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PROCEEDINGS

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TWENTIETH DAY

(Continued)

(Friday, April 9, 2021)

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 10:00 a.m. and was called to order by Senator Schwertner.

## SESSION HELD FOR LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED CALENDAR

The Presiding Officer announced that the time had arrived to consider bills and resolutions placed on the Local and Uncontested Calendar.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 9.03(d), the following bills and resolutions were laid before the Senate in the order listed, read second time, amended where applicable, passed to engrossment or third reading, read third time, and passed. The votes on passage to engrossment or third reading, suspension of the Constitutional Three-day Rule, and final passage are indicated after each caption. All Members are deemed to have voted "Yea" on viva voce votes unless otherwise indicated.

### **SB 48** (Zaffirini)

Relating to conditions of community supervision for defendants convicted of certain criminal offenses involving animals.

(viva voce vote) (29-2) "Nays" Perry, Springer (29-2) "Nays" Perry, Springer

### **SB 56** (Zaffirini)

Relating to the availability of personal information of a current or former federal prosecutor or public defender.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

### **SB 160** (Perry)

Relating to certain county road reports.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

### **SB 186** (Perry)

Relating to the authority of a county to issue bonds to restore or maintain a county courthouse.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

### **SB 195** (Zaffirini)

Relating to grounds for refusal of certain alcoholic beverage licenses and permits.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 197** (Nelson)

Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for animals adopted from or sold by nonprofit animal welfare organizations.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 198** (Nelson)

Relating to the demonstration of weapons proficiency by qualified retired law enforcement officers.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 199** (Nelson)

Relating to automated external defibrillators.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 203** (Schwertner)

Relating to selection of statewide competition locations by the University Interscholastic League.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 211** (Zaffirini)

Relating to judicial review of acts by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 220** (Zaffirini)

Relating to notice and reporting requirements for vendor rebates under a contract listed on a multiple award contract schedule.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 230** (Seliger)

Relating to the continuing education requirement for county commissioners.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 231** (Seliger)

Relating to training for county election officers.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 271** (Perry)

Relating to applicants for employment at assisted living facilities.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 289** (Seliger)

Relating to excused absences from public school for certain students to obtain a driver's license or learner license.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 374** (Seliger)

Relating to municipal annexation of certain rights-of-way.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 387** (Schwertner)

Relating to the appeal of rates for water or sewer service charged to certain customers of a municipality.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 398** (Menéndez)

Relating to distributed renewable generation resources.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 415** (Hancock)

Relating to use of electric energy storage facilities in the ERCOT power region.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 445** (Hughes)

Relating to the use of a flashing warning signal light and certain other equipment by a person operating a school bus.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 477** (Nelson)

Relating to the administration and collection of sales and use taxes and certain fees applicable to sales involving marketplace providers.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 478** (Nelson)

Relating to excluding the furnishing of an academic transcript from the definition of "information service" for purposes of sales and use taxes.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 479** (Hughes)

Relating to the powers of the TexAmericas Center, including its authority to issue bonds.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 481** (Kolkhorst)

Relating to the transfer of certain public school students to a school district offering in-person instruction.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 484** (Hinojosa)

Relating to the right of a member of the state military forces to retain private legal counsel and file a civil action.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 510** (Perry)

Relating to the transfer of certain state property from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to Stephens County.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 511** (Perry)

Relating to the operation of the juvenile boards of Crosby and Lubbock Counties.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 599** (Perry)

Relating to the removal and disposal of abandoned fishing devices and the seizure and disposition of unlawful fishing devices.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 600** (Perry)

Relating to an inventory of dams controlled by river authorities.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 634** (Kolkhorst)

Relating to the confidentiality of the identity of certain landowners who participate in a State Soil and Water Conservation Board program to manage or eradicate an invasive species.

(viva voce vote) (30-1) "Nay" Zaffirini (30-1) "Nay" Zaffirini

**SB 675** (Kolkhorst)

Relating to special open season hunting of certain migratory game birds by veterans and members of the United States armed forces on active duty.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 709** (Hall, Blanco, Buckingham, Hinojosa, Paxton, Schwertner)

Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Commission on Fire Protection.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 780** (Hinojosa)

Relating to the authority of a local government to enter into an intergovernmental support agreement with a branch of the armed forces of the United States.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 783** (Creighton)

Relating to the purchase of iron and steel products made in the United States for certain projects by public institutions of higher education.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 790** (Zaffirini)

Relating to county authority to balance bill for county air ambulance services.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 798** (Nelson)

Relating to the issuance of a birth record, driver's license, or personal identification certificate to victims and the children of victims of family or dating violence.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 800** (Nelson)

Relating to certain required reports or information received or prepared by state agencies and other governmental entities.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 813** (Hughes)

Relating to the insurance premium tax credit for the certified rehabilitation of certified historic structures.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 860** (Johnson, Paxton)

Relating to the exclusion of certain car haulers from the definition of tow truck for purposes of certain laws regulating motor vehicle towing.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 874** (Hancock)

Relating to the reporting and expiration dates of a temporary health insurance risk pool administered by the commissioner of insurance.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 886** (Blanco)

Relating to the provision of citizenship assistance to veterans by the Texas Veterans Commission.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 901** (Perry)

Relating to the enforcement of commercial motor vehicle safety standards in certain counties.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 905** (Perry, Springer)

Relating to guidance on the regulations applicable to the potable reuse of wastewater.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 911** (Hancock)

Relating to the regulation of restaurants and third-party food delivery services, including the issuance of certain alcoholic beverage certificates to restaurants.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 918** (Kolkhorst)

Relating to the size, terms, and election of boards of directors of certain insurance companies.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 965** (Zaffirini)

Relating to rate filing requirements for certain personal lines insurers with low market shares.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 967** (Kolkhorst)

Relating to the expiration and extension of certain public health orders issued by a health authority.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1093** (Creighton)

Relating to the administration of a veterans treatment court program.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1156** (Nelson)

Relating to the contracting authority of the Health and Human Services Commission for the volunteer advocate for children program.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1181** (Creighton)

Relating to the towing of certain property from a self-service storage facility for disposition by a vehicle storage facility.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1202** (Hancock)

Relating to the applicability of certain utility provisions to a vehicle charging service.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1203** (Hancock)

Relating to business entities.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1210** (Johnson, Bettencourt)

Relating to substitutes for hydrofluorocarbon refrigerants applicable to commercial or residential buildings or construction.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1216** (Zaffirini)

Relating to a local option election on the sale of alcoholic beverages in certain areas of a municipality.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1280** (Hancock)

Relating to certain provisions of The Securities Act for which a person offering or selling a security may be held liable to a person buying the security.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1284** (Hancock)

Relating to consumption of alcoholic beverages in public entertainment facilities and zones.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**CSSB 1308** (Blanco)

Relating to a study on the impacts of using certain motor vehicle technologies.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1323** (Hinojosa)

Relating to preemployment physical examinations for employment with the Texas Department of Transportation.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**SB 1523** (Hancock)

Relating to registered and protected series of domestic limited liability companies; authorizing fees.

(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

**BILL REMOVED FROM  
LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED CALENDAR**

Senator Alvarado and Senator Schwertner requested in writing that **SB 760** be removed from the Local and Uncontested Calendar.

**SESSION CONCLUDED FOR  
LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED CALENDAR**

Senator Schwertner announced that the session to consider bills and resolutions placed on the Local and Uncontested Calendar was concluded.

**CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 230**

On motion of Senator Seliger, Senator Zaffirini will be shown as Co-author of **SB 230**.

**CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 478**

On motion of Senator Nelson, Senator Zaffirini will be shown as Co-author of **SB 478**.

**CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 600**

On motion of Senator Perry, Senator Zaffirini will be shown as Co-author of **SB 600**.

**CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 886**

On motion of Senator Blanco, Senator Zaffirini will be shown as Co-author of **SB 886**.

**CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 1093**

On motion of Senator Creighton, Senator Zaffirini will be shown as Co-author of **SB 1093**.

**CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 1308**

On motion of Senator Blanco, Senator Zaffirini will be shown as Co-author of **SB 1308**.

**RESOLUTION OF RECOGNITION**

The following resolution was adopted by the Senate:

**Congratulatory Resolution**

**SR 234** by Lucio, Recognizing George McShan for his service on the Harlingen Consolidated Independent School District Board of Trustees.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Pursuant to a previously adopted motion, the Senate at 10:35 a.m. adjourned, in memory of Rawley Glenn McCoy and Chad Michael Walker, until 2:00 p.m. Monday, April 12, 2021.

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**APPENDIX**

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**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

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

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**JURISPRUDENCE — SB 312, SB 567, SB 766, SB 907, SB 1055, SB 1056, CSSB 295, CSSB 985, CSSB 1371**

**TRANSPORTATION — CSSB 15, CSSB 858, CSSB 1650**

**FINANCE — CSSB 1372**

**BUSINESS AND COMMERCE — CSSB 2, CSSB 1448, CSSB 861, CSSB 1282, CSSB 1281, CSSB 2062, CSSB 859, CSSB 2038**

**STATE AFFAIRS — SB 550, SB 20, SB 19, SCR 17, SCR 12, CSSB 855, CSSB 797, SB 513**

### **BILLS ENGROSSED**

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**SB 48, SB 56, SB 160, SB 186, SB 195, SB 197, SB 198, SB 199, SB 203, SB 211, SB 220, SB 230, SB 231, SB 271, SB 289, SB 374, SB 387, SB 398, SB 415, SB 445, SB 477, SB 478, SB 479, SB 481, SB 484, SB 510, SB 511, SB 599, SB 600, SB 634, SB 675, SB 709, SB 780, SB 783, SB 790, SB 798, SB 800, SB 813, SB 860, SB 874, SB 886, SB 901, SB 905, SB 911, SB 918, SB 965, SB 967, SB 1093, SB 1156, SB 1181, SB 1202, SB 1203, SB 1210, SB 1216, SB 1280, SB 1284, SB 1308, SB 1323, SB 1523**