

**SENATE**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

COMMITTEE: Business & Commerce  
TIME & DATE: 8:00 AM, Tuesday, March 26, 2013  
PLACE: E1.016 (Hearing Room)  
CHAIR: Senator John Carona

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The Senate Committee on Business and Commerce will convene at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday March 26, 2013, in room E1.016 of the Capitol Extension to take up the following bills for consideration as new business:

- SB 491** Lucio  
Relating to establishing a personal automobile insurance program for certain low-income individuals; authorizing a fee.
- SB 583** Carona  
Relating to the use of and disbursements from the universal service fund.
- SB 602** Davis  
Relating to retail electric provider customer choice information.
- SB 650** Rodríguez  
Relating to the continuation of title insurance coverage of certain transferred property.
- SB 734** Carona  
Relating to the licensing of captive insurance companies; authorizing fees.
- SB 823** Carona  
Relating to authorized acquisition and delinquency charges for certain consumer loans.
- SB 824** Carona  
Relating to the administrative fee authorized for certain consumer loans; changing the amount of the fee.
- SB 951** Carona  
Relating to surplus lines insurance.
- SB 973** Carona  
Relating to the regulation of barbering and cosmetology; authorizing fees.

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- SB 981** Van de Putte  
Relating to electric utility bill payment assistance programs for certain veterans burned in combat.
- SB 992** Taylor  
Relating to misrepresentations in connection with certain drug testing devices or equipment; providing penalties.
- SB 1008** Carona  
Relating to the business, supervision, and regulation of state savings and loan associations and state savings banks; providing a criminal penalty.
- SB 1033** Carona  
Relating to the registration and use of marks, including trademarks and service marks.
- SB 1035** Carona  
Relating to alcoholic beverage license applications and fees.
- SB 1074** Hegar  
Relating to electronic transmission of documentation involved in certain insurance transactions.
- SB 1089** Hinojosa  
Relating to the operation of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association and to catastrophe preparedness in the seacoast territories of this state.
- SB 1125** Carona  
Relating to first-party indemnity coverage purchased by insurance purchasing groups.
- SB 1139** Carona  
Relating to the exclusion of hospital facilities from a rolling blackout.
- SB 1248** Carona  
Relating to an amount charged by a dealer in connection with the sale of certain recreational vehicles and boats.
- SB 1251** Carona  
Relating to authorized charges for certain consumer loans.
- SB 1286** Williams  
Relating to the regulation of professional employer services.
- SB 1296** Taylor  
Relating to the regulation of real estate inspectors.
- SB 1388** Carona  
Relating to identity recovery service contracts.
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**SB 1700**

Taylor

Relating to the operation of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association and the FAIR Plan Association.

**SB 1701**

Taylor

Relating to the payment of insured losses of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association and funding of the catastrophe reserve trust fund.

**SB 1702**

Taylor

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

**NOTE --> If the Committee goes into recess with the intent to resume upon adjournment of the Senate, we will resume in a DIFFERENT ROOM (E1.036) due to a scheduling conflict. We greatly appreciate your patience and understanding.\*\***

At the Chair's discretion, the Committee may also consider any pending business.

Written testimony of any length is welcome, please submit to the Committee staff 15 copies with your name and the bill number on each copy of the written testimony. Please provide an electronic version of written testimony at your earliest convenience. Please limit oral remarks to three minutes.

The Committee website is <http://www.senate.state.tx.us/cmte/TxLegeBC> . Updates and notifications are available at <https://twitter.com/txlegebc> . Monitor the hearing by watching the live stream at <http://www.senate.state.tx.us/bin/live.php>. Contact the Committee office at [bc@senate.state.tx.us](mailto:bc@senate.state.tx.us).

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Bills added after last posting:

**SB 734**

\*\* See Committee Coordinator for previous versions of the schedule \*\*