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PROCEEDINGS

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY — MONDAY, MARCH 14, 2011

The house met at 1 p.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 96).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Aliseda; Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anchia; Anderson, C.; Anderson, R.; Aycock; Beck; Berman; Bohac; Bonnen; Branch; Brown; Burkett; Burnam; Button; Cain; Callegari; Carter; Castro; Chisum; Christian; Coleman; Cook; Craddick; Crownover; Darby; Davis, J.; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Driver; Dukes; Dutton; Eiland; Eissler; Elkins; Farias; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frullo; Gallego; Garza; Geren; Giddings; Gonzales, L.; Gonzales, V.; Gonzalez; Gooden; Guillen; Gutierrez; Hamilton; Hancock; Hardcastle; Harless; Hartnett; Hernandez Luna; Hilderbran; Hochberg; Hopson; Howard, C.; Howard, D.; Huberty; Hughes; Hunter; Isaac; Jackson; Johnson; Keffer; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Kleinschmidt; Kolkhorst; Kuempel; Landtroop; Larson; Laubenberg; Lavender; Legler; Lewis; Lozano; Lucio; Lyne; Madden: Mallory Caraway: Margo: Marguez; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; McClendon; Menendez; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, S.; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Naishtat; Nash; Oliveira; Orr; Otto; Parker; Patrick; Paxton; Peña; Perry; Phillips; Pickett; Pitts; Price; Quintanilla; Raymond; Riddle; Ritter; Rodriguez; Schwertner: Scott; Sheets; Sheffield; Shelton; Simpson; Smith, T.; Smith, W.; Smithee; Solomons; Strama; Taylor, L.; Taylor, V.; Thompson; Torres; Truitt; Turner; Veasey; Villarreal; Vo; Walle; Weber; White; Woolley; Workman; Zedler; Zerwas.

Absent, Excused — Creighton.

Absent — Harper-Brown; Reynolds.

The invocation was offered by Gregory Hartigan, chaplain, District 14 VFW, Temple.

The speaker recognized Representative L. Gonzales who led the house in the pledges of allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of important business in the district:

Creighton on motion of Weber.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS SUSPENDED

On motion of Representative L. Gonzales and by unanimous consent, the reading and referral of bills was postponed until just prior to adjournment.

(Harper-Brown now present)

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The speaker recognized Representative Larson who presented Dr. Mitchell Finnie of San Antonio as the "Doctor for the Day."

The house welcomed Dr. Finnie and thanked him for his participation in the Physician of the Day Program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

(Reynolds now present)

HR 641 - ADOPTED (by Shelton)

Representative Shelton moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 641**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 641, Recognizing March 14 through 20, 2011, as Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Week in Texas.

(Speaker pro tempore in the chair)

HR 641 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative Hardcastle, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 641** as signers thereof.

(Kolkhorst in the chair)

HR 659 - ADOPTED (by Burnam)

Representative Burnam moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 659**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 659, Congratulating Odessa Prescott of Fort Worth on the occasion of her 100th birthday.

HR 659 was adopted.

(Chisum in the chair)

FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED

Representative Aycock moved to suspend the five-day posting rule to allow the Committee on Appropriations to consider pending business during bill referral today in E1.030.

The motion prevailed.

Representative Aycock moved to suspend the five-day posting rule to allow the Committee on Appropriations to consider house budget recommendations at 8 a.m. tomorrow in E1.030.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

Representative Aycock requested permission for the Committee on Appropriations to meet while the house is in session, during bill referral today, in E1.030, to consider pending business.

Permission to meet was granted.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following committee meetings were announced:

Appropriations, during bill referral today, E1.030, for a public hearing, to consider pending business.

Appropriations, 8 a.m. tomorrow, E1.030, for a public hearing, to consider house budget recommendations.

Appropriations, 7 a.m. tomorrow, E1.030, for a formal meeting, to consider pending business.

Corrections, 8 a.m. tomorrow, E2.018, for a formal meeting, to consider **HB 1915**.

FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED

Representative Jackson moved to suspend the five-day posting rule and all necessary rules to allow the Committee on Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence to consider **HB 7** at 2 p.m. or upon adjournment today in E2.010.

The motion prevailed.

(Larson in the chair)

COMMITTEE GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

Representative Solomons requested permission for the Committee on Redistricting to meet while the house is in session, at 9 a.m. tomorrow, in E1.004, to consider posted business.

Permission to meet was granted.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence, 2 p.m. or upon adjournment today, E2.010, for a public hearing, to consider **HB** 7.

HR 268 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Gooden)

The chair laid out and had read the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 268, In memory of Louann Confer of Henderson County.

On motion of Representative Gooden, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 268** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST

The chair recognized Representative Gooden who introduced Scott Confer.

HR 237 - ADOPTED (by Gooden)

Representative Gooden moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 237**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 237, Recognizing February 1, 2011, as Cedar Creek Lake Area Day at the State Capitol.

HR 237 was read and was adopted.

(Guillen in the chair)

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Gooden who introduced a delegation from the Cedar Creek Lake area.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of important business in the district:

Cain on motion of White.

HR 818 - ADOPTED (by Castro)

Representative Castro moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 818**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 818, Honoring State Representative Joe Farias on his 65th birthday.

HR 818 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative Farrar, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 818** as signers thereof.

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT

Representative Legler moved that, at the conclusion of the reading of bills and resolutions on first reading and referral to committees, the house adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow in memory of Kasi Smith of Pasadena.

The motion prevailed.

(Deshotel in the chair)

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES CORRECTIONS IN REFERRAL

Bills and joint resolutions were at this time laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees. Resolutions were at this time laid before the house and referred to committees. Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair at this time corrected the referral of measures to committees. (See the addendum to the daily journal, Referred to Committees, List No. 1.)

(Phillips in the chair)

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with a previous motion, the house, at 2:06 p.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

ADDENDUM

REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

The following bills and joint resolutions were today laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees, and the following resolutions were today laid before the house and referred to committees. If indicated, the chair today corrected the referral of the following measures:

List No. 1

HB 3 (By Thompson), Relating to the imposition of a sentence of life without parole on certain defendants who commit certain sexual offenses.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 274 (By Creighton), Relating to attorney's fees, early dismissal, expedited trials, and the reform of certain remedies and procedures in civil actions.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 800 (By C. Anderson), Relating to an interlocal contract between a governmental entity and a purchasing cooperative to purchase roofing materials or services.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HB 1000 (By Branch), Relating to the distribution of money appropriated from the national research university fund and to one or more audits of the information necessary to establish eligibility for that distribution.

To Higher Education.

HB 1689 (By Brown), Relating to the monitoring and enhancement of health and human services information technology.

To Public Health.

HB 2176 (By T. King), Relating to a surcharge under the driver responsibility program for a conviction of driving while license invalid, without financial responsibility, or without a valid license.

To Transportation.

HB 2415 (By Garza), Relating to the liability of a school district that allows the use of land and facilities that the school district owns, occupies, or leases for recreational or educational purposes.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2416 (By Garza), Relating to defining residency for purposes of eligibility to hold the office of or be a candidate for state representative.

To Elections.

HB 2417 (By Flynn), Relating to the Texas Code of Military Justice. To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 2418 (By Callegari), Relating to the territory, board of directors, and powers of the North Harris County Regional Water Authority.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2419 (By J. Davis), Relating to toilet accommodations at filling stations; providing penalties.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2420 (By T. King), Relating to exemptions from permitting by groundwater conservation districts of the drilling and operation of certain water wells.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2421 (By Thompson), Relating to determinations of paternity; creating an offense.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2422 (By Thompson), Relating to the procedure for providing a copy of the final decree of dissolution of a marriage to a party who waived service of process.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2423 (By Thompson), Relating to insurer and third party interests in certain motor vehicle repair facilities.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2424 (By Thompson), Relating to the operation of video gaming by authorized organizations and commercial operators that are licensed to conduct bingo or lease bingo premises; providing penalties.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2425 (By Thompson), Relating to notice to the attorney general of challenges to the constitutionality of Texas statutes.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2426 (By Thompson), Relating to certain rights and duties of nurses. To Public Health.

HB 2427 (By Thompson), Relating to the rights and duties of hospital patients and certain health care providers; providing civil penalties.

To Public Health.

HB 2428 (By Strama), Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation for certain solar or wind-powered energy devices.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2429 (By Strama), Relating to availability of certain information regarding energy use and efficiency of certain residential property.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2430 (By Kolkhorst), Relating to the price charged by a health care provider for a health care service or supply; providing penalties.

To Public Health.

HB 2431 (By W. Smith), Relating to compliance histories for and incentives to reward compliance performance by entities regulated by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2432 (By J. Davis), Relating to the creation of public and private facilities and infrastructure.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2433 (By Callegari), Relating to the ballot language for junior college district annexation elections.

To Higher Education.

HB 2434 (By Y. Davis), Relating to the repeal of certain ad valorem and state tax exemptions.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2435 (By Deshotel), Relating to rate adjustments by gas utilities. To Energy Resources.

HB 2436 (By Rodriguez), Relating to authorizing certain brewers and manufacturers to sell beer and ale to ultimate consumers.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2437 (By Sheets), Relating to an award of litigation costs after the rejection of certain settlement offers.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2438 (By Sheets), Relating to interest on damages subject to Medicare subrogation.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2439 (By Gallego), Relating to posting on state agency websites suggestions and ideas on agency cost-efficiency.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HB 2440 (By Pitts), Relating to the creation of a Texas Junior College System office.

To Higher Education.

HB 2441 (By Pitts), Relating to public junior college employee participation in the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

HB 2442 (By Muñoz), Relating to the telecommunications service discount for schools.

To State Affairs.

HB 2443 (By Price), Relating to persons remaining on and parking vehicles on state highway right-of-way; creating an offense.

To Transportation.

HB 2444 (By White), Relating to public school finance.

To Public Education.

HB 2445 (By Coleman), Relating to fostering collaboration among health care systems to provide indigent health care to communities more efficiently.

To Public Health.

HB 2446 (By Allen), Relating to the release of confidential physician-patient communications in certain circumstances.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2447 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to an exemption from the sales and use tax for certain assessments and fees related to telecommunications services.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2448 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the creation of the office of inspector general and the appointment of deputy inspectors general at the Health and Human Services Commission, Texas Youth Commission, Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Texas Education Agency, and Texas Department of Transportation; providing penalties.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HB 2449 (By Aliseda), Relating to the illegal possession of another person's ballot to be voted by mail.

To Elections.

HB 2450 (By Jackson), Relating to the creation of the offense of employing an individual not lawfully present in the United States.

To State Affairs.

HB 2451 (By Zedler), Relating to the computation of retirement benefits by a public retirement system.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

HB 2452 (By Zedler), Relating to disclosures regarding liability limits and malpractice insurance and related coverage in connection with services provided at health care institutions.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2453 (By Zedler), Relating to the release of complaint information by the Texas Medical Board to the legislature.

To Public Health.

HB 2454 (By Zedler), Relating to prohibiting discrimination by public institutions of higher education against faculty members and students based on their conduct of research relating to intelligent design.

To Higher Education.

HB 2455 (By Zedler), Relating to the licensing and regulation of the practice of integrative medicine; providing penalties.

To Public Health.

HB 2456 (By Zedler), Relating to the rollback tax rate of a taxing unit other than a school district.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2457 (By J. Davis), Relating to the amendment of Texas Enterprise Fund grant agreements.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2458 (By Muñoz), Relating to filling certain vacancies on the governing body of certain home-rule municipalities.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2459 (By S. King), Relating to health care information submitted to the Department of State Health Services.

To Public Health.

HB 2460 (By Truitt), Relating to confidentiality of information held by a public retirement system.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

HB 2461 (By Bonnen), Relating to the immunity of property tax arbitrators from liability for determinations made in the course of binding arbitrations.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2462 (By Bonnen), Relating to motor vehicles used for fire, emergency, or disaster response purposes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2463 (By Reynolds), Relating to access to certain records regarding an employment discrimination claim.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2464 (By Frullo), Relating to textbooks adopted by the State Board of Education for public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 2465 (By Larson), Relating to information a commissioners court may consider when approving a county budget.

To County Affairs.

HB 2466 (By Phillips), Relating to the licensing and operation of motor vehicles by minors.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2467 (By Phillips), Relating to the discharge of a surety's liability on a bail bond in a criminal case.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2468 (By Phillips), Relating to providing a patron of a pay-to-park or valet parking service with certain information; providing a civil penalty.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2469 (By Phillips), Relating to a memorial sign program for victims of motorcycle accidents.

To Transportation.

HB 2470 (By Phillips), Relating to the regulation of sport bikes. To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2471 (By Phillips), Relating to limiting the civil liability of certain persons who obtain or provide medical care and treatment for certain animals.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2472 (By Marquez), Relating to the reporting of certain warrant or capias information to the national crime information center.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2473 (By Marquez), Relating to the closure of a school campus by the board of trustees of a school district.

To Public Education.

HB 2475 (By Aliseda), Relating to vehicle registration requirements for deployed active military personnel.

To Transportation.

HB 2476 (By Harless), Relating to the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of certain dealer's heavy equipment inventory; providing penalties.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2477 (By Harless), Relating to the provision of bilingual election materials.

To Elections.

HB 2479 (By Perry), Relating to alternative dispute resolution systems established by counties.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2480 (By Geren), Relating to the licensing and regulation of geoscientists by the Texas Board of Professional Engineers, the regulation and licensing of land surveyors by the Texas Board of Architectural Examiners, and the abolition of the Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists and the Texas Board of Professional Land Surveying.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2481 (By Peña), Relating to the payment and distribution of consumer assistance funds in an action by the attorney general.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2482 (By Peña), Relating to the offense of organized retail theft. To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2483 (By Peña), Relating to certain do-not-resuscitate orders and advance directives; providing penalties.

To Public Health.

HB 2484 (By Hochberg), Relating to the state property tax compression percentage and the homestead property tax exemption under the public school finance system.

To Public Education.

HB 2485 (By Hochberg), Relating to public school finance.

To Public Education.

HB 2486 (By S. Davis), Relating to assignment of rents to holders of certain security interests in real property.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2487 (By Murphy), Relating to the residence address at which a person is registered to vote.

To Elections.

HB 2488 (By Scott), Relating to access to a child's medical records by the child's attorney ad litem, guardian ad litem, or amicus attorney.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2489 (By Scott), Relating to the discoverability and admissibility of communications of sympathy in certain civil or administrative actions against a health care provider or physician.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2490 (By Solomons), Relating to the regulation of certain metal dealers; providing criminal penalties.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 2491 (By Flynn), Relating to a moratorium on certain testing and assessments of certain public school students under the public school accountability system.

To Public Education.

HB 2492 (By Naishtat), Relating to the family allowance, treatment of exempt property, and an allowance in lieu of exempt property in the administration of a decedent's estate.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2493 (By Torres), Relating to enterprise project half designations under the enterprise zone program.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2494 (By Legler), Relating to the recovery of fraudulently obtained unemployment benefits.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 2495 (By Hernandez Luna), Relating to cemeteries and perpetual care cemetery corporations.

To Public Health.

HB 2496 (By Gonzalez), Relating to creating a teen dating violence court program.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2497 (By Gonzalez), Relating to state collaboration with federally recognized Indian tribes.

To Border and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 2498 (By Frullo), Relating to requiring certain non-ERCOT utilities to comply with energy efficiency goals.

To State Affairs.

HB 2499 (By Cook), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Department of Information Resources.

To State Affairs.

HB 2500 (By Lozano), Relating to the disposition of fines for traffic violations collected by certain counties.

To Transportation.

HB 2501 (By Thompson), Relating to voting in property owners' association elections.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2502 (By Thompson), Relating to the fees collected by district court clerks on the filing of certain civil actions or proceedings to fund basic civil legal services.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2503 (By Thompson), Relating to insurance agent licenses issued to certain foreign corporations and partnerships.

To Insurance.

HB 2504 (By Thompson), Relating to immunity from liability for county auditors.

To County Affairs.

HB 2505 (By Walle), Relating to the establishment of a task force on lowering the incidence of premature births and improving the care of premature infants.

To Public Health.

HB 2506 (By Chisum), Relating to creating defined contribution retirement plans for persons eligible to participate in the Employees Retirement System of Texas and the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services.

HB 2507 (By Chisum), Relating to the offense of installing an irrigation system without a license.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2508 (By Lewis), Relating to immunity and liability issues regarding unincorporated charitable organizations, charitable organizations that utilize self-insured retentions in their insurance coverage, and charitable organizations that utilize Lloyd's plans and indemnity policies.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2509 (By Huberty), Relating to the implementation of the administration of end-of-course assessment instruments for high school courses in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 2510 (By Lavender), Relating to exempting the intrastate manufacture of certain incandescent light bulbs from federal regulation.

To Energy Resources.

HB 2511 (By Dutton), Relating to the joint or separate prosecution of a capital felony charged against two or more defendants and the extent of a defendant's criminal responsibility for the conduct of a coconspirator in capital felony cases.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2512 (By Dutton), Relating to the maintenance of a list of voters whose registrations have been recently canceled.

To Elections.

HB 2513 (By Dutton), Relating to developing a list of preferred vendors that provide support to open-enrollment charter schools in using the Public Education Information Management System.

To Public Education.

HB 2515 (By Alvarado), Relating to patient safety plans for certain health care facilities.

To Public Health.

HB 2516 (By Alvarado), Relating to the appeal of an indefinite suspension of a municipal firefighter or police officer.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 2517 (By Villarreal), Relating to eligibility for state credits for college tuition and fees for public high school students who receive diplomas by demonstrating early readiness for college.

To Higher Education.

HB 2518 (By Kolkhorst), Relating to the transfer of certain state property from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to the Texas Forest Service.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 2519 (By Kuempel), Relating to the regulation of certain motor vehicle auctions.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2520 (By J. Davis), Relating to the creation of a database to track specialized technology research projects conducted by public universities, public university research facilities, and other state institutions.

To Technology.

HB 2521 (By Sheffield), Relating to the creation of the Bell County Municipal Utility District No. 1; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain.

To Natural Resources.

HB 2522 (By Otto), Relating to the ability of certain state agencies to seek injunctions against certain individuals.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2523 (By Cain), Relating to the purchase of goods and services by state agencies.

To State Affairs.

HB 2524 (By Cain), Relating to the criminal offenses for which and the circumstances under which certain communication devices may be detected and communications may be intercepted.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2525 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to a mechanic's and materialman's lien for landscaping.

To Business and Industry.

HB 2526 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the use of force or deadly force against another in defense of a third person.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 2527 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the allocation of certain motor vehicle sales tax revenue to the state highway fund and to the uses of that revenue.

To Ways and Means.

HB 2528 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to restrictions on private investigators' and security officers' use of vehicles that mimic law enforcement vehicles.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 2529 (By Price), Relating to the administration of appraisal districts. To Ways and Means.

HB 2530 (By Legler), Relating to the regulation of foundation repair contractors; providing a penalty.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 2531 (By L. Gonzales), Relating to the terms of a standard possession order in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 2818 (By L. Taylor), Relating to the operation of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association and to the resolution of certain disputes concerning claims made to that association.

To Insurance.

HCR 63 (By Geren), Authorizing the lieutenant governor and speaker to appoint interim joint committees.

To House Administration.

HCR 75 (By Burnam), Expressing the intent of the legislature to avoid placing unfunded mandates on local governments.

To State Affairs.

HCR 78 (By Price), Expressing opposition to federal regulation of intrastate water resources.

To Select State Sovereignty.

HCR 100 (By Branch), Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Texas State University System.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HJR 122 (By Legler), Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing garnishment of wages for the recovery of fraudulently obtained unemployment benefits.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HR 680 (By Landtroop), Recognizing Senate Bill 481, 81st Texas Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, as the Justin Little Rail Crew Safe Transportation Act.

To Transportation.

HR 788 (By Hopson), Congratulating Katelyn Standley of Jacksonville for making a verbal commitment to play softball for Stephen F. Austin State University.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 789 (By Hopson), In memory of Floyd W. Stiefer, former Jacksonville chief of police and city council member.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 790 (By Gooden), Recognizing March 14, 2011, as Cedar Creek Lake Area Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 791 (By Patrick), Honoring the Baylor University Bob Bullock Scholars Program and its participants.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 792 (By McClendon), Recognizing November 2011 as Lung Cancer Awareness Month in Texas.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 793 (By Veasey), In memory of Juanita Maurine Cash of Fort Worth. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 794 (By Veasey), In memory of Laura Castleberry of Fort Worth. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 795 (By Veasey), Honoring the Eta Chapter of Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., on the 50th anniversary of its founding.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 796 (By V. Taylor), Honoring Sandi Stevens for her outstanding community service work in the Dallas area.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 797 (By V. Taylor), Congratulating Jim Dunlap on his retirement as an instructor and curator at Plano ISD's Holifield Science Learning Center.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 798 (By V. Taylor), Congratulating David Forinash of Plano on his leadership as the 2010-2011 drum major for The University of Texas at Austin Longhorn Band.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 799 (By V. Taylor), Commending Brad Shanklin for his service as a member of the board of trustees for the Plano Independent School District.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 800 (By V. Taylor), Honoring 2010 Intel International Science and Engineering Fair winner Amy Chyao for her remarkable scientific and academic achievements.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 801 (By V. Taylor), Congratulating the Plano Senior High School debate team for its success in the 2010-2011 International Public Policy Forum.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 802 (By V. Taylor), Congratulating Jackie Hall of Plano on her retirement as executive director of the Assistance Center of Collin County.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 803 (By V. Taylor), Honoring deputy city manager LaShon D. Ross for her service to the citizens of Plano.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 804 (By V. Taylor), Congratulating Rounok Joardar of Plano West Senior High School on winning a first-place award at the National Junior Science and Humanities Symposium.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 805 (By S. King), Honoring H. V. Chapman & Sons of Abilene for providing Bibles embossed with the state seal for use by the Texas Legislature and the House Bible Study group.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 806 (By Dutton), Honoring John Saunders Chase, Jr., of Houston for his achievements in the field of architecture.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 807 (By Dutton), Honoring the First Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church in Houston on the 120th anniversary of its founding.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 808 (By Y. Davis), Welcoming members of the Leadership Southwest Class of 2011 to the State Capitol on March 16, 2011.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 809 (By Gutierrez), In memory of U.S. Army Sergeant First Class Calvin B. Harrison of Coldspring.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 810 (By Marquez), Congratulating the boys' basketball team from Bowie High School in El Paso on winning the District 1-4A championship. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 811 (By Marquez), Commemorating the first annual Neon Desert Music Festival in El Paso on April 30, 2011.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 812 (By White), Recognizing the Texas Forestry Association on the occasion of its seedling giveaway and commending association members for their reforestation efforts and advocacy.

To Rules and Resolutions.

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair corrects the referral of the following bills and resolutions:

HB 2404 (By Madden), Relating to the imposition of a privilege fee for state-owned housing provided to certain state employees by a state agency.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Favorable reports have been filed by committees as follows:

March 10

Transportation - HB 563

March 11

Criminal Jurisprudence - HB 443

Natural Resources - HB 310, HB 315, HB 451, HB 534, HB 612, HB 613, HB 709, HB 801, HB 805

State Sovereignty, Select - HCR 18, HCR 50



