

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS

**Tuesday
April 2, 2013**

SENATE BILLS (Calendar Order)

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS (Second Reading)

SJR 21

Eltife

Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to appropriations for the preservation and perpetuation of certain items of historical value; allowing the legislature and state agencies to accept on behalf of the state gifts of items of historical value and contributions to purchase such items.

SJR 22

Huffman

Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide that the governor, and the lieutenant governor when acting as governor, retain executive authority unless unavailable as provided by law.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS (Second Reading)

SCR 17 (LC)

Hinojosa

Urging Congress to restore the presumption of a service connection for Agent Orange exposure to United States Navy and United States Air Force veterans who served on the inland waterways, in the territorial waters, and in the airspace of the Republic of Vietnam and to institute a presumption of connection to employment for civilians exposed to Agent Orange in their workplaces.

SCR 28 (LC)

Uresti

Designating the first Tuesday in March as Texas Assisted Living Awareness Day for a 10-year period beginning in 2013.

SENATE BILLS (Second Reading)

SB 234

Eltife

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

SB 149 (CS)

Nelson/ et al.

Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.

SB 116 (LC)

Hinojosa

Relating to the consideration of ownership interests of disabled veterans in determining whether a business is a historically underutilized business for purposes of state contracting.

SB 3 (CS)

**Patrick/ Campbell/ Lucio/ Taylor/
et al.**

Relating to public high school graduation, including curriculum and assessment requirements for graduation and funding in support of certain curriculum authorized for graduation.

SB 8 (CS) (LC)

Nelson/ et al.

Relating to the provision and delivery of certain health and human services in this state, including the provision of those services through the Medicaid program and the prevention of fraud, waste, and abuse in that program and other programs.

SB 190 (CS)

Huffman/ et al.

Relating to the prescription and pharmaceutical substitution of biological products.

SB 427

Nelson

Relating to the regulation of certain child-care facilities and administrators of those facilities.

SB 473 (CS) (LC)

Carona

Relating to the regulation of temporary common worker employers; providing a criminal penalty; authorizing fees.

SB 370 (LC)

Lucio

Relating to authorizing certain current and former members of the state legislature to conduct a marriage ceremony.

SB 576 (CS)

Duncan

Relating to the delay in the implementation of the abolishment of small claims courts.

SB 150 (LC)

Nelson/ et al.

Relating to the cancer prevention and research fund.

SB 714

Lucio

Relating to access to birth records of certain adopted children.

SB 291 (CS)

Nelson

Relating to notice requirements for gas utilities entering certain real property; providing an administrative penalty.

SB 573

Patrick/ et al.

Relating to equal opportunity for access by private and parochial school students to certain University Interscholastic League sponsored activities.

SB 152 (CS)

Nelson/ et al.

Relating to the protection and care of persons who are elderly or disabled or who are children.

SB 746 (CS)

Nelson/ et al.

Relating to unlawful acts against and criminal offenses involving the Medicaid program.

SB 521 (CS)

Paxton/ Campbell/ Lucio

Relating to the provision of and parental approval for a student's participation in human sexuality and family planning instruction in public schools.

SB 117 (CS) (LC)

Hinojosa

Relating to the right of a person to enter the person's residence or former residence accompanied by a peace officer to recover certain personal property; providing penalties.

SB 329

Huffman

Relating to a prohibition on the use of a tanning facility by a minor.

SB 504 (CS)

Deuell

Relating to the requirement that certain schoolchildren be screened for abnormal spinal curvature.

SB 614 (CS) (LC)

Lucio

Relating to an electric utility surcharge to assist owners of certain historic structures with electric bill payments and to promote energy conservation and efficiency.

SB 741 (CS)

Rodríguez

Relating to the period during which an employee may file a claim for unpaid wages with the Texas Workforce Commission.

SB 658 (CS) (LC)

Deuell

Relating to the imposition and collection of a penalty for fraudulently obtaining unemployment compensation benefits.

SB 633

Ellis/ Patrick

Relating to liability of certain electric utilities that allow certain uses of land that the electric utility owns, occupies, or leases.

SB 262 **Huffman**

Relating to the reporting of criminal disposition completeness percentage data.

SB 354 (LC) **West**

Relating to permitting electronic delivery of certain documents in a criminal case.

SB 275 **Watson/ Davis/ et al.**

Relating to the penalty for the offense of leaving the scene of an accident that involves personal injury or death.

SB 490 (LC) **Seliger**

Relating to the expiration of tuition equalization grant requirements for grants awarded before the 2005-2006 academic year.

SB 974 **Campbell/ et al.**

Relating to the name of Texas State University--San Marcos.

SB 1007 (CS) **Carona**

Relating to own risk and solvency assessment by insurers and insurance groups; providing a penalty.

SB 736 (CS) (LC) **Watson**

Relating to insurance rating and underwriting practices and declinations based on certain consumer inquiries.

SB 630 (CS) **Carona**

Relating to certain obligations of and limitations on residential landlords.

SB 567 (CS) **Watson/ Nichols/ et al.**

Relating to rates for water service, to the transfer of functions relating to the economic regulation of water and sewer service from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and to the duties of the Office of Public Utility Counsel regarding the economic regulation of water and sewer service.

SB 701 (CS) (LC) **Hegar**

Relating to a defense to prosecution for criminal trespass.

SB 821 (CS) (LC) **Schwertner**

Relating to the prosecution of certain criminal offenses involving theft or involving fraud or other deceptive practices.

SB 1238 (CS) (LC) **Hinojosa/ Huffman**

Relating to the composition and duties of and investigations conducted by the Texas Forensic Science Commission, the administrative attachment of the Texas Forensic Science Commission to Sam Houston State University, and the accreditation of criminal laboratories by the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas.

SB 1210 (CS) (LC) **Zaffirini/ et al.**

Relating to conditions on the receipt of tuition and fee exemptions and waivers at public institutions of higher education.

SB 742 (CS) (LC) **Carona**

Relating to reports of missing children or attempted child abductions and to education and training for peace officers regarding missing or exploited children.

SB 1107 (LC) **Zaffirini**

Relating to the preference given by state and local governmental entities to agricultural products produced or grown in this state.

SB 181 (CS) (LC) **Hegar/ et al.**

Relating to the use of a wireless communication device to provide evidence of motor vehicle financial responsibility.

SB 487 (CS) (LC)**Davis**

Relating to all-terrain vehicles and recreational off-highway vehicles.

SB 1110 (CS)**Nichols**

Relating to the purposes and designation of a transportation reinvestment zone.

SB 307 (CS)**Huffman/ et al.**

Relating to the transfer of adult education and literacy programs from the Texas Education Agency to the Texas Workforce Commission.

SB 920 (CS) (LC)**Eltife**

Relating to the requirement that an unemployed individual be actively seeking work to be eligible for unemployment compensation benefits.

SB 1041 (LC)**Zaffirini**

Relating to authorizing certain counties to impose a hotel occupancy tax.

SB 672 (CS) (LC)**Carona**

Relating to the regulation of industrialized housing.

SB 828 (CS) (LC)**Van de Putte**

Relating to the marketing of certain alcoholic beverages by manufacturers and their agents; providing for a permitting fee.

SB 233 (LC)**Patrick**

Relating to the use of funds of certain municipal hospital authorities.

SB 654 (LC)**West**

Relating to the enforcement of water conservation and animal care and control ordinances of a municipality by civil action or quasi-judicial enforcement; providing civil penalties.

SB 660 (LC)**West**

Relating to assessment collection in certain public improvement districts.

SB 751 (LC)**Patrick**

Relating to the creation of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 531; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain.

SB 752 (LC)**Patrick**

Relating to the creation of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 530; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain.

SB 836 (LC)**Hegar**

Relating to the powers and duties of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 171; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

SB 877 (LC)**Patrick**

Relating to establishing the Citizens' Star of Texas Award.

SB 794 (CS) (LC)**Lucio**

Relating to the development, hosting, and management of computer software for state agencies.

SB 547**Hancock**

Relating to the applicability of certain laws to open-enrollment charter schools.

SB 832 (CS) (LC)**Davis**

Relating to training for school district and open-enrollment charter school liaisons who assist students in the conservatorship of the state with school enrollments and transfers.

SB 833 (CS) (LC)**Davis**

Relating to the collection of data through the Public Education Information Management System (PEIMS) as to the foster care status of public school students.

SB 1724 (CS)**Patrick/ Birdwell/ Campbell/ Hegar/ Lucio/ et al.**

Relating to the right to terminate a lease and avoid liability by a victim of certain sexual offenses or stalking.

SB 1328 (LC) Paxton

Relating to the authority of a statutory probate court in Collin County to hear and determine certain matters pending in a district or statutory county court.

SB 1577 (LC) Fraser

Relating to the election of directors of certain electric cooperatives.

SB 981 (CS) (LC) Van de Putte

Relating to electric utility bill payment assistance programs for certain veterans burned in combat.

SB 201 Birdwell/ Nichols

Relating to the continuation and functions of the State Preservation Board.

SB 248 Davis/ et al.

Relating to unlawful employment practices regarding discrimination in payment of compensation.

SB 844 (LC) Ellis

Relating to unemployment compensation eligibility and chargebacks regarding certain persons who leave work to attend training.

SB 997 (LC) Deuell

Relating to the sales and use tax consequences of economic development agreements in certain municipalities.

SB 1833 (LC) Uresti

Relating to the rate of the hotel occupancy tax in certain counties.

SB 1297 (CS) (LC) Watson

Relating to written electronic communications between members of a governmental body.

SB 1134 (LC) Ellis

Relating to the duties of the Department of Information Resources regarding cybersecurity.

SB 1102 (LC) Van de Putte

Relating to the appointment of a state cybersecurity coordinator.

SB 1101 (LC) Van de Putte

Relating to the Cybersecurity, Education, and Economic Development Council.

SB 1602 (CS) (LC) Zaffirini

Relating to reports and other information required of or held by institutions of higher education.

SB 393 (CS) (LC) West/ et al.

Relating to the prosecution of children accused of certain Class C misdemeanors.

SB 299 (CS) Estes/ et al.

Relating to the intentional display of a handgun by a person licensed to carry a concealed handgun.

SB 1114 (CS) (LC) Whitmire/ West

Relating to the prosecution of certain misdemeanor offenses committed by children and to school district law enforcement.

SB 1611 (CS) Ellis/ Duncan/ et al.

Relating to discovery in a criminal case.

SB 1289 (CS) (LC) Williams

Relating to certain business entities engaged in the publication of mug shots and other information regarding the involvement of an individual in the criminal justice system; providing a civil penalty.

SB 1074 (CS) (LC) Higar

Relating to electronic transmission of documentation involved in certain insurance transactions.

SB 1125 (CS) (LC)**Carona**

Relating to first-party indemnity coverage purchased by insurance purchasing groups.

SB 566 (LC)**Eltife/ Nichols**

Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.

SB 33 (CS) (LC)**Zaffirini**

Relating to the electronic monitoring of residents at state supported living centers; providing criminal penalties.

SB 97 (CS)**Patrick/ et al.**

Relating to distributing or prescribing abortion-inducing drugs; providing penalties.

SB 423**Nelson**

Relating to the flexible response system for investigations of child abuse or neglect reports by the Department of Family and Protective Services.

SB 718 (CS) (LC)**West**

Relating to voluntary and involuntary mental health services.

SB 769 (LC)**Uresti**

Relating to the establishment of a pilot program to provide specialized training to foster parents of certain children.

SB 793 (CS) (LC)**Deuell**

Relating to newborn hearing screening.

SB 869 (CS) (LC)**Van de Putte**

Relating to the regulation of the practice of pharmacy; authorizing fees.

SB 886 (LC)**Uresti**

Relating to extended foster care for certain young adults and the extended jurisdiction of a court in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship involving those young adults.

SB 1057 (CS) (LC)**Nelson**

Relating to information about private health care insurance coverage and the health insurance exchange for individuals applying for certain Department of State Health Services health or mental health benefits, services, and assistance.

SB 1082 (CS)**Rodríguez/ Deuell**

Relating to examination requirements for certain applicants for a license to practice medicine.

SB 1248 (CS) (LC)**Carona**

Relating to the documentary fee charged in connection with the sale of certain recreational vehicles and boats.

SB 1251 (CS) (LC)**Carona**

Relating to authorized charges and terms for certain consumer loans.

SB 1702 (CS) (LC)**Taylor**

Relating to residential property insured by the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association.

SB 507 (CS)**Watson/ Eltife**

Relating to public and private facilities and infrastructure.

SB 1537 (CS) (LC)**Deuell**

Relating to certain required notices under the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act, including employer liability arising from failure to provide the notice.

SB 894 (CS)**Whitmire/ Birdwell/ Campbell/ Carona/ Deuell/ et al.**

Relating to real property within the Capitol complex.

SB 664 (LC)**Davis/ Campbell/ Van de Putte**

Relating to the allocation of certain grants from the fund for veterans' assistance.

SB 846 (LC)

Van de Putte/ et al.

Relating to training, certification, and accreditation provided or regulated by the Texas Veterans Commission.

SB 1373 (LC)

Hinojosa

Relating to the display of the Honor and Remember flag.

SB 557 (LC)

Davis/ et al.

Relating to a voluntary contribution to the fund for veterans' assistance when applying for a driver's license or personal identification certificate.

SB 1597 (CS) (LC)

Zaffirini

Relating to the development of state agency information security plans.

SB 1142 (CS) (LC)

Duncan/ Watson/ et al.

Relating to an adult high school diploma and industry certification charter school pilot program for adults 19 to 50 years of age.

SB 286 (LC)

Hinojosa

Relating to a home loan program operated by the Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation.

SB 320 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the powers and duties of the Montgomery County Water Control and Improvement District No. 3.

SB 321 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the powers and duties of the Montgomery County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2.

SB 322 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the period for confirmation and the terms of the temporary directors of the Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 102.

SB 323 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the period for confirmation and the terms of the temporary directors of the Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 104.

SB 324 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the period for confirmation and the terms of the temporary directors of the Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 117.

SB 334 (LC)

Rodríguez

Relating to preliminary review of complaints filed with a county ethics commission.

SB 623 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the creation of the Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 138; granting a limited power of eminent domain; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments, fees, and taxes.

SB 624 (LC)

Williams

Relating to the creation of the Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 137; granting a limited power of eminent domain; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments, fees, and taxes.

SB 795 (LC)

Lucio

Relating to the composition and powers of a governing body in certain municipalities.

SB 985 (LC)

Zaffirini

Relating to authorizing broker agreements for the sale of real property by certain municipalities.

SB 617 (CS)

Carona

Relating to the regulation of energy efficiency professionals; providing penalties; authorizing a fee.

SB 1388 (CS) (LC)

Carona

Relating to identity recovery service contracts.

SB 1286 (CS) (LC) Williams

Relating to the regulation of professional employer services.

SB 951 (CS) (LC) Carona

Relating to surplus lines insurance.

SB 1113 (CS) (LC) Zaffirini

Relating to matching private grants given to enhance an additional research activity at institutions of higher education.

SB 656 (CS) Paxton

Relating to providing transparency in the taxing and budgeting process of certain local governments.

SB 457 (CS) (LC) Rodríguez

Relating to the confidentiality of certain autopsy records.

SB 990 (CS) (LC) West

Relating to criminal history record information obtained or disseminated by a private entity; providing a civil penalty; authorizing fees.

SB 820 (CS) Williams

Relating to the management, breeding, and destruction of deer and to procedures regarding certain deer permits.

SB 1237 (CS) (LC) Schwertner

Relating to referral of disputes for alternative dispute resolution, including victim-directed referrals; authorizing a fee.

SB 1437 (CS) (LC) Paxton

Relating to authorizing a municipal clerk to file documents electronically for recording with a county clerk.

SB 92 (CS) (LC) Van de Putte/ et al.

Relating to the designation of a juvenile court and a pre-adjudication diversion program for certain juveniles alleged to have engaged in conduct that violates certain penal laws regarding prostitution.

SB 1147 (CS) (LC) West

Relating to the electronic filing system established by rule or order of the Texas Supreme Court; authorizing fees.

SB 387 (CS) (LC) Nichols

Relating to county participation in a program for improvement of collection of court costs, fees, and fines imposed in criminal cases.

SB 966 (CS) (LC) West

Relating to creation of the Judicial Branch Certification Commission and the consolidation of judicial profession regulation; imposing penalties; authorizing fees.

SB 973 (CS) (LC) Carona

Relating to the regulation of barbering and cosmetology; authorizing fees.

SB 1035 (CS) (LC) Carona

Relating to alcoholic beverage license applications and fees.

SB 1803 (CS) Huffman

Relating to the Office of the Inspector General.

SB 11 (CS) Nelson/ Birdwell/ Carona/ Deuell/ Duncan/ et al.

Relating to the administration and operation of the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program.

SB 505 (CS) (LC) Deuell

Relating to an exemption from the licensing requirement for certain persons who measure or fit orthoses under the supervision of certain licensed health care practitioners.

SB 45 (CS) (LC) Zaffirini

Relating to the provision of employment assistance and supported employment to certain Medicaid waiver program participants.

SB 831 (LC) Taylor

Relating to a list of mental health, substance abuse, and suicide prevention programs that may be selected for implementation by public schools.

SB 1380 Patrick

Relating to the placement of video monitoring cameras in self-contained classrooms providing special education services.

SB 1352 (LC) Van de Putte

Relating to inclusion of mental health concerns in existing state and local coordinated school health efforts.

SB 1178 (CS) (LC) Deuell

Relating to training for public school educators in identifying mental health and suicide risks among students.

SB 1538 (CS) Van de Putte/ Lucio

Relating to evaluating the performance, including computing dropout and completion rates, of public schools, including schools designated as dropout recovery schools and residential facilities.

SB 1263 (CS) Taylor/ Patrick

Relating to allowing parents to petition for repurposing, alternative management, or closure of certain public school campuses.

SB 1365 (CS) Duncan/ Patrick

Relating to the provision of credit by examination for public school students.

SB 119 (CS) (LC) Rodríguez

Relating to the operation of special student recovery programs by certain school districts.

SB 1115 (CS) (LC) Whitmire

Relating to reporting, standards, and restrictions regarding public school disciplinary actions.

SB 816 (CS) Hegar

Relating to the date by which a school district must complete a report of an initial evaluation of a student for special education services.

SB 215 (CS) Birdwell/ Nichols

Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

SB 62 (CS) (LC) Nelson

Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of entering students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education.

SB 1282 (CS) (LC) Duncan/ Seliger

Relating to deadlines for proposals for adoption by certain districts or authorities of desired future conditions of relevant aquifers.

SB 1299 (CS) (LC) Patrick

Relating to powers of the West Harris County Regional Water Authority relating to certain wells.

SB 1300 (CS) (LC) Eltife/ et al.

Relating to environmental or health and safety audits under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act.

SB 272 (CS) (LC) Seliger

Relating to water well recordkeeping and reporting requirements, including the production, use, and withdrawal of groundwater.

SB 302 (CS)

Seliger

Relating to the management, operation, rulemaking authority, and oversight of groundwater conservation districts.

SB 121 (CS)

Rodríguez

Relating to prohibited retaliation against state or local public employees for reporting to certain persons violations of law.

SB 753 (CS)

Patrick

Relating to the production of the index of the parties to all suits by the clerk of a district court.

(CS) COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

(LC) RECOMMENDED FOR LOCAL CALENDAR