

STATUS OF BILLS IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

**Tuesday
May 23, 2023**

SJR 75 **Perry/ et al.** **SP: King, Tracy O./ Price/ et al.**

Proposing a constitutional amendment creating the Texas water fund to assist in financing water projects in this state.

- 5-22 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-22 Senate conferees appointed: Perry, Chair; Blanco, Flores, Hancock, Kolkhorst.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: King, Tracy O., Chair; Geren, Price, Ramos, Thompson, Ed.

SB 10 **Huffman/ Alvarado/ Bettencourt/ Birdwell/ Blanco/ et al.** **SP: Bonnen/ Burns/ et al.**

Relating to contributions to, benefits from, and the administration of systems and programs administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

- 5-04 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-04 Senate conferees appointed: Huffman, Chair; Campbell, Hinojosa, Kolkhorst, Nichols.
- 5-05 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-05 House conferees appointed: Bonnen, Chair; Capriglione, Gervin-Hawkins, Longoria, VanDeaver.

SB 22 **Springer/ Blanco/ Creighton/ Eckhardt/ Hall/ et al.** **SP: Guillen/ Gerdes**

Relating to the establishment of grant programs to provide financial assistance to qualified sheriff's offices, constable's offices, and prosecutor's offices in rural counties.

- 5-21 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-21 Senate conferees appointed: Springer, Chair; Bettencourt, Campbell, Hinojosa, Huffman.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Guillen, Chair; Ashby, Geren, Morales, Eddie, Price.

SB 28 **Perry/ et al.** **SP: King, Tracy O./ Troxclair/ et al.**

Relating to financial assistance provided and programs administered by the Texas Water Development Board.

- 5-22 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-22 Senate conferees appointed: Perry, Chair; Blanco, Flores, Hancock, Kolkhorst.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: King, Tracy O., Chair; Gamez, Geren, Price, Thompson, Ed.

SB 30 **Huffman/ et al.** **SP: Bonnen**

Relating to supplemental appropriations and reductions in appropriations and giving direction and adjustment authority regarding appropriations.

- 4-20 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.

- 4-20 Senate conferees appointed: Huffman, Chair; Creighton, Kolkhorst, Nichols, Schwertner.
- 4-24 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 4-24 House conferees appointed: Bonnen, Chair; González, Mary, Jetton, VanDeaver, Walle.

SB 133 **West/ et al.** **SP: Hull/ González, Mary/ et al.**

Relating to prohibiting the use of certain restraints, chemical irritants, or a Taser or similar device on certain public school students.

- 5-22 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-22 Senate conferees appointed: West, Chair; Bettencourt, Birdwell, Campbell, Hinojosa.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Hull, Chair; Cain, González, Mary, Lozano, Moody.

SB 222 **Nichols/ et al.** **SP: Metcalf/ et al.**

Relating to paid leave by certain state employees for the birth or adoption of a child.

- 5-01 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-01 Senate conferees appointed: Nichols, Chair; Hancock, Paxton, West, Zaffirini.
- 5-05 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-05 House conferees appointed: Metcalf, Chair; Anchía, Cole, Harris, Cody, Landgraf.
- 5-21 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

SB 409 **Hinojosa/ et al.** **SP: Leach/ et al.**

Relating to the rights of victims, guardians of victims, and close relatives of deceased victims in the criminal justice system.

- 5-17 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-17 Senate conferees appointed: Hinojosa, Chair; Bettencourt, Flores, King, Whitmire.
- 5-19 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-19 House conferees appointed: Leach, Chair; Cook, Morales, Christina, Schatzline, Thompson, Senfronia.
- 5-23 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

SB 763 **Middleton/ et al.** **SP: Hefner/ Buckley/ et al.**

Relating to allowing public schools to employ or accept as volunteers chaplains to provide support, services, and programs for students.

- 5-11 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-11 Senate conferees appointed: Middleton, Chair; Bettencourt, Creighton, King, Paxton.
- 5-15 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-15 House conferees appointed: Hefner, Chair; Harris, Cody, Morales, Eddie, Shine, Talarico.
- 5-19 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
- 5-23 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

SB 773 **Parker** **SP: Toth/ Burrows/ et al.**

Relating to access to certain investigational drugs, biological products, and devices used in clinical trials by patients with severe chronic diseases.

- 5-16 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-16 Senate conferees appointed: Parker, Chair; Campbell, Creighton, Hughes, LaMantia.

- 5-19 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-19 House conferees appointed: Toth, Chair; Burrows, Cain, Campos, Price.
- 5-23 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

SB 1188

Hinojosa

SP: Muñoz, Jr.

Relating to receivership of the Agua Special Utility District and requirements for directors of the Agua Special Utility District.

- 5-16 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-16 Senate conferees appointed: Hinojosa, Chair; Bettencourt, Eckhardt, Nichols, Paxton.
- 5-17 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-17 House conferees appointed: Muñoz, Jr., Chair; Gamez, Guillen, Lozano, Raymond.
- 5-18 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.
- 5-22 Conference Committee report adopted on the part of the Senate.

SB 1445

**Paxton/ Johnson/ Schwertner/
Springer**

SP: Goldman

Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement; authorizing a fee.

- 5-22 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-22 Senate conferees appointed: Paxton, Chair; Huffman, Johnson, King, Springer.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Goldman, Chair; Bell, Keith, Canales, Clardy, Holland.

SB 1500

Nichols

SP: Canales

Relating to powers and duties of navigation districts and the boards of trustees of municipal port facilities.

- 5-09 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-09 Senate conferees appointed: Nichols, Chair; Alvarado, Hancock, King, West.
- 5-15 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-15 House conferees appointed: Canales, Chair; Cain, Gamez, Kuempel, Lozano.
- 5-23 Conference Committee report read and filed with Secretary of the Senate.

SB 1516

King

SP: Cook

Relating to the procedures for an application for a writ of habeas corpus and the issuance of the writ.

- 5-21 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-21 Senate conferees appointed: King, Chair; Bettencourt, Flores, Hinojosa, Middleton.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Cook, Chair; Canales, Leach, Moody, Noble.

SB 1893

Birdwell/ et al.

SP: Anderson

Relating to prohibiting the use of certain social media applications and services on devices owned or leased by state agencies.

- 5-16 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-16 Senate conferees appointed: Birdwell, Chair; Bettencourt, Hughes, LaMantia, Paxton.
- 5-17 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-17 House conferees appointed: Anderson, Chair; Capriglione, Hernandez, Schofield, Thompson, Senfronia.

SB 2601**Hinojosa****SP: Canales**

Relating to payment of costs related to the relocation of certain utility facilities for state highway projects.

- 5-22 Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-22 Senate conferees appointed: Hinojosa, Chair; Hancock, Nichols, Perry, West.
- 5-23 House granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Canales, Chair; Guerra, Holland, Longoria, Vasut.

HJR 3**Bonnen****SP: Huffman/ et al.**

Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the Texas University Fund, which provides funding to certain institutions of higher education to achieve national prominence as major research universities and drive the state economy.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Bonnen, Chair; Burrows, Hernandez, Kuempel, Walle.

HJR 125**Ashby/ et al.****SP: Huffman/ et al.**

Proposing a constitutional amendment creating the broadband infrastructure fund to expand high-speed broadband access and assist in the financing of connectivity projects.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Ashby, Chair; Geren, Hunter, Longoria, Rose.

HB 1**Bonnen****SP: Huffman**

General Appropriations Bill.

- 4-20 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 4-20 House conferees appointed: Bonnen, Chair; González, Mary, Jetton, VanDeaver, Walle.
- 4-20 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 4-20 Senate conferees appointed: Huffman, Chair; Creighton, Kolkhorst, Nichols, Schwertner.

HB 3**Burrows/ King, Tracy O./ Moody/ King, Ken/ Bonnen/ et al.****SP: Nichols/ et al.**

Relating to measures for ensuring public school safety, including the development of, implementation of, and funding for public school safety and security requirements and the provision of safety-related resources.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Burrows, Chair; Bonnen, King, Ken, King, Tracy O., Moody.

HB 4**Capriglione/ Longoria/ Burrows/ Meyer/ et al.****SP: Hughes/ et al.**

Relating to the regulation of the collection, use, processing, and treatment of consumers' personal data by certain business entities; imposing a civil penalty.

- 5-15 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-15 House conferees appointed: Capriglione, Chair; Burrows, Button, Longoria, Meyer.
- 5-17 Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-17 Senate conferees appointed: Hughes, Chair; Menéndez, Parker, Schwertner, Zaffirini.

HB 9	Ashby/ Hunter/ Hernandez/ Bonnen/ Longoria/ et al.	SP: Huffman/ et al.
Relating to the development and funding of broadband and telecommunications services.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Ashby, Chair; Harless, Hernandez, Price, Rose.	
HB 12	Rose/ Thompson, Senfronia/ Walle/ Thierry/ Howard/ et al.	SP: Kolkhorst/ et al.
Relating to the duration of services provided under Medicaid to women following a pregnancy.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Rose, Chair; Burrows, Harless, Howard, Jetton.	
HB 17	Cook/ Moody/ Leach/ Metcalf/ Burrows/ et al.	SP: Huffman
Relating to the enforcement of criminal offenses by district attorneys, criminal district attorneys, and county attorneys.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Cook, Chair; Darby, Moody, Morales, Christina, Murr.	
HB 30	Moody/ Burrows/ Slawson/ Metcalf/ Turner/ et al.	SP: King
Relating to access to certain law enforcement, corrections, and prosecutorial records under the public information law.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Moody, Chair; Burrows, Metcalf, Slawson, Turner.	
HB 473	Hull/ et al.	SP: Sparks
Relating to parental rights regarding a threat assessment of a student conducted by a public school's threat assessment and safe and supportive school team.		
5-19	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-19	House conferees appointed: Hull, Chair; Allison, Johnson, Ann, Leo-Wilson, Morales Shaw.	
5-21	Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-21	Senate conferees appointed: Sparks, Chair; Campbell, Creighton, Flores, Springer.	
HB 621	Shaheen	SP: Hughes
Relating to creating a temporary educator certification for certain military service members and first responders.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Shaheen, Chair; Buckley, Cunningham, Harris, Cody, Hinojosa.	
HB 1277	Cain/ Moody/ Collier/ Thompson, Senfronia/ Patterson/ et al.	SP: West
Relating to pedestrian use of a sidewalk.		
5-19	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-19	House conferees appointed: Cain, Chair; Collier, Isaac, Lujan, Manuel.	
5-22	Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-22	Senate conferees appointed: West, Chair; King, Miles, Nichols, Parker.	

HB 1515	Clardy/ Holland/ Canales/ Goldman/ Bell, Keith	SP: Springer
Relating to the continuation and functions of and certain programs subject to rules adopted by the Texas Economic Development and Tourism Office.		
5-19	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-19	House conferees appointed: Clardy, Chair; Bell, Keith, Canales, Craddick, Holland.	
HB 1595	Bonnen/ Walle/ Thompson, Ed/ Paul	SP: Huffman/ et al.
Relating to the administration and investment of, and distribution and use of money from, certain constitutional and statutory funds to support general academic teaching institutions in achieving national prominence as major research universities and driving the state economy; redesignating the national research university fund as the Texas University Fund.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Bonnen, Chair; Burrows, Hernandez, Kuempel, Walle.	
HB 2026	Darby/ Raney/ González, Mary/ Stucky/ Rogers/ et al.	SP: LaMantia/ et al.
Relating to the Rural Veterinarian Incentive Program.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Darby, Chair; González, Mary, Kuempel, Rogers, Stucky.	
HB 2121	Paul/ Raymond/ Murr	SP: Springer
Relating to the form of a rendition statement or property report used to render property for ad valorem tax purposes.		
5-19	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-19	House conferees appointed: Paul, Chair; Murr, Perez, Thompson, Ed, Turner.	
HB 2454	Guillen/ Plesa/ et al.	SP: Huffman/ et al.
Relating to the unlawful acquisition of certain weapons; creating a criminal offense.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Guillen, Chair; Harless, Holland, Lozano, Plesa.	
HB 2484	Guillen/ Thompson, Ed/ Tepper/ Noble	SP: LaMantia/ et al.
Relating to the safety of a referee, judge, or other official at certain public school extracurricular activities and competitions and prohibiting certain conduct by a spectator related to those officials' safety.		
5-17	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-17	House conferees appointed: Guillen, Chair; Gerdes, Lopez, Janie, Raymond, Thompson, Ed.	
5-21	Senate granted the request for the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-21	Senate conferees appointed: LaMantia, Chair; Campbell, Kolkhorst, Parker, West.	
HB 2559	Vasut	SP: Zaffirini
Relating to the persons authorized to administer an oath in this state.		
5-23	House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.	
5-23	House conferees appointed: Vasut, Chair; Geren, Harris, Cody, Metcalf, Walle.	

HB 3059**King, Tracy O.****SP: Perry/ et al.**

Relating to the export fee charged for the transfer of groundwater from a groundwater conservation district.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: King, Tracy O., Chair; Kacal, Price, Rogers, Zwiener.

HB 3104**Anderson****SP: Parker/ et al.**

Relating to the temporary exemption of certain tangible personal property related to certain connected data center projects from sales and use taxes.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Anderson, Chair; Bowers, Gerdes, Harris, Cody, King, Tracy O..

HB 3447**Bonnen/ Paul/ Anderson/
Morales, Eddie/ et al.****SP: Huffman/ et al.**

Relating to the establishment and administration of the Texas Aerospace Research and Space Economy Consortium and the Texas Space Commission.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Bonnen, Chair; Canales, Metcalf, Paul, Walle.

HB 3697**Wilson****SP: Bettencourt**

Relating to county regulation of subdivisions and approval of subdivision plans or plats.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Wilson, Chair; Bell, Cecil, Thierry, Thompson, Ed, Vasut.

HB 4227**Goldman****SP: Hancock**

Relating to the repeal of a municipal civil service system for firefighters and police officers in certain municipalities.

- 5-23 House refused to concur in Senate amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee.
- 5-23 House conferees appointed: Goldman, Chair; Cunningham, Hernandez, Thimesch, Troxclair.