

BILLS REFERRED TODAY

**Wednesday
March 22, 2017**

Committee referral on the following:

SJR 56

Menéndez

Proposing a constitutional amendment regarding a transfer of money from the economic stabilization fund to the permanent fund supporting military and veterans exemptions to fund tuition and fee exemptions for children of veterans.

Finance

SCR 38

**Hinojosa/ Garcia/ Lucio/
Menéndez/ Miles/ et al.**

Urging Congress to continue to support NAFTA.

Business & Commerce

SCR 39

Burton

Urging Congress to reduce the amount of paperwork required of teachers by federal law.

Education

SCR 40

Lucio

Urging Congress to preserve federal funding for community health centers.

Health & Human Services

SCR 41

Taylor, Larry

Urging Congress to direct the Department of Defense to relocate the United States Africa Command to Ellington Field Joint Reserve Base in Houston.

Veteran Affairs & Border Security

SCR 42

Garcia

Directing the Texas Department of Transportation to adopt a Vision Zero strategy to reduce traffic fatalities and injuries.

Transportation

SB 1626

Uresti

Relating to the authority of a state agency to impose continuing education requirements on an occupational license holder.

Business & Commerce

SB 1627

Estes

Relating to consulting agreements, limitation on appraised value, and supplemental payments under the Texas Economic Development Act.

Natural Resources & Economic Development

SB 1628

Estes

Relating to the replacement of contested case hearings for certain environmental permits with a petition for administrative review.

Natural Resources & Economic Development

SB 1629

Estes

Relating to systems of prior authorization for the control, management, and disposal of certain nonhazardous, industrial solid wastes for which there are minimum federal requirements.

Natural Resources & Economic Development

SB 1630

Buckingham

Relating to cemeteries.

Business & Commerce

SB 1631 **Rodríguez**
Relating to the child safety zone applicable to a person released on parole or to mandatory supervision.
Criminal Justice

SB 1632 **Rodríguez**
Relating to the Whole Woman's Health Act.
Health & Human Services

SB 1633 **Perry**
Relating to the provision of pharmacy services through a telepharmacy system; establishing a remote dispensing site license.
Health & Human Services

SB 1634 **Taylor, Larry**
Relating to a reduction in required days of service for educators in public schools under certain circumstances.
Education

SB 1635 **Taylor, Larry**
Relating to the career and technology education allotment and the essential knowledge and skills of the career and technology education and technology applications curriculums.
Education

SB 1636 **Campbell/ Buckingham**
Relating to the use of extrapolation by a health maintenance organization or an insurer to audit claims.
Business & Commerce

SB 1637 **Taylor, Van**
Relating to requiring a canvassing authority to explain a discrepancy between the number of voters accepted and the ballots cast in an election.
State Affairs

SB 1638 **Watson**
Relating to waiver of a political subdivision's governmental immunity for certain employment benefit claims.
State Affairs

SB 1639 **Watson**
Relating to allowing certain wholesalers and distributors to purchase beer, ale, and malt liquor from the holder of a brewpub license.
Business & Commerce

SB 1640 **Watson**
Relating to the creation of additional judicial districts in Travis County.
State Affairs

SB 1641 **Watson**
Relating to the Texas Peace Officers' Memorial Monument.
Criminal Justice

SB 1642 **Watson**
Relating to allowing the holder of a brewpub license to sell beer, ale, and malt liquor to certain qualified persons outside the state.
Business & Commerce

SB 1643 **Watson**
Relating to electronic toll collection customer account information.
Transportation

SB 1644 **Watson**
Relating to the operations of certain metropolitan rapid transit authorities.
Transportation

SB 1645 **Watson**

Relating to the approval by the Texas Department of Transportation of certain transportation projects of a regional mobility authority.

Transportation

SB 1646 **Watson**

Relating to the public information law; creating a criminal offense.

Business & Commerce

SB 1647 **Watson/ Taylor, Van**

Relating to participation of state agency employees in the review of the agency by the Sunset Advisory Commission.

Business & Commerce

SB 1648 **Watson**

Relating to the public availability of certain information related to criminal conduct in connection with an election.

State Affairs

SB 1649 **Watson**

Relating to an enhanced penalty for repeated criminal trespass on or in the property of a public institution of higher education.

Criminal Justice

SB 1650 **Watson**

Relating to calculation of average daily attendance for school districts providing certain full-day prekindergarten programs.

Education

SB 1651 **Watson**

Relating to a defense to prosecution for certain offenses involving possession of small amounts of controlled substances and other prohibited drugs, substances, or paraphernalia for defendants seeking assistance for a suspected overdose.

Criminal Justice

SB 1652 **Watson**

Relating to the designation of an area of highway by a municipality as an immediate removal area.

Transportation

SB 1653 **Watson**

Relating to procedures regarding criminal defendants who have been determined incompetent to stand trial.

Criminal Justice

SB 1654 **Watson**

Relating to the electronic transmission of a notice of toll nonpayment by the Texas Department of Transportation.

Transportation

SB 1655 **Watson**

Relating to the confidentiality of certain information.

Business & Commerce

SB 1656 **Watson**

Relating to the eligibility of certain municipalities to establish homestead preservation districts and reinvestment zones.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1657 **Rodríguez**

Relating to the use of individual graduation committees to satisfy certain public high school graduation requirements for certain individuals who are no longer enrolled in school.

Education

SB 1658 **Taylor, Larry**

Relating to the ownership, sale, lease, and disposition of property and management of assets of an open-enrollment charter school.

Education

SB 1659 Taylor, Larry

Relating to the commissioner of education accepting contributions for the public school system, adopting rules regarding grant compliance, and establishing grants for high-quality educational programs.

Education

SB 1660 Taylor, Larry

Relating to the calculation of average daily attendance for dropout recovery charter schools.

Education

SB 1661 Bettencourt

Relating to voting rights and eligibility for office of residents of certain districts subject to a strategic partnership agreement.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1662 Bettencourt

Relating to limited-purpose annexation under strategic partnership agreements for certain districts.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1663 Huffman

Relating to contributions to, benefits from, late fees imposed by, and the administration of systems and programs administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

State Affairs

SB 1664 Huffman

Relating to contributions to, benefits from, membership in, and the administration of systems and programs administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

State Affairs

SB 1665 Huffman

Relating to the investment authority of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

State Affairs

SB 1666 Huffman

Relating to the conduct of primary elections; increasing a criminal penalty.

State Affairs

SB 1667 Seliger

Relating to the functions of the Texas Low Level Radioactive Waste Compact Commission.

Natural Resources & Economic Development

SB 1668 Lucio

Relating to the administration and enforcement of produce safety standards by the Department of Agriculture; authorizing an administrative penalty.

Agriculture, Water & Rural Affairs

SB 1669 Lucio

Relating to a task force to coordinate and make recommendations on parent engagement and education programs provided by state agencies.

Health & Human Services

SB 1670 Lucio

Relating to a historic structure assistance program operated by a municipally owned utility in certain municipalities; authorizing a fee.

Business & Commerce

SB 1671 Lucio

Relating to the waiver of governmental immunity of a county or sheriff's department for claims arising from a final decision of certain civil service commissions.

State Affairs

SB 1672 Lucio

Relating to the purposes of the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1673 Lucio

Relating to natural disaster housing recovery.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1674 Lucio

Relating to authorizing certain border counties and municipalities in those counties to address population growth and prevent the proliferation of substandard dwellings; providing a penalty.

State Affairs

SB 1675 Lucio

Relating to the licensing and regulation of animal export-import processing facilities; providing penalties; requiring an occupational license; authorizing fees.

Agriculture, Water & Rural Affairs

SB 1676 Lucio

Relating to the veterans county service office.

Veteran Affairs & Border Security

SB 1677 Lucio

Relating to information about services for women veterans provided through certain state agency and hospital applications.

Veteran Affairs & Border Security

SB 1678 Lucio

Relating to the members of a school district's local school health advisory council.

Education

SB 1679 Lucio

Relating to the use of the fund for veterans' assistance to support veterans county service offices.

Veteran Affairs & Border Security

SB 1680 Lucio

Relating to a task force of border health officials.

Health & Human Services

SB 1681 Lucio

Relating to the establishment of the Communicable Disease and Public Health Center.

Health & Human Services

SB 1682 Lucio

Relating to a building used as a prescribed pediatric extended care center.

Health & Human Services

SB 1683 Lucio

Relating to food allergen awareness in food service establishments.

Health & Human Services

SB 1684 Lucio

Relating to the possession and administration of an epinephrine auto-injector by certain entities.

Health & Human Services

SB 1685 Lucio

Relating to specialty license plates or stickers for motor vehicles of persons with intellectual disabilities.

Transportation

SB 1686 Lucio

Relating to coordinated health programs for public school students.

Education

SB 1687 Lucio

Relating to a list of best practice-based programs and research-based practices in certain areas for implementation in public schools.

Education

SB 1688 Lucio

Relating to the establishment of the student mental health division within the Texas Education Agency.

Education

SB 1689 Lucio

Relating to confidential mental health screenings for students in public primary and secondary schools.

Education

SB 1690 Lucio

Relating to the requirements for a school district improvement plan.

Education

SB 1691 Lucio

Relating to the commissioner of education establishing an annual conference on methods to improve the mental health of students in public schools.

Education

SB 1692 Lucio

Relating to the creation of a nutrition education task force.

Education

SB 1693 Lucio

Relating to the establishment of the Seniors with a Visual Impairment Task Force.

Health & Human Services

SB 1694 Lucio

Relating to suicide prevention training for certain mental health professionals.

Health & Human Services

SB 1695 Lucio

Relating to mosquito control districts established for an urgent public health purpose.

Health & Human Services

SB 1696 Lucio

Relating to a study on participation of public schools in a universal lunch program offered through the United States Department of Agriculture.

Education

SB 1697 Lucio

Relating to the establishment of a multi-stakeholder advisory committee on health literacy.

Health & Human Services

SB 1698 Lucio

Relating to outreach and awareness for women veterans in this state.

Veteran Affairs & Border Security

SB 1699 Lucio

Relating to a model framework to address certain barriers to student learning.

Education

SB 1700 Rodríguez

Relating to uniform reporting of information concerning protective orders, concerning magistrate's orders for emergency protection, and concerning conditions of bond imposed on a person awaiting trial in a family violence, sexual assault or abuse, stalking, or trafficking case.

State Affairs

SB 1701 Rodríguez

Relating to the terms of the board members of the Texas Indigent Defense Commission.

Criminal Justice

SB 1702 Bettencourt

Relating to the requirements for filing an annual financial statement by a municipality.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1703 Bettencourt

Relating to the requirements for filing an annual financial statement by a municipality.

Intergovernmental Relations

SB 1704 Buckingham/ Burton/ Creighton

Relating to the eligibility requirements for a license to carry a handgun.

State Affairs

SB 1705 Taylor, Van

Relating to the application for and issuance of a marriage license and the marriage of a minor.

Health & Human Services

SB 1706 Taylor, Van

Relating to forcing or coercing a child to enter into a marriage.

Health & Human Services

SB 1707 Uresti/ Seliger

Relating to funding for county transportation infrastructure projects in counties with significant oil and gas production.

Transportation

SB 1708 Uresti

Relating to funding for counties for transportation infrastructure projects located in areas of the state affected by increased oil and gas production, including administration of county energy transportation reinvestment zones.

Transportation

SB 1709 Zaffirini

Relating to the requirement of a guardian to provide information regarding a ward's health and residence to certain relatives of the ward.

State Affairs

SB 1710 Zaffirini

Relating to applications for the complete restoration of a ward's capacity or modification of a guardianship.

State Affairs

SB 1711 Huffines

Relating to the claim process for unclaimed property.

Business & Commerce

SB 1712 Huffines

Relating to the elimination of certain charges and programs associated with the universal service fund.

Business & Commerce

SB 1713 Uresti

Relating to the administration and collection of the state use tax as applied to certain persons engaged in business in this state; requiring a permit; creating an offense.

Finance

SB 1714 Hall

Relating to the expenditure of proceeds and property from and the state's burden of proof in asset forfeiture proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

State Affairs

SB 1715 Hall

Relating to the use of corrugated stainless steel tubing in residential and commercial structures.

Business & Commerce

SB 1716 Hall

Relating to expenditures for lobbying activities made by a recipient of state money.

State Affairs

SB 1717 **Hall**
Relating to the location and hours for early voting by personal appearance.
State Affairs

SB 1718 **Hall**
Relating to legislative review and approval of certain state agency rules.
Business & Commerce

SB 1719 **Hall**
Relating to a defense to prosecution for the offense of trespass by certain persons carrying handguns.
State Affairs

SB 1720 **Estes**
Relating to the identification of breeder deer by use of microchip implants.
Agriculture, Water & Rural Affairs

SB 1721 **Whitmire**
Relating to the prosecution of the offense of indecency with a child.
Criminal Justice

SB 1722 **Whitmire**
Relating to the eligibility of a firefighter or a peace officer for workers' compensation benefits for post-traumatic stress disorder.
Business & Commerce

SB 1723 **Birdwell**
Relating to the collection of soil monitoring samples from land application units where sewage sludge or domestic septage is applied.
Natural Resources & Economic Development

SB 1724 **Birdwell**
Relating to a permit requirement for the land application of domestic septage.
Natural Resources & Economic Development

SB 1725 **Birdwell**
Relating to the duties of a magistrate to inform an arrested person of consequences of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.
Veteran Affairs & Border Security