

SENATE JOURNAL

EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE — REGULAR SESSION

AUSTIN, TEXAS

PROCEEDINGS

FOURTH DAY

(Monday, January 23, 2017)

The Senate met at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Burton, Campbell, Creighton, Estes, Garcia, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffines, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Perry, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor of Galveston, Taylor of Collin, Uresti, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

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

Pastor Lisa Blaylock, University United Methodist Church, Austin, offered the invocation as follows:

God of life, You have called us according to Your purpose. Guide our steps as we seek to live out Your calling to serve others and to make a difference in this world, whether big or small. I pray this day for the Texas Senate and the work they will do together. I lift up to You each Member of this Senate, the Lieutenant Governor, and every person who serves this Senate body in some way. Bless each person in this room today. Fill them with Your peace. Surround them with Your love. Holy God, when they are afraid, give them courage. When they are weary, strength. When they have had enough, give them the will to press on. When they become proud, humble them. In the successes and failures of creating bills and resolutions, bind these women and men together in common cause. Guide them in their work as they care for the people and the land of the State of Texas. May their minds be clear, their hearts be pure, and their actions be just. In the name of the one who came to bring peace. 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.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following Messages from the Governor were read and were referred to the Committee on Nominations:

January 13, 2017

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

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

ACCOUNTANCY, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC

Ross T. Johnson - Houston

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Timothy L. "Tim" LaFrey - Austin

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Alice Roselyn E. "Rosie" Morris, Ph.D. - San Marcos

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Benjamin "Ben" Peña - Mission

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Kimberly E. Wilkerson - Lubbock

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

ACUPUNCTURE EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Suehing Woo Yee "Sue" Chiang - Sugar Land

Appointment Date: May 12, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Jeremy D. Wiseman, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: November 29, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

ADJUTANT GENERAL OF TEXAS

John F. Nichols - Spring Branch

Appointment Date: March 17, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE, CHIEF

Lesli G. Ginn - Austin

Appointment Date: May 18, 2016

Expiration Date: May 15, 2018

ANGELINA AND NECHES RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Dale G. Morton - Nacogdoches

Appointment Date: November 10, 2016

Expiration Date: September 5, 2021

John M. "Skip" Ogle - Tyler

Appointment Date: November 10, 2016

Expiration Date: September 5, 2021

Francis G. Spruiell - Center

Appointment Date: November 10, 2016

Expiration Date: September 5, 2021

ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION, TEXAS

James D. "Jim" Eggleston, Jr. - Weatherford

Appointment Date: March 8, 2016

Expiration Date: September 6, 2021

Coleman H. Locke - Wharton

Appointment Date: March 8, 2016

Expiration Date: September 6, 2021

Stephen M. Selman - Woodway

Appointment Date: March 8, 2016

Expiration Date: September 6, 2021

Leo D. Vermedahl, Ph.D. - Dalhart

Appointment Date: March 8, 2016

Expiration Date: September 6, 2017

APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD, TEXAS

Clayton P. Black - Stanton

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Ray "Chance" Bolton - Bee Cave

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

James J. "Jim" Jeffries - Georgetown

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Martha Gayle Lynch - El Paso

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Tony F. Peña - Lubbock

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Alejandro "Alex" Sostre-Odio - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

Jamie L. Sanders Wickliffe - Midlothian

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

Joyce A. Yannuzzi - New Braunfels

Appointment Date: November 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS, TEXAS BOARD OF

Corbett "Chase" Bearden - Austin

Appointment Date: January 15, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Jennifer N. Walker - Lampasas

Appointment Date: January 15, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Robert S. "Bob" Wetmore - Austin

Appointment Date: January 15, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

AUTOMOBILE BURGLARY AND THEFT PREVENTION AUTHORITY

Thomas J. "Tommy" Hansen, Jr. - Hitchcock

Appointment Date: May 9, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Armin R. Mizani - Keller

Appointment Date: May 9, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED, GOVERNING BOARD OF THE TEXAS
SCHOOL FOR THE

Mary K. Alexander - Valley View

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Jose J. "Joseph" Muñiz - Harlingen

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Tobie L. Wortham - Rockwall

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

BRAZOS RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Russel D. "Rusty" Boles - Round Rock

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Cynthia A. Flores - Round Rock

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Charles R. "Rick" Huber, III - Granbury

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

James P. "Jim" Lattimore, Jr. - Graford

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Wesley D. Lloyd - Waco

Appointment Date: July 1, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

John Henry Luton - Granbury

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

William J. "Bill" Rankin - Brenham

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Jarrold D. Smith - Danbury

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Jeffrey S. "Jeff" Tallas - Sugar Land

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

William W. "Ford" Taylor, III - Waco

Appointment Date: November 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

CANADIAN RIVER COMPACT COMMISSIONER

Roger S. Cox - Amarillo

Appointment Date: May 4, 2016

Expiration Date: December 31, 2021

CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE AND STROKE, COUNCIL ON

Melbert C. "Bob" Hillert, Jr., M.D. - Dallas

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Sherron D. Meeks - Midland

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Shilpa Shamapant - Austin

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Harry "Kyle" Sheets, M.D. - Ovalo

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Maricela "Marcie" Gonzalez Wilson - Lakeway

Appointment Date: July 17, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS, TEXAS BOARD OF

Nicholas S. "Nick" Baucum, D.C. - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: August 11, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Mark R. Bronson, D.C. - Aledo

Appointment Date: August 11, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Michael P. Henry, D.C. - Austin

Appointment Date: November 22, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Gustabo "Gus" Ramirez - Tyler

Appointment Date: August 11, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

CIVIL COMMITMENT OFFICE, GOVERNING BOARD OF THE TEXAS

Jose L. Aliseda, Jr. - Beeville

Appointment Date: March 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Roberto "Robert" Dominguez - Elsa

Appointment Date: March 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Rona K. Stratton Gouyton - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: March 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Elizabeth C. "Christy" Jack - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: March 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Kathryn E. "Katie" McClure - Kingwood

Appointment Date: March 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

COASTAL WATER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Alan D. Conner - Dayton

Appointment Date: December 13, 2016

Expiration Date: April 1, 2018

Thomas A. "Tom" Reiser - Houston

Appointment Date: November 16, 2015

Expiration Date: April 1, 2017

Douglas E. "Doug" Walker - Beach City

Appointment Date: November 16, 2015

Expiration Date: April 1, 2017

COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY, LOWER

Stephen F. "Steve" Cooper - El Campo

Appointment Date: December 4, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

COUNSELORS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PROFESSIONAL

Loretta J. Bradley, Ph.D. - Lubbock

Appointment Date: December 9, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Brenda S. Compagnone - San Antonio

Appointment Date: December 9, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Christopher S. Taylor - Dallas

Appointment Date: December 9, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

COUNTY AND DISTRICT RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES,
TEXAS

Charles C. "Chris" Davis - Alto

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: December 31, 2021

Deborah M. Hunt - Georgetown

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: December 31, 2021

William M. "Bill" Metzger - Sunnyvale

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: December 31, 2021

CREDIT UNION COMMISSION

Yusuf E. Farran - El Paso

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 15, 2021

Wesley "Steve" Gilman - Fulshear

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 15, 2021

Julia R. "Beckie" Stockstill Cobb - Deer Park

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 15, 2021

CRIME STOPPERS COUNCIL, TEXAS

Joseph "Joe" Martino - Marshall

Appointment Date: September 1, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2020

Gregory F. "Greg" New - Waxahachie

Appointment Date: September 1, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2020

Jeffrey B. "J.B." Smith - Lufkin
Appointment Date: October 20, 2015
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Steven W. "Steve" Squier - Cleveland
Appointment Date: September 1, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2020

CRIMINAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DALLAS COUNTY

Faith S. Johnson - Cedar Hill
Appointment Date: December 6, 2016
Expiration Date: December 31, 2018

CRIMINAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY, KENDALL COUNTY

Nicole S. Bishop - Boerne
Appointment Date: January 1, 2017
Expiration Date: December 31, 2018

CRIMINAL JUSTICE, TEXAS BOARD OF

Tommy G. "Tom" Fordyce - Whitsett
Appointment Date: August 26, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Derrelynn Perryman Sperberg - Fort Worth
Appointment Date: August 26, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Jesse W. "Dale" Wainwright - Austin
Appointment Date: August 26, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

DEAF, GOVERNING BOARD OF THE TEXAS SCHOOL FOR THE

Ryan D. Hutchison - Austin
Appointment Date: November 6, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

David A. Saunders - Waxahachie
Appointment Date: November 6, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

DENTAL EXAMINERS, STATE BOARD OF

Renee S. Cornett - Austin
Appointment Date: March 31, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Diane M. Garza, Ph.D. - Brownsville
Appointment Date: March 31, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Bryan N. Henderson, II, D.D.S. - Dallas
Appointment Date: March 31, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Jorge E. Quirch, D.D.S. - Missouri City

Appointment Date: March 31, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Michael D. "David" Tillman, D.D.S. - Aledo

Appointment Date: March 31, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Richard D. "Rich" Villa - Austin

Appointment Date: March 31, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

DIABETES COUNCIL, TEXAS

Joan P. Colgin - Dallas

Appointment Date: March 2, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Kathy Ann LaCivita, M.D. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: March 2, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Aida "Letty" Moreno-Brown - El Paso

Appointment Date: March 2, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

William "David" Sanders - Dallas

Appointment Date: March 2, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, TEXAS

Marcus R. "Mark" Griffin - Lubbock

Appointment Date: November 13, 2015

Expiration Date:

Stephen C. "Steve" Head, Ph.D. - The Woodlands

Appointment Date: November 13, 2015

Expiration Date:

Alejandro G. "Alex" Meade, III - Mission

Appointment Date: November 13, 2015

Expiration Date:

Michael W. "Mike" Rollins - Austin

Appointment Date: November 13, 2015

Expiration Date:

Nancy C. Windham - Nacogdoches

Appointment Date: November 13, 2015

Expiration Date:

Sanjiv Yajnik - Dallas

Appointment Date: November 13, 2015

Expiration Date:

EDUCATION CHAIR, STATE BOARD OF

Donna M. Bahorich - Houston

Appointment Date: June 18, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

EDUCATION, STATE COMMISSIONER OF

Michael H. "Mike" Morath - Dallas

Appointment Date: January 1, 2016

Expiration Date: January 15, 2019

EDUCATOR CERTIFICATION, STATE BOARD FOR

Rohanna Brooks-Sykes - Spring

Appointment Date: July 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Arturo J. "Art" Cavazos, Ed.D. - Harlingen

Appointment Date: July 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Tommy L. Coleman - Livingston

Appointment Date: November 14, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Sandra A. "Sandie" Mullins Moger - Houston

Appointment Date: July 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Laurie J. Turner, Ed.D. - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: July 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS, COMMISSION ON STATE

William H. "Bill" Buchholtz, (Ret.) - San Antonio

Appointment Date: July 13, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

Ernestine M. Robles - Garden Ridge

Appointment Date: July 13, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

EMERGENCY SERVICES RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES,
TEXAS

Courtney G. Bechtol - Rockport

Appointment Date: December 7, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

Virginia K. "Jenny" Moore - Lake Jackson

Appointment Date: December 7, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

Pilar Rodriguez - Edinburg

Appointment Date: December 7, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

ENGINEERS, TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL

Lamberto J. "Bobby" Balli - San Antonio

Appointment Date: May 13, 2016

Expiration Date: September 26, 2021

Albert L. Cheng - Houston

Appointment Date: May 13, 2016

Expiration Date: September 26, 2021

Catherine H. "Cathy" Norwood - Midland

Appointment Date: May 13, 2016

Expiration Date: September 26, 2021

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, TEXAS COMMISSION ON

Jonathan K. "Jon" Niermann - Austin

Appointment Date: September 10, 2015

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

FACILITIES COMMISSION, TEXAS

Patti C. Jones - Lubbock

Appointment Date: September 29, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Robert D. Thomas - Austin

Appointment Date: September 29, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

FARM AND RANCH LANDS CONSERVATION COUNCIL, TEXAS

Leslie L.W. Kinsel - Cotulla

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Natalie C. Koehler - Clifton

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

FINANCE COMMISSION OF TEXAS

Robert I. "Bob" Borochoff - Houston

Appointment Date: February 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2022

Hector J. Cerna - Eagle Pass

Appointment Date: December 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2020

Margaret M. "Molly" Curl - Richardson

Appointment Date: February 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2022

Phillip A. Holt - Bonham

Appointment Date: February 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2022

Matthew C. "Matt" Moore - Amarillo
Appointment Date: February 23, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2022

Vincent E. "Vince" Puente, Sr. - Fort Worth
Appointment Date: August 25, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

FIRE PROTECTION, TEXAS COMMISSION ON
Carl "Tommy" Anderson - Santa Fe
Appointment Date: August 5, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Carlos Cortez, Jr. - Harlingen
Appointment Date: August 5, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Kelly E. Doster - Frisco
Appointment Date: August 5, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Michael P. "Mike" Jones - Round Rock
Appointment Date: August 5, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Robert L. Moore - Bryan
Appointment Date: August 5, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Steven C. "Steve" Tull - Valley Mills
Appointment Date: August 5, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION, TEXAS
Jeffrey J. Barnard, M.D. - Dallas
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Bruce Budowle, Ph.D. - North Richland Hills
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2018

Mark G. Daniel - Fort Worth
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Nancy R. Downing, Ph.D. - Bryan
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2018

Jasmine M. Drake, Ph.D. - Conroe
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2018

Sheree Robyn Hughes-Stamm, Ph.D. - Spring
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2018

Dennis P. "Pat" Johnson - Austin
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Sarah Kerrigan, Ph.D. - The Woodlands
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Jarvis J. Parsons - College Station
Appointment Date: November 28, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

GALVESTON COUNTY PORTS, BOARD OF PILOT COMMISSIONERS FOR
W. Bradshaw Boney - Galveston
Appointment Date: June 17, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Arden C. "Trey" Hill, III - Friendswood
Appointment Date: March 18, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2020

Kenneth R. "Kenny" Koncaba, Jr. - Friendswood
Appointment Date: June 17, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Kelly K. Lovell - Friendswood
Appointment Date: March 18, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2020

GEOSCIENTISTS, TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL
Lindsey L. Bradford - Edna
Appointment Date: April 12, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Bereket M. Derie, Ph.D. - Round Rock
Appointment Date: April 12, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Steven W. Fleming - Midland
Appointment Date: April 12, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

GUADALUPE RIVER AUTHORITY, UPPER
Aaron C. Bulkley - Hunt
Appointment Date: March 23, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Diane L. McMahon - Kerrville
Appointment Date: August 10, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

James "Wayne" Musgrove - Mountain Home

Appointment Date: August 10, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

William R. "Bill" Rector, M.D. - Kerrville

Appointment Date: October 26, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Blake W. Smith - Hunt

Appointment Date: August 10, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

GUADALUPE-BLANCO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ronald J. "Ron" Hermes - Seguin

Appointment Date: August 19, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Thomas O. "Tommy" Mathews, II - Boerne

Appointment Date: August 19, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Dennis L. Patillo - Victoria

Appointment Date: August 19, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

GULF COAST WASTE DISPOSAL AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Nancy C. Blackwell - Spring

Appointment Date: May 20, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2017

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER OF

Charles R. Smith, Jr. - Austin

Appointment Date: June 1, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

HEALTH COORDINATING COUNCIL, STATEWIDE

Carol A. M. Boswell, Ed.D. - Andrews

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2021

Salil V. Deshpande, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2019

Melinda A. Rodriguez, D.P.T - San Antonio

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2021

Larry E. Safir - McAllen

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2017

Courtney P. Sherman, D.N.P. - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2021

Shaukat A. Zakaria - Houston

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2021

Yasser F. Zeid, M.D. - Longview

Appointment Date: March 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 1, 2021

HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS, TEXAS

David A. "Dave" Allen, D.N.P. - San Antonio

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Paula E. Anthony-McMann, Ph.D. - Tyler

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Frederick Joel "Fred" Buckwold, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Shannon K. S. Calhoun - Goliad

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Brandon C. Charles, M.D. - Coppell

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

David C. Fleeger, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Matthew J. "Matt" Hamlin - Argyle

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Mark S. Lane, M.D. - Lampasas

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Andrew Lombardo - Harlingen

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Deborah G. "Debbie" Marino - San Antonio

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

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

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

Stephen "Steve" Yurco, M.D. - Austin

Appointment Date: June 21, 2016

Expiration Date: June 15, 2017

HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD, TEXAS

Arcilia C. Acosta - Dallas

Appointment Date: March 9, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2019

Syed "Javaid" Anwar - Midland

Appointment Date: March 9, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Ricky A. Raven - Sugar Land

Appointment Date: March 9, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Stuart W. Stedman - Houston

Appointment Date: March 9, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

HISTORICAL COMMISSION, TEXAS

Monica P. Burdette - Rockport

Appointment Date: October 31, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION, GOVERNING BOARD OF THE TEXAS

Alexander "Alex" Bunin - Houston

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Jon H. Burrows - Temple

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Richard A. Evans - Bandera

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

Don T. Hase - Arlington

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Mary K. "Missy" Medary - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: December 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

INFORMATION RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

Stuart A. Bernstein - Austin

Appointment Date: January 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Benjamin E. "Ben" Gatzke - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: October 20, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Linda I. Shaunessy - Austin

Appointment Date: January 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Rigoberto "Rigo" Villarreal - Mission

Appointment Date: January 15, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

INJURED EMPLOYEE PUBLIC COUNSEL

Jessica A. Corna - Austin

Appointment Date: April 4, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

INTERSTATE COMMISSION FOR ADULT OFFENDER SUPERVISION

Elizabeth C. "Libby" Elliott - Austin

Appointment Date: September 17, 2015

Expiration Date:

JAIL STANDARDS, COMMISSION ON

Esmaeil Porsa, M.D. - Murphy

Appointment Date: October 28, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Kelly S. Rowe - Lubbock

Appointment Date: October 28, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

William K. "Bill" Stoudt - Longview

Appointment Date: October 28, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

Dennis D. Wilson - Groesbeck

Appointment Date: October 28, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

JEFFERSON AND ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF PILOT COMMISSIONERS

James M. Scott - Beaumont

Appointment Date: February 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 22, 2017

Shawn M. Sparrow - Beaumont

Appointment Date: February 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 22, 2017

Milton B. "Brad" Taylor - Orange

Appointment Date: February 29, 2016

Expiration Date: August 22, 2017

JUDGE, 440TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, CORYELL COUNTY

Nolan "Grant" Kinsey - Gatesville

Appointment Date: January 1, 2017

Expiration Date: December 31, 2018

JUDGE, 451ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT, KENDALL COUNTY

William R. "Bill" Palmer, Jr. - Boerne

Appointment Date: January 1, 2017

Expiration Date: December 31, 2018

JUDICIAL COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Alejandro "Alex" Cestero - Houston

Appointment Date: September 13, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Scott J. Salmans - McGregor

Appointment Date: September 13, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

William M. "Bill" Strawn - Austin

Appointment Date: September 13, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

JUSTICE, FIFTH COURT OF APPEALS

Jason E. Boatright - Dallas

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: December 31, 2018

JUSTICE, SECOND COURT OF APPEALS

Mark T. Pittman - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: December 31, 2018

JUVENILE JUSTICE BOARD, TEXAS

Edeska Barnes, Jr. - Jasper

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Pama J. Hencerling - Victoria

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Lisa K. Jarrett - San Antonio

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Candace T. "Candy" Noble - Lucas

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Wesley C. "Wes" Ritchey - Dalhart
Appointment Date: January 6, 2017
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

LAND SURVEYING, TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL

James H. "Jim" Cheatham, IV - Aledo
Appointment Date: July 17, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

William D. "Davey" Edwards - Alvord
Appointment Date: July 17, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Andrew W. "Drew" Paxton - Lubbock
Appointment Date: July 17, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

LAVACA-NAVIDAD RIVER AUTHORITY

Sandra Y. "Sandy" Johs - La Ward
Appointment Date: July 29, 2015
Expiration Date: May 1, 2021

Ronald E. "Ronnie" Kubecka - Palacios
Appointment Date: July 29, 2015
Expiration Date: May 1, 2021

Scott H. Sachtleben - Ganado
Appointment Date: July 29, 2015
Expiration Date: May 1, 2021

LEASE OF TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE LANDS, BOARD FOR

Clifton E. "Cliff" Bickerstaff - Amarillo
Appointment Date: August 10, 2016
Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES COMMISSION, TEXAS STATE

Larry Gene Holt - College Station
Appointment Date: November 3, 2015
Expiration Date: September 28, 2021

Martha Wong, Ed.D. - Houston
Appointment Date: November 3, 2015
Expiration Date: September 28, 2021

LICENSING AND REGULATION, TEXAS COMMISSION OF

Mike Arismendez, Jr. - Littlefield
Appointment Date: May 18, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Helen L. Callier - Kingwood
Appointment Date: May 18, 2016
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Richard S. "Rick" Figueroa - Brenham

Appointment Date: May 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

LOTTERY COMMISSION, TEXAS

Carmen Arrieta-Candelaria - El Paso

Appointment Date: August 10, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Peggy A. Heeg - Houston

Appointment Date: August 10, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Douglas E. "Doug" Lowe - Palestine

Appointment Date: August 10, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Robert G. Rivera - Arlington

Appointment Date: August 10, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL COMPACT COMMISSION,
TEXAS

Richard H. Dolgener - Andrews

Appointment Date: August 17, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

Linda Kay L. Morris - Waco

Appointment Date: August 17, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

MANUFACTURED HOUSING BOARD

Ronald M. "Ronnie" Richards - Clear Lake Shores

Appointment Date: December 3, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Kiran K. Shah - Richmond

Appointment Date: December 3, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

Sheila M. Valles-Pankratz - Mission

Appointment Date: February 24, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF
EXAMINERS OF

Kenneth V. "Ken" Bateman, Jr., Ed.D. - Garland

Appointment Date: February 26, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Evelyn Husband Thompson - Houston

Appointment Date: February 26, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

MEDICAL BOARD, TEXAS

Michael E. Cokinos - Houston

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: April 13, 2021

Kandace B. Farmer, D.O. - Highland Village

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: April 13, 2021

Jeffrey L. Luna, M.D. - Livingston

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: April 13, 2021

LuAnn R. Morgan - Midland

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: April 13, 2021

Jayaram B. Naidu, M.D. - Odessa

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: April 13, 2021

Sherif Zaafran, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: April 13, 2021

MEDICAL RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY, TEXAS BOARD OF

Nicholas M. Beckmann, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Joe C. Chow - Dallas

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Jennifer C. Flanagan - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Anthony "Tony" Jaso - San Antonio

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Faraz Adil Khan, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Regan L. R. Landreth - Georgetown

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Melanie "Shannon" Lutz - Cypress

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Scott A. Morren - Anton

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Carol Waddell - West

Appointment Date: July 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

MIDWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Warren T. Ayres - Wichita Falls

Appointment Date: March 7, 2016

Expiration Date: February 25, 2022

Tiffany D. Burks - Grand Prairie

Appointment Date: March 7, 2016

Expiration Date: February 25, 2022

Shelley S. Sweatt, Ed.D. - Wichita Falls

Appointment Date: March 7, 2016

Expiration Date: February 25, 2022

MILITARY PREPAREDNESS COMMISSION, TEXAS

Carol Ann H. Bonds, Ph.D. - San Angelo

Appointment Date: November 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Darrell G. Coleman - Wichita Falls

Appointment Date: November 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Dennis L. Lewis - Texarkana

Appointment Date: April 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Kevin E. Pottinger, (Ret.) - Keller

Appointment Date: April 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Mike Sullivan - Kingwood

Appointment Date: April 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Shannalea G. Taylor - Del Rio

Appointment Date: April 27, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

MOTOR VEHICLES, BOARD OF THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF

Brett H. Graham - Denison

Appointment Date: August 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Catherine W. "Kate" Hardy - Trophy Club

Appointment Date: August 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Gary W. Painter - Midland

Appointment Date: August 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Guillermo "Memo" Treviño - Laredo

Appointment Date: September 2, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TEXAS

James P. "Jim" Jeffers - Nacogdoches

Appointment Date: April 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

David A. Landis - Perryton

Appointment Date: April 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

NECHES RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
UPPER

Jay S. Herrington, Sr., D.D.S. - Palestine

Appointment Date: July 16, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

NECHES VALLEY AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LOWER

Lonnie B. Grissom, Jr. - Woodville

Appointment Date: December 21, 2015

Expiration Date: July 28, 2021

Kal A. Kincaid - Beaumont

Appointment Date: December 21, 2015

Expiration Date: July 28, 2017

Steven R. "Steve" Lucas - Beaumont

Appointment Date: December 21, 2015

Expiration Date: July 28, 2019

Virginia "Ivy" Pate - Beaumont

Appointment Date: December 21, 2015

Expiration Date: July 28, 2021

Juanita "Jeanie" Turk - Sour Lake

Appointment Date: December 21, 2015

Expiration Date: July 28, 2021

NUECES RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Will "Alston" Beinhorn - Catarina

Appointment Date: March 22, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Allan P. Bloxsom, III - Kendalia

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Eric L. Burnett - Portland

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Jesse B. "Trace" Burton, III - San Antonio

Appointment Date: March 22, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Amy M. Clark - Three Rivers

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Mary E. "Mary Beth" Delano - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: March 22, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Dan S. Leyendecker - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: March 22, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Gary W. Moore, Sr. - Portland

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Travis Wayne Pruski - Floresville

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Tomas "Tommy" Ramirez, III - Moore

Appointment Date: December 8, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

NURSING, TEXAS BOARD OF

Laura A. Disque - Edinburg

Appointment Date: July 9, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

Allison P. Edwards, Dr.P.H. - Bellaire

Appointment Date: July 9, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Diana R. Flores, (Ret.) - Helotes

Appointment Date: July 9, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Doris J. Jackson, D.H.A. - Pearland

Appointment Date: July 9, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2017

Kathy L. Leader-Horn - Granbury

Appointment Date: July 9, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

David E. Saucedo, II - El Paso
Appointment Date: July 9, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Francis D. Stokes - Port Aransas
Appointment Date: July 9, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

PARDONS AND PAROLES, BOARD OF

David G. Gutierrez - Belton
Appointment Date: August 31, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Edward R. "Ed" Robertson - Pflugerville
Appointment Date: August 31, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

PARKS AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION

Anna Benavides Galo - Laredo
Appointment Date: November 17, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Jeanne W. Latimer - San Antonio
Appointment Date: November 17, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Stanley "Reed" Morian - Houston
Appointment Date: November 17, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Kelcy L. Warren - Dallas
Appointment Date: November 17, 2015
Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

PENSION REVIEW BOARD, STATE

Stephanie V. Leibe - Austin
Appointment Date: November 30, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Joshua B. "Josh" McGee, Ph.D. - Houston
Appointment Date: November 30, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Ernest Richards - Irving
Appointment Date: November 30, 2015
Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

PHARMACY, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Isaac L. "Chip" Thornsburg - San Antonio
Appointment Date: October 6, 2015
Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Rebecca "Suzette" Tijerina - Castle Hills

Appointment Date: October 6, 2015

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Jennifer D. "Jenny" Yoakum - Kilgore

Appointment Date: October 6, 2015

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS, TEXAS BOARD OF

Harvey D. Aikman - Mission

Appointment Date: April 22, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Glenda Clausell - Houston

Appointment Date: April 22, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Liesl L. S. Olson - Lubbock

Appointment Date: April 22, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT BOARD, TEXAS

Clayton P. "Clay" Bulls - Abilene

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Jennifer L. Clarner - Austin

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Karrie L. Crosby - Robinson

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Maribel De Ponce - McAllen

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Melinda A. Gottschalk - Round Rock

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Victor Ho, M.D. - Houston

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Jorge Martinez - McAllen

Appointment Date: October 30, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

PLUMBING EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Ben R. Friedman - Dallas

Appointment Date: April 8, 2016

Expiration Date: September 5, 2021

Milton R. Gutierrez - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: November 9, 2016

Expiration Date: September 5, 2021

Robert F. "Robi" Jalnos - San Antonio

Appointment Date: April 8, 2016

Expiration Date: September 5, 2021

PODIATRIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Leslie Campbell, D.P.M. - Plano

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: July 10, 2021

Renee K. Pietzsch, D.P.M. - Georgetown

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: July 10, 2021

Chakilla Robinson - Katy

Appointment Date: January 6, 2017

Expiration Date: July 10, 2021

PREPAID HIGHER EDUCATION TUITION BOARD

Michael J. Truncale - Beaumont

Appointment Date: January 7, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

PRESIDING JUDGE, FIFTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Mary K. "Missy" Medary - Corpus Christi

Appointment Date: October 19, 2015

Expiration Date: October 20, 2019

PRESIDING JUDGE, FOURTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Homer "David" Peebles - San Antonio

Appointment Date: December 21, 2016

Expiration Date:

PRESIDING JUDGE, NINTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Kelly G. Moore - Lubbock

Appointment Date: December 21, 2016

Expiration Date: January 12, 2021

PRESIDING JUDGE, SIXTH ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION

Stephen B. "Steve" Ables - Kerrville

Appointment Date: December 21, 2016

Expiration Date:

PRIVATE SECURITY BOARD, TEXAS

Debbra G. "Debi" Ulmer - Houston

Appointment Date: October 28, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2019

PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS INCUBATOR BOARD

Arun Agarwal - Dallas

Appointment Date: March 28, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Kellilynn M. "Kelli" Frias, Ph.D. - Lubbock

Appointment Date: August 26, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

James D. "Jimmy" Mize - Nacogdoches

Appointment Date: August 26, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

PSYCHOLOGISTS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF

John K. Bielamowicz - Waxahachie

Appointment Date: December 14, 2016

Expiration Date: October 31, 2021

Susan Fletcher, Ph.D. - Plano

Appointment Date: December 14, 2016

Expiration Date: October 31, 2021

Ronald S. "Ron" Palomares, Ph.D. - Dallas

Appointment Date: December 14, 2016

Expiration Date: October 31, 2021

PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY, TEXAS

Ramon Manning - Houston

Appointment Date: October 21, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Rodney K. Moore - Lufkin

Appointment Date: October 21, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

Donna L. Nelson - Austin

Appointment Date: September 9, 2015

Expiration Date: September 1, 2021

RACING COMMISSION, TEXAS

Margaret L. Martin - Boerne

Appointment Date: November 6, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, TEXAS

Robert H. "Bob" Leonard - San Antonio

Appointment Date: November 5, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Rayito O. Stephens - Pearland

Appointment Date: November 5, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Thomas J. "T.J." Turner - Austin

Appointment Date: November 5, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

REAL ESTATE RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Carliss A. "Alvin" Collins - Andrews

Appointment Date: November 17, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Warren D. "Doug" Jennings - Fort Worth

Appointment Date: November 17, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Elizabeth "Besa" Robison Martin - Boerne

Appointment Date: December 7, 2016

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

RED RIVER AUTHORITY OF TEXAS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Todd W. Boykin - Amarillo

Appointment Date: December 20, 2016

Expiration Date: August 11, 2021

Jerry Bob Daniel - Truscott

Appointment Date: December 20, 2016

Expiration Date: August 11, 2021

George "Wilson" Scaling, II - Henrietta

Appointment Date: December 20, 2016

Expiration Date: August 11, 2021

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, ALAMO

James Conrad "Rad" Weaver - San Antonio

Appointment Date: March 3, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, CAMERON COUNTY

Frank Parker, Jr. - Brownsville

Appointment Date: February 17, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, CAMINO REAL

Susan A. Melendez - El Paso

Appointment Date: February 25, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, GRAYSON COUNTY

Clyde M. Siebman - Pottsboro

Appointment Date: March 3, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, HIDALGO COUNTY

Samuel "David" Deanda, Jr. - Mission

Appointment Date: May 5, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY, NORTH EAST TEXAS

Linda R. Thomas - Longview

Appointment Date: February 25, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2018

RESPIRATORY CARE, TEXAS BOARD OF

Timothy R. "Tim" Chappell, M.D. - Plano

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Joe Ann Clack - Missouri City

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Latana T. Jackson-Woods - Cedar Hill

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Sam G. "Gregg" Marshall, Ph.D. - New Braunfels

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Debra E. Patrick - Tomball

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

Shad J. Pellizzari - Cedar Park

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Kandace D. "Kandi" Pool - San Angelo

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Sonia K. Sanderson - Beaumont

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

James M. "Jim" Stocks, M.D. - Tyler

Appointment Date: May 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2019

RISK MANAGEMENT BOARD

Rosemary A. Gammon - Plano

Appointment Date: February 3, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Gerald F. Ladner, Sr. - Austin

Appointment Date: February 3, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

SABINE RIVER AUTHORITY OF TEXAS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Cary M. "Mac" Abney - Marshall

Appointment Date: December 17, 2015

Expiration Date: July 6, 2021

Jeanette L. Sterner, (Ret.) - Holly Lake Ranch

Appointment Date: December 17, 2015

Expiration Date: July 6, 2021

Laurie E. Woloszyn - Longview

Appointment Date: August 9, 2016

Expiration Date: July 6, 2021

SABINE RIVER COMPACT ADMINISTRATION

Jerry Franklin Gipson - Longview

Appointment Date: October 27, 2016

Expiration Date: July 12, 2022

SAN ANTONIO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Lynn F. Murphy - San Antonio

Appointment Date: December 16, 2016

Expiration Date: November 7, 2017

SAN JACINTO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ronald W. "Ronnie" Anderson - Mont Belvieu

Appointment Date: May 31, 2016

Expiration Date: October 16, 2021

Fredrick D. "Fred" Koetting - The Woodlands

Appointment Date: May 31, 2016

Expiration Date: October 16, 2021

Gary T. Renola, Ph.D. - Seabrook

Appointment Date: May 31, 2016

Expiration Date: October 16, 2017

SCHOOL LAND BOARD

Gilbert "Gil" Burciaga - Austin

Appointment Date: September 17, 2015

Expiration Date: August 29, 2017

SECRETARY OF STATE

Rolando Pablos - Austin

Appointment Date: January 5, 2017

Expiration Date: January 15, 2019

SECURITIES BOARD, STATE

Miguel Romano, Jr. - Austin

Appointment Date: August 17, 2015

Expiration Date: January 20, 2021

SEX OFFENDER TREATMENT, COUNCIL ON

Ezio D. Leite - North Richland Hills

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Emily G. Orozco-Crousen - Abilene

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

James A. Taylor - San Antonio

Appointment Date: January 9, 2017

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINERS, TEXAS STATE BOARD OF

Brian C. Brumley - Sumner

Appointment Date: November 1, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Beverly Jackson Loss - Wolfe City

Appointment Date: November 1, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Benny W. "Ben" Morris - Cleburne

Appointment Date: November 1, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Martha R. Mosier - College Station

Appointment Date: November 1, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION BOARD, STATE

Joe L. Ward - Telephone

Appointment Date: September 17, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

STATE EMPLOYEE CHARITABLE CAMPAIGN POLICY COMMITTEE

Gregory Scott "Greg" Davidson - Austin

Appointment Date: December 19, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2017

Alicia G. Key Ellison - Dripping Springs

Appointment Date: December 19, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2018

Tabatha C. Vasquez - Austin

Appointment Date: December 19, 2016

Expiration Date: September 1, 2018

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Nelda L. Blair - The Woodlands

Appointment Date: August 17, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Scott H. Coleman, D.D.S. - Houston

Appointment Date: August 17, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

Alton L. Frailey - Katy

Appointment Date: August 17, 2015

Expiration Date: January 31, 2021

SULPHUR RIVER BASIN AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Bret A. McCoy - Omaha

Appointment Date: March 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Catherine A. "Katie" Stedman - Mount Pleasant

Appointment Date: March 23, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS BOARD OF TRUSTEES

John W. Elliott - Austin

Appointment Date: May 6, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Gregory A. "Greg" Gibson, Ed.D. - Schertz

Appointment Date: May 6, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Christopher S. "Chris" Moss - Lufkin

Appointment Date: May 6, 2016

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Oliver J. Bell - Houston

Appointment Date: September 15, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Ann S. McGinity, Ph.D. - Pearland

Appointment Date: June 11, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Nolan E. Perez, M.D. - Harlingen

Appointment Date: June 11, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, TEXAS

Laura Ryan Heizer - Cypress

Appointment Date: July 11, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Tilman J. Fertitta - Houston

Appointment Date: September 17, 2015

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Lorinda "Beth" Madison - Houston

Appointment Date: September 17, 2015

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

Gerald W. McElvy - Southlake

Appointment Date: September 17, 2015

Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS SYSTEM BOARD OF REGENTS

Ashok K. "A.K." Mago - Dallas

Appointment Date: November 9, 2015

Expiration Date: May 22, 2021

George B. "Brint" Ryan - Dallas

Appointment Date: November 9, 2015

Expiration Date: May 22, 2021

Laura Wright - Dallas

Appointment Date: November 9, 2015

Expiration Date: May 22, 2021

VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS, STATE BOARD OF

Sandra "Lynn" Criner, D.V.M. - Needville

Appointment Date: March 4, 2016

Expiration Date: August 26, 2021

Keith A. Pardue - Austin

Appointment Date: March 4, 2016

Expiration Date: August 26, 2021

Jessica S. Quillivan, D.V.M. - Magnolia

Appointment Date: March 4, 2016

Expiration Date: August 26, 2021

WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD, TEXAS

Kathleen T. Jackson - Beaumont

Appointment Date: December 15, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Peter M. Lake - Dallas

Appointment Date: December 15, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

WORKERS' COMPENSATION, COMMISSIONER OF

William "Ryan" Brannan - Austin

Appointment Date: February 18, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

WORKFORCE COMMISSION, TEXAS

Julian Alvarez - Harlingen

Appointment Date: February 22, 2016

Expiration Date: February 1, 2017

Ruth Ruggero Hughs - Austin

Appointment Date: July 29, 2015

Expiration Date: February 1, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Greg Abbott

Governor

January 23, 2017

Austin, Texas

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

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

To be members of the Texas A&M University System Board of Regents, effective February 1, 2017, for terms to expire February 1, 2023:

Timothy A. "Tim" Leach

Midland, Texas

(replacing Judy Kelley Morgan of Texarkana whose term expired)

Elaine M. Mendoza

San Antonio, Texas

(Ms. Mendoza is being reappointed)

Clifton L. "Cliff" Thomas, Jr.

Victoria, Texas

(Mr. Thomas is being reappointed)

To be members of the Texas Tech University System Board of Regents, effective January 31, 2017, for terms to expire January 31, 2023:

John "Michael" Lewis

Dallas, Texas

(replacing Debra K. "Debbie" Montford of San Antonio whose term expired)

John D. Steinmetz

Dallas, Texas

(Mr. Steinmetz is being reappointed)

John B. Walker

Houston, Texas

(replacing Larry Keith Anders of Plano whose term expired)

To be members of the University of Texas System Board of Regents, effective February 1, 2017, for terms to expire February 1, 2023:

Kevin P. Eltife

Tyler, Texas

(replacing Wallace L. Hall, Jr. of Dallas whose term expired)

Janiece M. Longoria
Houston, Texas
(replacing Alexis "Alex" M. Cranberg of Austin whose term expired)

James Conrad "Rad" Weaver
San Antonio, Texas
(replacing Brenda Pejovich of Dallas whose term expired)

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Greg Abbott
Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

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

THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS
January 11, 2017

The Honorable Dan Patrick
Lieutenant Governor of Texas
Texas Capitol Station
Austin, Texas

Dear Lieutenant Governor Patrick:

Since adjournment of the 84th Legislature, the Supreme Court of Texas has made the following appointments that require the advice and consent of the Senate:

To the Board of Directors of the State Bar of Texas

Estrella Escobar, of El Paso, Texas, on May 31, 2016 for a term of three years to expire on June 30, 2019 (succeeding Gail M. Plummer).

Ricky G. Gonzalez, of San Antonio, Texas, on June 2, 2015, for a term of three years to expire June 30, 2018 (succeeding David Teuscher, M.D.).

August W. Harris, III, of Austin, Texas, on June 9, 2015, for a term of three years to expire June 30, 2018, upon recommendation by the Governor pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 81.020 (succeeding David Alders).

To the State Commission on Judicial Conduct

Hon. Tramer J. Woytek, of Hallettsville, Texas, effective June 20, 2016, to fulfill an unexpired term to expire November 19, 2017.

Hon. David Hall, of Sweetwater, Texas, on November 17, 2015, for a term of six years to expire November 19, 2021.

Hon. David Patronella, of Houston, Texas, on November 17, 2015, for a term of six years to expire November 19, 2021.

Hon. Catherine N. Wylie of Houston, Texas, on November 17, 2015, for a term of six years to expire November 19, 2021.

To the Employees Retirement System of Texas Board of Trustees

Ira Craig Hester, of Austin, Texas, on August 1, 2016, reappointed for a term of six years to expire August 31, 2022.

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

Sincerely,

/s/Nathan L. Hecht
Chief Justice

PHYSICIANS OF THE DAY

Senator Watson was recognized and presented Drs. John and Judith Egerton of Austin as the Physicians of the Day.

The Senate welcomed the Egertons and thanked them for their participation in the Physician of the Day program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator Schwertner was recognized and introduced to the Senate a national Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists delegation.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

SENATE RESOLUTION 22

Senator West offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to join the Texas Partnership for Out of School Time and Texans across the state in celebrating January 23, 2017, as Expanded Learning Opportunities Day at the State Capitol; and

WHEREAS, The Texas Partnership for Out of School Time is a statewide network of nonprofit, public, and private sector groups dedicated to providing students with a wide selection of before-school, after-school, and summer break activities; its providers include such nationally recognized organizations as the YMCA, the Boys and Girls Clubs, and 4-H, as well as municipal programs and faith-based organizations; and

WHEREAS, Expanded Learning Opportunities initiatives give young people a safe and supportive environment in which they can engage in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics education, the performing and fine arts, health and nutrition programs, physical activity, and character building; these activities have been shown to improve grades, test scores, attendance, behavior, and grade promotion; and

WHEREAS, Expanded Learning Opportunities programs have helped countless young Texans aspire to the highest levels of personal development and have enhanced the quality of life in communities across the state, and those who devote their time and energy to helping young people achieve their goals are truly deserving of special recognition; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, hereby commend all those participating in Expanded Learning Opportunities Day at the State Capitol; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared in honor of this special occasion.

SR 22 was read and was adopted without objection.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator West was recognized and introduced to the Senate an Expanded Learning Opportunities Day delegation.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Lucio was recognized and introduced to the Senate Girl Scout Gold Award winner, Rebeca Llamas.

The Senate welcomed its guest.

SENATE BILL AND RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

The following bill and resolution were introduced, read first time, and referred to the committee indicated:

SB 535 by Kolkhorst

Relating to the creation, purpose, implementation, and funding of the County Park Beautification and Improvement Program.

To Committee on Administration.

SJR 31 by Kolkhorst

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.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 46

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED by the 85th Legislature, Regular Session, That the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Texas meet in Joint Session in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Tuesday, January 31, 2017, at 11:00 a.m.; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Honorable Greg Abbott, Governor of the State of Texas, be, and is hereby, invited to address the Regular Session of the 85th Legislature in Joint Session at that time.

WHITMIRE

HCR 46 was read.

On motion of Senator Whitmire, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED
(Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Kolkhorst and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Administration might meet and consider the following bill and resolution today:

SB 535, SJR 31.

STANDING COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The President submitted the following committee assignments:

ADMINISTRATION

Kolkhorst, Chair; Burton, Vice-chair; Huffines, Hughes, Nichols, West, Zaffirini.

AGRICULTURE, WATER, AND RURAL AFFAIRS

Perry, Chair; Rodríguez, Vice-chair; Creighton, Hall, Hinojosa, Kolkhorst, Miles.

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Hancock, Chair; Creighton, Vice-chair; Campbell, Estes, Nichols, Schwertner, Taylor of Galveston, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Whitmire, Chair; Huffman, Vice-chair; Birdwell, Burton, Creighton, Garcia, Hughes, Menéndez, Perry.

EDUCATION

Taylor of Galveston, Chair; Lucio, Vice-chair; Bettencourt, Campbell, Hall, Huffines, Hughes, Seliger, Taylor of Collin, Uresti, West.

FINANCE

Nelson, Chair; Hinojosa, Vice-chair; Bettencourt, Birdwell, Hancock, Huffman, Kolkhorst, Nichols, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor of Galveston, Uresti, Watson, West, Whitmire.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Schwertner, Chair; Uresti, Vice-chair; Buckingham, Burton, Kolkhorst, Miles, Perry, Taylor of Collin, Watson.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Seliger, Chair; West, Vice-chair; Bettencourt, Buckingham, Menéndez, Taylor of Galveston, Watson.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Lucio, Chair; Bettencourt, Vice-chair; Campbell, Garcia, Huffines, Menéndez, Taylor of Collin.

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Estes, Chair; Zaffirini, Vice-chair; Burton, Garcia, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffines, Miles, Rodríguez, Seliger, Taylor of Collin.

NOMINATIONS

Birdwell, Chair; Watson, Vice-chair; Buckingham, Estes, Menéndez, Miles, Taylor of Collin.

STATE AFFAIRS

Huffman, Chair; Hughes, Vice-chair; Birdwell, Creighton, Estes, Lucio, Nelson, Schwertner, Zaffirini.

TRANSPORTATION

Nichols, Chair; Hall, Vice-chair; Creighton, Garcia, Hancock, Hinojosa, Kolkhorst, Perry, Rodríguez.

VETERAN AFFAIRS AND BORDER SECURITY

Campbell, Chair; Huffines, Vice-chair; Buckingham, Hall, Lucio, Rodríguez, Uresti.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 74

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Watson will be shown as Co-author of **SB 74**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 176

On motion of Senator Schwertner, Senator Buckingham will be shown as Co-author of **SB 176**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 250

On motion of Senator Schwertner, Senator Hall will be shown as Co-author of **SB 250**.

CO-AUTHORS OF SENATE BILL 271

On motion of Senator Burton, Senators Hinojosa and Huffines will be shown as Co-authors of **SB 271**.

CO-AUTHORS OF SENATE BILL 488

On motion of Senator Bettencourt, Senators Hall and Huffines will be shown as Co-authors of **SB 488**.

RESOLUTIONS OF RECOGNITION

The following resolutions were adopted by the Senate:

Memorial Resolutions

SR 23 by Watson, In memory of Charles William Mays Jr.

SR 25 by Lucio, In memory of Sandra Longoria Yturria.

SR 27 by Lucio, In memory of Alberto "Beto" Medrano.

SR 28 by Lucio, In memory of Billy R. Bradford Sr.

SR 29 by Lucio, In memory of Garrison Good Card.

SR 31 by Estes, In memory of Anita Palmer Hackley.

SR 34 by Kolkhorst, In memory of Bette-Jo Simpson Buhler.

Congratulatory Resolutions

SR 26 by Nichols, Recognizing Bascom W. Bentley III for his contributions to his community.

SR 30 by Whitmire, Congratulating Jeff Bagwell on his election to the National Baseball Hall of Fame.

SR 32 by Estes, Recognizing Nick Schreiber for being named the Texas Big Brother of the Year.

Official Designation Resolution

SR 24 by Watson, Celebrating February 7, 2017, as Bastrop County Day.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Whitmire, the Senate at 2:20 p.m. adjourned until 11:00 a.m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX

RESOLUTIONS ENROLLED

January 18, 2017

SR 9, SR 14, SR 15, SR 16, SR 17, SR 18, SR 19

