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(Thursday, May 16, 2019)

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by President Pro Tempore Watson.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

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

Pastor Larry Coulter, Lakeway Church, Lakeway, was introduced by Senator Buckingham and offered the invocation as follows:

Gracious God, we are thankful for the great State of Texas. We are thankful for its people, for those who have lived here for generations and for those who, even today, are just driving across the state line to make their home here, seeking the unparalleled opportunity with which You have so richly blessed us. May they experience and live out the freedom and responsibility, the hard work and the playfulness that animated our Texas ancestors. At this time and in this place, we are thankful for its leaders, for those who work diligently to create the opportunity for success for all those who live here. Most especially, on this day, we are thankful for the men and women in the Senate, for those who deliberate the bills that, once law, affect the daily lives of those who call Texas home. We ask now that You will give them diligence in their thoughtful deliberations. Give them wisdom and civility as they consider often controversial and emotional bills. Teach them, we pray, Lord, the fine art of acting on the courage of their convictions, and match it with a spirit of collaboration as they work for the good of the whole. Remove any and all hubris and self-interest that would keep them from serving the public good. On this May day, release them from decision fatigue so that they may finish the session well. I ask that You will bless them with energy and imagination and help them to always remember that we have more that unites us than we have that separates us. In Your holy name, I 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.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator Flores was recognized and introduced to the Senate the Brackett High School varsity cheerleading team and congratulated them on placing third in the UIL state championships.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS POSTPONED

The President Pro Tempore announced that the introduction of bills and resolutions on first reading would be postponed until the end of today's session.

There was no objection.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Hinojosa was recognized and introduced to the Senate 2019 National Women's History Alliance honoree Deborah Tucker.

The Senate welcomed its guest.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Lucio was recognized and introduced to the Senate Coach Tony Villarreal III of Brownsville.

The Senate welcomed its guest.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Flores was recognized and introduced to the Senate Rachel Crismore, Good Citizen Award winner, Daughters of the American Revolution.

The Senate welcomed its guest.

CONCLUSION OF MORNING CALL

The President Pro Tempore at 11:23 a.m. announced the conclusion of morning call.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2402 ON SECOND READING

Senator Fallon moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSHB 2402** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 2402, Relating to the eligibility of certain events to receive funding through the Major Events Reimbursement Program.

The motion prevailed.

Senators Bettencourt, Creighton, Hall, Hughes, and Schwertner asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on suspension of the regular order of business.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading except as follows:

Nays: Bettencourt, Creighton, Hall, Hughes, Schwertner.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2402 ON THIRD READING

Senator Fallon moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 2402** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 26, Nays 5.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Fallon, Flores, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Creighton, Hall, Hughes, Schwertner.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 26, Nays 5. (Same as previous roll call)

HOUSE BILL 861 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Campbell and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 861** at this time on its second reading:

HB 861, Relating to the calculation of penalties and interest resulting from the final determination of an ad valorem tax appeal that changes a property owner's tax liability.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 861 ON THIRD READING

Senator Campbell moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 861** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 111 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Fallon and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 111** at this time on its second reading:

HB 111, Relating to public school policy and training for public school employees addressing the prevention of sexual abuse, sex trafficking, and other maltreatment of certain children.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 111 ON THIRD READING

Senator Fallon moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 111** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

GUESTS PRESENTED

Senator Birdwell, on behalf of Senator Taylor, was recognized and introduced to the Senate representatives of the 2019 State Schools of Character.

The Senate welcomed its guests.

HOUSE BILL 1824 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Flores and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 1824** at this time on its second reading:

HB 1824, Relating to use of funds collected by the Parks and Wildlife Commission from the sale of certain materials.

The bill was read second time.

Question: Shall HB 1824 be passed to third reading?

AT EASE

The President Pro Tempore at 11:37 a.m. announced the Senate would stand At Ease subject to the call of the Chair.

IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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

Question: Shall HB 1824 be passed to third reading?

Senator Creighton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend **HB 1824** (senate committee printing) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. Chapter 86, Parks and Wildlife Code, is amended by adding Section 86.0192 to read as follows:

Sec. 86.0192. EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS. (a) This section applies only to the following political subdivisions:

(1) San Jacinto River Authority; and

(2) Harris County Flood Control District.

(b) A political subdivision may take sand, gravel, marl, shell, and mudshell from the San Jacinto River and its tributaries to restore, maintain, or expand the capacity of the river and its tributaries to convey storm flows.

(c) A political subdivision acting under this section is not required to:

(1) obtain a permit or pay a fee to take sand, gravel, marl, shell, or mudshell under Subsection (b); or

(b). (2) purchase sand, gravel, marl, shell, or mudshell taken under Subsection

(d) A political subdivision acting under this section may deposit sand, gravel, marl, shell, or mudshell taken under Subsection (b) on private land.

The amendment to HB 1824 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

HB 1824 as amended was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 1824 ON THIRD READING

Senator Flores moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 1824** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 2340 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Johnson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 2340** at this time on its second reading:

HB 2340, Relating to emergency and disaster management, response, and recovery.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 2340 ON THIRD READING

Senator Johnson moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 2340** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 80 ON SECOND READING

Senator Rodríguez moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **HB 80** at this time on its second reading:

HB 80, Relating to a study and report regarding shortages in certain health professions.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12.

Yeas: Alvarado, Flores, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hancock, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Paxton, Schwertner.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12. (Same as previous roll call)

HOUSE BILL 871 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Perry and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 871** at this time on its second reading:

HB 871, Relating to use of telemedicine medical service by certain trauma facilities.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 871 ON THIRD READING

Senator Perry moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 871** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2164 ON SECOND READING

Senator Hughes moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSHB 2164** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 2164, Relating to imposing a civil penalty for prohibiting or otherwise restricting a peace officer or special investigator from carrying a weapon on certain premises open to the public.

The motion prevailed.

Senators Birdwell and Rodríguez asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on suspension of the regular order of business.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading except as follows:

Nays: Birdwell, Rodríguez.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2164 ON THIRD READING

Senator Hughes moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 2164** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 2.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Birdwell, Rodríguez.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 2. (Same as previous roll call)

HOUSE BILL 4614 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Hinojosa and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 4614** at this time on its second reading:

HB 4614, Relating to the administration, collection, and remittance of the cigarette tax; requiring a permit.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Hinojosa offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend **HB 4614** (senate committee printing) in SECTION 1 of the bill by striking added Section 154.001(18)(D), Tax Code (page 2, line 50), and substituting the following:

(D) is not damaged beyond recognition as a valid Texas tax stamp.

The amendment to HB 4614 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

HB 4614 as amended was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 4614 ON THIRD READING

Senator Hinojosa moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 4614** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 1168 ON SECOND READING

Senator West moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **HB 1168** at this time on its second reading:

HB 1168, Relating to the offense of possessing a weapon in a secured area of an airport.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Flores, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Paxton, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hancock, Kolkhorst, Nichols, Perry, Schwertner, Taylor.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by the following vote: Yeas 18, Nays 13.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Flores, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Paxton, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hancock, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Nichols, Perry, Schwertner, Taylor.

HOUSE BILL 2952 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Zaffirini and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 2952** at this time on its second reading:

HB 2952, Relating to the establishment of an emergency radio infrastructure grant program.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 2952 ON THIRD READING

Senator Zaffirini moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 2952** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 1537 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Buckingham and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 1537** at this time on its second reading:

HB 1537, Relating to the terms and election of the members of the board of directors of the Elm Creek Watershed Authority.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 1537 ON THIRD READING

Senator Buckingham moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 1537** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 191 ON SECOND READING

Senator Kolkhorst moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **HB 191** at this time on its second reading:

HB 191, Relating to the disposal of pesticides.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Buckingham, Flores, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hughes.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kolkhorst offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend **HB 191** (senate committee printing) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. The Texas Department of Agriculture is required to implement a provision of this Act only if the legislature appropriates money specifically for that purpose. If the legislature does not appropriate money specifically for that purpose, the department may, but is not required to, implement a provision of this Act using other appropriations available for that purpose.

The amendment to HB 191 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

HB 191 as amended was passed to third reading by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Buckingham, Flores, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hughes.

HOUSE BILL 191 ON THIRD READING

Senator Kolkhorst moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 191** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Buckingham, Flores, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hughes.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6. (Same as previous roll call)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 25 ON SECOND READING

Senator Zaffirini moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSHB 25** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 25, Relating to a pilot program for providing services to certain women and children under the Medicaid medical transportation program.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Fallon asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on suspension of the regular order of business.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading except as follows:

Nays: Fallon.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 25 ON THIRD READING

Senator Zaffirini moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 25** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1.

Nays: Fallon.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1. (Same as previous roll call)

HOUSE BILL 3913 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Alvarado and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 3913** at this time on its second reading:

HB 3913, Relating to an exception from required disclosure under the public information law for certain personal information obtained by certain flood control districts.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 3913 ON THIRD READING

Senator Alvarado moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 3913** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 1168 ON THIRD READING

Senator West moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 1168** be placed on its third reading and final passage:

HB 1168, Relating to the offense of possessing a weapon in a secured area of an airport.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Buckingham, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Campbell, Hall, Kolkhorst, Schwertner, Taylor.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 17, Nays 14.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Flores, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hancock, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Taylor.

(Senator Flores in Chair)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1070 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Watson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **CSHB 1070** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 1070, Relating to the mental health first aid training program reporting requirements.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1070 ON THIRD READING

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 1070** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 985 ON THIRD READING

Senator Hancock moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **HB 985** at this time on its third reading and final passage:

HB 985, Relating to the effect of certain agreements with a collective bargaining organization on certain state-funded public work contracts.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor.

Nays: Alvarado, Hinojosa, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Powell, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12. (Same as previous roll call)

(President in Chair)

SENATE BILL 1978 ON THIRD READING

Senator Hughes moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **SB 1978** at this time on its third reading and final passage:

SB 1978, Relating to the protection of membership in, affiliation with, and support provided to religious organizations.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Taylor.

Nays: Alvarado, Hinojosa, Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12. (Same as previous roll call)

REASON FOR VOTE

Senator Rodríguez submitted the following reason for vote on SB 1978:

Over the past few sessions, after the U.S. Supreme Court held that, based on the Due Process Clause and the Equal Protection Clause of the 14th Amendment, the fundamental right to marry is guaranteed for all of us, including same-sex couples, we have seen an escalating effort to codify the right to discriminate against LGBTQ Texans.

Frankly, regardless of whether or not this is even within the state's authority, it is troubling on its face that the Legislature would spend so much time and energy trying to impose what amounts to little more than state-sanctioned discrimination based on the religious beliefs of some individuals who do not believe LGBTQ Texans deserve equal treatment under the law.

However, in the case of S.B. 1978, it is more than just troubling. This is contrary to the rights guaranteed under the U.S. Constitution. I believe if we pass this law, the state will have to spend significant sums of money to defend, and the state will likely lose. Beyond that, this bill, like so many others we have seen in the past including the infamous "bathroom bill," is squarely aimed at using the power of the state to further discrimination against LGBTQ Texans.

The intent is obvious from the original bill caption, titled "Relating to the protection of religious beliefs and moral convictions, including beliefs and convictions regarding marriage," and the original bill language, "notwithstanding any other law, a governmental entity may not take any adverse action against any person based wholly or partly on a person's belief or action in accordance with the person's sincerely held religious belief or moral conviction, including beliefs or convictions regarding marriage." Why specify "marriage" if this is not specifically aimed at LGBTQ Texans?

Even as amended, Section 2400.002 provides that a government entity cannot take any adverse action against a person "based wholly or partly on the person's membership in, affiliation with, or contribution, donation, or other support provided to a religious organization."

It's deeply concerning that some religious groups would seek purpose in their right to discriminate against others just because of who they are, and that the Legislature would support this. This is even more so when placed against the words of the Texas Constitution, which state, in part, that "no preference shall ever be given by law to any religious society or mode of worship." S.B. 1978 makes the preference of law subservient to a particular religious belief, adversarial to a person's right not to be discriminated against by those offering services to the public.

It is for these reasons that I voted against S.B. 1978.

RODRÍGUEZ

REMARKS ORDERED PRINTED

On motion of Senator Flores and by unanimous consent, the remarks regarding **SB 1978** on third reading were ordered reduced to writing and printed in the *Senate Journal*.

The remarks were printed in an addendum to this day's Journal.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

HOUSE CHAMBER Austin, Texas Thursday, May 16, 2019 - 1

The Honorable President of the Senate Senate Chamber Austin, Texas

Mr. President:

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

THE HOUSE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

SB 536 Zaffirini Sponsor: Murr Relating to associate judges for guardianship proceedings and protective services proceedings in certain courts. SB 557 Kolkhorst Sponsor: Moody Relating to use of the electronic funds transfer system operated by the comptroller. **SB 698** Birdwell Sponsor: Lozano Relating to the expedited processing of certain applications for permits under the Texas Clean Air Act. SB 781 Kolkhorst Sponsor: Leman Relating to the regulation of child-care facilities. **SB 790** Buckingham Sponsor: Morrison Relating to certain audit and reporting requirements of regional planning commissions. SB 821 Nelson Sponsor: Price Relating to children's advocacy centers. SB 827 Huffman Sponsor: Smithee Relating to the transfer of civil cases by the judicial panel on multidistrict litigation. SB 1312 Lucio Sponsor: Guerra Relating to certain programs to prevent vector-borne and zoonotic diseases in border counties; requiring an occupational license; authorizing a fee. SB 1370 Nichols Sponsor: Ashby Relating to invoices and payments under certain state contracts for outside legal services.

Sponsor: White SB 1531 Hancock Relating to the eligibility for certain occupational licenses and the use of a person's criminal history as grounds for certain actions related to the license. SB 1700 Whitmire Sponsor: Miller Relating to the discharge of a prisoner from a county jail. **SB 1707** Lucio Sponsor: Allen Relating to the duties of school district peace officers, school resource officers, and security personnel. SB 1746 Miles Sponsor: White Relating to the inclusion of certain students as students at risk of dropping out of school. SB 1784 Zaffirini Sponsor: Leach Relating to the deduction from applied income of compensation paid to guardians of certain Medicaid recipients. SB 1801 Huffman Sponsor: Hunter Relating to orders of nondisclosure for certain victims of trafficking of persons or compelling prostitution. SB 1915 Alvarado Sponsor: Canales Relating to the board of pilot commissioners for Harris County ports. THE HOUSE HAS CONCURRED IN THE SENATE AMENDMENTS TO THE FOLLOWING MEASURES: HB 1483 (146 Yeas, 0 Nays, 2 Present, not voting) HB 2867 (143 Yeas, 4 Nays, 3 Present, not voting) HB 3106 (145 Yeas, 2 Nays, 2 Present, not voting)

HB 4071 (144 Yeas, 2 Nays, 3 Present, not voting)

Respectfully,

/s/Robert Haney, Chief Clerk House of Representatives

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

HOUSE CHAMBER Austin, Texas Thursday, May 16, 2019 - 2

The Honorable President of the Senate Senate Chamber Austin, Texas

Mr. President:

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

THE HOUSE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

SB 357 Nichols Sponsor: Canales Relating to outdoor advertising signs regulated by the Texas Department of Transportation. (Committee Substitute/Amended) SB 668 Hughes Sponsor: VanDeaver Relating to data collection, reporting, and notice requirements for certain educational entities. (Amended) SB 1189 Sponsor: Capriglione Buckingham Relating to certain deceptive advertising of legal services. (Amended) **SB 1468** Campbell Sponsor: Goodwin Relating to annexation by certain municipalities of a special district under a strategic partnership agreement. (Amended) SB 1494 Paxton Sponsor: Wu Relating to the confidentiality of personal information of certain employees and contractors of the Department of Family and Protective Services. (Amended) SB 1497 Zaffirini Sponsor: Parker Relating to the registration and regulation of brokers by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. (Committee Substitute) SB 1511 Nichols Sponsor: Cyrier Relating to the operation of the Battleship "Texas." (Amended) SB 1823 Campbell Sponsor: Murphy Relating to the regulation of state banks, state trust companies, and third-party service providers of state banks and state trust companies. (Committee Substitute) SB 1852 Paxton Sponsor: Smithee Relating to disclosures required in connection with the issuance of certain health benefit plans. (Amended) SB 2119 Alvarado Sponsor: Goldman Relating to the transfer of the regulation of motor fuel metering and motor fuel quality from the Department of Agriculture to the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation; providing civil and administrative penalties; creating criminal offenses; requiring occupational licenses; authorizing fees. (Committee Substitute/Amended) SB 2137 Hinojosa Sponsor: Canales Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy tax revenue by certain municipalities. (Amended)

SB 2200 Kolkhorst Sponsor: Turner, John Relating to the authority of the Health and Human Services Commission to obtain criminal history record information. (Amended)

Respectfully,

/s/Robert Haney, Chief Clerk House of Representatives

BILLS AND RESOLUTION SIGNED

The President announced the signing of the following enrolled bills and resolution in the presence of the Senate after the captions had been read:

SB 124, SB 228, SB 317, SB 354, SB 435, SB 442, SB 579, SB 624, SB 646, SB 822, SB 874, SB 893, SB 932, SB 1037, SB 1038, SB 1041, SB 1063, SB 1113, SB 1236, SB 1276, SB 1306, SB 1350, SB 1402, SB 1413, SB 1420, SB 1512, SB 1557, SB 1571, SB 1720, SB 1751, SB 1780, SB 1802, SB 1820, SB 1821, SB 1950, SB 2038, SB 2131, SB 2449, SB 2469, SB 2481, SB 2517, SB 2527, SCR 2.

HB 70, HB 87, HB 156, HB 253, HB 381, HB 389, HB 403, HB 427, HB 446, HB 468, HB 621, HB 693, HB 833, HB 886, HB 892, HB 971, HB 979, HB 1031, HB 1142, HB 1856, HB 1858, HB 1902, HB 1965, HB 1969, HB 2107, HB 2198, HB 2203, HB 2246, HB 2321, HB 2329, HB 2529, HB 2530, HB 2615, HB 2623, HB 2684, HB 2697, HB 2779, HB 2790, HB 2899, HB 2979, HB 3086, HB 3441, HB 4465, HB 4638, HB 4641.

(Senator Flores in Chair)

(President in Chair)

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Alvarado was recognized and introduced to the Senate Pat Green.

The Senate welcomed its guest.

HOUSE BILL 2846 ON SECOND READING

Senator Huffman moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **HB 2846** at this time on its second reading:

HB 2846, Relating to the sale of the Allens Creek Reservoir project.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 28, Nays 3.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Zaffirini.

Nays: Alvarado, Miles, Whitmire.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading except as follows:

Nays: Alvarado, Miles, Whitmire.

HOUSE BILL 2846 ON THIRD READING

Senator Huffman moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 2846** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 28, Nays 3.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Zaffirini.

Nays: Alvarado, Miles, Whitmire.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 28, Nays 3. (Same as previous roll call)

HOUSE BILL 80 ON THIRD READING

Senator Rodríguez moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 80** be placed on its third reading and final passage:

HB 80, Relating to a study and report regarding shortages in certain health professions.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Fallon, Flores, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Creighton, Hall, Hancock, Hughes, Schwertner.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 12.

Yeas: Alvarado, Flores, Hinojosa, Huffman, Johnson, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Hall, Hancock, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Paxton, Schwertner.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 16 ON SECOND READING

Senator Kolkhorst moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSHB 16** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 16, Relating to the enforcement of the rights of a living unborn child after an abortion; providing a civil penalty; creating a criminal offense.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 21, Nays 10.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Zaffirini.

Nays: Alvarado, Hinojosa, Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Powell, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Whitmire.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Rodríguez offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend **CSHB 16** (senate committee printing) in SECTION 2 of the bill, in added Section 151.002(c), Family Code (page 1, line 41), by striking "and admitted".

The amendment to CSHB 16 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

CSHB 16 as amended was passed to third reading by the following vote: Yeas 21, Nays 10.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Zaffirini.

Nays: Alvarado, Hinojosa, Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Powell, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Whitmire.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

HOUSE CHAMBER Austin, Texas Thursday, May 16, 2019 - 3

The Honorable President of the Senate Senate Chamber Austin, Texas

Mr. President:

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

THE HOUSE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

SB7 Creighton Sponsor: Phelan Relating to flood planning, mitigation, and infrastructure projects; making an appropriation.

(Committee Substitute/Amended)

Respectfully,

/s/Robert Haney, Chief Clerk House of Representatives

SENATE RULE 5.14(a) SUSPENDED (Intent Calendar) (Motion In Writing)

Senator Hughes submitted the following Motion In Writing:

Mr. President:

I move suspension of Senate Rule 5.14, the Intent Calendar Rule, in order to move the Intent Calendar deadline to 5 p.m. today.

Thank you, Mr. President.

HUGHES

The Motion In Writing was read and prevailed without objection.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2771 ON SECOND READING

Senator Hughes moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSHB 2771** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 2771, Relating to the authority of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to issue permits for the discharge into water in this state of produced water, hydrostatic test water, and gas plant effluent resulting from certain oil and gas activities.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 24, Nays 7.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, West.

Nays: Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Rodríguez, Watson, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Hinojosa offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend **CSHB 2771** (senate committee report) in SECTION 3 of the bill, in Subsection (e) (page 3, line 51), by striking "2020" and substituting "2021".

The amendment to CSHB 2771 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

CSHB 2771 as amended was passed to third reading by the following vote: Yeas 24, Nays 7.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, West.

Nays: Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Rodríguez, Watson, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2771 ON THIRD READING

Senator Hughes moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 2771** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West.

Nays: Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Rodríguez, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 24, Nays 7.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, West.

Nays: Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Rodríguez, Watson, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 16 ON THIRD READING

Senator Kolkhorst moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 16** be placed on its third reading and final passage:

CSHB 16, Relating to the enforcement of the rights of a living unborn child after an abortion; providing a civil penalty; creating a criminal offense.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Zaffirini.

Nays: Hinojosa, Menéndez, Miles, Watson, West, Whitmire.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 21, Nays 10.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Zaffirini.

Nays: Alvarado, Hinojosa, Johnson, Menéndez, Miles, Powell, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Whitmire.

(Senator Birdwell in Chair)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1735 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Watson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **CSHB 1735** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 1735, Relating to sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking at public and private postsecondary educational institutions; providing an administrative penalty.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Huffman offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend CSHB 1735 (senate committee report) as follows:

(1) In the recital to SECTION 1 of the bill (page 1, line 26), strike "Subchapter E-3" and substitute "Subchapters E-2 and E-3".

(2) On page 1, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

SUBCHAPTER E-2. REPORTING INCIDENTS OF SEXUAL HARASSMENT,

SEXUAL ASSAULT, DATING VIOLENCE, AND STALKING

Sec. 51.251. DEFINITIONS. In this subchapter:

(1) "Coordinating board" means the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

(2) "Dating violence," "sexual assault," and "stalking" mean dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, as applicable, that an institution of higher education is required to report under the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (20 U.S.C. Section 1092(f)).

(3) "Employee of a postsecondary educational institution" does not include a student enrolled at the institution.

(4) "Postsecondary educational institution" means an institution of higher education or a private or independent institution of higher education, as those terms are defined by Section 61.003.

(5) "Sexual harassment" means unwelcome, sex-based verbal or physical conduct that:

(A) in the employment context, unreasonably interferes with a person's work performance or creates an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment; or

(B) in the education context, is sufficiently severe, persistent, or pervasive that the conduct interferes with a student's ability to participate in or benefit from educational programs or activities at a postsecondary educational institution.

Sec. 51.252. REPORTING REQUIRED FOR CERTAIN INCIDENTS. (a) An employee of a postsecondary educational institution who, in the course and scope of employment, witnesses or receives information regarding the occurrence of an incident that the employee reasonably believes constitutes sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, or stalking and is alleged to have been committed by or

against a person who was a student enrolled at or an employee of the institution at the time of the incident shall promptly report the incident to the institution's Title IX coordinator or deputy Title IX coordinator.

(b) Except as provided by Subsection (c), the report must include all information concerning the incident known to the reporting person that is relevant to the investigation and, if applicable, redress of the incident, including whether an alleged victim has expressed a desire for confidentiality in reporting the incident.

(c) An employee of a postsecondary educational institution designated by the institution as a person with whom students may speak confidentially concerning sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, or stalking or who receives information regarding such an incident under circumstances that render the employee's communications confidential or privileged under other law shall, in making a report under this section, state only the type of incident reported and may not include any information that would violate a student's expectation of privacy. This subsection does not affect the employee's duty to report an incident under any other law.

(d) Notwithstanding Subsection (a), a person is not required to make a report under this section concerning:

(1) an incident in which the person was a victim of sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, or stalking; or

(2) an incident of which the person received information due to a disclosure made at a sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, or stalking public awareness event sponsored by a postsecondary educational institution or by a student organization affiliated with the institution.

Sec. 51.253. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. (a) Not less than once every three months, the Title IX coordinator of a postsecondary educational institution shall submit to the institution's chief executive officer a written report on the reports received under Section 51.252, including information regarding:

(1) the investigation of those reports;

(2) the disposition, if any, of any disciplinary processes arising from those reports; and

(3) the reports for which the institution determined not to initiate a disciplinary process, if any.

(b) The Title IX coordinator or deputy Title IX coordinator of a postsecondary educational institution shall immediately report to the institution's chief executive officer an incident reported to the coordinator under Section 51.252 if the coordinator has cause to believe that the safety of any person is in imminent danger as a result of the incident.

(c) Subject to Subsection (d), at least once during each fall or spring semester, the chief executive officer of a postsecondary educational institution shall submit to the institution's governing body and post on the institution's Internet website a report concerning the reports received under Section 51.252. The report:

(1) may not identify any person; and

(2) must include:

(A) the number of reports received under Section 51.252;

(B) the number of investigations conducted as a result of those reports;

(C) the disposition, if any, of any disciplinary processes arising from those reports;

(D) the number of those reports for which the institution determined not to initiate a disciplinary process, if any; and

(E) any disciplinary actions taken under Section 51.255.

(d) If for any semester a postsecondary educational institution has fewer than 1,500 enrolled students, the chief executive officer of the institution shall submit and post a report required under Subsection (c) for that semester only if more than five reports were received under Section 51.252 during that semester.

Sec. 51.254. IMMUNITIES. (a) A person acting in good faith who reports or assists in the investigation of a report of an incident described by Section 51.252(a) or who testifies or otherwise participates in a disciplinary process or judicial proceeding arising from a report of such an incident:

(1) is immune from civil liability, and from criminal liability for offenses punishable by fine only, that might otherwise be incurred or imposed as a result of those actions; and

(2) may not be subjected to any disciplinary action by the postsecondary educational institution at which the person is enrolled or employed for any violation by the person of the institution's code of conduct reasonably related to the incident for which suspension or expulsion from the institution is not a possible punishment.

(b) Subsection (a) does not apply to a person who perpetrates or assists in the perpetration of the incident reported under Section 51.252.

Sec. 51.255. FAILURE TO REPORT OR FALSE REPORT; OFFENSES. (a) A person commits an offense if the person:

(1) is required to make a report under Section 51.252 and knowingly fails to make the report; or

(2) with the intent to harm or deceive, knowingly makes a report under Section 51.252 that is false.

(b) An offense under Subsection (a) is a Class B misdemeanor, except that the offense is a Class A misdemeanor if it is shown on the trial of the offense that the actor intended to conceal the incident that the actor was required to report under Section 51.252.

(c) A postsecondary educational institution shall terminate the employment of an employee whom the institution determines in accordance with the institution's disciplinary procedure to have committed an offense under Subsection (a).

Sec. 51.256. CONFIDENTIALITY. (a) Unless waived in writing by the alleged victim, the identity of an alleged victim of an incident reported under Section 51.252:

(1) is confidential and not subject to disclosure under Chapter 552, Government Code; and

(2) may be disclosed only to:

(A) persons employed by or under contract with the postsecondary educational institution to which the report is made who are necessary to conduct an investigation of the report or any related hearings;

(B) a law enforcement officer as necessary to conduct a criminal investigation of the report;

(C) the person or persons alleged to have perpetrated the incident, to the extent required by other law; or

(D) potential witnesses to the incident as necessary to conduct an investigation of the report.

(b) A disclosure under Subsection (a) is not a voluntary disclosure for purposes of Section 552.007, Government Code.

(c) Nothing in this section may be construed as prohibiting a victim from making a report to a law enforcement agency using the pseudonym form described by Article 57.02, Code of Criminal Procedure.

Sec. 51.257. RETALIATION PROHIBITED. (a) A postsecondary educational institution may not discipline or otherwise discriminate against an employee who in good faith:

(1) makes a report as required by Section 51.252; or

(2) cooperates with an investigation, a disciplinary process, or a judicial proceeding relating to a report made by the employee as required by Section 51.252.

(b) Subsection (a) does not apply to an employee who:

(1) reports an incident described by Section 51.252(a) perpetrated by the employee; or

(2) cooperates with an investigation, a disciplinary process, or a judicial proceeding relating to an allegation that the employee perpetrated an incident described by Section 51.252(a).

Sec. 51.258. COMPLIANCE. (a) The chief executive officer of each postsecondary educational institution shall annually certify in writing to the coordinating board that the institution is in substantial compliance with this subchapter.

(b) If the coordinating board determines that a postsecondary educational institution is not in substantial compliance with this subchapter, the coordinating board may assess an administrative penalty against the institution in an amount not to exceed \$2 million. In determining the amount of the penalty, the coordinating board shall consider the nature of the violation and the number of students enrolled at the institution.

(c) If the coordinating board assesses an administrative penalty against a postsecondary educational institution under Subsection (b), the coordinating board shall provide to the institution written notice of the coordinating board's reasons for assessing the penalty.

(d) A postsecondary educational institution assessed an administrative penalty under Subsection (b) may appeal the penalty in the manner provided by Chapter 2001, Government Code.

(e) A postsecondary educational institution may not pay an administrative penalty assessed under Subsection (b) using state or federal money.

(f) An administrative penalty collected under this section shall be deposited to the credit of the sexual assault program fund established under Section 420.008, Government Code.

(g) The coordinating board shall annually submit to the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives, and the standing legislative committees with primary jurisdiction over legislation concerning sexual assault at postsecondary educational institutions a report regarding compliance with this subchapter, including a summary of the postsecondary educational institutions found not to be in substantial compliance as provided by this section and any penalties assessed under this section during the calendar year preceding the date of the report.

Sec. 51.259. RULES. The coordinating board shall adopt rules as necessary to implement and enforce this subchapter, including rules that ensure implementation of this subchapter in a manner that complies with federal law regarding confidentiality of student educational information, including the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (20 U.S.C. Section 1232g). In adopting those rules, the coordinating board shall use the negotiated rulemaking procedures under Chapter 2008, Government Code, and consult with relevant stakeholders.

Sec. 51.260. TRAINING ADVISORY COMMITTEE. (a) The commissioner of higher education shall establish an advisory committee to develop recommended training for persons required to report certain incidents under Section 51.252 and for Title IX coordinators and deputy Title IX coordinators at postsecondary educational institutions.

(b) The advisory committee consists of nine members appointed by the commissioner of higher education as follows:

(1) eight members who are a chief executive officer of a postsecondary educational institution or a representative designated by that officer; and

(2) one member who is a representative of an advocacy organization for victims of sexual assault or family violence.

(c) Not later than December 1, 2019, the advisory committee shall develop the recommended training under Subsection (a).

(d) This section expires September 1, 2020.

(3) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS to the bill:

SECTION ____. Section 420.008(b), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The fund consists of:

(1) fees collected under:

(A) [(1)] Article 42A.653(a), Code of Criminal Procedure;

 $\overline{\text{(B)}}$ [(2)] Section 508.189, Government Code; and

 (\overline{C}) [(3)] Subchapter B, Chapter 102, Business & Commerce Code, and deposited under Section 102.054 of that code; and

(2) administrative penalties collected under Section 51.258 or 51.292, Education Code.

<u>SECTION</u>. Not later than January 1, 2021, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board shall submit its initial report required under Section 51.258(g), Education Code, as added by this Act.

(4) In SECTION 5 of the bill, adding transition language (page 6, line 69), strike "The" and substitute "(a) Except as provided by Subsection (b) of this section, the".

(5) On page 7, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:

(b) Sections 51.251-51.259, Education Code, as added by this Act, apply beginning January 1, 2020.

(6) Strike SECTION 7 of the bill, providing an effective date for the bill (page 7, line 6) and substitute the following appropriately numbered SECTION:

SECTION _____. (a) Except as provided by Subsections (b) and (c) of this section, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

(b) Section 51.260, Education Code, as added by this Act, takes effect immediately if this Act receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, Section 51.260, Education Code, as added by this Act, takes effect September 1, 2019.

(c) Section 51.255(a), Education Code, as added by this Act, takes effect January 1, 2020.

(7) Renumber SECTIONS of the bill accordingly.

The amendment to CSHB 1735 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

CSHB 1735 as amended was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1735 ON THIRD READING

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 1735** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 4690 ON SECOND READING

Senator Taylor moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **HB 4690** at this time on its second reading:

HB 4690, Relating to the territory, powers, and administration of the Gulf Coast Water Authority.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Hall asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on suspension of the regular order of business.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading except as follows:

Nays: Hall.

HOUSE BILL 4690 ON THIRD READING

Senator Taylor moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 4690** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1.

Nays: Hall.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1. (Same as previous roll call)

HOUSE BILL 553 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Rodríguez and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 553** at this time on its second reading:

HB 553, Relating to notice regarding summer weekend possession of a child under a standard possession order in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 553 ON THIRD READING

Senator Rodríguez moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 553** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

HOUSE BILL 558 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Rodríguez and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 558** at this time on its second reading:

HB 558, Relating to court-ordered support for a child with a disability.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 558 ON THIRD READING

Senator Rodríguez moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 558** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 906 ON SECOND READING

Senator Powell moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSHB 906** at this time on its second reading:

CSHB 906, Relating to the establishment of a collaborative task force to study certain public school mental health services.

The motion prevailed.

Senators Fallon and Hancock asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on suspension of the regular order of business.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading except as follows:

Nays: Fallon, Hancock.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 906 ON THIRD READING

Senator Powell moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSHB 906** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 2.

Yeas: Alvarado, Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Flores, Hall, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Menéndez, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Rodríguez, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Watson, West, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Nays: Fallon, Hancock.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 2. (Same as previous roll call)

(President in Chair)

(Senator Birdwell in Chair)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 1326 ON SECOND READING

Senator Campbell moved to suspend the regular order of business to take up for consideration **CSSB 1326** at this time on its second reading:

CSSB 1326, Relating to municipal release of extraterritorial jurisdiction and disannexation involving certain areas.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 23, Nays 8.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Whitmire. Nays: Alvarado, Johnson, Menéndez, Powell, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Zaffirini.

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment by the following vote: Yeas 23, Nays 8. (Same as previous roll call)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 1326 ON THIRD READING

Senator Campbell moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **CSSB 1326** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 6.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Johnson, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Powell, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Whitmire.

Nays: Alvarado, Menéndez, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Zaffirini.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 23, Nays 8.

Yeas: Bettencourt, Birdwell, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Fallon, Flores, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Huffman, Hughes, Kolkhorst, Lucio, Miles, Nelson, Nichols, Paxton, Perry, Schwertner, Seliger, Taylor, Whitmire.

Nays: Alvarado, Johnson, Menéndez, Powell, Rodríguez, Watson, West, Zaffirini.

SENATE RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

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

SR 760 by Nelson, Huffman

Urging Congress to unite in bipartisan support for the ratification of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement.

To Committee on State Affairs.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills received from the House were read first time and referred to the committees indicated:

HB 288 to Committee on Health and Human Services. **HB 2172** to Committee on Business and Commerce.

(President Pro Tempore Watson in Chair) HOUSE BILL 1734 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Lucio and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration **HB 1734** at this time on its second reading:

HB 1734, Relating to litigation involving certain defects in school district facilities and enforcement of certain duties following that litigation; authorizing a civil penalty.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment to the bill:

Floor Amendment No. 1

Amend **HB 1734** (senate committee report) in SECTION 2 of the bill, in transferred, redesignated, and amended Section 44.151, Education Code, as follows:

(1) In Subsection (b) (page 1, line 54), strike ", including a copy of the petition,".

(2) On page 1, between lines 61 and 62, insert the following:

(b-1) The notice required under Subsection (b) must include:

(1) a copy of the petition; and

(2) an itemized list of:

(A) the defects in the design, construction, renovation, or improvement for which the district is seeking damages under the action; and

(B) any damaged furniture or fixtures for which the district is seeking damages under the action.

The amendment to HB 1734 was read and was adopted by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the adoption of Floor Amendment No. 1.

HB 1734 as amended was passed to third reading by a viva voce vote.

All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on the passage to third reading.

HOUSE BILL 1734 ON THIRD READING

Senator Lucio moved that Senate Rule 7.18 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **HB 1734** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

(President in Chair)

SENATE RULE 11.13 SUSPENDED (Consideration of Bills in Committees)

On motion of Senator Hancock and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.13 was suspended to grant the Committee on Business and Commerce permission to meet while the Senate is meeting tomorrow.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Hancock and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Business and Commerce might meet in the Betty King Committee Room tomorrow.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Perry and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Water and Rural Affairs might meet at the brass rail today.

SENATE RULE 11.13 SUSPENDED (Consideration of Bills in Committees)

On motion of Senator Creighton and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.13 was suspended to grant the Committee on Higher Education permission to meet while the Senate is meeting today.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Creighton and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Higher Education might meet at the brass rail and consider the following bills today: **HB 3601**, **HB 3312**, **HB 766**.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Huffman and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on State Affairs might meet and consider the following bills and resolution tomorrow:

HB 2628, HB 2640, HB 3863, SR 760, HB 2363.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Birdwell and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Natural Resources and Economic Development might meet at the brass rail today.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Lucio and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Intergovernmental Relations might meet and consider the following bills tomorrow:

HB 1135, HB 2564, HB 2736.

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 Health and Human Services might meet and consider the following bills tomorrow:

HB 2059, HB 2174, HB 3148, HB 4455, HB 2786, HB 3147.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Nelson 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 **HJR 82** tomorrow.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Campbell and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Veteran Affairs and Border Security might meet and consider **HB 4306** tomorrow.

SENATE RULE 11.13 SUSPENDED (Consideration of Bills in Committees)

On motion of Senator Whitmire and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.13 was suspended to grant the Committee on Criminal Justice permission to meet while the Senate is meeting tomorrow.

SENATE RULES SUSPENDED (Posting Rules)

On motion of Senator Whitmire and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 11.10(a) and Senate Rule 11.18(a) were suspended in order that the Committee on Criminal Justice might meet and consider the following bills tomorrow:

HB 37, HB 101, HB 2524, HB 2625, HB 3082, HB 3316, HB 3440, HB 3503, HB 3716, HB 3800, HB 4157, HB 4236, HB 4468, HB 4531, HB 4559, HB 4754.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

On motion of Senator Whitmire and by unanimous consent, the Senate at 3:57 p.m. agreed to adjourn, pending the receipt of committee reports, until 12:00 p.m. tomorrow.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 70

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator West will be shown as Co-author of SB 70.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 147

On motion of Senator Rodríguez, Senator Johnson will be shown as Co-author of **SB 147**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 685

On motion of Senator Alvarado, Senator Watson will be shown as Co-author of **SB 685**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 792

On motion of Senator Perry, Senator Lucio will be shown as Co-author of SB 792.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 890

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator West will be shown as Co-author of SB 890.

CO-AUTHORS OF SENATE BILL 1978

On motion of Senator Hughes, Senators Bettencourt, Creighton, Fallon, and Nelson will be shown as Co-authors of **SB 1978**.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 2332

On motion of Senator Creighton, Senator Birdwell will be shown as Co-author of **SB 2332**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 13

On motion of Senator Creighton, Senator Hinojosa will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 13**.

CO-SPONSORS OF HOUSE BILL 16

On motion of Senator Kolkhorst, Senators Paxton and Schwertner will be shown as Co-sponsors of **HB 16**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 111

On motion of Senator Fallon, Senator Alvarado will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 111**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 162

On motion of Senator Zaffirini, Senator West will be shown as Co-sponsor of HB 162.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 259

On motion of Senator Hancock, Senator Perry will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 259**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 680

On motion of Senator Watson, Senator West will be shown as Co-sponsor of HB 680.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 769

On motion of Senator Campbell, Senator Hall will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 769**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 864

On motion of Senator Birdwell, Senator Johnson will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 864**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 866

On motion of Senator Birdwell, Senator Johnson will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 866**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 871

On motion of Senator Perry, Senator Lucio will be shown as Co-sponsor of HB 871.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 906

On motion of Senator Powell, Senator Hinojosa will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 906**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2065

On motion of Senator Lucio, Senator Flores will be shown as Co-sponsor of HB 2065.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2155

On motion of Senator Lucio, Senator Flores will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 2155**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2199

On motion of Senator Flores, Senator Lucio will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 2199**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2475

On motion of Senator Zaffirini, Senator West will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 2475**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2747

On motion of Senator Rodríguez, Senator Menéndez will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 2747**.

CO-SPONSORS OF HOUSE BILL 2817

On motion of Senator Hughes, Senators Alvarado, Johnson, Miles, Nichols, Paxton, Rodríguez, and Watson will be shown as Co-sponsors of **HB 2817**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2845

On motion of Senator Creighton, Senator Campbell will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 2845**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 2952

On motion of Senator Zaffirini, Senator Hinojosa will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 2952**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 3041

On motion of Senator Buckingham, Senator Menéndez will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 3041**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 3388

On motion of Senator Kolkhorst, Senator Perry will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 3388**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 4090

On motion of Senator Kolkhorst, Senator Johnson will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 4090**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 4347

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Alvarado will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 4347**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE BILL 4534

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senator Hinojosa will be shown as Co-sponsor of **HB 4534**.

CO-SPONSOR OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4

On motion of Senator Creighton, Senator Bettencourt will be shown as Co-sponsor of HJR 4.

RESOLUTIONS OF RECOGNITION

The following resolutions were adopted by the Senate:

Congratulatory Resolutions

SCR 64 by Hughes, Commending the work of the Texas State History Museum Foundation.

SR 750 by Flores, Recognizing Rey A. Saldaña for his service on the San Antonio City Council.

SR 751 by Hinojosa, Lucio, and Zaffirini, Recognizing The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley chess team for winning the 2019 President's Cup.

SR 752 by Schwertner, Recognizing Joziah Garcia on the occasion of his graduation from the Texas School for the Deaf.

SR 753 by Schwertner, Recognizing Alyssa Garrett on the occasion of her graduation from the Texas School for the Deaf.

SR 754 by Schwertner, Recognizing Preston Garrett on the occasion of his graduation from the Texas School for the Deaf.

SR 755 by Schwertner, Recognizing Hallel Stephens on the occasion of her graduation from the Texas School for the Deaf.

SR 756 by Nelson, Recognizing the Flower Mound High School boys' soccer team for winning a state championship.

SR 757 by Schwertner, Recognizing Robert Looney on the occasion of his graduation from Texas Tech University.

SR 758 by Taylor, Recognizing Alicia Davis on the occasion of her graduation from the Texas School for the Deaf.

SR 762 by Zaffirini, Buckingham, Campbell, Creighton, Huffman, Schwertner, and Watson, Recognizing Nathan L. Hecht for 30 years of service on the Texas Supreme Court.

ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to a previously adopted motion, the Senate at 11:12 a.m. Friday, May 17, 2019, adjourned until 12:00 p.m. today.

APPENDIX

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committee reports were received by the Secretary of the Senate in the order listed:

May 16, 2019

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES — HB 3079, HB 2699, HB 2566, HB 2050, HB 1225, HB 706, HB 531, HB 53

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS — HB 4640

TRANSPORTATION — CSHB 2112, CSHB 3714, HB 1631

VETERAN AFFAIRS AND BORDER SECURITY — HB 295, HB 1725

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS - CSHB 4644

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE — CSSB 1185, HB 2439, HB 1002

STATE AFFAIRS — HB 2504, HB 292, HB 3706, HB 3233, HB 3100, HB 4130, HB 2629, HB 4345

WATER AND RURAL AFFAIRS — CSHB 722, CSHB 26

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES — HB 823

CRIMINAL JUSTICE - CSHB 3227, CSHB 601

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS — HB 1829, HB 2018, HB 2060, HB 4639, HB 4660, HB 4697, HB 4698, HB 4699, HB 4728, CSHB 4676

May 17, 2019

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE — CSHB 1545

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT — CSHB 864, CSHB 2199, CSHB 3224, CSHB 2348, CSHB 1649, HB 1435, HB 3838, HB 866, HB 4158, HB 2971

CRIMINAL JUSTICE — CSHB 2584, CSHB 1590, CSHB 3636, CSHB 1355, CSHB 616

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT — CSHB 3745

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS — HB 3383, HB 3436, HB 4257, HB 4505, HB 4628, HB 4629, HB 4631, HB 4642, HB 4702, HB 4710, CSHB 4742, CSHB 4657, HB 4655

BILLS ENGROSSED

May 15, 2019

SB 185, SB 808, SB 1260, SB 1325, SB 1355, SB 1458, SB 1492, SB 1980, SB 2248, SB 2470, SB 2472, SB 2474, SB 2475, SB 2477, SB 2478, SB 2548

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS ENROLLED

May 15, 2019

SB 124, SB 228, SB 317, SB 354, SB 435, SB 442, SB 579, SB 624, SB 646, SB 822, SB 874, SB 893, SB 932, SB 1037, SB 1038, SB 1041, SB 1063, SB 1113, SB 1236, SB 1276, SB 1306, SB 1350, SB 1402, SB 1413, SB 1420, SB 1512, SB 1557, SB 1571, SB 1720, SB 1751, SB 1780, SB 1802, SB 1820, SB 1821, SB 1950, SB 2038, SB 2131, SB 2449, SB 2469, SB 2481, SB 2517, SB 2527, SCR 2, SR 727, SR 733, SR 740, SR 741, SR 742, SR 743, SR 744, SR 745, SR 746, SR 747, SR 748, SR 749

SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

May 16, 2019

SB 1938