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EIGHTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE — REGULAR SESSION

AUSTIN, TEXAS

PROCEEDINGS

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

(Continued)

(Monday, April 3, 2023)

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Senator Hall.

SENATE RULE 11.13 SUSPENDED
(Consideration of Bills in Committees)
(Motion In Writing)

Senator Whitmire submitted the following Motion In Writing:

Mr. President:

I move to suspend Senate Rule 11.13 so that committees may meet while the Senate is meeting.

WHITMIRE

The Motion In Writing was read and prevailed without objection.

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.

SCR 7 (Hinojosa) Authorizing the burial of Patrick John Nugent in the State Cemetery.
(viva voce vote)

SCR 8 (Parker) Designating June 2 as Italian Heritage Day for a 10-year period beginning in 2023.
(viva voce vote)

SCR 9 (Springer) Designating the first full week in April as Gifted and Talented Students Week for a 10-year period ending in 2033.

(viva voce vote)

SCR 16 (Parker) Designating November as Ukrainian Genocide Remembrance Month for a 10-year period beginning in 2023.

(viva voce vote)

SCR 22 (Hall) Authorizing the creation and appointment of joint legislative study committees by the lieutenant governor and speaker of the House of Representatives.

(viva voce vote)

SCR 28 (Huffman) Urging Congress to repeal the Government Pension Offset and the Windfall Elimination Provision of the Social Security Act.

(viva voce vote)

SCR 31 (Parker) Designating an area in Dallas as Koreatown Dallas for a 10-year period ending in 2033.

(viva voce vote)

SB 37 (Zaffirini) Relating to the criminal offense of hazing.

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

SB 48 (Zaffirini) Relating to standardized forms and materials for the issuance of protective orders, magistrate's orders for emergency protection, and temporary ex parte orders.

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

CSSB 182 (Miles) Relating to the required report of criminal offenses committed against individuals receiving certain state agency services; creating a criminal offense.

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

SB 247 (Alvarado) Relating to specialty license plates issued for honorary consuls.

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

SB 276 (Huffman) Relating to certificates of title for certain outboard motors.

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

SB 281 (Zaffirini) Relating to the designation of state musicians for classical and nonclassical genres.

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

SB 315 (Hall) Relating to the definition of telephone call for purposes of regulating telephone solicitations.

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

SB 323 (Huffman, Kolkhorst) Relating to the enforcement of commercial motor vehicle safety standards in certain counties.

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

CSSB 401 (Kolkhorst) Relating to prices charged by a medical staffing services agency during certain designated public health disaster periods; providing a civil penalty.

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

SB 464 (Parker) Relating to designating October 17 as Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Day.

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

CSSB 478 (Zaffirini) Relating to the administration of the motorcycle operator training and safety program and requirements for the issuance of certain driver's licenses and commercial driver's licenses; requiring an occupational license; authorizing a fee.

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

SB 498 (Johnson) Relating to the operation of statewide technology centers.

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

SB 507 (Perry) Relating to the designation of a portion of U.S. Highway 87 in Concho County as the Deputy Samuel Leonard Memorial Highway.

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

SB 508 (Perry) Relating to the designation of the portion of Farm-to-Market Road 765 in Concho County as the Sergeant Stephen Jones Memorial Highway.

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

CSSB 538 (King) Relating to the use of appropriated money by the Texas State Guard for recruiting and retention purposes.

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

SB 545 (Kolkhorst) Relating to death records maintained and provided by the vital statistics unit of the Department of State Health Services.

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

CSSB 617 (Blanco) Relating to the confidentiality of certain home address information in ad valorem tax appraisal records.

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

CSSB 658 (Perry) Relating to the disposition of money from certain attorney accounts delivered to the comptroller as unclaimed property.

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

CSSB 691 (Kolkhorst) Relating to an animal share exemption for certain meat and meat food products; providing a civil penalty.

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

SB 729 (Huffman) Relating to the cash balance benefit under the Employees Retirement System of Texas.

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

SB 739 (Johnson) Relating to designating October 10 as Supportive Palliative Care Awareness Day.

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

CSSB 745 (Kolkhorst, Campbell, Hall, Schwertner, Sparks) Relating to fraud prevention under certain health care programs.

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

SB 768 (Parker) Relating to the process for notifying the attorney general of a breach of security of computerized data by persons doing business in this state.

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

SB 818 (Alvarado) Relating to the disposition of real property interests by navigation districts and port authorities.

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

CSSB 870 (West) Relating to certain Title IV-D cases and other cases with respect to child support or Title IV-D agency services and to practices and procedures for the operation of the Title IV-D agency.

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

CSSB 944 (Kolkhorst) Relating to the commitment order for individuals with intellectual disabilities who are committed to state supported living centers.

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

CSSB 987 (Kolkhorst) Relating to the reporting of certain information regarding the payment of state money to certain vendors and counties.

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

CSSB 1016 (King) Relating to the consideration of employee compensation and benefits in establishing the rates of electric utilities.

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

SB 1021 (Nichols) Relating to the handling of bids on certain contracts for highway projects.

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

SB 1023 (Nichols) Relating to the establishment and posting of the maximum loads permitted on certain bridges.

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

SB 1052 (Springer) Relating to the compensation of an election judge or clerk.

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

SB 1115 (Hancock) Relating to the titling, registration, and operation of an autocycle.

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

SB 1136 (Schwertner) Relating to the administration of county roads in certain counties.

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

SB 1259 (Creighton) Relating to the maximum judgment amount awarded by a justice court in certain civil cases regarding the repair of residential rental property.

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

CSSB 1372 (Perry) Relating to costs associated with the destruction of certain deer.

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

CSSB 1421 (Perry, Blanco, Campbell, Flores, Gutierrez, Hall, Hancock, Hinojosa, Hughes, King, LaMantia, Middleton, Parker, Paxton, Schwertner, Sparks, Springer, West) Relating to the effect of nuisance actions, other actions, and governmental requirements on certain agricultural operations.

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

SB 1499 (Nichols) Relating to the funding of certain port projects.
(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

SB 1500 (Nichols) Relating to powers and duties of navigation districts and the boards of trustees of municipal port facilities.
(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

SB 1523 (Blanco) Relating to the dismissal of a baseless or unfounded complaint filed with the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners.
(viva voce vote) (31-0) (31-0)

BILLS REMOVED FROM LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED CALENDAR

Senator West and Senator Hall requested in writing that **SB 869** be removed from the Local and Uncontested Calendar.

Senator Blanco and Senator Hall requested in writing that **SB 1133** be removed from the Local and Uncontested Calendar.

Senator Gutierrez and Senator Hall requested in writing that **SB 1216** be removed from the Local and Uncontested Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

HOUSE CHAMBER

Austin, Texas

Monday, April 3, 2023 - 1

The Honorable President of the Senate
Senate Chamber
Austin, Texas

Mr. President:

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

THE HOUSE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

HB 28 Slawson

Relating to enhancing the punishment for certain conduct constituting the criminal offense of aggravated assault.

HB 584 Capriglione

Relating to the development of a state information technology credential offered by public junior colleges or public technical institutes to address shortages in the state information resources workforce.

HB 624 Harris, Cody

Relating to emergency medical transport by fire fighters of certain patients.

HCR 73 Vasut

In memory of the Honorable James Ray Gayle III of Angleton.

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

ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to a previously adopted motion, the Senate at 9:31 a.m. adjourned until 2:00 p.m. today.