Public Comment to Select Committee - Duty #4
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The Texas workforce needs the following:

Cybersecurity

- Resources and systems to prevent hackers from accessing and locking out businesses and individuals from their systems and data. Provide significant penalties for individuals and businesses involved.
- Resources and systems to follow up on scam emails and phone calls to locate the originators and provide significant penalties for individuals and businesses involved.
- Means to recover financial losses caused by cyber crimes.

Mental Health

- Resources and systems to identify and provide long term treatment of persons with debilitating mental illness.
- Resources and systems to house and care for persons with debilitating mental illness.
- Laws to require persons with debilitating mental illness to be treated, housed and cared for in a state funded and managed facility. This must include individuals that may be living in a family unit.
- Laws to place responsibility on parents/guardians of persons with mental illness and/or instability to ensure those persons are in a treatment facility that will protect the public from their actions.

Law Enforcement

- Resources and systems to provide personnel, training and meaningful enforcement of laws to prevent cybercrime.
- Resources and systems to provide personnel, training and meaningful enforcement of laws to get the mentally ill and homeless persons off our streets and into treatment and/or rehabilitation.