SENATE FLOOR ACTION

Tuesday March 18, 2025

The Senate suspended the necessary rules to consider and finally pass:

SJR 18 Perry/ et al.

Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of a tax on the realized or unrealized capital gains of an individual, family, estate, or trust.

1 Floor Amendment

SB 11 Middleton/ Bettencourt/ Birdwell/

Campbell/ Creighton/ et al.

Relating to a period of prayer and reading of the Bible or other religious text in public schools.

SB 441

Hinojosa, Juan ''Chuy''/ et al.

Relating to civil liability for the production, solicitation, disclosure, or promotion of artificial intimate visual material.

1 Floor Amendment

The Senate suspended the regular order, read second time and passed to engrossment:

SB 10 King/ Bettencourt/ Birdwell/ Campbell/ Creighton/ et al.

Relating to the display of the Ten Commandments in public school classrooms.

SB 18 Hughes/ Bettencourt/ Birdwell/

Campbell/ Creighton/ et al.

Relating to prohibiting municipal libraries that host certain events from receiving state or other public funding.

SB 412 (CS) Middleton/ et al.

Relating to defenses to prosecution for certain offenses involving material or conduct that is obscene or otherwise harmful to children.

SB 495 Sparks/ et al.

Relating to the authority of the Texas Department of Insurance to adopt rules that implement or are based on certain environmental, social, and governance models, ratings, or standards. **1 Floor Amendment**

The Senate adopted the following resolutions:

SR 238

Huffman

Recognizing March 18, 2025, as Matagorda County Day at the State Capitol.

SR 264

Zaffirini

Recognizing the 62nd anniversary of the Supreme Court ruling in Gideon v. Wainwright.

SR 266 Hancock

Congratulating the Texas Rangers for winning a Major League Baseball World Series Championship in 2023.

SR 267

Eckhardt/ Alvarado/ Cook/ Hinojosa, Juan ''Chuy''/ Johnson/ et al.

Extending best wishes to all those participating in the festivities of Holi.

SR 268

Johnson/ Eckhardt/ West

Expressing support for the protection of COFA islanders residing in Texas, reaffirming their rights afforded under the Compacts of Free Association, and recognizing March 18, 2025, as COFA Day in Texas.

SR 270 West Decognizing March 18, 2025, as Omago Bai Phi Day at the State Coni

Recognizing March 18, 2025, as Omega Psi Phi Day at the State Capitol.

SR 271

Parker/ Birdwell/ Blanco/ Cook/

Creighton/ et al.

Recognizing March 17, 2025, as Profound Autism Awareness Day.

SR 272

Honoring the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Concho Valley on its 60th anniversary.

Perry

SR 278

Hagenbuch

Recognizing March 18, 2025, as Grayson County Day.

Committee re-referral on the following:

SB 1169

Hinojosa, Adam

Relating to public utility agencies; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments.

Re-referred from Local Government to Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs

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