Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence Committee

April 28, 2015 - 2:00 PM or upon final adjourn./recess

# <u>HB 1313</u>

On:

Fischer, Ashley (Secretary of State)

### Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Daniel, Chris (Self; Office of Harris County District Clerk Chris Daniel) Hammerlein, George (Harris County Clerk's Office) Mendez, Mark (Tarrant County Commissioners Court) Roberts, Cary (County & District Clerks' Association of Texas) Warndof, Donna (Harris County) Wolfe, Mike (Self; Office of Harris County District Clerk Chris Daniel)

## <u>HB 1329</u>

For:

Herman, Guy (Self; Statutory Probate Judges of Texas)

## Registering, but not testifying:

#### For:

Ligon, Katharine (Center for Public Policy Priorities)

### On:

Raymond, Kerry (Dept State health Services)

### <u>HB 1406</u>

### Registering, but not testifying:

### For:

Garza, Steven (Texas Association of REALTORS) John, Conrad (Travis County Commissioners Court) Mendez, Mark (Tarrant County Commissioners Court) Ross, Susan (McCreary, Veselka, Bragg, & Allen)

#### <u>HB 1666</u>

Registering, but not testifying:

#### For:

Acevedo, Julie (Texas Fire Chief's Assn.) Alexander, Troy (Texas Medical Association) Lawson, Drew (Texans for lawsuit reform) Warndof, Donna (Harris County)

### <u>HB 1784</u>

For:

Albee, Ron (Self; AGC Texas Building Branch)

For:	
	Chatron, Michael (AGC Texas Building Branch)
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Against:	
C	Blevins, Bryan (Texas Trial Lawyer Assoc)
	Bowman, Gordon (City of austin)
	Jordan, Grant (City of Fort Worth)
<u>Registerii</u>	ng, but not testifying:
For:	
	Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)
	Munoz, Ned (Texas Association of Builders)
	White, Michael (Texas Construction Association)
Against:	
-	Baker, Lindsey (City of Denton)
	Coyle, Jeff (City of San Antonio)
	Holmes, Anna (City of Dallas)
	Igo, Shanna (Texas Municipal League)
	Sepehri, John (Texas Apartment Association)
<u>HB 2045</u>	
For:	
	David, Larry (Self; Concord Law School of Kaplan University)
	Ellison, Albert (Self)
	Hart, Don (Self)
	Hunker, Kathleen (Texas Public Policy Foundation)
	Pennington, Jacob (Self)
	Pennington, James (Self) Diorea, Bradley (Self)
	Pierce, Bradley (Self)
Against:	
	Harvey, Jay (Self; Tex-ABOTA)
	Meroney, Ranelle (Self; TEX ABOTA, TADC)
On:	
	Hoang, Nahdiah (Self)
<u>Registerii</u>	ng, but not testifying:
For:	
	Brummett, William Andrew (Institute for Justice)
	Drenner, Julie (Self)
	Hart, Emalee (Self)
	Hart, Katie (Self)
	Howsley, Stephen (Texas Home School Coalition)
	Malone, Jr., Bill (Self)
	Moody, Hannah (Self)

For:	
	Moody, Micah (Self)
	Swift, Kat (Green Party of Texas)
	Walden, Ledith (Self)
	Walden, Rachel (Self) Walden, Sarah (Self)
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Against:	Blevins, Bryan (Texas Trial Lawyer Assoc)
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<u>HB 2904</u>	
For:	
	Blevins, Bryan (Texas Trial Lawyer Assoc) Christian, George (Texas Association of Defense Counsel)
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<u>Registerir</u>	ng, but not testifying:
For:	
	Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)
<u>HB 2920</u>	
For:	
	Herman, Guy (Self; Statutory Probate Judges of Texas)
<u>HB 3008</u>	
For:	
	Groff, Erin (Self; Texas alliance for life)
	Horton, Judith (Self)
	Kaiser, Melanie (Self)
	Pojman, Joe (Texas Alliance for Life) Steele, Robin (Self)
	Steele, Robin (Sen)
<u>Registerir</u>	ng, but not testifying:
For:	
	Allmon, Jennifer (The Texas Catholic Confeence of Bishops)
	Brown, Leah (Self; Texas Alliance for Life)
	Long, Matt (Self)
	Smith, Angela (Self; Fredericksburg tea party) Stratton, Jennifer (Self)
	Tomlinson, Sydney (Self; Texas Alliance for Life)
	Williams, Terry (Self; Texas Alliance for Life)
Against:	
-	Kerker, Juliana (American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, District XI (Texas))
On:	
	Hagerla, David (Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services)

<u>HB 3070</u>

For:	Elsom, Kristi (Self; Real estate probate and trust law section of the state bar of texas)
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-	g, but not testifying:
For:	Herman, Guy (Self; Statutory Probate Judges of Texas) Hopper, Craig (Self; State Bar of Texas-Real Estate Probate and Trust Law Section)
<u>HB 3136</u>	
For:	
	Herman, Guy (Self; Statutory Probate Judges of Texas)
<u>HB 3160</u>	
For:	Herman, Guy (Statutory prpbate judge sof texas) Milligan, Maureen (City of Dallas)
<u>Registerin</u>	g, but not testifying:
For:	
	Coyle, Jeff (City of San Antonio)
	Franco, Brie (City of El Paso) Lanagan, Lindsay (City of Houston)
	Wolverton, Jeff (McWilliams Government Affairs on behalf of Dallas Habitat for Humanity)
<u>HB 3214</u>	
For:	
	Hughes, Laura (Kaufman County)
	Schoen, Kennrth (Self; Kaufman county) Vrzalik, Jimmy (Self; Kaufman county)
	Vizank, Jinniy (Sen, Kauman county)
<u>Registerin</u>	g, but not testifying:
For:	
	Oldfield, Ronnie (Kaufman County)
<u>HB 3364</u>	
Registerin	g, but not testifying:
For:	
	Garza, Steven (Texas Association of REALTORS) Hammerlein, George (Harris County Clerk's Office)
<u>HB 3430</u>	
For:	
	Phillips, Thomas (Self) Young, Evan (Self)
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On:       Kita, Matthew (Office of the Governor)         Registering, but not testifying:       Agains:         Agains:       Witherite, Amy (Self; TACL)         On:       Dahlberg, Shelley (Office of the Attorney General)         HB 3454       For:         For:       Gilroy, Kelly (American Legal Finance Association)         Yillman, Pat (Self)       Williams, Joseph (Self)         Against:       Baker, Thurbert (US Chamber Institute for Legal Reform)         On:       Schuller, Eric (Self; Oasis legal finance)         Registering, but not testifying:       For:         For:       Eiland, Craig (American Legal Finance Association)         Against:       Floyd, Beaman (Texas Coalition for Affordable Insurance Solutions)         Roberts, Cary (US Chamber Institute for Legal Reform)       Roberts, Cary (US Chamber Institute for Legal Reform)         HB 3561       Ejarazu, Sergio (Self)       On:         Non:       Sepehri, John (Texas Apartment Association)       Ejarazu         HB 3641       On:       Dahlberg, Shelley (Office of the Attorney General)         On:       Dahlberg, Shelley (Office of the Attorney General)       Eavison, Drew (Texans for lawsuit reform)         Agains:       Belvins, Bryan (Texas Trial Lawyer Assoc)       Events, Bryan (Texas Trial Lawyer Assoc)		Against:	Cummings, Patricia (Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association)
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# <u>HB 3656</u>

On:

Helmerichs, Cristina (Self) Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration)

# Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Mendez, Mark (Tarrant County Commissioners Court)