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By executive order, Governor Bill Clements has abolished the Governor's Office of Migrant Affairs (GOMA) and has transferred the agency's responsibilities to the Texas Department of Community Affairs. The order also repeals Governor Dolph Briscoe's 1974 executive order that created GOMA. The agency's functions had included managing job training programs for migrants and serving as a liaison for migrants. Federal funds authorized by the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act were the chief source of financing for the programs. Executive Order WPC-3, which effects the change, appears in the Governor's section of this issue.

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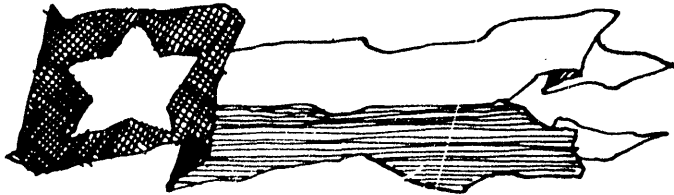
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Appointments

The following board appointments have been submitted to the Senate of the 66th Legislature, Regular Session, for confirmation:

Texas Board of Health

To be a member for a six-year term to expire February 1, 1985:

Joe N. Pyle, P.E., of San Antonio, Bexar County, is replacing Jack E. Brown of Lubbock, Lubbock County, whose term expired. Mr. Pyle will be representing civil engineers on the board.

Commission for Indian Affairs

To be a member for a six-year term to expire January 31, 1985:

Albert Franklin Heldenbrand of Selman City, Rusk County, is replacing Dempsie Henley of Liberty, Liberty County, whose term expired.

Texas Board of Licensure for Nursing Home Administrators

To be a member for a six-year term to expire January 31, 1985:

Dr. David B. Oliver of San Antonio, Bexar County, is replacing Francis A. Flynn of Austin, Travis County, whose term expired. Dr. Oliver will be filling the educator position on the board.

Texas Southern University

To be members of the Board of Regents for six-year terms to expire February 1, 1985:

Marjorie Meyer Arsht of Houston, Harris County, is replacing Richard Reyes of San Antonio, Bexar County, whose term expired.

Howard D. Kirven of Dallas, Dallas County, is replacing George L. Allen of Dallas, Dallas County, whose term expired.

Winston R. Webster of Houston, Harris County, is replacing Judson Robinson, Jr., of Houston, Harris County, whose term expired.

Trinity River Authority of Texas

To be a member of the Board of Directors for a six-year term to expire March 15, 1985:

Jimmy C. Payton of Euless, Tarrant County, is being reappointed.

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Doc. No. 792035

William P. Clements, Jr.
Governor of Texas

For further information, please call (512) 475-3021.

Executive Order

WPC-3

Transferring the duties, functions, records, contracts, administrative obligations, and assets of the Governor's Office of Migrant Affairs to the Texas Department of Community Affairs; repealing Executive Order D.B. No. 13; and abolishing the Governor's Office of Migrant Affairs.

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Community Affairs has installed a streamlined management and audit capability.

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Community Affairs is the State Prime Sponsor under the Comprehensive Employment Training Act of 1978 and handles federal manpower programs in Texas.

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of Texas to insure that the maximum amount of federal dollars available under these programs actually reaches the recipients rather than being wasted on excessive administrative costs.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William P. Clements, Jr., Governor of Texas, under the authority vested in me, do hereby transfer the duties, functions, records, contracts, administrative obligations, and assets of the Governor's Office of Migrant Affairs to the Texas Department of Community Affairs; repeal Executive Order D.B. No. 13; and abolish the Governor's Office of Migrant Affairs.

The Texas Department of Community Affairs is hereby directed to redouble its efforts to assist Texas migrants in breaking the often inhumane migrant cycle and to maximize the impact of programs by further reducing the tremendous administrative costs involved in such programs.

This executive order shall be effective immediately.

Issued in Austin, Texas, on April 2, 1979.

Doc. No. 792057

William P. Clements, Jr.
Governor of Texas

For further information, please call (512) 475-3021.



Opinions

Summary of Opinion MW-9

Request from Henry Wade, district attorney, Dallas, concerning the use of county law library funds.

Summary of Opinion: Under Article 1702h, the County Law Library Fund may be expended only for library purposes and for the needs of judges and litigants. The fund may not be used to buy books owned by the county.

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Doc. No. 792061

C. Robert Heath
Opinion Committee Chairman
Attorney General's Office

For further information, please call (512) 475-5445.

PROPOSED RULES

1260

An agency may adopt a proposed rule no earlier than 30 days after publication in the *Register*, except where a federal statute or regulation requires implementation of a rule on shorter notice.

An agency, on request, shall provide a statement of the reasons for and against adoption of a rule. Any interested person may request this statement before adoption or within 30 days afterward. The statement shall include the principal reasons for overruling considerations urged against the agency's decision.

Numbering System—Each rule is designated by a unique 10-digit number which is divided into four units by decimal points. The first unit (three digits) indicates the agency which promulgates the rule. The second unit (two digits) indicates the chapter of rules to which the rule belongs. The third unit (two digits) indicates the subchapter of rules, if any, within the chapter. The fourth unit (three digits) indicates the individual rule.

Symbology—Changes to existing material are indicated in *bold italics*. [Brackets] indicate deletion of existing material.

Texas Health Facilities Commission

Application and Petition Procedures

Certificate of Need Application Procedures

315.18.01

Rule 315.18.01.290 provides for the joinder of certificate of need applications considered "potentially competing." Under the rule, the chairman of the commission is given discretion to order joinder. As written, the rule may be interpreted as allowing joinder any number of times during an indefinite period. In order to more explicitly identify those applications subject to joinder, to make joinder mandatory, and to place limits upon joinder, the commission proposes to amend Rule .290 as set forth below.

The adoption of the rule amendment will have no fiscal implication. The source of this determination is the commission staff which has analyzed the proposed amendment.

Public comment is invited and will be accepted until May 4, 1979. Written comment should be addressed to Dan R. McNery, general counsel, Texas Health Facilities Commission, P.O. Box 15023, Austin, Texas 78761. A public hearing is scheduled to receive oral testimony relevant and material to the adoption of these rules. The hearing will be held on April 26, 1979, at 1:30 p.m., at the offices of the commission, 1600 West 38th Street, Suite 305, Jefferson Building, Austin, Texas.

This rule is proposed under the authority of Article 4418(h), Texas Revised Civil Statutes.

.290. Joinder—Certificate of Need.

(a) *The chairman shall order the joinder of an accepted and dated certificate of need application (hereafter referred to as the first application) with one or more subsequently dated and accepted certificate of need applications (hereafter referred to as subsequent applications) when:*

(1) *the first and subsequent applications involve similar project descriptions in the same medical service area or overlapping medical service areas; and*

(2) *the subsequent applications are accepted and dated within 45 days of the acceptance and dating of the first application.*

(b) *The 45-day joinder period begins with the dating and acceptance of the first application. Only during this period of 45 days may applications be joined with the first application. When the first application and subsequent applications are joined under this rule, the commission shall not consider any of the joined applications as a first application for purposes of future joinders.* [The chairman, on his own motion or on the motion of any person, may order a certificate of need application joined with another previously accepted and dated certificate of need application when he determines that the applications are potentially competing. The chairman may join certificate of need applications when the subsequent applications are accepted and dated within 45 days of the acceptance and dating of the previous certificate of need application.]

(c) The chairman, in ordering the joinder, shall reschedule the hearing on the *first application* [previously accepted application] in order that one hearing may be conducted on all joined applications. *By ordering joinder, the applicants are admitted as parties to all joined applications.*

(d)-(e) (No change.)

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Doc. No. 792042 Melvin Rowland
Chairman
Texas Health Facilities Commission

Proposed Date of Adoption: May 11, 1979

For further information, please call (512) 475-6940.

State Board of Insurance Rating and Policy Forms

Board Shall Fix Rates 059.05.25

The State Board of Insurance proposes to amend Rule 059.05.25.003, which adopted by reference the Texas General Basis Schedules, as follows:

(1) adding to the existing rules for land and outside site improvements a new subject of insurance, described as underground utilities located outside the perimeter of any building or structure, with the same fire and extended coverage rates now applicable to land and outside site improvements (see Attachment A);

(2) eliminating the current rating rule for rent insurance, requiring separate minimum premiums be applied for each peril covered, even though rental coverage is written in the same policy with property damage (see Attachment B);

(3) adding to existing rating rules for office contents special form a rule to allow cancellation of such form from a policy without having to cancel the entire policy (see Attachment C);

(4) adding an exception to the rating rules limiting the additional occupant charge to frame or ironclad mini-storage warehouses to a specific maximum charge according to the applicable key rate (see Attachment D);

(5) adding to the existing rating rules a definition of "per account" as used in connection with the minimum premium applicable to the special extended coverage endorsement (see Attachment E);

(6) adding rules to govern the writing of Blanket Earnings and Expense Form TxMP-147, previously not available under the Texas Multiperil Program, including applicable rates for such endorsement (see Attachment F);

(7) adding to the existing rating rules specific rules to allow Section III (crime coverage) or Section IV (boiler and machinery coverage) to be provided under a Texas multiperil policy by a company other than that providing coverage under Section I (property coverage) and/or Section II (liability coverage) (see Attachment G);

(8) adding rules to govern the writing of the TMP-Removal Permit Form TxMP-60, not previously available under the TMP Program (see Attachment H);

(9) adding rules to govern the writing of replacement cost coverage on unscheduled household goods and personal effects under Form FRO-465, not previously available under the Farm and Ranch Owners Program (see Attachment I);

(10) adding rules to govern the writing of an additional extended coverage endorsement under Form HO-366, not previously available under the Homeowners Program (see Attachment J);

(11) adding to existing rules a specific definition of "fringe" in relation to applying the dwelling key rates (see Attachment K);

(12) amending the existing minimum premium rules to reflect the minimum premium for additional extended coverage to be \$5 (see Attachment L).

The proposed amendments are attached hereto (Attachments A-L) and incorporated herein by reference.

The staff of the State Board of Insurance has determined that there are no fiscal implications for the state or any unit of local government that would result from the proposed amendments.

Public comment on the proposed amendment is invited and may be submitted in writing to G. J. Jones, property actuary, State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

These amendments are proposed pursuant to the authority of Article 5.35 of the Texas Insurance Code.

.003. *Texas General Basis Schedules.* The State Board of Insurance adopts by reference the attached Texas General Basis Schedules as amended in *July 1979* [December 1978]. This document is published by and available from the State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

Doc No. 792038

Standard Forms 059.05.36.002

The State Board of Insurance proposes to amend Rule .059.05.36.002, which adopted by reference homeowners policy forms, by adding a new Form HO-366, Additional Extended Coverage Endorsement, to provide additional coverage for specified perils (see Attachment A). This amendment is attached hereto (Attachment A) and incorporated herein by reference.

The staff of the State Board of Insurance has determined that there are no fiscal implications for the state or any unit of

local government that would result from the proposed amendment.

Public comment on this amendment is invited and may be submitted in writing to G. J. Jones, property actuary, State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

This amendment is proposed pursuant to the authority of Article 5.36 of the Texas Insurance Code.

.002. *Homeowners Policy Forms.* The State Board of Insurance adopts by reference the attached homeowners policy forms as amended in *July 1979* [December 1978]. This document is published by and available from the State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

Doc. No. 792039

059.05.36.003

The State Board of Insurance proposes to amend Rule 059.05.36.003, which adopted by reference farm and ranch owners policy forms, by:

(1) amending Forms FRO-B and FRO-C to delete the exclusions for loss caused by water which backs up through sewers or drains and water below the surface of the ground (see Attachment A);

(2) adding a new Form FRO-465, Replacement Cost Endorsement, Coverage B—Unscheduled Household Goods and Personal Effects (see Attachment B).

These amendments are attached hereto (Attachments A and B) and incorporated herein by reference.

The staff of the State Board of Insurance has determined that there are no fiscal implications for the state or any unit of local government that would result from the proposed amendments.

Public comment on these amendments is invited and may be submitted in writing to G. J. Jones, property actuary, State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

These amendments are proposed pursuant to the authority of Article 5.36 of the Texas Insurance Code.

.003. *Farm and Ranch Owners Policy Forms.* The State Board of Insurance adopts by reference the attached farm and ranch owners policy forms as amended in *July 1979* [December 1978]. This document is published by and available from the State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

Doc. No. 792040

Multiperil 059.05.81

The State Board of Insurance proposes to amend Rule 059.05.81.001, which adopted by reference multiperil forms, by:

(1) adding a new Form TxMP-60, TMP-Removal Permit (see Attachment A);

(2) adding a new Form TxMP-147, TMP-Blanket Earnings and Expense Form, and adding a new form Tx-147A, TMP-Blanket Earnings and Expense Worksheet, and adding a new Form TxMP-147B, TMP-Period of Restoration Extension Endorsement (see Attachment B).

These forms are attached hereto (Attachments A and B) and incorporated herein by reference.

The staff of the State Board of Insurance has determined that there are no fiscal implications for the state or any unit of local government that would result from the proposed amendments.

Public comment on these amendments is invited and may be submitted in writing to G. J. Jones, property actuary, State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

These amendments are proposed pursuant to the authority of Article 5.81 of the Texas Insurance Code.

.001. *Multiperil Forms.* The State Board of Insurance adopts by reference the attached Texas multiperil policy forms as amended in *July 1979* [December 1978]. This document is published by and available from the State Board of Insurance, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786.

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Doc. No. 792041 Pat Wagner
 Chief Clerk
 State Board of Insurance

Proposed Date of Adoption May 11, 1979

For further information, please call (512) 475-2061.



ADOPTED RULES

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Texas Education Agency

Texas Education Agency in General

Public Information 226.11.06

The Texas Education Agency has amended Rule 226.11.06.010, concerning the public information program of the agency. The change deletes detailed material from the administrative procedure section of the rule. This material is more appropriately covered in an internal operating procedure of the agency. The policy section of the rule remains unchanged.

This amendment is adopted with no change from the text as proposed.

This amendment is promulgated under the authority of Sections 11.02(a) and 11.52(b), Texas Education Code.

.010. Texas Education Agency Communications Program.

(a) **Policy.** In administering the state responsibility for the public schools, the Texas Education Agency shall keep the public informed of both the progress and the problems of public school education in Texas in accordance with statutes and regulations established by the agency. The Texas Education Agency shall collect, analyze, interpret, and communicate educational information, impartially and independently. The communications program of the Texas Education Agency shall be directed toward strengthening all lines of communication to and from the public, school personnel, and agency staff. The State Board of Education shall be advised of and consulted on major activities of the Texas Education Agency in its communications program.

(b) **Administrative procedure.** The Texas Education Agency reports both the progress and the problems in elementary, secondary, adult, and certain areas of early childhood education, teacher education, and postsecondary education to the people of Texas through the news media, professional journals, and other publications. Each Texas Education Agency staff member has a role in carrying out an external communications program. Divisional and individual responsibilities are as follows:

(1) The Division of Dissemination and Publications has primary responsibility for developing and carrying out a public information program.

(2) Each professional staff member is responsible for cooperation with the Division of Dissemination and Publications in providing accurate information within his or her areas of expertise and in compliance with state and federal open records statutes.

Issued in Austin, Texas, on March 30, 1979.

Doc. No. 792004

M. L. Broquette
Commissioner of Education

Effective Date: April 20, 1979

For further information, please call (512) 475-7077.

Texas Department of Public Safety

Chemical Breath-Testing Regulations 201.10.00

The Texas Department of Public Safety has withdrawn from consideration for adoption proposed amendments to Rule 201.10.00.003, Breath-Test Instrument Operator Certification, and Rule .006, Explanation of Terms and Actions. The proposals were published in the November 7, 1978, issue of the *Texas Register* (3 TexReg 3889).

Doc. No. 792044

The Open Meetings Act (Article 6252-17, Texas Civil Statutes) requires that an agency with statewide jurisdiction have notice posted for at least seven days before the day of a meeting. A political subdivision covering all or part of four or more counties, or an institution of higher education, must have notice posted for at least 72 hours before the scheduled meeting time. Notice of an emergency meeting or an emergency addition or amendment to an agenda must be posted for at least two hours before the meeting is convened. Although some notices may be received and filed too late for publication before the meetings are held, all filed notices will be published in the *Register*. Each notice published includes an agenda or a summary of the agenda as furnished for publication by the agency and the date and time of filing. Notices are posted on the bulletin board outside the offices of the secretary of state on the first floor in the East Wing of the State Capitol. These notices may contain more detailed agendas than space allows to be published in the *Register*.

Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities

Tuesday, April 3, 1979, 1:30 p.m. The Executive Committee of the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities made an emergency addition to the agenda of the meeting held at the commission office, 1801 Lavaca, Austin. The summarized addition was discussion of the Texas Arts Foundation.

Additional information may be obtained from Pat McCabe Leche, P.O. Box 13406, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-6593.

Filed April 2, 1979, 2:45 p.m.
Doc No 792016

State Banking Board

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 2 p.m. The State Banking Board will meet at 2601 North Lamar, Austin. The summarized agenda includes the following: a voting session which will include charter applications for Allied Mission Bend Bank, Harris County; Lamar County Bank, Paris; Oak Lawn Bank and Trust Company, Dallas; and Early Bank, Early; conversion application for Dallas/Fort Worth Airport Bank, Irving; domicile changes for Commercial State Bank, Houston; Sunrise Bank, Brownsville; and First State Bank of Rankin, Rankin; motion for rehearing on Allied Nederland Bank, Nederland; and a review of applications approved but not yet open.

Additional information may be obtained from Dan Krohn, 2601 North Lamar, Austin, Texas 78705, telephone (512) 475-4451.

Filed April 2, 1979, 3:22 p.m.
Doc. No. 792020

Monday, April 23, 1979, 9 a.m. The State Banking Board will conduct a hearing at 2601 North Lamar, Austin. The summarized agenda for the hearing concerns the proposed domicile change for Bank of Commerce, Point Comfort, to move to Port Lavaca.

Additional information may be obtained from Dan Krohn, 2601 North Lamar, Austin, Texas 78705, telephone (512) 475-4451.

Filed: April 2, 1979, 3:22 p.m.
Doc. No. 792019

Monday, April 30, 1979, 9 a.m. The State Banking Board will conduct a hearing at 2601 North Lamar, Austin. The summarized agenda for the hearing concerns the application for charter for proposed First State Bank of Cleburne, Cleburne.

Additional information may be obtained from Dan Krohn, 2601 North Lamar, Austin, Texas 78705, telephone (512) 475-4451.

Filed: April 2, 1979, 3:22 p.m.
Doc. No. 792018

Monday, May 7, 1979, 9 a.m. The State Banking Board will conduct a rehearing at 2601 North Lamar, Austin. The summarized agenda concerns the application for charter for San Patricio State Bank, Sinton.

Additional information may be obtained from Dan Krohn, 2601 North Lamar, Austin, Texas 78705, telephone (512) 475-4451.

Filed: April 2, 1979, 3:22 p.m.
Doc. No. 792017

State Board of Barber Examiners

Monday, April 9, 1979, 3 p.m. The State Board of Barber Examiners held an emergency meeting at Texas Barber College No. 2, 2406 Gus Thomasson Road, Dallas, to consider a complaint on a barber college in Odessa and information concerning separation of barber shops and beauty parlors.

Additional information may be obtained from Charles F. Blackburn, 5555 N. Lamar, H-111, Austin, Texas 78751, telephone (512) 478-2241.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 4 p.m.
Doc. No. 792045

Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 10 a.m. The Educational Information Center Advisory Committee of the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, will meet in Room 2-120, Joe C. Thompson Conference Center, 26th and Red River Streets, Austin, to discuss the definition of Educational Information Centers and the types of information included in EIC and to develop alternative approaches for the state EIC program.

Additional information may be obtained from Kenneth H. Ashworth, P.O. Box 12788, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4361.

Filed: April 2, 1979, 3:57 p.m.
Doc. No. 792024

Friday, April 20, 1979, 9 a.m. The subcommittee to the Allied Health Education Advisory Committee of the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, will meet in Room 1-116 at the Joe C. Thompson Conference Center, 26th and Red River Streets, Austin. The subcommittee will continue the study, discussions, and conclusions on credentialing, which will be brought to the full committee to reach a consensus on the recommendations to be made.

Additional information may be obtained from Kenneth H. Ashworth, P.O. Box 12788, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4361.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 9:18 a.m.
Doc. No. 792090

Friday, April 20, 1979, 10 a.m. The subcommittee to the Allied Health Education Advisory Committee of the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, will meet in the conference room at the Park Lane East Building, 55 North Interstate 35, Austin. The subcommittee will continue the study, discussions, and conclusions on continuing education and retraining, which will be brought to the full committee to reach a consensus on the recommendations to be made.

Additional information may be obtained from Kenneth H. Ashworth, P.O. Box 12788, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4361.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 9:18 a.m.
Doc. No. 792089

Friday, April 20, 1979, 1 p.m. The Allied Health Education Advisory Committee of the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, will meet in Room 1-116 of the Joe C. Thompson Conference Center, 26th and Red River, Austin, to receive the reports and recommendations from the subcommittees and to reach a consensus on the various recommendations.

Additional information may be obtained from Kenneth H. Ashworth, P.O. Box 12788, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4361.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:47 a.m.
Doc. No. 792034

Credit Union Department

April 4, 1979, 6 p.m. The commission of the Credit Union Department met in emergency session in the Angus Room, Sheraton-Fort Worth Hotel, 815 Main Street, Fort Worth. According to the agenda summary, the commission held a closed session to discuss potential litigation.

Additional information may be obtained from Harry L. Elliott, 914 East Anderson Lane, Austin, Texas 78753, telephone (512) 837-9236.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:48 a.m.
Doc. No. 792027

State Board of Education

Friday, April 13, 1979, 8:30 a.m. The Committee for Policy, Budget, and Finance of the State Board of Education will meet in the second floor conference room, 158 East Riverside Drive, Austin. The agenda items are as follows: instructional resources in general; committees of the board; meetings; official advisory groups and procedures for their appointment; request for authorization to apply for funds under Title VII, Elementary and Secondary Education Act; request for authority to contract with the Ohio State University Research Foundation; request for authorization to submit application to continue the Dissemination Project, Coordinating Information for Texas Educators; request for authorization to submit an application for a grant to continue operation of the Office of Technical Assistance for Desegregation; revision of agency operating plan/budget, 1978-79; and miscellaneous other business.

Additional information may be obtained from M. L. Brockette, 201 East 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3271.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 10 23 a.m.
Doc. No. 792063

Friday, April 13, 1979, 8:30 a.m. The Committee for Programs and Personnel Development of the State Board of Education will meet in the board room, 150 East Riverside Drive, Austin. The agenda items are as follows: State Board of Examiners for Teacher Education; process for state adoption of textbooks; migrant education program; regional education service centers; Texas State Plan for Adult Education for Fiscal Years 1980-82; notice of public hearing on update for fiscal year 1980 annual program plan for vocational education and fiscal year 1978 accountability report; responses to recommendations in the 9th annual report and special report of the Advisory Council for Technical-Vocational Education in Texas; recommendations for appointment to the 1979 State Textbook Committee; proposed schedule and guidelines for adoption of textbooks for fundamentals of the free enterprise system, high school; and miscellaneous other business.

Additional information may be obtained from M. L. Brockette, 201 East 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3271.

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Friday, April 13, 1979, 1 p.m. The Committee for Investment of the Permanent School Fund of the State Board of Education will meet in the second floor conference room, 158 East Riverside Drive, Austin, to discuss investment of available funds and other miscellaneous business.

Additional information may be obtained from M. L. Brockette, 201 East 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3271.

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Doc. No. 792065

Friday, April 13, 1979, 2 p.m. The Committee for Priorities, Accountability, and Accreditation of the State Board of Education will meet in the board room, 150 East Riverside Drive, Austin. The agenda items are as follows: migrant education program; compensatory education program; funding for compensatory education programs; principles, standards, and procedures for the accreditation of school districts; recommendation for approval of an appointment to the Texas Advisory Committee on Conservation and Environmental Education; nominations to the State Parent Advisory Council for Migrant Education; recommendations for appointment to State Commission on School Accreditation; and other miscellaneous business.

Additional information may be obtained from M. L. Brockette, 201 East 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3271.

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Doc. No. 792066

Saturday, April 14, 1979, 8:30 a.m. The State Board of Education will meet in the board room, 150 East Riverside Drive, Austin. The agenda items are as follows: agency administration; appeals decisions of the Commissioner of Education; State Board of Examiners for Teacher Education; process for state adoption of textbooks; migrant education program; regional education service centers; Texas State Plan for Adult Education for Fiscal Years 1980-82; notice of public hearing on update for fiscal year 1980 annual program plan for vocational education and fiscal year 1978 accountability report; responses to recommendations in the 9th annual report and special report of the Advisory Council for Technical-Vocational Education in Texas; recommendations for appointment to the 1979 State Textbook Committee; proposed schedule and guidelines for adoption of textbooks for fundamentals of the free enterprise system, high school; Education Improvement Advisory Council; adult education and training in general; Office of the Commissioner of Education; emergency teaching permits and permits for special assignments; certification of teachers in general; instructional resources in general; committees of the board; meetings; official advisory groups and procedures for their appointment; request for authorization to apply for funds under Title VII, Elementary and Secondary Education Act; request for authority to contract with the Ohio State University Research Foundation; request for authorization to submit application to continue the Dissemination Project, Coordinating Information for Texas Educators; request for authorization to submit an application for a grant to continue operation of the Office of Technical Assistance for Desegregation; revision of agency operating plan/budget, 1978-79; request for approval of budget revision, fiscal year 1979, Texas schools for the blind and for the deaf; migrant education program; compensatory education program; funding for compensatory education programs; principles, standards, and procedures for the accreditation of school districts; recommendation for ap-

proval of an appointment to the Texas Advisory Committee on Conservation and Environmental Education; nominations to the State Parent Advisory Council for Migrant Education; recommendations for appointment to State Commission on School Accreditation; investment of the Permanent School Fund; and miscellaneous other business.

Additional information may be obtained from M. L. Brockette, 201 East 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3271.

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Doc. No. 792067



Commission on Fire Protection Personnel Standards and Education

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 8:30 a.m. The Subcommittee on Fire Protection (Prevention) of the Commission on Fire Protection Personnel Standards and Education will meet in Suite 122, 8330 Burnet Road, Austin, to study and review the minimum standards for fire prevention (inspector) personnel.

Additional information may be obtained from Garland W. Fulbright, 8330 Burnet Road, Suite 122, Austin, Texas 78758, telephone (512) 459-8701.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 4 p.m.
Doc. No. 792048

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 10:30 a.m. The Fire Suppression Subcommittee of the Commission on Fire Protection Personnel Standards and Education will meet in Suite 122, 8330 Burnet Road, Austin, to study and possibly make recommendations for approval of training facilities and to proceed with recommendations for certification of instructors to teach "Effective Reading and Study Skills."

Additional information may be obtained from Garland Fulbright, 8330 Burnet Road, Suite 122, Austin, Texas 78758, telephone (512) 459-8701.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 3:59 p.m.
Doc. No. 792049

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 1:15 p.m. The Commission on Fire Protection Personnel Standards and Education will meet in Suite 122, 8330 Burnet Road, Austin, to consider reports of the subcommittees and the potential impact of HB 1355 and HB 1661.

Additional information may be obtained from Garland W. Fulbright, 8330 Burnet Road, Suite 122, Austin, Texas 78758, telephone (512) 459-8701.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 4 p.m.
Doc. No. 792047

Texas Health Facilities Commission

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Health Facilities Commission will meet in Suite 305 at the Jefferson Building, 1600 West 38th Street, Austin. According to the summarized agenda, the commission will consider the following applications for certificate of need (CN) and exemption certificate (EC):

All Saints Episcopal Hospital, Fort Worth, AH79-0108-001 (CN)

Baylor Medical Plaza Services, Corp., Dallas, AO79-0115-001 (CN)

Henderson County Memorial Hospital, Athens, AH79-0222-011 (EC)

Eastwood Hospital, Inc., El Paso, AH79-0227-021 (EC)

Newburn Memorial Hospital, Jacksonville, AH79-0228-011 (EC)

Westbury Hospital, Houston, AH79-0301-015 (EC)

Youens Memorial Hospital, Weimar, AH79-0228-013 (EC)

The commission will also conduct a routine business meeting immediately following the open meeting.

Additional information may be obtained from Dan R. McNery, P.O. Box 15023, Austin, Texas 78761, telephone (512) 475-6940.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 4:19 p.m.
Doc. No. 792078

Thursday, April 19, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Health Facilities Commission will meet in Suite 305 at the Jefferson Building, 1600 West 38th Street, Austin. According to the summarized agenda, the commission will consider the following applications for certificate of need (CN) and exemption certificate (EC):

Memorial Hospital—Beechnut, Houston, AH79-0202-005 (CN)

St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo, AH78-1220-015 (CN)

Pasadena Bayshore Hospital, Pasadena, AH79-0228-003 (EC)

Marion County Hospital, Jefferson, AH78-0619-001E(1) (022779) (EC)

St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo, AH79-0305-031 (EC)

Marion County Hospital, Jefferson, AH78-0619-003E(1) (022779) (EC)

St. Luke's Episcopal/Texas Children's Hospitals, Houston, AH79-0305-027

Additional information may be obtained from Dan R. McNery, P.O. Box 15023, Austin, Texas 78761, telephone (512) 475-6940.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 4:32 p.m.
Doc. No. 792079

State Board of Insurance

Tuesday, April 10, 1979, 2 p.m. An emergency addition has been made to the agenda of a meeting of the State Board of Insurance to be held in Room 408, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, to include an executive session to discuss litigation.

Additional information may be obtained from Pat Wagner, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-2950.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 10:57 a.m.
Doc. No. 792097

Wednesday, April 11, 1979, 9 a.m. The Commissioner's Hearing Section of the State Board of Insurance will meet in Room 343, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, to review a Worker's Compensation ruling concerning the continuation of an experience modifier for Sitton Drilling Company, Lubbock.

Additional information may be obtained from J. C. Thomas, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-4353.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 10:03 a.m.
Doc. No. 792037

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 10 a.m. The State Board of Insurance made an emergency addition to the meeting held in Room 408, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin. The additional item was the real estate dealers errors and omissions filing by Insurance Company of North America.

Additional information may be obtained from Pat Wagner, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-2950.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 10:50 a.m.
Doc. No. 792068

Monday, April 16, 1979, 1:30 p.m. The Commissioner's Hearing Section of the State Board of Insurance will meet in Room 343, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, for a hearing to consider a trust agreement between National Health Insurance Company, Dallas, and Industrial Life Insurance Company, Dallas, pursuant to Texas Insurance Code Annotated, Article 21.39-A.

Additional information may be obtained from J. C. Thomas, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-4353.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:48 a.m.
Doc. No. 792030

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 10 a.m. The Commissioner's Hearing Section of the State Board of Insurance will meet in Room 343, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, for a hearing to con-

sider the application of General Indemnity Insurance Company, Dallas, to enter into a facilities and service agreement with General Surety Agency, Dallas, pursuant to Texas Insurance Code Annotated, Article 21.49-1, Section 4. and Section 4.000 of Board Order 18582.

Additional information may be obtained from J. C. Thomas, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-4353.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:48 a.m.
Doc. No. 792029

Wednesday, April 18, 1979, 10 a.m. The Commissioner's Hearing Section of the State Board of Insurance will meet in Room 343, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, for a hearing to determine compliance of Great Security Life Insurance Company, Dallas, with commissioner's Supervision Order 79-0542, dated February 16, 1979.

Additional information may be obtained from J. C. Thomas, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-4353.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:48 a.m.
Doc. No. 792028

Wednesday, April 18, 1979, 10 a.m. The State Board of Insurance will meet in Room 408, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, to hear the annual report of the Texas MAP Committee.

Additional information may be obtained from Pat Wagner, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Texas 78786, telephone (512) 475-2950.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 9:18 a.m.
Doc. No. 792086

Lamar University

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 8:30 a.m. The Finance Committee of the Board of Regents of Lamar University will meet in executive session in the board room at the Plummer Administration Building on the main campus, Beaumont. According to the summarized agenda, the committee will review the fee proposal for 1979-80.

Additional information may be obtained from Andrew J. Johnson, P.O. Box 10014, LUS, Beaumont, Texas 77710.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 10:27 a.m.
Doc. No. 792093

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 9:30 a.m. The Personnel Committee of the Board of Regents of Lamar University will meet in the board room at the Plummer Administration Building on the main campus, Beaumont. According to the summarized agenda, the committee will meet in executive session to review tenure recommendations.

Additional information may be obtained from Andrew J. Johnson, P.O. Box 10014, LUS, Beaumont, Texas 77710.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 10:27 a.m.
Doc. No. 792094

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 10:30 a.m. The Board of Regents of Lamar University will meet in the board room at the Ad-

ministration Building on the main campus, Beaumont. A summary of the agenda includes: consideration of journal entries and monthly reports of operations for February; report of the Personnel Committee on tenure recommendations; recommendations of the Finance Committee regarding fees for 1979-80; an executive session; the president's report; approval of Pleasure Island property proposal; and approval of regents' professors and regents' merit awards as recommended.

Additional information may be obtained from Andrew J. Johnson, P.O. Box 10014, LUS, Beaumont, Texas 77710.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 10:27 a.m.
Doc. No. 792095

Texas Legislature

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 10 a.m. The House of Representatives Appropriations Committee and the Senate Finance Committee will meet in Room 301 in the Capitol, Austin, to receive from the public oral and written comments on the proposed budget of funds to be received by Texas during fiscal years ending in 1980 and 1981 from the federal government under the authority of the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Amendments of 1976 (Public Law 94-488, as amended, 90 STATE, 2347-49), as well as on the proposed budget as a whole. The proposed appropriations for 1980 and 1981 from all funds and the amount to be appropriated from federal revenue sharing funds are on file in the Legislative Reference Library in the Capitol and are available for public inspection during normal business hours.

Additional information may be obtained from Homer Scace, Room 207-A, State Capitol, Austin, Texas, telephone (512) 475-3426.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 3:59 p.m.
Doc. No. 792050

Board of Nurse Examiners

Wednesday, April 18, 1979, 8 a.m. The Board of Nurse Examiners will meet in Suite 502, Building II, 7600 Chevy Chase Drive, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the board will conduct disciplinary hearings, reinstatement hearings, and informal hearings; and will discuss the education report, irregulars, and miscellaneous business.

Additional information may be obtained from Margaret Rowland, Suite 502, 7600 Chevy Chase, Austin, Texas 78752, telephone (512) 451-0201.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 9:19 a.m.
Doc. No. 792058

Board of Pardons and Paroles

Monday-Friday, April 16-20, 1979, 9 a.m. daily. The Board of Pardons and Paroles will meet at 711 Stephen F. Austin Building, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the board will review cases of inmates for parole consideration; act on emergency reprieve requests and other acts of executive clemency; review reports regarding persons on parole; review procedures affecting the daily operation of

support staff; review and initiate needed rule changes relating to general operation, executive clemency, parole, and all hearings; and act upon gubernatorial directives.

Additional information may be obtained from Ken Casner, 711 Stephen F. Austin Building, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3363.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:47 a.m.
Doc. No. 792032

Wednesday, April 18, 1979, 9 a.m. The Board of Pardons and Paroles will meet at the Diagnostic Unit, Texas Department of Corrections, Huntsville. According to the agenda summary, a parole panel consisting of members of the board and of the Texas Parole Commission will conduct parole violation hearings.

Additional information may be obtained from Ken Casner, 711 Stephen F. Austin Building, Austin, Texas 78701, telephone (512) 475-3363.

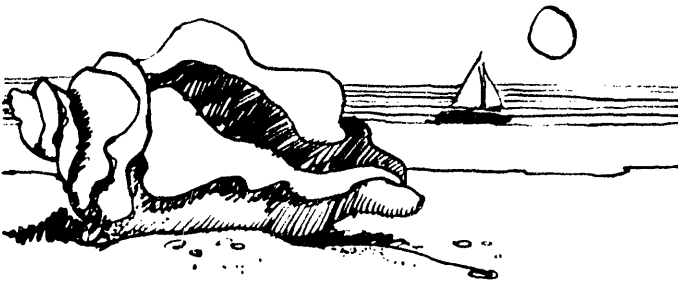
Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:47 a.m.
Doc. No. 792033

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 2 and 3 p.m. The Fisheries Division/Resources Protection Branch of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will meet in Room A-200, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the application of Cape Carancahua Property Owners Association, Inc., for a permit to remove approximately 1,100 cubic yards of marl (total) from Carancahua Bay, Cape Carancahua Subdivision, adjacent to Lots 862 and 963, Jackson County, will be considered at 2 p.m. The application of Roy C. Crawford for a permit to remove approximately 650 cubic yards of marl (total) from Corpus Christi Bay (Ingleside Cove, adjacent to Lots 5 through 9 in Ingleside-on-the-Bay), Ingleside, San Patricio County, will be considered at 3 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained from Chester D. Harris, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas 78744, telephone (512) 475-4831.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 4 p.m.
Doc. No. 792046



Public Utility Commission of Texas

Friday, April 13, 1979, 10 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a prehearing conference in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the conference concerns Docket 2490, the application of San Marcos Telephone Company, Inc., to amend its certificate of convenience and necessity to provide radio-telephone utility service within Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe, and Hays Counties.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 3:45 p.m.
Doc. No. 792076

Monday, April 16, 1979, 9 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a prehearing conference in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the conference concerns Docket 2518, the application of Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., for a rate increase within Armstrong, Collingsworth, Donley, Wheeler, Childress, Gray, Hemphill, Randall, and Roberts Counties.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 9:19 a.m.
Doc. No. 792059

Tuesday, April 17, 1979, 9 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a hearing in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the hearing concerns Docket 2224, the application of Answer, Inc., of San Antonio to amend its certificate of convenience and necessity within Bexar County.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 9:19 a.m.
Doc. No. 792060

Wednesday, April 18, 1979, 9 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a hearing in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the hearing concerns Docket 2385, the application of Hamilton County Electric Cooperative Association for authority to change rates within Hamilton, Coryell, Lampasas, Mills, and San Saba Counties.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 2, 1979, 3:57 p.m.
Doc. No. 792023

Wednesday, April 18, 1979, 10 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a prehearing conference in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the conference concerns Docket 2497, the petition for review by Westworth Water Company of denial of rate increase by Westworth Village in Tarrant County.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 3:45 p.m.
Doc. No. 792077

Thursday, April 19, 1979, 10 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a prehearing conference in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the conference concerns Docket 2268, the complaint of Texas Alarm and Signal Association against Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 9:47 a.m.
Doc. No. 792031

Monday, April 23, 1979, 9 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will conduct a hearing in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the hearing concerns Docket 2350, the application of Olmito Water Supply Corporation to amend its certificate of convenience and necessity within Cameron County.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757 telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 2, 1979, 3:57 p.m.
Doc. No. 792022

Monday, May 7, 1979, 9 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will meet in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the summarized agenda, a hearing will be conducted on the application of Windy's Water Works, Inc. (Doc. No. 2465). The applicant is seeking a rate increase within Bexar County.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 9:18 a.m.
Doc. No. 792087

Thursday, May 10, 1979, 9 a.m. The Hearings Division of the Public Utility Commission of Texas will meet in Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin. According to the summarized agenda, a hearing will be conducted on the application of Five-Way Water Supply Corporation (Doc. No. 2481). Five-Way is seeking a rate increase within Shelby County.

Additional information may be obtained from Philip F. Ricketts, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, telephone (512) 458-0100.

Filed: April 5, 1979, 9:18 a.m.
Doc. No. 792088

Texas Water Commission

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Water Commission will conduct hearings at the Houston-Galveston Area Council offices, conference room annex, 3701 West Alabama, Houston. According to the summarized agendas, the following applications will be considered:

City of Houston (Manning Utility District), Houston—amendment to Permit 11354 to accommodate plant expansion

Whittaker Corporation doing business as Fort Worth Pipe and Supply, Conroe—permit to allow for a discharge not to exceed an average flow of 3,000 gallons per day of domestic sewage effluent from the manufacturing plant sewage treatment facility

Technical Drilling Tools, Inc., Houston—permit to allow for a discharge not to exceed an average flow of 19,200 gallons per day of domestic sewage effluent from the manufacturing facility sewage treatment plant

Dalho Corporation, Houston—permit to allow for a discharge not to exceed an average flow of 22,000 gallons per day of domestic sewage effluent

The Groce Company, Inc. (Manvel Plant), Houston—permit to receive, store, process, and dispose of Class I, II, and III solid wastes

American Porcelain Enameling, Inc., Houston—amendment to Permit 01851 to accommodate expanded production capacity

Additional information may be obtained from Phillip Paine, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-1468.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 4:58 p.m.
Doc. Nos. 792051-792056

Thursday, April 12, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Water Commission will meet at the Houston-Galveston Area Council offices, conference room annex, 3701 West Alabama, Houston. According to the agenda summary, the commission will consider to affirm, modify, or rescind Temporary Order 79-1E, dated March 20, 1979, in the matter of the application of Whittaker Corporation doing business as Fort Worth Pipe and Supply Company.

Additional information may be obtained from Mary Ann Hefner, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4514.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 2:32 p.m.
Doc. No. 792072

Monday, April 16, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Water Commission will meet at the Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the

commission will consider applications for bond issues, use of surplus funds, change in plans, release from escrow, examiner's report on protection of the Edwards Aquifer from pollution, applications for water quality permits and amendments, proposed renewal of water quality permits, voluntary suspension of water quality permit, final decision on water rights applications, adjudication matter, dismissal of application, and the filing and setting of hearing dates on applications.

Additional information may be obtained from Mary Ann Hefner, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4514.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 2:32 p.m.
Doc. No. 792075

Wednesday, April 25, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Water Commission will meet at the Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the commission will conduct a hearing on the request for conversion of Harris County Fresh Water Supply District 51 into a municipal utility district operating under Chapter 54 of the Texas Water Code.

Additional information may be obtained from Mary Ann Hefner, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4514.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 2:32 p.m.
Doc. No. 792073

Wednesday, April 25, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Water Commission will meet at the Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the commission will consider the examiner's proposals for decision on two water quality permits: Permit 11891 of the City of Ames and Permit 12062-01 of Schlumberger Well Services, a Division of Schlumberger Technological Corporation.

Additional information may be obtained from Mary Ann Hefner, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4514.

Filed: April 4, 1979, 2:32 p.m.
Doc. No. 792074

Tuesday, May 15, 1979, 10 a.m. The Texas Water Commission will meet at the Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress, Austin. According to the agenda summary, the commission will conduct a hearing to determine jurisdiction, establish interim rates, and hear briefs on the issue of jurisdiction.

Additional information may be obtained from Mary Ann Hefner, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone (512) 475-4514.

Filed: April 3, 1979, 1:54 p.m.
Doc. No. 792043

Regional Agencies

Meetings Filed April 3, 1979

The Brazos Valley Development Council's Executive Committee will meet in the Medallion Room at the Bryan Utilities Building, 300 South Washington, Bryan, on April 12, 1979, 1:30 p.m. Further information may be obtained from Glenn J. Cook, P.O. Drawer 4128, Bryan, Texas 77801, telephone (713) 822-7421.

The Middle Rio Grande Development Council's Regional Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Advisory Committee met in emergency session in the conference room at City Hall in Eagle Pass on April 5, 1979, at 11 a.m. Further information may be obtained from Elia G. Santos, P.O. Box 1461, Del Rio, Texas 78840.

The Texas Municipal Power Agency's Board of Directors will meet at 600 Arlington Downs Tower, Arlington, on April 12, 1979, at 9 a.m. Further information may be obtained from Joel Rodgers, 600 Arlington Downs Tower, Arlington, Texas 76011, telephone (817) 461-4400.

The Panhandle Health Systems Agency of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission will meet at the Texas Tech University School of Medicine, 1400 Wallace Boulevard, Amarillo, on April 12, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. Further information may be obtained from E. L. Melin, Suite 730, Amarillo Building, Amarillo, Texas 79101, telephone (806) 372-3381.

The Panhandle Rural Health Initiative Corporation's Board of Directors met at the Donley County Medical Center, Highway 70 North, Clarendon, on April 9, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. Further information may be obtained from Kenneth Rascoe, Box 870, Highway 70 North, Clarendon, Texas 79226, telephone (806) 874-3760.

Doc. No. 792026

Meetings Filed April 4, 1979

The Alamo Area Council of Governments' Executive Committee will meet at 532 Three Americas Building, San Antonio, on April 11, 1979, at 1:30 p.m. For more information, contact Al J. Notzon III, 400 Three Americas Building, San Antonio, Texas 78205, telephone (512) 225-5201.

The Region VIII Education Service Center Board of Directors will meet at Region VIII Education Service Center, 100 North Riddle, Mt. Pleasant, on April 19, 1979, at 7 p.m. For more information, contact Leroy Hendricks, 100 North Riddle, Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75455, telephone (214) 572-6676.

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 Board of Directors will meet at 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, on April 10, 1979, at 10 a.m. For more information, contact A. Wayne Wyatt, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79405, telephone (806) 762-0181.

The Middle Rio Grande Development Council's Board of Directors will meet at the Civic Center, 200 East Main, Uvalde, on April 12, 1979, at 3 p.m. For more information, contact Elia G. Santos, P.O. Box 1461, Del Rio, Texas 78840, telephone (512) 775-1581.

The Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission's Board of Directors will meet in the Conference Room of the Air Terminal Office Building, Midland, on April 11, 1979, at 1:30 p.m. For more information, contact Kathy Ferron, P.O. Box 6391, Midland, Texas 79701, telephone (915) 563-1061.

Doc. No. 792062

Meetings Filed April 5, 1979

The Executive Committee of the Concho Valley Council of Governments will meet in the city commission chambers at City Hall, located on the plaza in San Angelo, on April 11, 1979, at 7 p.m. Further information may be obtained from James F. Ridge, 17 South Chadbourne, Suite 200, San Angelo, Texas 76903, telephone (915) 653-1214.

The Policy Advisory Committee of the City of El Paso Urban Transportation Study will meet in the city council

chambers in El Paso on April 12, 1979, at 11 a.m. Further information may be obtained from Judith M. Price, 106 North Ochoa, El Paso, Texas 79999, telephone (915) 543-6770.

The Regional Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Advisory Committee of the Middle Rio Grande Development Council met in emergency session in the conference room at City Hall in Eagle Pass on April 5, 1979, at 3 p.m. Further information may be obtained from Elia G. Santos, P.O. Box 1461, Del Rio, Texas 78840.

The Utility Services Committee of the Trinity River Authority of Texas will meet in emergency session in the executive conference room at the authority's general offices, 2723 Avenue E. East, Arlington, on April 10, 1979, at 9 a.m. Further information may be obtained from Geri Elliott, P.O. Box 5768, Arlington, Texas 76011, telephone (817) 461-3151.

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Legislative Report

The legislative coverage in the *Register* includes notices on the introduction of bills and committee referrals. The legislative report focuses on proposed bills and resolutions which, if passed, will have a major impact on issues of concern to citizens on a statewide basis. Organized according to content, the coverage includes legislation regarding energy, environment, education, human services (health and welfare), insurance, economic development, taxes, criminal justice, state and local government, elections, constitutional revision, and consumer affairs. Also appearing in this section are notices of committee meetings and bill status lists which indicate the latest action on bills covered in the report.

The Texas House changed the referral of HB 2173, relating to the composition and compensation of the Grayson County Juvenile Court, from the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs to the Judicial Affairs Committee.

Environment

A bill to making changes in the Texas Air Control Board (HB 726) was placed on the daily general state calendar on April 3. The bill would require five board members to represent the public interest and allow the board to adopt rules relating to fees for permits and variances.

Education

HB 2045, creating a state higher education assistance fund, was referred to the Subcommittee on Revenue Administration on April 2. Similar to other proposals, this fund would be created in the state treasury. The income from the fund's investment would be used for acquiring land with or without permanent improvements or for construction of permanent improvements at state institutions of higher education.

Human Services

A proposed statutory definition of death (HB 12) was placed on the daily general state calendar on April 3. Death would be defined as the irreversible cessation of spontaneous respiratory and circulatory functions, based on ordinary standards of medical practice. The bill requires a physician to announce the occurrence of death prior to the termination of artificial means of support and provides immunity from liability for physicians.

Insurance

Several bills have been introduced to require trucks hauling loose materials to cover their loads. In the Senate Economic Development Committee, SB 84 and SB 342 were referred to subcommittee on April 2.

HB 22, requiring all drivers to carry liability insurance, was considered by an Insurance subcommittee in public hearing on March 28.

Economic Development

The regulation of offers and sale of securities in Texas is under consideration in both houses. SB 293, passed in the senate on March 29, was reported favorably from the House Financial Institutions Committee without amendments on April 3. HB 807 was read the second time in the house on April 3.

Taxes

There are many proposals pending in both houses regarding ad valorem taxation. SB 621, the Property Tax Code, was considered by the Senate Finance Committee in a third public hearing on April 2. HB 503, limiting increases in property ad valorem taxes to 10 percent per year, was reported from an Intergovernmental Affairs subcommittee favorably with amendments on April 2.

The committee report of HJR 102, prohibiting a personal state income tax in Texas, was printed and sent to the Committee on Calendars on March 29.

Two bills (HB 1005 and HB 690) imposing a severance tax on uranium were considered by a Ways and Means subcommittee in public hearing on March 28.

Criminal Justice

Several criminal justice issues are being considered. SB 546, making violation of a prisoner's civil rights a third-degree felony, was passed in the Senate on April 2 and referred to the House Criminal Jurisprudence Committee on April 3. HB 43, changing the definition of sexual contact to include females younger than 10 years, was placed on the daily general state calendar on April 3. HB 244, making parents liable for property damage or personal injury caused by their child, was placed on the daily general state calendar on April 3.

Extending the jurisdiction of the Commission on Jail Standards to all jails rather than just county jails, HB 1111 was referred to an Intergovernmental Affairs subcommittee on April 2. HB 2131 would abolish the Jail Standards Commission and transfer its duties to the Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education. HB 2131 was considered by the Security and Sanctions Committee in public hearing on April 2.

State and Local Government

Many proposals regarding organization or creation of state agencies are receiving attention in both houses. Concerning regulation of dentists, two bills are under consideration: HB 884 passed to third reading in the house on April 3; and SB 484 was received by the house from the senate on April 3. Creating the Texas 1986 Sesquicentennial Commission, HB 1379 was read a second time in the house on April 3; SB 779 was referred to the House Business and Industry Committee on April 3. HB 1429, changing the name of the Texas Library and Historical Commission to the Texas State Library and Archives Commission, was referred to the Subcommittee on Agencies and Licensing on April 2. SB 681, renewing the Battleship Texas Commission, was referred to the House

Government Organization Committee on April 3. SB 522, creating the Texas Board of Examiners in Social Work, was considered by the Human Resources Committee in public hearing on April 2. HB 39, changing the Texas Adult Probation Commission to the Texas Probation Commission, was placed on the daily general state calendar on April 4.

Other state government issues are addressed by the following bills. SB 977, limiting the rate of growth of state appropriations, was reported favorably from the Finance Committee without amendments on April 3. HB 1125, granting budget execution powers to the governor, was reported from the Ways and Means Committee favorably without amendments on April 2. HB 1290, extending the Railroad Commission's jurisdiction over gas utilities, was considered by a State Affairs subcommittee in public hearing on April 2. HB 1382, requiring state agencies to justify proposed rules and creating the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules Review, was referred to the Subcommittee on State Employees on April 2.

Constitutional Revision

The committee report on SJR 28, legalizing bingo for some nonprofit organizations, was printed and sent to the Committee on Calendars on March 30.

Consumer Affairs

Two bills requiring warranty of habitability for residential rental units (SB 774 and SB 721) were referred to a Human Resources subcommittee on April 2. This warranty would be implied in every lease or rental agreement of a residential unit. Habitability includes clean and safe conditions; performance of necessary repairs; maintenance of heating and air conditioning appliances, garbage receptacles, locks, and stairways; and extermination of rodents and insects.

House of Representatives

Bills Introduced

Committee Referrals

The following are bills filed for action during the 66th Legislative Session. Each bill is followed in parentheses by the committee to which it has been assigned. In the following list, the bill number appears first, the author(s) second, and the subject of the bill. HB indicates house bill; HJR indicates house joint resolution; HCR indicates house concurrent resolution; and HR indicates house simple resolution.

For copies of bills, call Bill Distribution (512) 475-2073.

HR 87 Barrientos, et al.—Declaring April 3, 1979, "Lee Trevino Day" and inviting Lee Trevino to address the House of Representatives.

HR 92 Brown, Pierce—Commending Walter W. McAllister, Sr.

HR 93 W. N. Hall—Commending Mrs. Blanche Brown Wright for her contributions as an educator.

HR 94 Schlueter—Congratulating Representative and Mrs. William A. Messer on the birth of their son.

HR 95 Whaley—Proclaiming the week of April 8 through 14, 1979, as Red River Savings and Loan Association Week in Texas.

HR 96 Leonard—Concerning amending HR 4, regarding vacating of office space. (Rules)

HCR 138 Evans—Requesting the State Board of Control to construct steps and necessary sidewalk at the northwest corner of the capitol. (House Administration)

HCR 139 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 140 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 141 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 142 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 143 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 144 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 145 Lewis—Granting permission to Dahlstrom Corporation to sue the state. (Judiciary)

HCR 146 Hudson—Endorsing the decision made in *Hawkins v. Town of Shaw*, against discrimination in the provision of municipal services. (Intergovernmental Affairs)

HB 2171 Sullivan—Creating and establishing the Bois D'Arc Municipal Utility District of Fannin County. (Natural Resources)

HB 2172 Washington—Relating to county purchases and the keeping of county inventories in Harris County. (Intergovernmental Affairs)

HB 2173 Bush—Relating to composition and compensation of the Grayson County Juvenile Board. (Intergovernmental Affairs)

HB 2174 Close—Relating to the creation, establishment, administration, maintenance, operation, and financing of Hemphill County Hospital District. (Intergovernmental Affairs)

HB 2175 W. T. Hall—Relating to creation of the County Court at Law No. 2 of Denton County. (Judicial Affairs)

HB 2176 Rains—Relating to creation of the County Court at Law of Medina County. (Judicial Affairs)

HB 2177 Patterson—Defining the term "eligible junior college district." (Regions, Compacts, and Districts)

Bill Status

The following are bills and resolutions being considered by the Texas House of Representatives. The list does not include every bill and resolution introduced. Those appearing in this list and in the legislative report were chosen by the *Texas Register* according to a set of criteria to establish them as having statewide rather than local or regional impact; or creating a notable fiscal consideration; or causing a reasonable expectation of significant effect on current statewide public policy; and promising some reasonable chance of passage. The criteria were applied to each bill and resolution when introduced. Through the course of the session, some of the criteria may not justify the judgment to include the entry in the list. However, the list will remain cumulative, and the status of each bill and resolution will appear in each issue of the *Register* until the end of the session.

Each entry contains the number, author, a brief caption of its content, and the most recent action taken on it in the legislative process prior to the publication deadline of each issue of the *Register*.

HR 61 Waters—Creating a special committee to educate the public about nuclear energy and nuclear waste hazards. Referred to Energy Resources Committee—March 5.

HCR 22 Smothers—Rescinding ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HCR 72 Chavez—Petitioning Congress to call a constitutional convention to propose an amendment prohibiting federal deficit spending. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 26.

HCR 78 Chavez—Memorializing Congress to change general election date to first Saturday in November. Referred to Elections Committee—March 1.

HB 3 B Clark—Relating to elections to reduce local increases in effective property tax rates. Read second time in the House—March 26.

HB 4 Hartung—Relating to the investment and deposit of state funds. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

HB 5 Hartung—Decreasing the rate of the Limited Sales, Excise, and Use Tax to three percent. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—January 22.

HB 9 Smith—Relating to the regulation of telephone solicitation and providing a penalty. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 22.

HB 10 Smith—Relating to minimum standards for county jails. Referred to subcommittee—February 15.

HB 11 Allee and Hartung—Relating to protective headgear for motorcycle operators and passengers. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 22.

HB 12 Allee—Relating to a standard for determining death. Placed on daily general state calendar—April 3.

HB 14 Allee—Relating to the duty of landlord and tenant to maintain residential rental premises in a fit and habitable condition. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

HB 22 G Green—Relating to compulsory liability insurance for certain vehicles. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 28.

HB 27 G Green—Relating to fair trade practices in the insurance business. Referred to Subcommittee on Property and Casualty—March 6.

HB 35 Grant—Relating to warning labels on certain alcoholic beverage containers. Referred to Liquor Regulation Committee—January 22.

HB 36 Close—Relating to protective headgear for persons riding motorcycles. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 22.

HB 39 Chavez—Relating to statewide juvenile services and probation; making changes in the name, membership, administration, powers, and duties of the Texas Adult Probation Commission. Placed on daily general state calendar—April 4.

HB 43 Bird—Relating to the definition of sexual contact. Placed on daily general state calendar—April 3.

HB 44 Bock, McBee, Keese, Pierce, and Nabers—Relating to the creation of the School Property Tax Relief Fund. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 28.

HB 45 Bock, McBee, Keese, Pierce, and Nabers—Relating to the creation and distribution of the School Property Tax Relief Fund. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 28.

HB 46 Bock, McBee, Keese, Pierce, and Nabers—Relating to the creation and distribution of the School Property Tax Relief Fund. Considered in public hearing by subcommittee—February 28.

HB 47 Criss—Relating to the selection and qualifications of jurors. Referred to Judiciary Committee—January 22.

HB 49 Kubiak—Relating to the rate of and the allocation of revenue derived from the Limited Sales, Excise, and Use Tax. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 28.

HB 50 Kubiak and Sharp—Relating to the labeling and transportation of agricultural products. Referred to Agriculture and Livestock Committee—January 22.

HB 52 Bird—Relating to exemptions from jury service. Referred to subcommittee—January 30.

HB 54 Smith—Relating to the creation, financing, and use of the Texas Park, Recreation, and Open Space Fund. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 21.

HB 55 Keller—Relating to the administrative reorganization of state government. Referred to subcommittee—February 26.

HB 60 Jackson—Relating to the imposition, administration, collection, and enforcement of a local option county sales and use tax for the benefit of counties, cities, and school districts. Referred to Subcommittee on Revenue Administration—March 19.

HB 64 Smith—Providing for the establishment of a criminal history record system with the Texas Department of Public Safety. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.

HB 74 Hudson—Exempting employees of the State of Texas from payment of tuition and fees in Texas institutions of higher education. Referred to Higher Education Committee—January 22.

HB 81 Hudson—Relating to certain duties of landlords. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

HB 84 Hudson—Relating to a tenant's covenant not to sue. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

HB 105 Hudson—Relating to abolition of the death penalty. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.

HB 112 Hudson—Relating to the duty of a landlord to maintain a dwelling unit in safe condition, providing a cause of action. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

HB 114 Keller—Relating to primary elections and conventions held by political parties. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.

HB 116 Wright—Relating to the regulation of vehicles hauling loose materials. Referred to subcommittee—March 5.

HB 120 Ragsdale—Relating to prevention of certain discriminatory practices in the employment of persons because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—January 22.

HB 121 Ragsdale—Creating a Texas Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—January 22.

HB 122 Ragsdale—Creating a Texas Human Relations Commission. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 123 Ragsdale—Relating to prevention of certain discriminatory practices in employment, places of public accommodation, educational institutions, real property transactions, and awarding of public contracts on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—January 22.

HB 127 G Green—Making it an offense to employ an illegal alien. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—January 22.

HB 132 G Green—Relating to authorizing and regulating group marketing of motor vehicle insurance. Referred to subcommittee—February 27.

HB 138 Ragsdale—Relating to the delivery of handguns. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 140 Ragsdale—Removing the prohibition against compensation for trustees of independent school districts. Referred to Public Education Committee—January 22.

HB 141 Ragsdale—Relating to state contracts with and purchases from small businesses, including those owned by minority group members. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 142 Keese and Kubiak—Relating to the taxation of certain motor fuel containing alcohol. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 28.

HB 143—Relating to legislative approval for disposal of certain nuclear waste. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 145 Gaston—Relating to employment contracts for faculty members at institutions of higher education. Referred to Higher Education Committee—January 22.

HB 146 Close, Wieting, and Bode—Relating to the disclosure of foreign investment in agricultural land in Texas and providing a penalty. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.

HB 161 Cartwright—Relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, and financing of the Texas Public School Employees Group Insurance Plan. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 168 R. Wilson—Relating to the penalty for the offense of injury to a child. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.

HB 170 Smith—Relating to minimum standards for county jails. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.

HB 173 Coleman—Relating to the protection of eagles and related penalties. Referred to Environmental Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 175 Hudson—Relating to the right of recovery of a parent or a spouse for the wrongful death of a child or a spouse. Referred to subcommittee—February 20.

HB 188 Hudson—Relating to certain duties of landlords. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

HB 196 Hudson—Relating to voter registration in connection with driver's license applications. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 22.

HB 203 Hudson—Relating to the compensation by the state to victims of certain crimes. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.

HB 204 Blythe—Relating to substitution of reappraised values of property for existing values on the tax roll. Referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 208 G. Hill and Head—Relating to civil and criminal sanctions against persons committing the offense of driving while intoxicated or under the influence of alcohol. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 215 Waters—Relating to warranty of habitability of a residential unit and prohibiting retaliatory conduct. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

HB 217 McLeod—Relating to the maximum rate of interest on loans. Referred to Financial Institutions Committee—January 22.

HB 219 Lalor—Relating to the prohibition of possession of burning tobacco products or smoking tobacco in certain public places. Referred to Health Services Committee—January 22.

HB 220 Lalor—Relating to the holding of presidential primary elections and the selecting of delegates to national nominating conventions by political parties holding presidential primaries. Referred to Elections Committee—January 22.

HB 222 Ragsdale—Relating to prevention of certain discriminatory practices in employment, places of public accommodation, educational institutions, real property transactions, and awarding of public contracts on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—January 22.

HB 227 Moreno and A. Garcia—Relating to agricultural labor. Referred to Agriculture and Livestock Committee—January 22.

HB 233 Lalor and Henderson—Relating to acquisition, development, operation, and maintenance of parks, recreational areas, and open space areas in urban areas and to the creation and use of the Texas local parks, recreation, and open space fund. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.

HB 234 Lalor, G. Hill, and Allee—Relating to the jurisdiction of the justice court and the small claims court. Referred to Judiciary Committee—January 22.

HB 240 Sullivant—Relating to the valuation of open-space land used to support the raising of livestock or to produce farm crops or forest products or used by colleges or universities for certain purposes. Considered in public hearing—February 5.

HB 244 Jones—Relating to the obligations and liability of parents and others for the conduct of certain children and the authority of juvenile courts to make orders for the payment of certain fees and for the welfare of children. Placed on daily general state calendar—April 3.

HB 247 Hudson—Relating to a moratorium on the execution of convicts. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.

HB 251 Hudson—Relating to creation of the Racial and Ethnic Historical Contributions Commission. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 252 Hudson—Relating to creation of the Racial and Ethnic Goodwill Commission. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 255 Hudson—Relating to the functions of the Texas Indian Commission. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.

HB 260 Fox—Relating to placement of names of candidates on the official ballot for a public election. Referred to Elections Committee—January 22.

HB 261 Cain—Creating a public agency of the State of Texas to be known as the Texas Housing Finance Agency, and prescribing its purposes. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

HB 264 Ceverha—Repealing the prohibition of the sale of certain items on both the consecutive days of Saturday and Sunday. Referred to subcommittee—March 19.

HB 266 Blythe—Relating to denial, nonrenewal, cancellation, and increase in rates for motor vehicle insurance. Referred to Insurance Committee—January 22.

HB 270 Lalor—Relating to the development and maintenance of friendly relations between this state and Latin American countries. Referred to Subcommittee on State Bar and Good Neighbor Commission—March 22.

HB 271 Willis—Relating to retail sales on Saturday and Sunday. Referred to subcommittee—March 19.

HB 274 Lalor—Relating to establishing the offense of aggravated official oppression. Referred to subcommittee—February 27.

HB 280 Gonzales—Relating to discrimination against certain handicapped persons in rates and availability of automobile insurance. Referred to subcommittee—February 20.

HB 294 Watson—Relating to establishing the liability of school districts for certain medical expenses incurred by students injured in certain school athletic programs and requiring school districts to carry insurance to cover their liability. Referred to Public Education Committee—January 22.

HB 297 Close—Relating to primary elections and conventions held by political parties. Referred to Elections Committee—February 12.

HB 301 Bode and Denton—Relating to the taxation of commercial uses of gas and electricity. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 28.

HB 321 Grant—Relating to civil and criminal sanctions against persons who drive while intoxicated or under the influence of alcohol. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 326 Grant—Relating to limitations on the number of personnel employed by certain state agencies, departments, or institutions. Referred to subcommittee—February 26.

HB 330 Hudson—Relating to the punishment for a capital offense. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.

HB 331 Hudson—Relating to agricultural labor. Referred to Agriculture and Livestock Committee—January 22.

- HB 332 Grant—Relating to regulation of franchises. Referred to Business and Industry Committee—January 22.
- HB 333 G. Green—Relating to the regulation of vehicles hauling loose materials and the measure of damages resulting from violations. Referred to subcommittee—March 5.
- HB 334 G. Green—Relating to rating, issuance, refusal to renew, and cancellation of certain automobile insurance. Referred to subcommittee—February 20.
- HB 340 Bode—Relating to the creation, membership, duties, and powers of the Texas Juvenile Standards Commission. Reported from subcommittee with no recommendations—March 19.
- HB 342 Barrientos—Relating to the penalty for the offense of official oppression. Referred to subcommittee—February 27.
- HB 343 Grant—Relating to the jurisdiction of the justice court and the small claims court. Referred to Judiciary Committee—January 22.
- HB 344 Gonzales—Relating to insurance coverage for motor vehicles that are modified to compensate for a physical handicap. Referred to subcommittee—February 20.
- HB 352 Smothers—Relating to protective headgear for persons riding motorcycles. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 22.
- HB 356 McLeod—Relating to the functions of the State Bar. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 358 McLeod—Relating to the expenditure of the State Bar's funds for political purposes. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 362 McLeod—Relating to regulation of attorneys. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 364 Cain—Relating to enhanced penalties for offenses against the elderly. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.
- HB 366 Cain—Relating to the compensation by the state of victims of certain crimes. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—March 28.
- HB 371 Reyes and Washington—Relating to the establishment of penalties and definition of official oppression. Referred to subcommittee—February 27.
- HB 373 McLeod—Relating to evidence that a product complies with federal or state standards or regulations in certain actions for damages based on strict tort liability. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.
- HB 375 McLeod—Relating to misuse as a defense in product liability suits. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.
- HB 376 McLeod—Relating to certain alterations and modifications of a product as a defense in a product liability suit. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.
- HB 377 McLeod—Relating to the time for filing certain lawsuits against manufacturers, suppliers, sellers, lessors, and bailors. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.
- HB 380 Sharp—Relating to exempting certain motor vehicles from ad valorem taxation. Considered in public hearing—February 12.
- HB 389 Salinas—Relating to exempting certain automobiles from ad valorem taxation and from forced sale for debt. Considered in public hearing—February 12.
- HB 390 Salinas—Relating to making the murder of an elected public official or a public school teacher a capital offense in certain circumstances. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.
- HB 392 G. Hill—Relating to discrimination in rates charged certain persons for automobile insurance. Referred to subcommittee—February 20.
- HB 393 Lyon—Relating to creating a State Formulary Commission, allowing prescription drug product selections by pharmacists. Referred to Health Services Committee—January 22.
- HB 401 S. Thompson—Relating to a mandatory retirement age for public employees. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.
- HB 402 S. Thompson—Relating to exempting certain motor vehicles from ad valorem taxation. Considered in public hearing—February 12.
- HB 409 Donaldson—Relating to the rate of interest on loans secured by certain residential property. Considered in public hearing—February 12.
- HB 411 Coody—Relating to primary elections and conventions held by political parties. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.
- HB 429 J. A. Clark and Watson—Relating to group marketing of motor vehicle insurance. Referred to subcommittee—February 27.
- HB 431 Patterson—Relating to the ownership of real property by nonresident aliens. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- HB 432 Kubiak—Relating to the disclosure of foreign investment in real property and providing a penalty. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.
- HB 440 Evans—Relating to the punishment for using or exhibiting a firearm or explosive weapon during the commission of certain felonies. Referred to subcommittee—January 30.
- HB 443 Smothers—Relating to exemption of certain child care facilities and child caring institutions. Referred to Health Services Committee—January 22.
- HB 445 Webber—Relating to selection by pharmacists of drugs requiring a prescription. Referred to Health Services Committee—January 22.
- HB 460 Jones—Relating to collective bargaining for firemen and policemen. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—January 22.
- HB 462 Keese—Relating to the imposition, administration, collection, and enforcement of a local option county sales and use tax. Referred to Subcommittee on Revenue Administration—March 19.
- HB 473 Head—Relating to voluntary membership in the State Bar. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 474 Head—Relating to the payment and disposition of fees and other revenue of the State Bar. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 475 Head—Relating to the expenditure of the State Bar's funds for political purposes. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 484 Watson—Relating to the effects of certain speeding violations on drivers' licenses and motor vehicle insurance. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 22.
- HB 486 Chavez, et al.—Relating to application of the workers' compensation law to farm and ranch laborers. Referred to Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation—March 12.
- HB 487 Nabers, et al.—Relating to regulation of funeral directors, embalmers, and funeral homes. Referred to Subcommittee on Health Oriented Agencies—March 12.
- HB 490 Simpson—Relating to an alien owning land in Texas. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- HB 503 Lauhoff, et al.—Relating to limitations on reevaluations of property for ad valorem tax purposes. Reported favorably from subcommittee with amendments—April 2.
- HB 508 Polumbo—Relating to the operation of public schools on a semester basis. Scheduled for future calendar placement—March 20.
- HB 515 Ezzell—Relating to regulation of barbers. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—February 20.
- HB 519 Jackson—Relating to the assessment of student skills. Referred to Public Education Committee—January 23.
- HB 521 Caraway—Relating to the allocation, transfer, and use of state funds for capital acquisitions and improvements by certain colleges and universities. Referred to Subcommittee on Revenue Administration—February 2.

HB 523 Head—Relating to the suspension of driver's license, permit, or privilege of a minor who drives while intoxicated or while under the influence of alcohol. Referred to Transportation Committee—January 23.

HB 526 Smothers—Relating to assessment of student proficiency in reading. Referred to Public Education Committee—January 23.

HB 527 Haley—Relating to humane care and treatment of certain animals. Referred to Agriculture and Livestock Committee—January 23.

HB 529 Collazo—Relating to limitations on motor vehicle insurance rate increases. Referred to subcommittee—February 13.

HB 539 Fox—Relating to the interception and use of wire or oral communications. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 23.

HB 544 Waters, McBee—Relating to recounts of paper ballots. Sent to Local and Consent Calendar Committee—March 26.

HB 554 Rains and A. Hill—Relating to exemption of certain educational facilities and religious organizations from licensing requirements for child care facilities. Referred to Health Services Committee—January 23.

HB 557 Rudd—Relating to consent requirements for municipal annexation. Referred to subcommittee—March 28.

HB 562 Benedict—Relating to county authority to enact ordinances. Referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee—January 23.

HB 564 Elizondo—Relating to exemption of solar and wind-powered energy devices from ad valorem taxation. Reported from subcommittee with no recommendation—March 21.

HB 565 Waters—Relating to the investigatory power of the secretary of state. Referred to Elections Committee—January 24.

HB 566 Waters—Relating to a limitation on certain political contributions. Referred to subcommittee—March 27.

HB 568 Jones—Relating to exemption of certain intangible property from ad valorem taxation. Considered in public hearing—February 7.

HB 573 Bush—Relating to exemption of certain intangible property from ad valorem taxation. Considered in public hearing—February 7.

HB 574 McBee, Massey, and Bode—Relating to the counting of votes for write in candidates and elimination of write-in filing requirements. Committee report printed and sent to Committee on Calendars—March 14.

HB 576 Blythe and Bird—Relating to denial, nonrenewal, cancellation, and increase in rates for motor vehicle insurance. Referred to Subcommittee on Property and Casualty—March 13.

HB 578 Head—Relating to election of commissioners of the public utility commission. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 24.

HB 585 Donaldson and Nabers—Relating to jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission over electric utility rates, operations, and services. Scheduled for future calendar placement—March 26.

HB 586 Donaldson—Relating to continuation of the Texas Real Estate Commission. Referred to subcommittee—February 19.

HB 587 D. Hill—Relating to the offense of aggravated assault when driving while intoxicated. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 590 Benedict—Relating to the rights of former convicts to obtain occupational licenses. Sent to Local and Consent Calendar Committee—March 26.

HB 593 Valles—Relating to the authority of the voters of a county to decide by election if the law prohibiting certain sales on consecutive Saturdays and Sundays applies in the county. Referred to subcommittee—March 19.

HB 594 Wright—Relating to legislative review and disapproval of rules and proposed rules of state agencies. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 24.

HB 596 Donaldson—Relating to the civil jurisdiction of the county courts at law. Referred to subcommittee—February 13.

HB 599 Close—Relating to the admission in evidence in a criminal proceeding of oral statements of an accused. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 25.

HB 600 Close—Relating to restitution to victims of crime as a condition of probation or parole. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 25.

HB 602 Washington—Relating to the location of the headquarters of the Board of Pardons and Paroles. Referred to subcommittee—February 19.

HB 606 Nabers—Relating to the regulation of attorneys. Reported from subcommittee with substitute—March 28.

HB 609 J. A. Clark—Relating to exemption from school district ad valorem taxes of part of the value of the residence homestead of an individual who is 65 years of age or older or who is disabled. Considered in public hearing—February 12.

HB 610 J. A. Clark—Relating to exemption from school district ad valorem taxes of part of the value of the residence homestead of an individual who is disabled. Considered in public hearing—February 12.

HB 612 Allred—Relating to mandatory retirement of public employees because of age. Reported from subcommittee favorably with amendments—March 28.

HB 626 Tejeda and Madia—Relating to enhanced penalties for offenses against the elderly. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—January 25.

HB 631 McFarland—Relating to a system of comparative fault in product liability suits. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.

HB 632 Berlanga—Relating to consent by a minor for family planning. Reported from subcommittee favorably with amendments—March 28.

HB 637 De'co—Relating to changing the name of the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities. Sent to Local and Consent Calendar Committee—March 12.

HB 642 Edwards—Relating to disclosures required of auto repair dealers. Referred to subcommittee—February 26.

HB 644 Hill—Relating to the regulation of certain irrigators. Reported favorably from subcommittee with amendments—March 1.

HB 647 McLeod—Relating to primary elections and conventions held by political parties and the uniform dates for holding elections. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.

HB 651 Henderson, Donaldson, Ceverha, Wright, and Schlueter—Relating to limitation of the rate of growth of legislative appropriation. Considered in public hearing—February 14.

HB 654 G. Green—Relating to the authority of cities and counties to regulate the location of certain sexually oriented commercial activities. Referred to House Intergovernmental Relations Committee—March 28.

HB 659 Lalor—Relating to persons required to register as lobbyists. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 29.

HB 670 Schlueter—Relating to the state of the art as a defense in products liability suits. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.

HB 680 Hernandez, Garcia, Chavez, Moreno, and Tejeda—Relating to the punishment of habitual offenders. Referred to subcommittee—February 13.

HB 687 Hill—Relating to exemptions from jury service. Referred to Judiciary Committee—January 29.

HB 690 Davis—Relating to the imposition, rate, collection, administration, and civil and criminal enforcement of taxes on uranium. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 28.

- HB 691 Davis—Relating to the method of payment of damages in certain court actions. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 30.
- HB 693 Davis—Relating to reduction of damage awards in certain civil suits. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 30.
- HB 695 Blythe—Relating to removal from office and discipline of county auditors. Referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee—January 30.
- HB 697 Denton—Relating to the furnishing of natural gas to certain public utilities and customers. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.
- HB 699 Donaldson—Relating to the penalty for making a false statement to obtain property or credit. Considered in public hearing—February 6.
- HB 702 Hollowell—Relating to regulation of electricians and electrical inspectors. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.
- HB 704 F. Green—Relating to the ownership of property by aliens. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- HB 709 Messer—Relating to the taxation of nonprofit volunteer fire departments under the franchise tax. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—February 19.
- HB 712 Ceverha—Relating to the regulation of barbers. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—February 20.
- HB 713 Ceverha—Relating to regulation of cosmetologists. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.
- HB 714 Ceverha—Relating to regulation of attorneys. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—February 8.
- HB 715 Ceverha—Relating to abolition of the Burial Association Rate Board and transfer of its powers, duties, and functions. Referred to subcommittee on Health Oriented Agencies—March 12.
- HB 716 Ceverha—Relating to regulation of structural pest control. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.
- HB 717 Ceverha—Relating to funerals and embalming. Referred to Subcommittee on Health Oriented Agencies—March 12.
- HB 724 Blanton and Ceverha—Relating to radar detection devices. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 1.
- HB 726 Von Dohlen, et al.—Relating to air quality control. Placed on daily general state calendar—April 3.
- HB 727 McLeod—Relating to the provision of textbooks to nonpublic school students. Referred to Public Education Committee—February 1.
- HB 728 Evans—Relating to the control of printing by state agencies. Sent to local and consent calendar committee—March 22.
- HB 729 Evans—Relating to the control of the growth in the number of state employees. Referred to State Affairs—February 1.
- HB 742 Lalor—Relating to regulation of lawyers by the Supreme Court and the Board of Law Examiners. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- HB 744 D. Hill, et al.—Relating to the regulation of certain business and insurance practices. Referred to subcommittee—February 26.
- HB 748 Lalor—Relating to the regulation of accountants. Referred to Government Organization Committee—February 1.
- HB 749 Lalor—Relating to the regulation of landscape architects and irrigators. Referred to subcommittee—February 19.
- HB 754 Lalor—Relating to the amount and use of fees for the issuance of marriage licenses and declarations of informal marriage. Referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee—February 1.
- HB 755 Lalor—Relating to expiration, revenue, and bonding authority of the Battleship Texas Commission. Reported from subcommittee favorably without amendments—March 27.
- HB 756 Lalor—Relating to repeal of the statutory authority for the Texas Navy, Incorporated. Reported from subcommittee favorably without amendments—March 27.
- HB 758 Madia, et al.—Relating to the exemption of tourist trade centers from the law against selling certain items on both Saturday and Sunday. Referred to subcommittee—March 5.
- HB 759 Von Dohlen, Schlueter, and McBee—Relating to the valuation of open-space land used to support the raising of livestock or to produce farm crops. Considered in public hearing—February 5.
- HB 764 Cary—Relating to competency tests in public schools. Referred to Public Education Committee—February 1.
- HB 781 Laney, DeLay, and Schlueter—Relating to regulation of persons who engage in structural pest control. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.
- HB 788 Semos and Blanton—Relating to the age of criminal responsibility. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—February 5.
- HB 793 Von Dohlen—Relating to coordination of certain functions of regulatory agencies. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 5.
- HB 797 Bode—Relating to regulation of the practice of social work. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 5.
- HB 800 Sullivan and Kubiak—Relating to the disclosure and restriction of foreign investment in agricultural land in Texas. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- HB 804 Lyon—Relating to rules of the State Board of Education requiring teaching of a particular doctrine or by particular method. Referred to subcommittee—February 13.
- HB 807 Donaldson—Relating to the regulation of the offer and sale of securities. Read second time—April 3.
- HB 812 Grant—Relating to former officers or employees of state agencies who represent other persons before the agencies. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 5.
- HB 817 Browder—Relating to the valuation of open-space land used to support the raising of livestock or to produce farm crops or forest products. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—February 5.
- HB 837 B. Clark—Relating to the employment of certain aliens and providing penalties. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—February 6.
- HB 847 Davis—Relating to the purchase of electricity for use in state buildings. Reported favorably from subcommittee with amendments—March 27.
- HB 855 Browder—Relating to the valuation of open-space land used to support the raising of livestock or to produce farm crops. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—February 6.
- HB 856 Barrantos—Relating to the penalty for the denial of emergency treatment to a person by an officer or employee of certain hospitals for inability to pay. Referred to Health Services Committee—February 6.
- HB 858 Untermeyer—Relating to court ordered restitution or charitable service by children in need of supervision or delinquent children. Referred to Judicial Affairs Committee—February 6.
- HB 866 Grant—Relating to the name, membership, and duties of the Texas Prosecutors Coordinating Council and the suspension or removal of a prosecuting attorney. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 21.
- HB 879 Blythe—Relating to state compensation to certain victims of crime. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 6.
- HB 884 Simpson—Relating to regulation of dentists and dental hygienists. Passed to third reading as amended—April 3.
- HB 888 Untermeyer—Relating to nonpartisan election of certain judicial officers. Referred to Elections Committee—February 8.
- HB 893 Bock—Relating to consolidation of the State Board of Registration for Public Surveyors and the Board of Examiners for Licensed State Land Surveyors. Referred to Subcommittee on Land Related Agencies—March 12.
- HB 896 Polumbo—Relating to leaving a child unattended in a motor vehicle. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—February 8.

HB 903 Berlanga—Relating to offenses involving rape, sexual abuse, or assault. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

HB 905 Schlueter—Relating to the demonstration of proficiency in reading and writing as a prerequisite for the receipt of a high school diploma or equivalency certificate. Referred to Public Education Committee—February 8.

HB 953 Hendricks—Relating to licensing and certifying environmental air conditioning and ventilating contractors, inspectors, and journeymen. Reported from subcommittee with substitute—March 21.

HB 971 Lewis—Relating to continuation of the Texas Cosmetology Commission. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—February 20.

HB 978 Keese—Relating to the disclosure of foreign investment and corporate investment in agricultural land in Texas. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.

HB 981 Hartung—Relating to the admissibility in a criminal case of an oral statement made by an accused. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—February 12.

HB 990 Bode and Wieting—Relating to a program for the relief of certain consumers of residential gas and electricity. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 21.

HB 1005 T. Martin—Relating to the imposition, administration, collection, civil and criminal enforcement, and allocation of a severance tax on uranium. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 28.

HB 1017 Peveto—Relating to implementation of the parts of the Tax Relief Amendment to the constitution involving residence homestead exemptions, appraisal of agricultural land for taxation, and payments to school districts to replace reductions in their tax bases. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—February 13.

HB 1018 Wright—Relating to presidential primary elections. Referred to Elections Committee—February 14.

HB 1024 Atkinson and Peveto—Relating to public school education. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 1025 Atkinson and Peveto—Relating to public school education. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 1033 Berlanga—Relating to the punishment for violent crimes committed against women, children, and elderly persons. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—February 14.

HB 1038 Jackson and Schlueter—Relating to legislative review of administrative review. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 14.

HB 1052 Cary, Barrientos, and Webber—Relating to prevention and redress of discrimination in employment, public accommodations, credit transactions, and real property transactions. Referred to Subcommittee on Civil Remedies—March 26.

HB 1053 Untermeyer—Relating to the authority of a political subdivision to impose or increase certain taxes and the consequent duty to reduce or eliminate property taxes. Referred to Subcommittee on Revenue Administration—March 19.

HB 1060 Davis, et al.—Relating to implementation of the Tax Relief Amendment to the Texas constitution. Referred to subcommittee of Senate Finance Committee—March 28.

HB 1061 Von Dohlen, et al.—Relating to the expiration, staff, functions, and revenue of the Good Neighbor Commission of Texas. Referred to Subcommittee on State Bar and Good Neighbor Commission—March 22.

HB 1066 Henderson—Relating to the covering of vehicles hauling loose materials. Referred to subcommittee—March 5.

HB 1087 Von Dohlen, et al.—Relating to the provision of textbooks for nonpublic school students. Referred to Public Education Committee—February 15.

HB 1097 Emmett, Laughoff, and DeLay—Relating to the regulation of vehicles hauling loose materials. Referred to subcommittee—March 5.

HB 1101 Denton—Relating to the disclosure of foreign investors' interest in real property. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.

HB 1103 Evans—Relating to safety inspection of electrical equipment and regulation of electrical inspectors. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 19.

HB 1111 Washington—Relating to jurisdiction of the Commission on Jail Standards. Referred to subcommittee—April 2.

HB 1113 Wallace—Providing means whereby a voter may express his lack of confidence in any of the candidates for certain offices in certain elections. Referred to Elections Committee—February 19.

HB 1121 Uher—Relating to the exemption of certain retail establishments from the law prohibiting certain sales on consecutive Saturdays and Sundays. Referred to Business and Industry Committee—February 19.

HB 1125 Simpson and Craddick—Relating to the budget execution powers of the governor. Reported from committee favorably without amendments—April 2.

HB 1129 S. Thompson—Relating to resisting unlawful arrest or search. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—February 19.

HB 1143 J. A. Clark and Watson—Relating to expiration, revenue, and bonding authority of the Battleship Texas Commission. Referred to subcommittee—February 26.

HB 1149 Laney—Relating to regulation of persons who practice public accountancy. Referred to Government Organization Committee—February 20.

HB 1155 G. Green, et al.—Relating to collective bargaining rights of certain public employees. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—February 21.

HB 1161 McFarland, et al.—Relating to products liability. Referred to Subcommittee on Product Liability—March 13.

HB 1162 Elizondo—Relating to discrimination in employment because of age. Referred to Employment Practices Committee—February 21.

HB 1195 A. Hill—Relating to state compensation to certain victims of crime. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—March 28.

HB 1220 Blythe—Relating to tax relief grants to elderly persons who rent their residences. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—February 26.

HB 1229 Keese—Relating to exemption of solar and wind-powered energy devices from ad valorem taxation. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—February 26.

HB 1240 McFarland—Relating to assessments imposed on public utilities under the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission. Referred to Subcommittee on Utilities Legislation—March 19.

HB 1249 Untermeyer—Relating to abolition of the State Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences. Referred to Health Services Committee—February 26.

HB 1266 Nowlin, Pierce, and Brown—Relating to the eligibility for parole of persons convicted of certain offenses. Referred to subcommittee—March 27.

HB 1275 Nabers—Relating to certain evidence of a conviction of driving while intoxicated or driving while under the influence of drugs. Committee report printed and sent to Committee on Calendars—March 29.

HB 1282 Grant—Relating to the establishment of a state program to compensate certain victims of crime. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—March 28.

HB 1289 Rams—Relating to radar detection devices. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 28.

HB 1290 Browder—Relating to the authority of the Railroad Commission to set certain rates. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—April 2.

HB 1298 Valles—Relating to the sexual offenses of rape and sexual abuse. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

HB 1312 Rangel and Lalor—Relating to establishing offenses of domestic violence and aggravated domestic violence for assaults against a spouse. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

HB 1332 J. A. Clark, et al—Relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, and financing of the Texas Public School Employees Group Insurance Program. Reported favorably from subcommittee without amendments—March 28.

HB 1344 Simpson, Smith, L. Hall—Relating to truth in campaigning. Referred to Elections Committee—March 1.

HB 1345 Simpson—Relating to restrictions on the construction and operation of long-term storage and permanent disposal sites for nuclear waste. Referred to Natural Resources Committee—March 1.

HB 1347 G. Green—Relating to the interception and use of wire or oral communications. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 1.

HB 1361 D. Hill—Relating to creation or continuation of state agencies as provided by the Texas Sunset Act. Referred to Government Organization Committee—March 1.

HB 1378 Lalor, Waters, Keese—Relating to the transportation of radioactive materials. Referred to Transportation Committee—March 5.

HB 1379 Semos—Relating to creation of a commission to coordinate celebrations of the 150th anniversary of Texas' independence as a republic and progress as a state. Read second time—April 3.

HB 1382 Von Dohlen and Evans—Relating to the process of rule making by state agencies. Referred to Subcommittee on State Employees—April 2.

HB 1383 Lalor, G. Hill—Relating to the protection of state employees who report improper governmental actions. Referred to State Affairs Committee—March 5.

HB 1400 Coleman—Relating to financing public school education. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 1401 Whitmire—Relating to assessment of punishment by the judge in all criminal cases. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 13.

HB 1415 Whitehead—Relating to transferring to the board of health the functions of existing agencies relating to chiropractors, fitters and dispensers of hearing aids, optometrists, physical therapists, psychologists, and physical fitness. Referred to Health Services Committee—March 5.

HB 1429 Ceverha—Changing the name of the Texas Library and Historical Commission to the Texas State Library and Archives Commission. Referred to Subcommittee on Agencies and Licensing—April 2.

HB 1431 Laney, et al—Relating to motor fuel taxes. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 6.

HB 1434 Untermeyer—Relating to a requirement that taxing units provide tax relief for elderly renters comparable to that they provide elderly homeowners. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 6.

HB 1445 Waters—Relating to credit information on an individual assembled or reported by a credit reporting bureau. Referred to Financial Institutions Committee—March 6.

HB 1549 Valles—Relating to signs and devices at an intersection of a highway and a railroad. Referred to Transportation Committee—March 8.

HB 1556 Bryant—Relating to proof of financial responsibility on registration of a motor vehicle and on application for a driver's license and maintenance of proof of financial responsibility. Referred to Transportation Committee—March 8.

HB 1574 Ceverha—Relating to the centralized state regulation of occupations covered by specified agencies. Referred to Government Organization Committee—March 8.

HB 1580 Brown—Relating to abortions in tax-supported medical facilities. Referred to Health Services Committee—March 12.

HB 1582 Brown—Relating to exemption from school district ad valorem taxes of part of the value of the residence homestead of an individual who is 65 years of age or older or who is disabled. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 12.

HB 1589 Wright, Schlueter—Relating to elections to reduce local increases in effective property tax rates. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 12.

HB 1600 Polumbo—Relating to public school education. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 1609 Chavez—Relating to the employment of alien and agricultural workers. Referred to Agriculture and Livestock Committee—March 12.

HB 1644 Cain—Relating to state payments to relieve the burden of ad valorem taxes on residences of the elderly. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 12.

HB 1652 Semos, et al—Relating to public membership on regulatory boards. Referred to Government Organization Committee—March 12.

HB 1673 Schlueter—Relating to creation of the State Purchasing and General Services Commission and abolition of the State Board of Control. Referred to State Affairs Committee—March 12.

HB 1726 Brown—Relating to payments in lieu of property taxes to school districts by certain political subdivisions. Referred to Energy Resources Committee—March 12.

HB 1727 Rudd—Relating to the authority of commissioners courts to enact ordinances. Referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee—March 12.

HB 1745 Wallace, Smothers—Relating to the offense of capital murder. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 12.

HB 1754 Wallace, Smothers—Relating to the definition of sexual contact. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 12.

HB 1773 McLeod—Affecting the rights and duties of landlords and tenants. Referred to subcommittee—March 19.

HB 1815 Bock—Relating to the creation and distribution of the school property tax relief fund for maintenance and operation of qualifying school districts. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 12.

HB 1826 Jay, Gibson—Relating to the offense of aggravated assault. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 12.

HB 1847 Keese—Relating to the imposition, collection, administration, and criminal and civil enforcement of taxes on coal and uranium and to assistance to certain local governments. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 12.

HB 1875 Cain, Donaldson—Creating the Texas Housing Finance Authority. Referred to subcommittee—April 2.

HB 1913 Peveto—Relating to public school education. Referred to subcommittee—March 20.

HB 1951 Allee—Relating to proof of financial responsibility for certain motor vehicle operators and providing for the impoundment of certain vehicles. Referred to Transportation Committee—March 12.

HB 1961 W. T. Hall—Relating to licensing and regulation of counselors. Referred to Health Services Committee—March 12.

HB 1984 Schlueter—Relating to certain property tax increases and the conduct of elections to repeal such increases. Referred to Ways and Means Committee—March 12.

HB 1985 L. Hall—Relating to regulation of nursing home administrators. Referred to Health Services Committee—March 12.

HB 1997 Schlueter—Relating to capital murder when the murder of a child is involved. Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 12.

HB 2037 Kubiak—Relating to agricultural labor relations. Referred to Agriculture and Livestock Committee—March 12.

HB 2039 Bock, et al—Creating the Texas Horse Racing Commission. Referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee—March 22.

HB 2045 Peveto, et al —Relating to creation and use of a state higher education assistance fund. Referred to Subcommittee on Revenue Administration—April 2.

HB 2131 Rudd—Abolishing the Commission on Jail Standards and transferring its functions to the Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education. Considered by committee in public hearing—April 2.

HJR 1 Schlueter and Davis—Proposing a constitutional amendment to repeal the state ad valorem tax for permanent improvements at institutions of higher education. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 2 Smith and DeLay—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum with respect to the power of taxation by the state or by political subdivisions. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 3 Smith and DeLay—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 4 Close—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to an individual's right to work. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 5 Collazo—Amending the constitution to exempt from property taxation the homesteads of World War I and Spanish-American War veterans and their surviving spouses. Reported favorably from subcommittee without amendments—March 29.

HJR 6 S. Thompson—Ratifying the U.S. Constitutional Amendment to grant representation in Congress to the District of Columbia. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 7 Close—Amending the constitution to prohibit the imposition of net income taxes. Referred to subcommittee—March 14.

HJR 9 Carlwright—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 10 Caraway—Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of net income taxes on individuals. Referred to subcommittee—March 14.

HJR 11 McLeod—Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of net income taxes on individuals. Referred to subcommittee—March 14.

HJR 13 Schlueter—To repeal and prohibit all state ad valorem taxes on any property within this state; to establish the State Higher Education Assistance Fund. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 14 R. Wilson, et al —Ratifying a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States providing for representation of the District of Columbia in the United States Congress. Referred to subcommittee—March 14.

HJR 15 Wright—Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the selection of the elective judges and justices of the courts of this state, with certain exceptions, at nonpartisan elections in the odd-numbered years. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 20 Willis—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the ad valorem tax exemption on the residential homesteads of elderly persons. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 21 Willis—Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize bingo games conducted by certain religious, veterans, or fraternal organizations. Scheduled for future calendar placement—March 20.

HJR 22 Wright—Proposing a constitutional amendment guaranteeing the right of a person to work for an employer without regard to whether the person is a member of or makes a payment to a labor organization. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 23 Wright—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit tax increases at state and local level. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 24 S. Thompson—Proposing a constitutional amendment to abolish the Permanent University Fund. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 27 Close—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 29 Simpson—Proposing a constitutional amendment to permit the legislature to give budget execution authority to the governor. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 30 Simpson—Proposing an amendment to the Texas Constitution to limit the length of time that a person may hold the office of state senator or state representative. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 31 Close—Amending the constitution to repeal the 10-cent ad valorem tax for permanent improvements for state institutions of higher education. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 35 Simpson—Proposing a constitutional amendment to give the governor limited powers to remove appointed officers. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 36 Sharp—Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing exemption from ad valorem taxation of motor vehicles that are not used in business. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 38 Close—Proposing a constitutional amendment to require a two-thirds vote in each house of the legislature to adopt a new or additional state tax or to increase the rate of an existing state tax. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 39 Close—Proposing a constitutional amendment to require a majority vote in each house of the legislature to adopt a new or additional state tax or to increase the rate of an existing state tax. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 41 Rams and Peveto—To repeal and prohibit all state ad valorem taxes on any property within this state; to establish the State Higher Education Assistance Fund. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 42 Simpson—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the duration of regular sessions of the legislature. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 43 Fox—Proposing a constitutional amendment to increase the salary and per diem for legislators. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 44 Caraway—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 46 Blythe, Lauhoff, and Caraway—Proposing a constitutional amendment to require property tax relief comparable to that available to elderly homeowners for elderly persons who rent their residences. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 22.

HJR 47 Caraway—Proposing a constitutional amendment to establish a fund to finance permanent improvements at certain state institutions of higher education and repealing the state property tax for higher education. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 23.

HJR 48 Grant—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of times that a person may be elected to the office of governor. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 23.

HJR 49 Schlueter—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of times that a person may be elected to the office of governor. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 24.

- HJR 52 M. Garcia—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of times a person may be elected speaker of the House of Representatives. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 24.
- HJR 55 Wright—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 24.
- HJR 56 Kubiak—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of consecutive terms that a person may be elected governor. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 25.
- HJR 57 Kubiak—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 25.
- HJR 60 Sharp—Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of personal income taxes. Referred to subcommittee—March 14.
- HJR 61 Looney—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to ad valorem taxation of personal property. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 29.
- HJR 62 Smothers—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for four-year terms for state representatives. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 29.
- HJR 63 Bush—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for the election of the secretary of state. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 29.
- HJR 64 Rains—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for higher annual salaries for the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—January 30.
- HJR 65 Davis—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the power of initiative. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 1.
- HJR 66 Tejada and Madla—Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to provide by law for the removal of elective public officers by recall. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 1.
- HJR 67 Evans—Proposing a constitutional amendment to restrict increases in ad valorem taxes on the residence homesteads of persons 65 years of age or older. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 5.
- HJR 68 Price—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the 10-cent state property tax used for the construction of improvements by certain state universities. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 5.
- HJR 69 Evans—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the budget execution authority of the governor. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 5.
- HJR 74 Untermeyer—Relating to the nonpartisan election of judges. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 8.
- HJR 75 Schlueter—Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of income taxes. Referred to subcommittee—March 14.
- HJR 76 Polumbo—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the division of counties into precincts for the election of justices of the peace, constables, and county commissioners. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 8.
- HJR 78 M. Garcia—Proposing a constitutional amendment to revise the classes of persons not allowed to vote. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 12.
- HJR 79 Wright—Proposing a constitutional amendment to reserve in the people the power of referendum. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 12.
- HJR 80 Salinas—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for annual sessions of the legislature. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 12.
- HJR 81 Smothers—Rejecting ratification of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for representation of the District of Columbia in the United States Congress. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 12.
- HJR 82 Bode and Wieling—Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing relief for certain consumers of residential gas and electricity and dedicating a portion of taxes on natural gas. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 12.
- HJR 83 Schlueter—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of consecutive terms that a person may be elected governor, lieutenant governor, or attorney general. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 12.
- HJR 84 Schlueter—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of consecutive terms that a person may be elected governor, lieutenant governor, or attorney general. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 14.
- HJR 85 Untermeyer—Proposing a constitutional amendment to permit the legislature to allow political subdivisions to impose taxes other than property taxes and requiring the limitation or elimination of existing taxes on property. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 15.
- HJR 86 Simpson, et al—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the budget execution powers of the governor and the power to veto or reduce items of appropriation. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.
- HJR 87 M. Garcia—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for annual sessions of the legislature. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 19.
- HJR 88 W. Tip Hall—Amending the constitution to exempt certain church property from property taxes. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 21.
- HJR 89 Head—Proposing a constitutional amendment to permit the state to make payments to school districts in lieu of school district ad valorem taxes on state-owned property. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 21.
- HJR 92 Benedict—Proposing a constitutional amendment to eliminate the constitutional authority of the Board of Pardons and Paroles. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.
- HJR 96 Criss—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for annual sessions of the legislature and to increase the salary of members of the legislature. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 28.
- HJR 97 D. Hill—Proposing a constitutional amendment to grant the state the right of appeal in criminal cases from certain rulings of the trial court. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—February 28.
- HJR 98 Criss—Proposing a constitutional amendment to require a single appraisal and a single board of equalization within each county for ad valorem tax purposes. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 1.
- HJR 99 Head—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide an annual salary for the members of the legislature. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 1.
- HJR 100 Head—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide four-year terms of office for members of the House of Representatives. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 1.
- HJR 102 Brown—Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of net income taxes on individuals. Committee report printed and sent to Committee on Calendars—March 29.
- HJR 103 Henderson—Proposing a constitutional amendment to eliminate the requirement that tangible personal property be taxed in proportion to its value. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 5.
- HJR 104 Rains—Relating to state ad valorem taxes and funding for land acquisition and construction at public institutions of higher education. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 5.

HJR 106 Untermeyer—Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing tax relief for elderly persons who rent their residences comparable to the tax relief a political subdivision adopts for elderly homeowners. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 6.

HJR 114 Brown—Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to provide for payments to school districts in lieu of school district ad valorem taxes on city-owned property. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 8.

HJR 115 Jackson—Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing limitation on tax increases on residential homesteads. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 8.

HJR 116 Jackson—Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing tax relief for residential homesteads. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 8.

HJR 118 Lewis—Proposing a constitutional amendment to expand the local option residence homestead exemption to persons who are not disabled or 65 years of age or older. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 12.

HJR 119 Bush—Proposing a constitutional amendment to eliminate the requirement that the commissioners court be a board of equalization. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.

HJR 120 Bush—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to appointment of a board of equalization by the commissioners court. Referred to subcommittee—March 21.

HJR 130 Peveto, Caraway, Rains—Relating to state ad valorem taxes and funding for land acquisition and construction at public institutions of higher education. Referred to Constitutional Amendments Committee—March 12.

Senate

Bill Status

The following are bills and resolutions being considered by the Texas Senate. The list does not include every bill and resolution introduced. Those appearing in this list and in the legislative report were chosen by the *Texas Register* according to a set of criteria to establish them as having statewide rather than local or regional impact; or creating a notable fiscal consideration; or causing a reasonable expectation of significant effect on current statewide public policy; and promising some reasonable chance of passage. The criteria were applied to each bill and resolution when introduced. Through the course of the session, some of the criteria may not justify the judgment to include the entry in the list. However, the list will remain cumulative, and the status of each bill and resolution will appear in each issue of the *Register* until the end of the session.

Each entry contains the number, author, a brief caption of its content, and the most recent action taken on it in the legislative process prior to the publication deadline of each issue of the *Register*.

SCR 12 Mengden—Rescinding Texas' ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. Referred to Jurisprudence Committee—January 22.

SB 1 Meier—Relating to the creation and distribution of the School Property Tax Relief Fund. Referred to Finance Committee—January 9.

SB 4 Andujar—Relating to assessments imposed on public utilities under the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 8.

SB 5 Andujar—Decreasing the rate of the Limited Sales, Excise, and Use Tax to three percent for a two-year period beginning on September 1, 1979. Referred to Finance Committee—January 9.

SB 6 Creighton—Relating to the valuation of open-space land used to support the raising of livestock or produce farm crops or forest crops. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.

SB 7 Mengden—Relating to silent prayer or meditation in public schools. Referred to Education Committee—January 9.

SB 8 Farabee—Relating to standards for determining human death. Referred to Jurisprudence Committee—January 9.

SB 14 Andujar—Providing for the establishment of a criminal history record system within the Texas Department of Public Safety. Referred to Jurisprudence Committee—January 9.

SB 20 Clower—Providing for the holding of presidential primary elections by certain political parties and prescribing the method for selecting delegates to national nominating conventions of those parties. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 5.

SB 21 Clower—Relating to the establishment of a state program to compensate and assist certain victims of crime or dependents of victims of certain crimes. Considered by subcommittee in formal meeting—March 28.

SB 22 Blake—Relating to unemployment compensation. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 29.

SB 23 Mengden—Relating to exemptions from the inheritance tax for spouses of decedents. Referred to subcommittee—March 19.

SB 26 Mengden—Relating to the demonstration of proficiency in certain subjects as a prerequisite for promotion or graduation in public schools. Referred to Education Committee—January 9.

SB 27 Mengden—Relating to the name, duties, and responsibilities of the Prosecutor Council. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 28.

SB 30 Mengden—Relating to primary elections held by political parties. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 9.

SB 33 Mengden—Relating to the form of the ballot and the method for showing the party affiliation of the candidates in an election where the nominees of political parties appear on the ballot. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 9.

SB 35 Mengden—Regulating assistance to voters by persons who are not election officers. Considered in public hearing—February 5.

SB 36 Mengden—Relating to a nomination by the appropriate executive committee of the political party where no candidate files for an office in the party's primary. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 9.

SB 37 Mengden—Relating to presidential primary elections. Considered in public hearing—March 5.

SB 38 Clower—Relating to assessments imposed on public utilities under the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 7.

SB 58 Price—Relating to the valuation of open-space land used to support the raising of livestock or the production of farm crops. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.

SB 61 Mengden—Relating to membership in, or payment of a thing of value to, a labor organization as a condition of employment. Reported from committee favorably without amendments—February 13.

SB 65 Clower—Relating to the mode of affiliating with a political party, affiliation as a prerequisite for participating in party primaries, party conventions, and other party affairs, restrictions on political activities outside the party with which the voter is affiliated, and related matters. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 9.

SB 69 Mengden—Relating to the interception and use of wire or oral communications. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 27.

- SB 71 Mengden—Relating to the punishment for violent crimes committed against women, children, and elderly persons. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—February 28.
- SB 72 Mengden—Relating to assessment of sentence by the judge in criminal cases. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 20.
- SB 73 Mengden—Relating to the insanity defense in criminal cases. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 13.
- SB 79 Clower—Relating to the disclosure of foreign investment in real estate in Texas and providing a penalty. Referred to Economic Development Committee—January 9.
- SB 84 Schwartz—Relating to the regulation of vehicles hauling loose materials and the measure of damages resulting from violations. Referred to subcommittee—April 2.
- SB 90 Doggett—Relating to the time limits for making a final determination following a rate hearing. Referred to Human Resources Committee—January 9.
- SB 92 Schwartz—Relating to the regulation of certain lotteries and raffles. Considered in public hearing—February 7.
- SB 98 Mengden—Relating to legislative review and disapproval of rules and proposed rules of state agencies. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—February 22.
- SB 103 Doggett—Relating to exemption from school district ad valorem taxes of part of the value of the residence homestead of an individual who is 65 years of age or older or who is disabled. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- SB 118 Mengden—Relating to abortions in tax-supported medical facilities. Referred to Human Resources Committee—January 11.
- SB 124 Doggett—Relating to a mandatory retirement age for public employees. Referred to House State Affairs Committee—March 8.
- SB 128 Parker—Relating to exempting certain personal automobiles from ad valorem taxation and from forced sale for debt. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- SB 129 Parker—Relating to exemption from school district ad valorem taxes of part of the value of the residence homestead of an individual who is 65 years of age or who is disabled. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- SB 134 Meier—Fixing the maximum rate of interest on loans secured by certain residential property. Referred to subcommittee—February 12.
- SB 135 Farabee—Relating to a system of comparative fault in product liability suits. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 136 Farabee—Relating to misuse as a defense in product liability suits. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 137 Farabee—Relating to certain alterations and modifications of a product as a defense in a product liability suit. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 138 Farabee—Relating to evidence that a product complies with federal or state standards or regulations in certain actions for damages based on strict tort liability. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 146 Mengden—Relating to the payment of rewards to persons who provide information leading to arrest and conviction of certain drug offenders. Considered in public hearing—March 6.
- SB 167 Mengden—Relating to exemption of certain educational facilities and religious organizations from licensing requirements for child care facilities. Referred to Human Resources Committee—January 22.
- SB 171 Williams—Relating to continuation of the Texas Real Estate Commission. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—February 5.
- SB 185 Mauzy—Relating to the prohibition of the requirement that licensed attorneys pay dues as a prerequisite to the right to practice law. Considered by committee in public hearing—February 28.
- SB 192 Mauzy—Dedicating certain funds to the Foundation School Fund. Considered by committee in public hearing—February 14.
- SB 195 Truan—Relating to bilingual education programs in public schools. Referred to Education Committee—January 22.
- SB 197 Truan—Relating to services and programs for children and youth. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—March 27.
- SB 201 Truan—Relating to creation of a state office of early childhood development. Referred to Human Resources Committee—January 22.
- SB 202 Truan—Relating to the creation of the Texas Civil Rights Commission. Referred to Human Resources Committee—January 22.
- SB 204 Vale—Relating to exemption of solar and wind-powered energy devices from ad valorem taxation. Referred to House Ways and Means Committee—March 22.
- SB 205 Vale—Relating to creation, investment, and use of the natural resources depletion fund. Referred to Finance Committee—January 22.
- SB 222 Longoria and Traeger—Relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, and financing of the Texas Public School Employees Group Insurance Program. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.
- SB 239 Mauzy—Relating to state funding for school district workers' compensation and unemployment compensation. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 20.
- SB 240 Mauzy—Relating to the application of the workers' compensation law to farm and ranch laborers. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 20.
- SB 248 Moore—Relating to regulation of motor vehicle manufacturers and distributors and their dealers and representatives. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—February 19.
- SB 256 McKnight—Relating to the civil jurisdiction of the county courts at law. Referred to House Judicial Affairs Committee—February 20.
- SB 260 Santiesteban—Relating to establishment of a state telecommunications network. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- SB 262 Vale—Relating to exemption from school district ad valorem taxes of part of the value of the residence homestead of an individual who is 65 years of age or older or who is disabled. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.
- SB 263 Meier—Relating to the time for filing certain lawsuits against manufacturers, suppliers, sellers, lessors, and bailors. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 264 Meier—Relating to exclusion of design defects from product liability actions. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 265 Meier—Relating to the state of the art as an absolute defense in actions for damages based on strict liability in tort, negligence, or implied warranty. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 26.
- SB 271 Short—Relating to the disclosure of foreign investment in real property. Referred to Economic Development Committee—January 24.
- SB 276 Doggett—Relating to regulation of nursing home administrators. Referred to House Government Organization Committee—March 27.
- SB 277 Doggett—Relating to funerals and embalming. Referred to House Government Organization Committee—March 26.
- SB 278 Doggett—Relating to abolition of the Burial Association Rate Board and transfer of its powers, duties, and functions. Referred to House Subcommittee on Health Oriented Agencies—March 12.
- SB 279 Doggett—Relating to regulation of motor vehicle manufacturers and distributors and their dealers and representatives. Referred to subcommittee—February 19.

SB 280 Doggett and Schwartz—Relating to regulation of attorneys. Considered in public hearing—March 6.

SB 281 Doggett and Schwartz—Relating to regulation of lawyers by the Supreme Court and the Board of Law Examiners. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 28.

SB 282 Doggett and Schwartz—Relating to regulation of persons who practice public accountancy. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 26.

SB 283 Doggett—Relating to the regulation of real estate brokers and salesmen. Referred to subcommittee—February 5.

SB 287 Meier, et al—Relating to the regulation of attorneys. Referred to House Government Organization Committee—March 26.

SB 291 Farabee—Amending the Medical Liability and Insurance Improvement Act, relating to emergency care. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—February 21.

SB 292 Farabee—Amending the Medical Liability and Insurance Improvement Act, relating to the Medical Disclosure Panel. Referred to House State Affairs Committee—February 22.

SB 293 Farabee—Relating to regulation of securities transactions. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—April 3.

SB 296 Parker—Relating to the establishment of a housing program for families and individuals of low income and families of moderate income. Considered by committee in public hearing—April 2.

SB 297 Mengden—Relating to discrimination in public employment because of age. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 29.

SB 299 Harris—Relating to the licensing and regulation of the practice of dentistry and dental hygiene by the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners. Considered by committee in public hearing—February 26.

SB 307 Santiesteban—Relating to the provision of textbooks for non-public school students. Referred to Education Committee—January 29.

SB 311 Price—Relating to the labeling and transportation of agricultural products. Referred to Subcommittee on Agriculture—March 21.

SB 312 Jones of Harris—Relating to jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission over electric utility rates, operations, and services. Reported from committee favorably with substitute—March 19.

SB 313 Harris—Consolidating the State Board of Registration for Public Surveyors and the State Board of Examiners for Licensed State Land Surveyors into Texas Board of Land Surveying. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 29.

SB 318 Patman—Relating to a program for the relief of certain consumers of residential gas and electricity. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—February 8.

SB 320 Schwartz—Relating to the duty of a railroad company with regard to signs and safety devices at grade crossings. Referred to Subcommittee on Civil Matters—February 14.

SB 328 Mengden—Relating to restitution to victims of crime as a condition of probation or parole. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 13.

SB 329 Mengden—Relating to the right to carry handguns and certain other weapons while traveling. Considered by committee in public hearing—February 28.

SB 342 Ogg—Relating to the covering of vehicles hauling loose materials. Referred to subcommittee—April 2.

SB 345 Schwartz—Relating to the efficient use of energy resources. Referred to Finance Committee—February 1.

SB 346 Schwartz—Relating to the transfer to the Public Utility Commission of the Railroad Commission's jurisdiction over gas utilities. Referred to Economic Development Committee—February 1.

SB 347 Brooks, Schwartz, Jones of Harris, Doggett—Relating to the rights of former convicts to obtain occupational licenses. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 28.

SB 350 Mauzy—Relating to public school finance. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 26.

SB 357 Meier—Relating to the regulation of certain business and insurance practices. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 6.

SB 365 Meier—Relating to the reduction of damage awards in certain civil suits. Referred to Economic Development Committee—January 30.

SB 366 Mengden—Relating to the admission into evidence of oral statements of an accused. Referred to Subcommittee on Criminal Matters—February 14.

SB 372 Blake—Relating to a program by which counties may purchase items through the State Board of Control. Referred to House State Affairs Committee—March 22.

SB 381 Price—Relating to the offense of aggravated assault when driving while intoxicated. Referred to Criminal Matters Subcommittee—March 1.

SB 384 Harris, Santiesteban—Relating to the Texas Cosmetology Commission. Referred to House Government Organization Committee—March 20.

SB 393 Ogg—Relating to licensing and certifying environmental air conditioning and ventilating contractors, inspectors, and journeymen. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 29.

SB 394 Jones of Harris—Relating to the definition of criminal injury to a child and the resulting penalties. Referred to House Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 26.

SB 415 Clower—Relating to a limitation on certain political contributions. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 5.

SB 427 Mauzy—Relating to jurisdiction of the municipal courts. Referred to House Criminal Jurisprudence Committee—March 6.

SB 437 Price—Relating to regulation of locksmiths. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 5.

SB 448 Santiesteban—Relating to resisting unlawful arrest or search. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 13.

SB 455 Ogg—Relating to a driving safety course as an alternative to prosecution for certain traffic offenses. Referred to House Transportation Committee—February 27.

SB 461 Mauzy—Relating to state funding for the cost of unemployment compensation to school districts. Referred to Economic Development Committee—February 5.

SB 470 Longoria—Relating to the expiration, staff, functions, and revenue of the Good Neighbor Commission of Texas. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 13.

SB 474 Mengden—Relating to alcoholic beverage regulations relating to age. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—March 22.

SB 478 Harris—Relating to the authorization for banks to use unmanned teller machines to serve the public convenience. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 26.

SB 480 Mengden—Relating to liability insurance coverage for certain vehicles. Referred to Economic Development Committee—February 6.

SB 481 Grant Jones—Relating to regulation of funeral directors, embalmers, and funeral homes. Referred to subcommittee—March 19.

SB 482 Harris—Relating to the regulation of barbers. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—February 20.

SB 484 Andujar—Relating to the regulation of dentists and dental hygienists. House received from Senate—April 3.

SB 486 Jones of Harris—Relating to regulation of persons who engage in structural pest control. Referred to House Government Organization Committee—March 20.

SB 493 Parker—Relating to collective bargaining for firemen and policemen. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 7.

SB 500 Jones of Harris—Relating to offenses involving rape, sexual abuse, or assault. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 28.

SB 508 Jones of Taylor—Relating to the purchase of electricity for use in state buildings. Reported from committee favorably without amendments—February 27.

SB 522 Santiesteban—Relating to regulation of the practice of social work. Considered by committee in public hearing—April 2.

SB 525 Snelson—Relating to public school education. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 26.

SB 546 Ogg—Relating to a criminal offense for violation of the civil rights of a person in the custody of a peace officer or a custodian of prisoners. Referred to House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence—April 3.

SB 550 Parker—Relating to exemption of household goods and personal effects from ad valorem taxation. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—February 28.

SB 551 Doggett—Relating to regulation of architects and landscape architects. Referred to House Subcommittee on Land Related Agencies—March 12.

SB 569 Jones of Taylor—Relating to exemption of certain intangible property from ad valorem taxation. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—March 1.

SB 585 Short—Relating to the deposit of a portion of sales tax revenue in the Foundation School Fund and the reduction of local property taxes. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.

SB 590 Harris—Relating to the regulation, licensing, and taxing of horse racing and pari-mutuel wagering. Referred to subcommittee—March 12.

SB 593 Jones of Taylor—Relating to public school education. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 26.

SB 601 Brooks, Doggett, Jones of Harris, Santiesteban—Relating to the use of equivalent drug products in filling prescriptions. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 15.

SB 602 Ogg—Relating to the selection of delegates to national nominating conventions and party nominees for public office. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 6.

SB 608 Harris—Relating to the budget execution powers of the governor. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 29.

SB 611 Farabee—Relating to the authority of commissioners court to enact ordinances. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 14.

SB 621 Jones of Taylor—Relating to ad valorem taxation of property. Considered by committee in public hearing—April 2.

SB 628 Ogg—Relating to a state program to aid in the payment of utility bills on behalf of needy aged individuals. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 22.

SB 643 Price—Relating to the taxation of certain motor fuel containing alcohol. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—March 29.

SB 644 Price—The Texas Gasohol Pilot Act. Referred to Subcommittee on Energy—March 22.

SB 645 Price—Relating to the creation, establishment, and administration of the Texas Gasohol Pilot Plant. Referred to Subcommittee on Energy—March 22.

SB 652 Ogg—Relating to the use of protective headgear used by motorcycle operators and passengers. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 28.

SB 659 Schwartz—Relating to an individual's access to personally identifiable information maintained by an agency. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 20.

SB 664 Blake, Price—Relating to restrictions on the construction and operation of long-term storage and permanent disposal sites for nuclear waste. Referred to Subcommittee on Energy—March 22.

SB 669 Brooks—Relating to the location of the headquarters of the Board of Pardons and Paroles. Considered by committee in public hearing—March 7.

SB 670 Brooks—Relating to consent by a minor for family planning services. Referred to Human Resources Committee—February 26.

SB 673 Brooks—Abolishing the State Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences. Referred to Human Resources Committee—February 26.

SB 681 Brooks and Doggett—Relating to expiration, revenue, and bonding authority of the Battleship Texas Commission. Referred to House Government Organization Committee—April 3.

SB 688 Mengden—Relating to inspection of electrical equipment and regulation of electrical inspectors. Referred to Economic Development Committee—February 27.

SB 697 Mengden—Relating to discrimination in employment because of sex. Referred to State Affairs Committee—February 27.

SB 713 Santiesteban—Relating to the punishment for violations of certain air pollution regulations, giving jurisdiction to justice and municipal courts for air pollution violations from motor vehicles. Referred to Subcommittee on Criminal Matters—March 15.

SB 721 Jones of Harris—Relating to warranty of habitability of a residential unit and prohibiting retaliatory conduct. Referred to subcommittee—April 2.

SB 728 Meier—Relating to truth in campaigning. Referred to State Affairs Committee—March 1.

SB 738 Mauzy—Relating to tuition charges for children who are not citizens of the United States or legally admitted aliens. Referred to Education Committee—March 1.

SB 774 Truan—Relating to a warranty of habitability of rental residential premises. Referred to subcommittee—April 2.

SB 779 Harris—Relating to creation of a commission to coordinate celebrations of the 150th anniversary of Texas' independence as a republic and progress as a state. Referred to House Business and Industry Committee—April 3.

SB 781 Jones of Harris—Relating to public school education. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 26.

SB 793 Vale—Relating to certain tax exemptions for geothermal energy devices. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SB 794 Vale—Providing legislation to encourage the use of solar and wind energy. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—March 29.

SB 795 Vale—Relating to the taxation of certain motor fuel containing alcohol. Reported from committee favorably with amendments—March 29.

SB 796 Vale—Relating to the solar, wind, geothermal, and alternate energy fund and to the imposition, collection, administration, civil and criminal enforcement, and dedication of taxes on certain natural resources. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SB 797 Harris—Relating to regulation of persons who practice public accountancy. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—March 27.

SB 810 McKnight—Relating to motor fuel taxes. Referred to Finance Committee—March 8.

SB 816 Meier—Relating to the centralized state regulation of occupations covered by specified agencies. Referred to State Affairs Committee—March 8.

SB 841 Braecklein—Creating a public agency of the State of Texas to be known as the Texas Housing Finance Authority, and prescribing its purposes. Referred to Human Resources Committee—March 8.

SB 850 Gene Jones—Relating to the establishment of the State Higher Education Assistance Fund. Referred to Education Committee—March 12.

SB 881 Short—Relating to exemption of certain intangible property and automobiles from ad valorem taxation and to state payments to replace the lost local revenue. Referred to subcommittee—March 28.

SB 884 Snelson—Relating to licensing and regulation of counselors. Referred to Human Resources Committee—March 8.

SB 911 Doggett—Relating to the creation, duties, and powers of a Department of Public Utility Counsel. Referred to Human Resources Committee—March 12.

SB 968 Brooks—Affecting the rights and duties of landlords and tenants. Referred to Human Resources Committee—March 12.

SB 977 Jones of Taylor—Relating to a limit on the rate of growth of appropriations. Reported favorably from committee without amendments—April 3.

SB 981 Howard—Relating to the interception and use of wire or oral communications. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 27.

SB 1001 Clower—Relating to tax exemptions for sales, uses, and costs for certain wind-powered or automatic devices, insulation, and insulating materials. Referred to Finance Committee—March 12.

SB 1038 Jones of Harris—Relating to prevention and redress of discrimination in employment, public accommodations, credit transactions, and real property transactions. Referred to Human Resources Committee—March 12.

SB 1064 Truan—Relating to statewide juvenile services and changing the name, membership, powers, and duties of the Texas Adult Probation Commission. Referred to Subcommittee on Criminal Matters—March 21.

SB 1079 Clower—Relating to creation of a regional transportation authority in metropolitan areas. Referred to Intergovernmental Relations Committee—March 12.

SB 1085 Clower—Relating to an exemption for certain institutions from the child care licensing act. Referred to State Affairs Committee—March 12.

SB 1094 Clower—Relating to the regulation of the auto repair business. Referred to Human Resources Committee—March 12.

SB 1182 Meier—Creating School Property Tax Relief Fund. Referred to Finance Committee—March 21.

SB 1200 Schwartz—Relating to exemption of certain bingo games from the penal code. Referred to Jurisprudence Committee—March 28.

SJR 2 Mengden—Restricting the power of the legislature and the political subdivisions of the state to increase taxes. Referred to Finance Committee—January 9.

SJR 3 Andujar—Repealing the state ad valorem tax for permanent improvements at institutions of higher education. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—February 20.

SJR 4 Mengden—To prohibit the legislature from taxing personal or corporate incomes without approval by a popular vote. Referred to Finance Committee—January 9.

SJR 5 Mengden—To reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

SJR 6 Mengden—Relating to the division of counties into precincts for the election of justices of the peace, constables, and county commissioners. Reported favorably from committee with substitute—February 6.

SJR 7 Schwartz—To repeal and prohibit all state ad valorem taxes on any property within this state; and to establish the State Higher Education Assistance Fund. Referred to subcommittee—January 31.

SJR 8 Mengden—To provide that appointive members of governmental bodies who are appointed by the governor shall serve at the pleasure of the governor. Referred to subcommittee—February 19.

SJR 9 Clower—To reserve in the people the powers of initiative, referendum, and recall. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

SJR 10 Mengden—Providing for the selection of the elective judges and justices of the courts of this state, with certain exceptions, at nonpartisan elections held in the odd-numbered years. Considered in public hearing—February 14.

SJR 11 Williams—Exempting from taxation the residence homesteads of veterans of the First World War or of the Spanish-American War and their surviving spouses. Considered by subcommittee in public hearing—March 13.

SJR 14 Mengden—Guaranteeing the right of a person to work for an employer without regard to whether the person is a member of or makes a payment to a labor organization. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—February 13.

SJR 15 Kolthmann—Repealing the state ad valorem tax for permanent improvements at institutions of higher education. Considered by committee in formal meeting—March 21.

SJR 17 Price—To reserve in the people the powers of initiative and referendum. Referred to subcommittee—March 13.

SJR 18 Schwartz—To authorize the legislature to legalize bingo or raffle games held for the benefit of nonprofit or charitable organizations. Committee report printed and sent to Committee on Calendars—March 30.

SJR 19 Schwartz—Prohibiting the imposition of net income tax on individuals. Referred to Finance Committee—January 9.

SJR 20 Mengden—To limit the existence of certain state agencies. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 9.

SJR 21 Mengden—To provide for interim sessions of the Senate to consider the confirmation of gubernatorial appointees. Reported from committee favorably without amendments—February 1.

SJR 22 Farabee—To limit the number of times that a person may be elected to the office of governor. Referred to subcommittee—January 30.

SJR 25 Mengden—Amending the constitution to provide for judicial review of legislation enacted during a special session. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

SJR 26 Parker—To repeal and prohibit all state ad valorem taxes on any property within this state; to establish the State Higher Education Assistance Fund. Referred to subcommittee—January 31.

SJR 27 Mengden—Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the number of times that a person may be elected governor or lieutenant governor. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

SJR 28 Mengden—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to terms of office and salary of members of the legislature. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 22.

SJR 30 Kolthmann—Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide an exemption from certain property taxes on at least \$10,000 of the market value of residential homesteads of persons 65 years of age or older. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.

SJR 32 Mengden—Proposing a constitutional amendment to grant the state a right of appeal in criminal cases as provided by law. Referred to Jurisprudence Committee—January 29.

SJR 34 Mengden—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the date the governor takes office. Referred to State Affairs Committee—January 30.

SJR 35 Harris—Proposing a constitutional amendment permitting the legislature to authorize banks to use unmanned teller machines within the county or the city of their domicile, on a shared basis, to serve the public convenience. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 26.

SJR 38 Short—Proposing a constitutional amendment dedicating a portion of state sales taxes for public primary and secondary education and requiring state funding of new primary and secondary education programs. Referred to subcommittee—February 28.

SJR 39 Harris—Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the budget execution powers of the governor and the power to veto or reduce items of appropriations. Reported favorably from committee with amendments—March 29.

SJR 42 Blake—Amending the constitution to authorize tax exemptions for church property used exclusively for religious education and training. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SJR 43 Vale—Amending the constitution to create the solar, wind, geothermal, and alternative sources fund. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SJR 44 Vale—Amending the constitution to exempt geothermal energy equipment from ad valorem taxes. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SJR 45 Harris—Amending the constitution to authorize tax relief for residential homesteads. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SJR 46 Harris—Amending the constitution to authorize a limitation on tax increases on residential homesteads. Referred to Finance Committee—March 7.

SJR 48 Grant Jones—Amending the constitution to eliminate requirement that county assessor appraise property for county taxes and to eliminate commissioner court as board of equalization. Referred to Finance Committee—March 12.

SJR 53 Schwartz—Amending the constitution to authorize a single appraisal and a single board of equalization for ad valorem tax purposes. Referred to Finance Committee—March 12.

SJR 56 Price—Amending the constitution to limit ad valorem taxes. Referred to Finance Committee—March 12.

SJR 56 Price—Amending the constitution to limit ad valorem taxes. Referred to Finance Committee—March 12.

SJR 57 Price—Amending the constitution to restrict adoption of or increases in local taxes. Referred to Finance Committee—March 12.

SJR 58 Meier—Amending the constitution to provide for local school property tax reduction and creating the School Property Tax Relief Fund. Referred to Finance Committee—March 19.

Senate Human Resources Committee, 9 a.m., Lieutenant Governor's Committee Room, State Capitol, to consider SB 95 (Brooks), SB 90 (Doggett), SB 1087 (Short), HB 468 (Ezzell), SB 522 (Santiesteban), SB 601 (Brooks, et al.), SB 767 (Vale), SB 769 (Clower), and SB 1062 (Truan).

Nominations Subcommittee, 9 a.m. Meeting cancelled.

Senate Finance Committee, 9:30 a.m., Finance Committee Room, State Capitol, to consider SB 810 (McKnight) and SB 1186 (Truan).

Senate Finance Committee, 2 p.m. Meeting cancelled.

Senate State Affairs Committee, 2 p.m., Senate Chamber, State Capitol, to consider SB 1190 (Harris), SB 1191 (Harris), SB 1192 (Harris), SB 1219 (Moore, McKnight, Brooks), SB 1183 (Howard), SJR 54 (Farabee), SB 924 (Longoria), SB 1039 (Longoria), SB 1039 (Longoria), HR 575 (McBee/Traeger), SB 762 (Vale), SB 997 (Doggett), SB 1120 (Ogg), SB 1123 (Ogg), and SB 1125 (Ogg).

Senate Finance Committee, 4 p.m., Finance Committee Room, State Capitol, to conduct markup session on SB 28.

Senate Subcommittee on Energy, upon adjournment of Natural Resources Committee meeting, Lieutenant Governor's Committee Room, State Capitol, to consider SB 664 (Blake).

Weekly Meeting Schedule

Tuesday, April 3, 1979

Subcommittee on Energy, 1 p.m. Meeting cancelled.

Education Committee, Subcommittee on SB 1099, 1:45 p.m., Lieutenant Governor's Committee Room, State Capitol, to consider SB 1099 (Clower).

Senate Finance Committee, 2 p.m. Meeting cancelled.

Senate Finance Committee, 4 p.m., Senate Finance Committee Room, State Capitol, to conduct markup session on SB 28.

Senate Administration Committee, 4:30 p.m., Senate Reception Room, State Capitol, to consider: SCR 58 (Andujar); requests for Lanier typewriters, interagency contract, applications for local and uncontested calendar, and miscellaneous requests.

Senate Subcommittee on Criminal Matters, 6 p.m., Lieutenant Governor's Committee Room, State Capitol, to consider SB 69 (Mengden), SB 73 (Mengden), SB 221 (Jones of Harris), SB 330 (Mengden), SB 344 (Andujar), SB 440 (Santiesteban), SB 441 (Santiesteban), SB 448 (Santiesteban), SB 450 (Santiesteban), SB 456 (Santiesteban), SB 457 (Santiesteban), SB 458 (Santiesteban), SB 605 (Mengden), and SB 750 (Mauzy).

Wednesday, April 4, 1979

Senate Education Committee, 9 a.m., Senate Chamber, State Capitol, to consider SB 1099 (Clower), SB 726 (Parker), SB 894 (Parker), SB 770 (Mauzy), SB 790 (Mauzy), SB 807 (Andujar), SB 883 (Snelson), SB 986 (Vale), SB 195 (Truan), SB 86 (Doggett), SB 192 (Mauzy), SB 224 (Mauzy), CSSB 225 (Mauzy), SB 289 (Mauzy), SB 700 (Mengden), and SJR 15 (Kothmann).

Thursday, April 5, 1979

Senate Natural Resources Committee, 8:30 a.m., Senate Committee Room No. 1, State Capitol, to consider SCR 63 (Patman), SB 1102 (Schwartz), SB 1103 (Schwartz), SB 1104 (Schwartz), SB 1131 (Schwartz), SB 1176 (Jones of Harris), SB 1068 (Ogg), SB 1069 (Ogg), SB 1071 (Ogg), SB 72 (Ogg), SB 1073 (Ogg), and SCR 62 (Schwartz).

Senate Finance Committee, 9:30 a.m. Meeting cancelled.

Senate Jurisprudence Committee, 9:30 a.m., Senate Sergeant-at-Arms Committee Room, State Capitol, to consider HB 354 (Bush/Farabee), SB 876 (Farabee), SB 938 (Doggett), SB 952 (Farabee), SB 963 (Doggett), SB 66 (Clower), SB 340 (Farabee), SB 1066 (Mauzy), SB 1067 (Mauzy), SB 233 (Mauzy), SB 844 (Jones of Harris), SB 1130 (Schwartz), SB 1143 (Truan), SJR 33 (Jones of Harris), SB 457 (Santiesteban), SB 458 (Santiesteban), SB 1216 (Schwartz), and SB 607 (Vale).

Senate Finance Committee, 1 p.m., Finance Committee Room, to conduct markup session on SB 28.

Texas Air Control Board

Applications for Construction Permits

Notice is given by the Texas Air Control Board of applications for construction permits received during the period of March 26-30, 1979.

Information relative to these applications, including projected emissions and the opportunity to comment or to request a hearing, may be obtained by contacting the office of the executive director at the Central Office of the Texas Air Control Board, 8520 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78758.

A copy of all material submitted by the applicant is available for public inspection at the Central Office of the Texas Air Control Board at the address stated above and at the regional office for the air quality control region within which the proposed facility will be located.

Listed are the name of the applicant and the city in which the facility is located; type of facility; location of the facility (if available); permit number; and type of application—new source or modification.

Week Ending March 30, 1979

Allan Construction Company, Paint Rock; rock crusher; 283K; new source

White's Mines, Inc., Abilene; portable crushing plant; Black Lease; 990B; new source

Dow Chemical Company, Freeport; urethane market development plant; 1496C; modification

Mobay Chemical Company, Baytown; E-509 production; 2005A; modification

Gulf Oil Chemicals Company, Mont Belvieu; polypyrrole unit; Cedar Bayou Olefins, Interstate 10; 4389A; modification

Houston Oil and Minerals Corporation, Port Bolivar; primary preparation and separation; Bolivar Peninsula; 5112A; modification

Uni Refining, Inc., Ingleside; truck rack vapor recovery and tankage sludge system; 6027A; modification

Sunoco Terminals, Inc., Ingleside; storage and terminaling facilities; FM 1069; 6606A; new source

Leslie E. Meyer, Pearland; air curtain destructor; FM 518; 7107A

City of San Antonio, San Antonio; open pit incinerator (trench burner); Number 2 Mitchell Lake burning site; 7449; new source

Charter International Oil Company, Houston; storage tanks; 9700 Manchester; 7464; modification

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; crude oil distillation; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7450; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; gasoline splitter; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7451; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; atmospheric residuum desulfurization unit; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7452; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; sulfur recovery unit; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7453; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; hydrogen production unit; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7454; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; two CO boilers; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7455; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Borger; three petroleum storage tanks; Borger Refinery and NGL Process Center; 7456; new source

AMOCO Production Company, Plains; enlarge installation-salt water storage; West Devonian storage system; 7457; modification

AMOCO Production Company, Fluvanna; enlarge installation-salt water storage; R. H. Jordan "A" lease battery; 7458; modification

AMF Tuboscope, Inc., Houston; powder coating manufacturing unit; 7459; new source

Texas City Refining, Inc., La Marque; crude oil storage tank; Loop 197 East; 7460; new source

Charter International Oil Co., Houston; crude unit; 9700 Manchester; 7461; modification

Charter International Oil Company, Houston; desulfurization unit; 9700 Manchester; 7462; modification

Charter International Oil Company, Houston; naphtha reformer; 9700 Manchester; 7463; modification

Texas Oil and Chemical Terminal, Inc., Vidor; dock, storage, and refining facilities; three miles southwest of Vidor; 7465; Vidor

AMF Tuboscope, Inc., Midland; fume incinerator; 1701 South Midkiff; 7466; new source

Phillips Petroleum Company, Sweeny; methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE) unit; Sweeny Refinery; 7467; new source

Marathon Pipe Line Company, Iraan; crude oil storage tank; US 190; 7468; new source

Gulf Oil Corporation, County Line; oil lease tank battery; E. K. Hufstedler battery; 7469; new source

Texas Industries, Inc., Dallas; central mix batching plant; 1925 North Pearl; 7470; new source

Aluminum Company of America, Rockdale; aluminum holding furnaces, five and six revisions; 7472; modification

Southwestern Drilling Mud Service, Inc., Hebbronville; drilling mud facility; Highway 359 East, Hebbronville; 7473; new source

Winston Refining Company, Fort Worth; truck loading facilities; NE 28th and Sylvania Avenue; 7474; new source

Farmers Co-Op Gin, Amherst; cotton ginning; 212 East 11th Street; 7475; modification

AMOCO Production Company, Gail; enlarge installation-salt water storage; 7476; new source

Dow Chemical Company, Texas Division, Freeport; diethylbenzene separation unit; 7477; new source

Soltex Polymer Corporation, Deer Park; ethylene polymerization expansion; 1230 Battleground Road; 7478; new source

Texas Instruments, Inc., Dallas; silicon halide scrubber; North Central Exp. Site; 7479; new source

The Lubrizol Corporation, Deer Park; SCL manufacturing project; 41 Tidal Road; 7480; new source

E. I. Du Pont De Nemours and Company, Inc., La Porte; scrubbed incinerator; Strang Road; 7481; new source

Florida Gas Exploration Company, Big Spring; tank battery; section 32, block 33, TWP 1-S; 7482; new source

Redfish Bay Terminals, Inc., Aransas Pass; storage facility; Mooney Avenue and G.I.W.W.; 7483; new source

Central Grain Company of Donna (Corporation), Donna; grain elevator; 13th and Roberts; 7484; new source

Central Grain Company, Laferia; grain elevator; 7485; new source

Integrated Drilling and Logging, Inc., Hebbronville; drilling mud and bulk barite warehouse; 1/4 mile east on Highway 285; 7486; new source

Brown and Root, Inc., Houston; concrete batching plant; I-610 and SH-288; 7487; new source

La Gloria Oil and Gas Company, Tyler; flare; 1702 East Commerce Street; 7488; new source

Young Brothers, Inc., Contractors, Carlos; rock crusher; 7489; new source

Arbrook, Inc., Arlington; Number 2 latex machine expansion; 2500 Arbrook Boulevard; 7490; new source

H. B. Reed and Company, Inc., Rockdale; coal slag crushing and screening; Sandow; 7491; new source

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State Bar of Texas First Advanced Real Estate Law Course

The State Bar of Texas will sponsor the first annual advanced real estate law course April 23-27 at South Texas College of Law in Houston. The five-day course offers comprehensive coverage of real estate law and practice, with special emphasis upon commercial real estate transactions. It is designed to benefit experienced real estate practitioners as well as lawyers at the entry level of a real estate specialty. The course includes basic information about real estate finance and development in order that the law practice information may be placed in its appropriate business context. The faculty consists of experienced real estate practitioners who are able to cover both the legal and business aspects of their topics. Professor John Mixon with the University of Houston Law School will serve as course director.

Extensive articles will be bound in a hard back, three-hole binder and will be included as part of the registration fee and handed out during registration. Registration for the five-day course is \$225. It is necessary to preregister for the course, and preregistration must be accompanied by at least a \$50 deposit, which is refundable until 5 p.m. on April 16, which is when the entire fee must be paid. Preregistration can be made by sending the registration fee or the \$50 deposit to the State Bar of Texas, "Advanced Real Estate Law Course," P.O. Box 12487, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Administrative Decisions

For copies of the following opinions selected and summarized by the Legal Services Division, contact Harriet Burke, Legal Services Division, P.O. Box 13528, Austin, Texas 78711. Copies will be edited to comply with confidentiality statutes.

Summary of Administrative Decision 7476

Summary of Decision: Purchases of electricity used for heating, cooling, lighting, operation of office machines, and other administrative uses are subject to sales and use tax unless (1) these electricity purchases flow through the same meter as electricity purchased and used in actual processing operations and (2) the electricity purchases used in the actual processing operations predominate over the electricity purchases used in a taxable manner (comptroller's sales tax Rule .015).

Summary of Administrative Decision 9525

Summary of Decision: Purchases of steel rods, which had a useful life of less than six months and which were used in the actual manufacturing of cast iron to skim the ladles out of which the molten iron was poured, were exempt from sales and use tax as equipment having a useful life when new of less than six months (Texas Taxation—General Annotated, Article 20.04(E)).

Summary of Administrative Decision 10445

Summary of Decision: The date appearing in the summary of the comptroller's Administrative Decision 10445, should be changed to read August 29, 1977, instead of September 1, 1975.

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