

**BILLS REFERRED TODAY**

**Monday  
March 24, 2025**

**Committee referral on the following:**

**SB 2061**

**Parker**

Relating to prior authorization or precertification for the repair of complex rehabilitation technology equipment under Medicaid.

**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2062**

**Parker**

Relating to provision of and access to services for children with certain health care needs, including access to certain Medicaid waiver programs.

**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2063**

**Parker**

Relating to ad valorem tax protests and appeals on the ground of the unequal appraisal of property.

**Local Government**

**SB 2064**

**Perry**

Relating to the exemption of motor vehicles transferred from a decedent's estate.

**Finance**

**SB 2065**

**Huffman**

Relating to the Texas Emergency Services Retirement System.

**Finance**

**SB 2066**

**Huffman**

Relating to the repeal of the Texas Research Incentive Program.

**Finance**

**SB 2067**

**Bettencourt**

Relating to an exemption from required disclosure of information related to the next of kin of deceased persons.

**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2068**

**Bettencourt**

Relating to the tax administration for property tax protests and appeals.

**Local Government**

**SB 2069**

**Zaffirini**

Relating to the establishment of a work group to conduct a study on the feasibility of implementing an acute psychiatric bed registry.

**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2070**

**Zaffirini**

Relating to court administration, including the term of a local administrative judge, court administration training, and the compensation of certain administrative judges.

**Jurisprudence**

**SB 2071**

**Zaffirini**

Relating to the regulation of child-care facilities and registered family homes, including the provision of services to children with disabilities or special needs.

**Health & Human Services**

- SB 2072** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the establishment of a paid parental leave program administered by the Texas Workforce Commission; imposing an employer contribution.  
**Economic Development**
- SB 2073** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the authority of an appraisal district to purchase, finance the purchase of, or lease real property or construct or finance the construction of improvements to real property.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2074** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to a study of the four coincident peak program by the Public Utility Commission of Texas and the independent organization certified to manage the ERCOT power region.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2075** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the establishment, powers and duties, terms, and governance of certain advisory bodies for programs administered by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2076** **Creighton**  
 Relating to the view of the State Capitol.  
**Economic Development**
- SB 2077** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the board of directors of the Texas Mutual Insurance Company.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2078** **Kolkhorst**  
 Relating to the regulation of composting facilities by certain counties.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2079** **Bettencourt**  
 Relating to certain actions for personal injury that arise out of a sexual offense against a child or disabled individual and are brought against a non-perpetrator of the offense.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2080** **Alvarado**  
 Relating to the records, management, and taxation of navigation districts and certain port and harbor facilities.  
**Transportation**
- SB 2081** **Miles**  
 Relating to the eligibility of municipal solid waste personnel for the Homes for Texas Heroes home loan program.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2082** **Miles**  
 Relating to the operation of a concrete crushing facility near a hospital.  
**Natural Resources**
- SB 2083** **Miles**  
 Relating to the creation of an additional county civil court at law in Harris County.  
**Jurisprudence**
- SB 2084** **Miles**  
 Relating to the financing of certain grocery stores by a public facility corporation.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2085** **Miles**  
 Relating to prohibiting the denial of a driver's license renewal for failure to appear in court, failure to pay a fine or cost, or failure to satisfy a judgment.  
**State Affairs**

**SB 2086** **Miles**  
Relating to job interview restrictions for releasees from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.  
**Criminal Justice**

**SB 2087** **Miles**  
Relating to the content of biennial legislative immunization reports issued by the Department of State Health Services.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2088** **Miles**  
Relating to the provision of counseling services by certain providers under Medicaid and reimbursement for those services.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2089** **Miles**  
Relating to the Rita Littlefield Chronic Kidney Disease Centralized Resource Center established within the Health and Human Services Commission.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2090** **Hughes**  
Relating to the authority of certain municipalities to receive certain tax revenue derived from a hotel and convention center project and to pledge certain tax revenue for the payment of obligations related to the project.  
**Economic Development**

**SB 2091** **Zaffirini**  
Relating to a study on effective case management practices and procedures for courts in guardianship proceedings.  
**Jurisprudence**

**SB 2092** **Cook**  
Relating to establishing a highway construction mitigation program for certain highway construction projects.  
**Transportation**

**SB 2093** **Cook**  
Relating to expedited credentialing of certain federally qualified health center providers by managed care plan issuers and Medicaid managed care organizations.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2094** **Cook**  
Relating to the establishment of a higher education plan for human papillomavirus education and prevention.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2095** **Cook**  
Relating to the confidentiality of certain home address information in property tax appraisal records.  
**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2096** **Cook**  
Relating to the time period for conducting a pretrial hearing after a criminal defendant has been restored to competency.  
**Criminal Justice**

**SB 2097** **Hughes**  
Relating to tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education for certain peace officers.  
**Education K-16**

**SB 2098** **Hughes**  
Relating to requirements for courses in the core curriculum adopted by public institutions of higher education.  
**Education K-16**

- SB 2099** **Hughes**  
 Relating to the definition of a cottage food production operation.  
**Health & Human Services**
- SB 2100** **Hughes**  
 Relating to public use of audio and visual materials produced by the legislative branch.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2101** **Hughes**  
 Relating to the prohibition of access by minors to sexually explicit materials in municipal public library collections; providing a civil penalty.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2102** **Campbell**  
 Relating to certain energy efficiency performance standards for residential construction.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2103** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to boil water notices issued by public drinking water supply systems.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2104** **Blanco**  
 Relating to the prohibition of military status discrimination.  
**Veteran Affairs**
- SB 2105** **Blanco**  
 Relating to the authority of a county attorney or district attorney to enforce human trafficking awareness and prevention in commercial lodging establishments.  
**Criminal Justice**
- SB 2106** **Creighton**  
 Relating to the creation of the Texas Commission on Teacher Job Satisfaction and Retention.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2107** **Creighton**  
 Relating to a pilot program for outcomes-based contracts at public schools.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2108** **Hughes**  
 Relating to the inclusion of direct primary care fees as qualified medical expenses applied toward insurance deductibles in certain state health benefit plans.  
**Finance**
- SB 2109** **Hughes**  
 Relating to the appointment of deputy constables.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2110** **Bettencourt/ Creighton/ Hinojosa, Adam/ Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"/ King/ et al.**  
 Relating to electric grid resiliency measures, including a study by the Public Utility Commission of Texas of the cost of burying overhead power lines.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2111** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to legal representation of indigent persons in this state and to proceedings before a magistrate including the appointment of counsel for an indigent defendant.  
**Criminal Justice**
- SB 2112** **Kolkhorst**  
 Relating to the punishment for certain criminal offenses related to cultivated oyster mariculture; increasing a criminal penalty.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**

- SB 2113** **Hughes**  
 Relating to a special right of access under the public information law for a member of a governing board.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2114** **Hughes**  
 Relating to the removal of certain proposed reservoir sites from the state water plan.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2115** **Hughes**  
 Relating to the eligibility of certain engineering firms to participate in the construction of a reservoir.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2116** **Parker/ et al.**  
 Relating to the critical designation of certain natural gas facilities  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2117** **Parker/ Campbell/ Kolkhorst**  
 Relating to the establishment of the Texas Committee on Foreign Investment to review certain transactions involving certain foreign entities; creating a civil penalty.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2118** **Parker**  
 Relating to the composition and authority of certain subregional boards of regional transportation authorities.  
**Transportation**
- SB 2119** **Sparks**  
 Relating to an exemption from certain immunization requirements for medical and veterinary students.  
**Health & Human Services**
- SB 2120** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the Task Force on Eating Disorders Prevalence.  
**Health & Human Services**
- SB 2121** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the regulation of certain business entities that act as data brokers.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2122** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to imposition of application fees for certain permits and permit amendments for the disposal of oil and gas waste.  
**Natural Resources**
- SB 2123** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the authority of the Texas Water Development Board to provide financial assistance to certain counties for brackish water desalination.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2124** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to publication of the Texas Groundwater Protection Committee's annual report.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2125** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to a study to review the animal friendly account.  
**Health & Human Services**
- SB 2126** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the offense of passing certain vehicles on a highway.  
**Transportation**
- SB 2127** **Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the assignment of certain retired and former justices and judges.  
**Jurisprudence**

- SB 2128** **Campbell**  
 Relating to the licensing and regulation of anesthesiologist assistants; requiring an occupational license; providing an administrative penalty; authorizing fees.  
**Health & Human Services**
- SB 2129** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the operation of vehicles at railroad grade crossings; increasing a criminal penalty.  
**Transportation**
- SB 2130** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to the regulation of certain transactions and activities involving the provision of veterinary services; authorizing civil penalties; creating criminal offenses.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2131** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to funds reserved for certain construction materials.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2132** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to the Rural Pathway Excellence Partnership (R-PEP) program, including funding for that program under the Foundation School Program.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2133** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to the authority of certain municipalities to use certain tax revenue for hotel and convention center projects.  
**Economic Development**
- SB 2134** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to the authority of certain municipalities to use certain tax revenue for certain qualified projects.  
**Economic Development**
- SB 2135** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to the creation of an additional county court at law and an additional statutory probate court in Hidalgo County.  
**Jurisprudence**
- SB 2136** **Hinojosa, Juan "Chuy"**  
 Relating to dual certification for water or sewer service in an area incorporated or annexed by certain municipalities.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2137** **Menéndez**  
 Relating to the allocation of low income housing tax credits.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2138** **Creighton**  
 Relating to prohibiting the investment of the permanent university fund, the Texas University Fund, or money held by a public institution of higher education in financial companies that boycott certain energy companies.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2139** **King**  
 Relating to the authority of the Texas Military Department to negotiate the release of a reversionary interest and certain other interests of the state in certain property in Palo Pinto County owned by the Palo Pinto County Livestock Association.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2140** **Huffman**  
 Relating to certain tobacco products for purposes of the cigars and tobacco products tax.  
**Finance**

**SB 2141** **Zaffirini**  
Relating to issuance of specialty license plates for state and federal judges.  
**Transportation**

**SB 2142** **Perry**  
Relating to the creation of the consumable hemp products account in the general revenue fund and imposing fees for licensing manufacturers of consumable hemp products and registering certain retailers of consumable hemp products.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**

**SB 2143** **Perry**  
Relating to the authority of a county to commission certain individuals as peace officers and establish certain law enforcement agencies.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**

**SB 2144** **Perry**  
Relating to the authority of a reserve peace officer.  
**Criminal Justice**

**SB 2145** **Perry**  
Relating to the authority of the advisory body of a public improvement district and the board of directors of a reinvestment zone to hold a meeting by a telecommunication device.  
**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2146** **Huffman**  
Relating to the information reported by prosecuting attorneys to the Texas Judicial Council.  
**Criminal Justice**

**SB 2147** **Hall**  
Relating to the ownership of breeder deer in this state.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**

**SB 2148** **Hall**  
Relating to the reliability of the electricity supply chain.  
**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2149** **Bettencourt/ Creighton/ King**  
Relating to the implementation of diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives by providers of electric service.  
**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2150** **Bettencourt**  
Relating to coordination between teaching hospitals and medical schools regarding student field-based experience placements and to preference in those placements.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2151** **Bettencourt**  
Relating to countywide polling places.  
**State Affairs**

**SB 2152** **Bettencourt**  
Relating to third-party software providers' ability to manage certain users' social media accounts.  
**State Affairs**

**SB 2153** **Bettencourt**  
Relating to the membership of and qualifications for the Texas Lottery Commission.  
**State Affairs**

**SB 2154** **Schwertner**  
Relating to the regulation of delivery network companies; requiring an occupational permit; authorizing a fee.  
**Business & Commerce**

- SB 2155** **Perry**  
 Relating to the regulation of veterinary professionals and facilities by the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners and the temporary administration of the board by the Department of Licensing and Regulation  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2156** **Eckhardt**  
 Relating to firearm liability insurance for certain firearm owners; providing a civil penalty.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2157** **Eckhardt**  
 Relating to deposits of funds into a court registry by a clerk of a justice court.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2158** **Flores**  
 Relating to taxes imposed on vinous liquor.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2159** **Flores**  
 Relating to aquifer storage and recovery projects that transect a portion of the Edwards Aquifer.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2160** **Flores**  
 Relating to the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission of Texas over municipally owned utility water and sewer service outside the corporate limits of a municipality.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2161** **Flores**  
 Relating to expenses incurred in the appeal of rates for water or sewer service charged to certain customers.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**
- SB 2162** **Flores**  
 Relating to the public retirement systems for employees of certain municipalities.  
**Finance**
- SB 2163** **Parker**  
 Relating to measures to assist students enrolled at public institutions of higher education who are homeless or who are or were in foster care.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2164** **Parker/ et al.**  
 Relating to employer incentive payments for child care for employees, including creating an employer child-care contribution partnership program and a franchise tax credit for taxable entities that make certain employer child-care contributions; authorizing a civil penalty.  
**Finance**
- SB 2165** **Parker**  
 Relating to prohibiting the dismissal of certain suits affecting the parent-child relationship involving the Department of Family and Protective Services.  
**Jurisprudence**
- SB 2166** **Parker**  
 Relating to testing of voting tabulation equipment.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2167** **Paxton**  
 Relating to the licensing and regulation of massage therapy.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2168** **Paxton**  
 Relating to the eligibility of land for appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes as qualified open-space land.  
**Local Government**



**SB 2169** **Menéndez**  
Relating to personal leave for wellness provided for school district employees.  
**Education K-16**

**SB 2170** **Hall**  
Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of property of a charitable organization that provides financial support for medical care at certain institutions of higher education.  
**Local Government**

**SB 2171** **Parker**  
Relating to a public school's grievance procedure.  
**Education K-16**

**SB 2172** **Parker**  
Relating to the authority of the chief appraiser of an appraisal district to require a person allowed an exemption from ad valorem taxation of a residence homestead to file a new application or confirm the person's current qualification for the exemption.  
**Local Government**

**SB 2173** **Parker**  
Relating to the effect of a tax certificate accompanying a transfer of certain property.  
**Local Government**

**SB 2174** **Parker**  
Relating to reporting and auditing requirements for digital asset service providers.  
**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2175** **Parker**  
Relating to the prosecution of the criminal offenses of prohibited barratry and solicitation of professional employment.  
**Jurisprudence**

**SB 2176** **Parker**  
Relating to the establishment of the Texas Cyber Command as a component institution of The University of Texas System and the transfer to it of certain powers and duties of the Department of Information Resources.  
**Business & Commerce**

**SB 2177** **Hagenbuch**  
Relating to the creation of a grant program to assist local law enforcement agencies in solving violent and sexual offenses.  
**Criminal Justice**

**SB 2178** **Hagenbuch**  
Relating to a restriction on the authority of a state agency to spend appropriated money to provide financial support to certain organizations and events.  
**Finance**

**SB 2179** **Hagenbuch**  
Relating to the termination of a lease agreement of a servicemember's dependent.  
**Veteran Affairs**

**SB 2180** **Hagenbuch/ Flores**  
Relating to requiring a certification for peace officers to conduct certain polygraph examinations.  
**Criminal Justice**

**SB 2181** **Hagenbuch**  
Relating to the regulation of certain health professionals; providing an administrative penalty.  
**Health & Human Services**

**SB 2182** **Hall**  
Relating to a franchise tax credit for taxable entities that employ certain apprentices in broadband utility engineering or construction jobs.  
**Finance**

- SB 2183** **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to the periods during which a retail fireworks permit holder may sell fireworks to the public.  
**Local Government**
- SB 2184** **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to the required age for a license or permit relating to the conduct of a public fireworks display.  
**Business & Commerce**
- SB 2185** **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to the bilingual education allotment under the public school finance system.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2186** **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to compensatory time off for certain state employees.  
**Criminal Justice**
- SB 2187** **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to the administration of assessment instruments to public school students.  
**Education K-16**
- SB 2189** **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to the rate of the hotel occupancy tax in certain municipalities and the use of certain revenue from that tax by those municipalities; authorizing an increase in the rate of a tax.  
**Economic Development**
- SB 2190** **King**  
 Relating to a grant program for nonprofit organizations supporting the Department of Public Safety; authorizing voluntary contributions.  
**Finance**
- SB 2191** **Huffman**  
 Relating to the creation and re-creation of funds and accounts, the dedication and rededication of revenue and allocation of accrued interest on dedicated revenue, and the exemption of unappropriated money from use for general governmental purposes.  
**Finance**
- SB 2192** **Huffman**  
 Relating to state fiscal matters.  
**Finance**
- SB 2193** **Huffman**  
 Relating to directing payment, after approval, of certain miscellaneous claims and judgments against the state out of funds designated by this Act; making appropriations.  
**Finance**
- SB 2194** **Paxton**  
 Relating to an early childhood integrated data system.  
**Health & Human Services**
- SB 2195** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the reporting of certain orders and convictions to the Department of Public Safety and Federal Bureau of Investigation for use with the National Instant Criminal Background Check System for the transfer of firearms.  
**State Affairs**
- SB 2196** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the period during which an order for emergency protection remains in effect.  
**Criminal Justice**
- SB 2197** **Johnson**  
 Relating to the filing fee for nomination by convention.  
**State Affairs**

**SB 2199****Birdwell**

Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for loading certain overweight vehicles transporting hazardous materials at a weight that exceeds the weight limitations authorized for the vehicle.

**Border Security****SB 2200****Birdwell**

Relating to the creation of a criminal offense for operating or moving an overweight vehicle transporting hazardous materials on a route other than the designated permit route.

**Border Security****SB 2392****King**

Relating to notice to local law enforcement of certain offenses occurring on public or private school property or at school-sponsored or school-related activities.

**Education K-16**