STATUS OF BILLS IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

Monday
May 31, 2021

SB 7 Hughes/ Bettencourt/ Birdwell/ Buckingham/ Campbell/ et al.
SP: Cain/ Schofield/ et al.
Relating to election integrity and security, including by preventing fraud in the conduct of elections in this state; increasing criminal penalties; creating criminal offenses.
5-17 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-17 Senate conferees appointed: Hughes, Chair; Bettencourt, Buckingham, Kolkhorst, Powell.
5-19 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-19 House conferees appointed: Cain, Chair; Canales, Clardy, Collier, Jetton.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-29 Corrected Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

SB 14 Creighton/ Bettencourt/ Buckingham/ Campbell/ Hall/ et al.
SP: King, Phil/ Paddie/ et al.
Relating to the regulation by a municipality or county of certain employment benefits and policies.
5-28 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Creighton, Chair; Campbell, Hancock, Lucio, Taylor.
5-28 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: King, Phil, Chair; Bowers, Lucio III, Metcalf, Walle.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

SB 152 Perry/ et al.
SP: King, Tracy O./ et al.
Relating to the regulation of groundwater conservation districts.
5-28 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Perry, Chair; Creighton, Gutierrez, Kolkhorst, Powell.

SB 155 Perry/ et al.
SP: Klick/ et al.
Relating to the use of information from the lists of noncitizens and nonresidents excused or disqualified from jury service.
5-27 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate conferees appointed: Perry, Chair; Bettencourt, Hall, Hughes, Kolkhorst.
5-28 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Klick, Chair; Bucy, Cain, Canales, Jetton.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

SB 185 Perry/ et al.
SP: White
Relating to the time for entering a final order in certain suits affecting the parent-child relationship involving the Department of Family and Protective Services.
5-28 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Perry, Chair; Birdwell, Blanco, Kolkhorst, Powell.
5-28 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: White, Chair; Cook, Frank, Neave, Wu.

SB 828  Hughes  SP: Paddie
Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy tax revenue in certain municipalities.
5-28 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Hughes, Chair; Birdwell, Creighton, Kolkhorst, Zaffirini.
5-28 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Paddie, Chair; Clardy, Huberty, Metcalf, Morales, Eddie.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

SB 1263  Birdwell/ et al.  SP: Bell, Cecil
Relating to funding for the Texas emissions reduction plan.
5-25 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-25 Senate conferees appointed: Birdwell, Chair; Hancock, Hinojosa, Lucio, Nichols.
5-27 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 House conferees appointed: Bell, Cecil, Chair; Landgraf, Lozano, Thompson, Ed, Walle.

SB 1776  Campbell/ et al.  SP: Bell, Keith/ Allison/ et al.
Relating to the inclusion of an elective course on the founding principles of the United States in the curriculum for public high school students and the posting of the founding documents of the United States in public school buildings.
5-27 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate conferees appointed: Campbell, Chair; Alvarado, Hall, Hinojosa, Taylor.
5-28 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Bell, Keith, Chair; Harris, Oliverson, Talarico, Toth.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

SB 1816  Seliger  SP: Thompson, Ed
Relating to certain temporary vehicle permits and tags.
5-27 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate conferees appointed: Seliger, Chair; Alvarado, Hancock, Nichols, Perry.
5-28 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Thompson, Ed, Chair; Canales, Landgraf, Martinez, Paddie.

SB 2233  Menéndez/ Alvarado/ Bettencourt/ Birdwell/ Blanco/ et al.  SP: Howard/ Thompson, Senfronia/ et al.
Relating to the completion of sexual harassment prevention training and ethics training to register as a lobbyist.
5-28 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Menéndez, Chair; Huffman, Kolkhorst, Nelson, Zaffirini.
5-29 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
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5-29 House conferees appointed: Howard, Chair; Button, Minjarez, Morrison, Thompson, Senfronia.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

HJR 4 Kacal/ Price/ Lambert/ Murr SP: Huffman/ et al.
Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the denial of bail under some circumstances to a person accused of a violent or sexual offense or of continuous trafficking of persons.
5-27 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 House conferees appointed: Kacal, Chair; Canales, Cook, Moody, Murr.
5-27 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate conferees appointed: Huffman, Chair; Bettencourt, Hinojosa, Hughes, Nelson.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

HB 3 Burrows SP: Birdwell
Relating to the authority of the legislature, governor, and certain political subdivisions with respect to disasters, including pandemic disasters, and emergencies.
5-28 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Burrows, Chair; Bonnen, Lucio III, Paddie, Tinderholt.
5-28 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Birdwell, Chair; Blanco, Campbell, Hall, Whitmire.

HB 20 Murr/ Kacal/ et al. SP: Huffman/ et al.
Relating to rules for fixing the amount of bail, to the release of certain defendants on a bail bond or personal bond, to related duties of certain officers taking bail bonds and of a magistrate in a criminal case, to charitable bail organizations, and to the reporting of information pertaining to bail bonds.
5-27 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 House conferees appointed: Murr, Chair; Cook, Kacal, Landgraf, Moody.
5-27 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate conferees appointed: Huffman, Chair; Bettencourt, Hinojosa, Hughes, Nelson.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Corrected Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

HB 492 Wu/ Moody/ King, Phil/ White/ Crockett/ et al. SP: West/ et al.
Relating to the issuance of a warrant authorizing the use of a no-knock entry by a peace officer.
5-28 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Wu, Chair; Collier, Johnson, Ann, King, Phil, White.
5-28 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: West, Chair; Campbell, Huffman, Nelson, Nichols.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

HB 671 Martinez SP: Lucio
Relating to establishment of the disaster identification system for a declared state of disaster.
5-28 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 House conferees appointed: Martinez, Chair; Canales, Guillen, Hull, Sanford.
5-28 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Lucio, Chair; Bettencourt, Hinojosa, Perry, Springer.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the House.

HB 1468  
Bell, Keith/ Huberty/ Toth/ González, Mary/ Dutton/ et al.
Relating to a local remote learning program operated by a public school.
5-28 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Taylor, Chair; Bettencourt, Hall, Paxton, West.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
5-30 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

HB 1565  
Paddie  
SP: Buckingham
Relating to the continuation and transfer of the regulation of willed body programs to the Texas Funeral Service Commission, the regulation of willed body programs and non-transplant anatomical donation organizations, and the creation of the State Anatomical Advisory Committee; authorizing a fee.
5-27 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-27 Senate conferees appointed: Buckingham, Chair; Campbell, Lucio, Paxton, Schwertner.

HB 1818  
Patterson/ Reynolds/ Shaheen/ Holland/ Jetton/ et al.
SP: Menéndez/ et al.
Relating to the source of dogs and cats sold by pet stores; providing a civil penalty.
5-28 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: Menéndez, Chair; Birdwell, Campbell, Hancock, Johnson.

HB 2030  
Turner, Chris/ Button/ et al.
SP: West/ et al.
Relating to the establishment by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board of a grant program for regional postsecondary education collaboratives.
5-28 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
5-28 Senate conferees appointed: West, Chair; Bettencourt, Birdwell, Perry, Powell.
5-29 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

HB 2593  
Moody/ Guillen/ Morales Shaw/ Morales, Eddie
SP: Johnson/ et al.
Relating to the criminal penalties for the possession of certain tetrahydrocannabinols under the Texas Controlled Substances Act.
House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.

House conferees appointed: Moody, Chair; Biedermann, Dutton, Krause, Slaton.

Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.

Senate conferees appointed: Johnson, Chair; Hughes, Kolkhorst, Perry, Schwertner.

Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the House.

HB 3880
Dutton/ Huberty/ Guillen/ Toth
et al.
SP: Paxton/ et al.
Relating to a student’s eligibility for special education services provided by a school district, including services for dyslexia and related disorders.

House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.

House conferees appointed: Dutton, Chair; Huberty, Meyer, Parker, Toth.

HB 3948
King, Tracy O./ Guillen/ Ramos/
Morales, Eddie/ Israel/ et al.
SP: Perry/ et al.
Relating to the production and regulation of hemp and consumable hemp products; providing administrative penalties; creating a criminal offense.

House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.

House conferees appointed: King, Tracy O., Chair; Guillen, Huberty, Ramos, Raymond.

Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.

Senate conferees appointed: Perry, Chair; Bettencourt, Kolkhorst, Powell, Taylor.

HB 4272
Klick/ Oliverson/ Howard/
Jetton/ Guerra/ et al.
SP: Kolkhorst
Relating to requirements for and prohibited uses of information contained in the immunization registry.

House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.

House conferees appointed: Klick, Chair; Howard, Jetton, Oliverson, Zwiener.

Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.

Senate conferees appointed: Kolkhorst, Chair; Blanco, Hall, Hughes, Perry.

HB 4305
Morales, Eddie/ Bucy/ Darby/
Landgraf/ González, Mary
SP: Blanco
Relating to the use of certain tax revenue by certain municipalities.

House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.

House conferees appointed: Morales, Eddie, Chair; Burrows, King, Tracy O., Ordaz Perez, Zwiener.

Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.

Senate conferees appointed: Blanco, Chair; Birdwell, Gutierrez, Hughes, Perry.

Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.