## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Agriculture & Livestock

TIME & DATE: 10:00 AM, Wednesday, June 27, 2012

PLACE: E1.014

CHAIR: Rep. Rick Hardcastle

The committee will meet to hear invited and public testimony on the follow interim charges:

#3 Study the adequacy of access to veterinarian care in rural areas of the state. Determine the impact that a lack of access may have on the agriculture business in Texas; and

#4 Examine the current enforcement system for performance-enhancing drug testing show horses, performance horses, and race horses in Texas. Specifically, review currently prohibited drugs and quantities to determine if any changes should be made to existing law. Compare the state's current regulations to other systems around the country and make specific recommendations on how the state's system could be improved.

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