice-chair; Ellis, Fraser, Huffman, Lucio, Nichols, Van de Putte, Williams.

TRANSPORTATION

Nichols, Chair; Paxton, Vice-chair; Campbell, Davis, Ellis, Hancock, Patrick, Uresti, Watson.

VETERAN AFFAIRS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

Van de Putte, Chair; Birdwell, Vice-chair; Campbell, Davis, Rodríguez.

SENATE RESOLUTION 36

Senator Whitmire offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Under the provisions of Article III, Section 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Senators elected after each apportionment shall be divided into two classes, the seats of the Senators of the first class to be vacated at the expiration of the first two years, and the seats of those of the second class to be vacated at the expiration of four years; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate of the 83rd Texas Legislature, That the Senate shall draw lots as provided by this resolution; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the drawing of lots shall be conducted as follows:

(1) The Lieutenant Governor shall appoint a committee of five Senators to supervise, direct, and verify all matters relating to the preparation of the slips and envelopes and the drawing of the envelopes as provided by this resolution;

(2) The Secretary of the Senate shall prepare 31 slips of paper of uniform size and appearance and number the slips of paper sequentially from 1 to 31;

(3) The Secretary of the Senate, under the supervision of the committee, shall place each of the slips of paper in a separate capsule, each of the capsules to be of uniform size and appearance, and shall then place each of the capsules in a separate envelope and seal the envelope, each of the envelopes to be of uniform size and appearance, and then place the 31 envelopes, each containing one of the capsules and slips of paper, in a suitable receptacle;

(4) At a time and on a day determined by the President in open session of the Senate, the drawing of the envelopes shall be conducted under the supervision of the committee in the following manner:

(A) The receptacle containing the sealed envelopes shall be placed on a suitable table or desk at the front of the Senate Chamber; and

(B) The Secretary of the Senate shall call the names of the Senators in alphabetical order, and as the name of each Senator is called, that Senator shall withdraw from the receptacle one envelope, which shall then be immediately opened and the number appearing on the slip of paper in the envelope recorded after that Senator's name on a suitable register prepared by the secretary;

(5) Any Senator who is unable to attend the drawing shall designate in writing another Senator to draw an envelope in the place of the absent Senator; in the event any Member of the Senate is absent and has failed to designate another Senator to act for the absent Senator in the drawing, the Secretary of the Senate shall draw an envelope for the absent Senator;

(6) The Secretary of the Senate shall, after all of the Senators have drawn their respective envelopes, draw an envelope for each Senate district for which a vacancy exists at the time of the drawing; and the number drawn for each such district shall determine the expiration of the term of office for that district in the same manner as if a Senator were representing the district; and

(7) The 15 Senate districts for which slips with even numbers were drawn shall constitute the first class and the term of Senators representing those districts shall terminate at the expiration of two years; and the 16 Senate districts for which slips with odd numbers were drawn shall constitute the second class, and those terms of office shall terminate at the expiration of four years.

SR 36 was read and was adopted by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED FOR DRAWING FOR TERMS OF OFFICE

The President appointed the following committee to supervise and direct the preparation of the slips, capsules, and envelopes for the drawing for terms of office: Senators Eltife, Chair; Campbell, West, Whitmire, and Williams.

AT EASE

The President at 11:25 a.m. announced the Senate would stand At Ease subject to the call of the Chair.

IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The President at 11:40 a.m. called the Senate to order as In Legislative Session.

DRAWING FOR TERMS OF OFFICE

The President at 11:41 a.m. announced that the time had arrived for the drawing for terms of office by the Senators, pursuant to the provisions of **SR 36**.

Senator Eltife reported that the slips, capsules, and envelopes had been prepared by the Secretary of the Senate as directed.

The roll was called and the Members drew for terms of office with the results announced as follows:

Birdwell, District 22, drew No. 1, four-year term.

Campbell, District 25, drew No. 20, two-year term.

Carona, District 16, drew No. 2, two-year term.

Davis, District 10, drew No. 28, two-year term.

Deuell, District 2, drew No. 12, two-year term.
 Duncan, District 28, drew No. 15, four-year term.
 Ellis, District 13, drew No. 25, four-year term.
 Eltife, District 1, drew No. 17, four-year term.
 Estes, District 30, drew No. 18, two-year term.
 Fraser, District 24, drew No. 29, four-year term.
 Hancock, District 9, drew No. 6, two-year term.
 Hegar, District 18, drew No. 11, four-year term.
 Hinojosa, District 20, drew No. 13, four-year term.
 Huffman, District 17, drew No. 16, two-year term.
 Lucio, District 27, drew No. 9, four-year term.
 Nelson, District 12, drew No. 27, four-year term.
 Nichols, District 3, drew No. 4, two-year term.
 Patrick, District 7, drew No. 24, two-year term.
 Paxton, District 8, drew No. 26, two-year term.
 Rodríguez, District 29, drew No. 7, four-year term.
 Schwertner, District 5, drew No. 8, two-year term.
 Seliger, District 31, drew No. 10, two-year term.
 Taylor, District 11, drew No. 21, four-year term.
 Uresti, District 19, drew No. 5, four-year term.
 Van de Putte, District 26, drew No. 31, four-year term.
 Watson, District 14, drew No. 14, two-year term.
 West, District 23, drew No. 22, two-year term.
 Whitmire, District 15, drew No. 30, two-year term.
 Williams, District 4, drew No. 19, four-year term.
 Zaffirini, District 21, drew No. 3, four-year term.
 Senate District 6, No. 23, four-year term.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 7

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Section 17, Article III, Texas Constitution, provides that neither house of the legislature may adjourn for more than three days without the consent of the other house; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the 83rd Legislature of the State of Texas, That each house grant the other permission to adjourn for more than three days during the period beginning on Wednesday, January 23, 2013, and ending on Monday, January 28, 2013.

WHITMIRE

SCR 7 was read.

On motion of Senator Whitmire, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

The following bills and resolution were introduced, read first time, and referred to the committees indicated:

SB 1 by Williams
General Appropriations Bill.
To Committee on Finance.

SB 234 by Eltife
Relating to the creation, purpose, implementation, and funding of the County Park Beautification and Improvement Program.
To Committee on Administration.

SJR 21 by Eltife
Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to appropriations for the preservation and perpetuation of certain items of historical value; allowing the legislature and state agencies to accept on behalf of the state gifts of items of historical value and contributions to purchase such items.
To Committee on Administration.

**SENATE RULES SUSPENDED
(Posting Rules)**

On motion of Senator Williams and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Finance might meet and consider **SB 1** today.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 10

On motion of Senator Patrick, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SJR 10**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 7

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Patrick will be shown as Co-author of **SB 7**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 8

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Patrick will be shown as Co-author of **SB 8**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 56

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 56**.

CO-AUTHORS OF SENATE BILL 61

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senators Hinojosa and Schwertner will be shown as Co-authors of **SB 61**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 101

On motion of Senator Patrick, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 101**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 126

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 126**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 143

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 143**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 149

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 149**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 150

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 150**.

CO-AUTHORS OF SENATE BILL 151

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senators Campbell, Carona, and Schwertner will be shown as Co-authors of **SB 151**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 162

On motion of Senator Van de Putte, Senator Hinojosa will be shown as Co-author of **SB 162**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 166

On motion of Senator Deuell, Senator Schwertner will be shown as Co-author of **SB 166**.

RESOLUTIONS OF RECOGNITION

The following resolutions were adopted by the Senate:

Memorial Resolutions

SR 12 by Davis, In memory of Christopher Barry of Dallas.

SR 14 by Zaffirini, In memory of Thomas Lynnwood Clark.

SR 15 by Van de Putte, In memory of Arnold Flores of San Antonio.

SR 16 by Watson, In memory of Montgomery Blackwell "Monte" Noelke, Jr., of Mertzon.

SR 17 by Watson, In memory of Beryl Bolton McCarroll Pickle of Austin.

SR 21 by Fraser and Taylor, In memory of Charles "Hong Kong" Winters Wilson.

SR 23 by Davis, In memory of Justice C. Anderson of Fort Worth.

SR 25 by Davis, In memory of James Andrew Bridges of Mansfield.

SR 26 by Davis, In memory of Ruth Carter Stevenson of Fort Worth.

Welcome and Congratulatory Resolutions

SR 13 by Davis, Recognizing The Potter's House of Fort Worth on the occasion of its grand opening.

SR 19 by Van de Putte, Commending Lana Duke of San Antonio on the occasion of the Concord Plaza Ruth's Chris Steak House's 20th anniversary.

SR 24 by Davis, Recognizing Gene Buinger on the occasion of his retirement.

SR 27 by Van de Putte, Recognizing the recipients of the Texas Treasure Business Award.

SR 29 by Schwertner, Recognizing the participants in the Tall XIII class of the Texas Agricultural Lifetime Leadership program.

SR 30 by Williams, Recognizing Cindy Sill on the occasion of her retirement from Tri-County Services.

SR 31 by Schwertner, Congratulating the C. H. Yoe High School Yoemen football team from Cameron for winning a state championship title.

SR 32 by Schwertner, Congratulating the Navasota High School Rattlers football team for winning a state championship title.

SR 33 by Campbell, Recognizing the greater San Antonio area recipients of the Texas Treasure Business Award.

SR 35 by West, Recognizing Ronald E. Jones on the occasion of his installation as senior pastor of New Hope Baptist Church in Dallas.

SR 38 by Birdwell, Welcoming the members of Leadership Cleburne to the State Capitol.

SR 39 by Davis, Recognizing the Fort Worth Police Department and the Islamic Speakers Bureau of Dallas-Fort Worth for organizing the Candles for Connecticut service.

Official Designation Resolutions

SR 28 by Schwertner, Recognizing January 23, 2013, as Grimes County Day at the State Capitol.

SR 40 by Nichols, Recognizing February 7, 2013, as Lufkin-Angelina County Day at the Capitol.

SR 41 by Nichols, Recognizing February 20 and 21, 2013, as Nacogdoches-SFA Days at the State Capitol.

SR 42 by Nichols, Recognizing February 12, 2013, as Athens Day at the State Capitol.

SR 43 by Nichols, Recognizing February 6 and 7, 2013, as Palestine Day at the State Capitol.

SR 44 by Nichols, Recognizing February 5, 2013, as Cedar Creek Lake Day at the State Capitol.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Whitmire, the Senate at 12:07 p.m. adjourned, in memory of Sylvia Rodriguez, until 2:00 p.m. Monday, January 28, 2013.

APPENDIX

RESOLUTIONS ENROLLED

January 15, 2013

SCR 5, SR 10, SR 11