

The House Committee on Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence

82nd Legislature

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2:00 p.m. or upon final adjourn./recess

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Pursuant to a notice posted on April 13, 2011, and pursuant to a suspension of the 5 day posting rule on the House Floor to hear HB 910, HB 2096, HB 2876, and HJR 126 on April 18, 2011, the House Committee on Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence met in a public hearing and was called to order by the chair, Representative Jackson, Jim, at 4:25 p.m.

The initial quorum call was answered as follows: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Madden; Raymond; and Scott.

A quorum was present.

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HB 2009

The chair laid out HB 2009.

The chair recognized Representative Quintanilla to explain HB 2009.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

(Representative Hartnett now present.)

(Representative Davis, Sarah now present.)

The chair recognized Representative Quintanilla to close on HB 2009.

HB 2009 was left pending without objection.

HB 3264

The chair laid out HB 3264.

The chair recognized Representative Miller, Sid to explain HB 3264.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Miller, Sid to close on HB 3264.

HB 3264 was left pending without objection.

HB 1897

The chair laid out HB 1897.

The chair recognized Representative Flynn to explain HB 1897.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Flynn to close on HB 1897.

HB 1897 was left pending without objection.

HB 3022

The chair laid out HB 3022.

The chair recognized Representative Flynn to explain HB 3022.

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The chair recognized Representative Flynn to close on HB 3022.

HB 3022 was left pending without objection.

HB 2307

The chair laid out HB 2307.

The chair recognized Representative Smithee to explain HB 2307.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Smithee to close on HB 2307.

HB 2307 was left pending without objection.

HB 2310

The chair laid out HB 2310.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Miller, Doug to explain HB 2310.

(Representative Castro now present.)

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Miller, Doug to close on HB 2310.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2310 was left pending without objection.

HB 3839

The chair laid out HB 3839.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Giddings to explain HB 3839.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Giddings to close on HB 3839.

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The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 3839 was left pending without objection.

HB 3844

The chair laid out HB 3844.

The chair recognized Representative Aycock to explain HB 3844.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Aycock to close on HB 3844.

HB 3844 was left pending without objection.

HB 3833

The chair laid out HB 3833.

The chair recognized Representative Phillips to explain HB 3833.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Phillips to close on HB 3833.

HB 3833 was left pending without objection.

HB 2481

The chair laid out HB 2481.

The chair recognized Representative Pena to explain HB 2481.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Pena to close on HB 2481.

HB 2481 was left pending without objection.

HB 1989

The chair laid out HB 1989.

The chair recognized Representative Gallego to explain HB 1989.

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Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Gallego to close on HB 1989.

HB 1989 was left pending without objection.

(Representative Thompson now present.)

HB 3475

The chair laid out HB 3475.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Gallego to explain HB 3475.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Gallego to close on HB 3475.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 3475 was left pending without objection.

HB 3796

The chair laid out HB 3796.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Gallego to explain HB 3796.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Gallego to close on HB 3796.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 3796 was left pending without objection.

HB 2502, HB 2174

The chair laid out HB 2502 and HB 2174.

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to explain HB 2502.

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The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to explain HB 2174.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute for HB 2174.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to close on HB 2174.

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to close on HB 2502.

The committee substitute to HB 2174 was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2502 and HB 2174 were left pending without objection.

HB 2635

The chair laid out HB 2635.

The chair recognized Representative Kolkhorst to explain HB 2635.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Kolkhorst to close on HB 2635.

HB 2635 was left pending without objection.

HB 3313

The chair laid out HB 3313.

The chair recognized Representative Paxton to explain HB 3313.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Paxton to close on HB 3313.

HB 3313 was left pending without objection.

HB 3330

The chair laid out HB 3330.

The chair recognized Representative Paxton to explain HB 3330.

(Representative Hartnett in chair.)

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Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Paxton to close on HB 3330.

HB 3330 was left pending without objection.

(Representative Lewis in chair.)

HB 2496

The chair laid out HB 2496.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Gonzalez, Naomi to explain HB 2496.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Gonzalez, Naomi to close on HB 2496.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2496 was left pending without objection.

(Representative Hartnett in chair.)

HB 3172

The chair laid out HB 3172.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Gonzalez, Naomi to explain HB 3172.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Gonzalez, Naomi to close on HB 3172.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 3172 was left pending without objection.

(Representative Jackson, Jim in chair.)

HB 2919

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The chair laid out HB 2919.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Reynolds to explain HB 2919.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Reynolds to close on HB 2919.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2919 was left pending without objection.

HB 122

The chair laid out HB 122.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Veasey to explain HB 122.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Veasey to close on HB 122.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 122 was left pending without objection.

SB 483

The chair laid out SB 483.

Representative Madden moved that SB 483, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (9).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

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Absent: Representatives Lewis; Woolley (2).

SB 1846

The chair laid out SB 1846.

Representative Hartnett moved that SB 1846, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (9).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Lewis; Woolley (2).

(Representative Lewis now present.)

HB 121

The chair laid out HB 121 as pending business.

Representative Raymond moved that HB 121, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (10).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Woolley (1).

HB 911

The chair laid out HB 911 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

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Representative Bohac moved that HB 911, as substituted, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (10).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Woolley (1).

HB 963

The chair laid out HB 963 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Thompson moved that HB 963, as substituted, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Scott; Thompson (8).

Nays: Representatives Madden; Raymond (2).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Woolley (1).

HB 1835

The chair laid out HB 1835 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Castro moved that HB 1835, as substituted, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

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Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (10).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Woolley (1).

HB 1837

The chair laid out HB 1837 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Scott moved that HB 1837, as substituted, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (10).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Woolley (1).

HB 2046

The chair laid out HB 2046 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Lewis moved that HB 2046, as substituted, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Jackson, Jim; Lewis; Bohac; Castro; Davis, Sarah; Hartnett; Madden; Raymond; Scott; Thompson (10).

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Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Woolley (1).

HB 2034

The chair laid out HB 2034 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2034 was left pending without objection.

HB 2711

The chair laid out HB 2711.

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to explain HB 2711.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to close on HB 2711.

HB 2711 was left pending without objection.

HB 2094

The chair laid out HB 2094.

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to explain HB 2094.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to close on HB 2094.

HB 2094 was left pending without objection.

HB 2714

The chair laid out HB 2714.

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to explain HB 2714.

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Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Thompson to close on HB 2714.

HB 2714 was left pending without objection.

HB 2101

The chair laid out HB 2101.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Hernandez Luna to explain HB 2101.

The chair offered amendment No. 1 to the committee substitute.

The chair offered amendment No. 2 to the committee substitute.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Hernandez Luna to close on HB 2101.

The committee substitute, as amended, was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2101 was left pending without objection.

HJR 126

The chair laid out HJR 126.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Lewis to explain HJR 126.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Lewis to close on HJR 126.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HJR 126 was left pending without objection.

HB 3802

The chair laid out HB 3802.

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The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Davis, Sarah to explain HB 3802.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Davis, Sarah to close on HB 3802.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 3802 was left pending without objection.

HB 2882

The chair laid out HB 2882.

The chair recognized Representative Scott to explain HB 2882.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Scott to close on HB 2882.

HB 2882 was left pending without objection.

HB 1931

The chair laid out HB 1931.

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to explain HB 1931.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to close on HB 1931.

HB 1931 was left pending without objection.

HB 2372

The chair laid out HB 2372.

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to explain HB 2372.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to close on HB 2372.

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HB 2372 was left pending without objection.

HB 2726

The chair laid out HB 2726.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to explain HB 2726.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Hartnett to close on HB 2726.

The committee substitute was withdrawn without objection.

HB 2726 was left pending without objection.

At 9:42 p.m., on the motion of the chair and without objection, the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Rep. Jackson, Jim, Chair

Kari King, Clerk