HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence

TIME & DATE: 8:00 AM, Wednesday, May 5, 2021

PLACE: E2.014

CHAIR: Rep. Jeff Leach

Public testimony will be limited to three (3) minutes.

HB 3053 Rodriguez

Relating to the qualifications of judges of certain courts.

HJR 165 Jetton

Proposing a constitutional amendment providing additional powers to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct with respect to candidates for judicial office.

SB 456 Lucio

Relating to the donation of juror reimbursements.

SB 615 Zaffirini

Relating to probate and guardianship matters and proceedings and other matters involving probate courts.

SB 1923 Zaffirini

Relating to certain criminal court costs, fines, and fees.

SJR 47 Huffman | et al.

Proposing a constitutional amendment changing the eligibility requirements for certain judicial offices.

SB 1458 Zaffirini

Relating to standardized forms and materials for the issuance of protective orders, magistrate's orders for emergency protection, and temporary ex parte orders.

SCR 41 Springer | et al.

Urging Congress to propose and submit to the states for ratification the "Keep Nine" amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

For those persons who will be testifying, information for in-person witness registration, can be found here:

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