

**SENATE FLOOR ACTION**

**Tuesday  
May 6, 2025**

**The Senate suspended the necessary rules to consider and finally pass:**

- SB 66 (LC) Zaffirini**  
Relating to the authority of a supporter regarding legal proceedings granted under a supported decision-making agreement.
- SB 456 (LC) Middleton/ et al.**  
Relating to the purchase or sale of human organs; increasing a criminal penalty.
- SB 628 (CS) (LC) Zaffirini/ et al.**  
Relating to the administration and enforcement of a county fire code.
- SB 1012 (CS) (LC) Kolkhorst/ et al.**  
Relating to authorizing the sale or lease by the State of Texas of certain real property located in Austin, Texas.
- SB 1015 (CS) (LC) Zaffirini**  
Relating to excess contributions and fees allocated to statutory probate courts.
- SB 1032 (CS) Kolkhorst**  
Relating to the eligibility of postsecondary educational institutions to participate in the governor's university research initiative.
- SB 1241 (CS) (LC) Middleton/ et al.**  
Relating to college entrance examinations considered for admission to certain public institutions of higher education and a study by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding those examinations.  
**1 Floor Amendment**
- SB 1376 Hughes/ et al.**  
Relating to the supervision requirements of a code enforcement officer in training.
- SB 1708 (CS) (LC) Hinojosa, Adam**  
Relating to exceptions to county platting requirements.
- SB 1959 (CS) (LC) Hagenbuch**  
Relating to the authority of the North Texas Groundwater Conservation District to consider certain factors before granting or denying a permit.  
**1 Floor Amendment**
- SB 1965 (CS) (LC) King**  
Relating to requirements for the addition of noncontiguous territory to certain special districts.  
**1 Floor Amendment**
- SB 2035 (CS) (LC) Hughes/ Bettencourt/ King/ et al.**  
Relating to prohibiting contributions, expenditures, and related activities involving political committees that support or oppose a ballot measure; creating a criminal offense; providing a civil penalty.  
**1 Floor Amendment**
- SB 2199 (CS) Birdwell/ et al.**  
Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for loading certain overweight vehicles transporting hazardous materials at a weight that exceeds the weight limitations authorized for the vehicle.  
**1 Floor Amendment**
- SB 2245 (LC) West**  
Relating to procedures for the issuance of a bonded title for a motor vehicle.

- SB 2284 (LC)**                                 **Hinojosa, Adam/ et al.**  
 Relating to the authority of a municipality or county to regulate certain matters related to firearms, air guns, archery equipment, and other weapons and related supplies.
- SB 2419 (LC)**                                 **Paxton**  
 Relating to the authority of a special district to exercise certain powers and duties following municipal disannexation of certain areas.
- SB 2523**   **Bettencourt**  
 Relating to the release of an area from the extraterritorial jurisdiction of a municipality by petition.
- SB 2529 (CS)**                                 **Bettencourt/ et al.**  
 Relating to the vote required by the governing body of a taxing unit to adopt an ad valorem tax rate that exceeds the voter-approval tax rate or authorize the issuance of tax bonds.
- SB 2541 (CS)**                                 **Bettencourt**  
 Relating to the calculation of the unused increment rate of a taxing unit.
- SB 2595 (CS) (LC)**                         **Middleton**  
 Relating to the creation of the criminal offense of harassing, intimidating, or threatening another person while concealing identity with a mask or other headgear.
- SB 2605 (LC)**                                 **Blanco**  
 Relating to the formation of a municipal housing authority asset commission by certain municipal housing authorities.
- SB 2778 (LC)**                                 **Hinojosa, Adam**  
 Relating to the amount of an expenditure that may be paid by an emergency services district employee without board approval.
- SB 2933 (CS) (LC)**                         **Menéndez/ et al.**  
 Relating to judicial training requirements regarding elder abuse and neglect.
- SB 3039 (LC)**                                 **West/ et al.**  
 Relating to the transfer of students in public higher education.
- SB 3044 (LC)**                                 **Blanco**  
 Relating to the composition of the board of directors and the powers of the Presidio County Underground Water Conservation District.
- The Senate suspended the regular order, read third time and finally passed:**
- SB 1524**   **Middleton/ et al.**  
 Relating to the collection and confidentiality of information regarding weapons in agency foster homes; creating a civil penalty.
- SB 1863**   **Hughes/ et al.**  
 Relating to the conduct of randomized county election audits.  
**1 Floor Amendment**
- SB 2119 (CS)**                                 **Sparks/ et al.**  
 Relating to an exemption from certain immunization requirements for medical and veterinary students.
- SB 2422 (CS)**                                 **Hall/ et al.**  
 Relating to investigations and disciplinary or punitive action by the Texas Medical Board regarding certain treatments or practices regarding COVID-19 and to the required expungement of certain records.
- SB 2753 (CS)**                                 **Hall/ et al.**  
 Relating to the integration of early voting by personal appearance and election day voting, including the manner in which election returns are processed and other related changes.
- The Senate suspended the regular order, read second time and passed to engrossment:**

**SB 1844 (CS) (LC)**                      **Paxton/ et al.**  
Relating to disannexation of certain areas of a municipality for failure to provide services.  
**1 Floor Amendment**

**SB 2533 (CS)**                              **Middleton**  
Relating to the accreditation of law schools in this state.  
**1 Floor Amendment**

**The Senate adopted the following resolutions:**

**SR 417**                                      **Hancock**  
Recognizing May 6, 2025 as Golf Day.

**SR 500**                                      **Sparks**  
In memory of Jessie Ray Perez.

**SR 501**                                      **Blanco**  
Recognizing Cindy Ramos-Davidson for her contributions to the city of El Paso.

**SR 502**                                      **Hughes**  
In memory of Melissa Pollard.

**HCR 128**                                      **Paul**                                      **SP: Alvarado**  
Commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Harris-Galveston Subsidence District.

**Committee referral on the following:**

**HB 23**                                      **Harris/ Hunter/ Gates/ Metcalf/  
et al.**  
Relating to the authority of certain persons to obtain third-party review of plats and property development plans, permits, and similar documents, and the inspection of an improvement related to such a document.  
**Local Government**

**HB 45**                                      **Hull/ Noble/ Leach/ Metcalf/  
Patterson/ et al.**  
Relating to the duty of the attorney general to represent the state in the prosecution of the criminal offense of trafficking of persons.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 104**                                      **Bonnen**  
Relating to the creation of the Texas future fund and the Texas future fund investment review board and to the permissible uses of money in the Texas future fund.  
**Finance**

**HB 519**                                      **González, Mary/ et al.**  
Relating to honey production operations and the harvesting and packaging of honey and honeycomb.  
**Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs**

**HB 748**                                      **Leach/ Johnson/ Little/ Cook/  
Meyer/ et al.**  
Relating to the enforceability of certain nondisclosure or confidentiality provisions with respect to an act of sexual abuse.  
**State Affairs**

**HB 791**                                      **Cortez**  
Relating to the issuance of Central Catholic High School specialty license plates.  
**Transportation**

**HB 1056**                                      **Dorazio/ Hunter/ Capriglione/  
Raymond/ Harris/ et al.**  
Relating to the issuance of gold and silver specie and the establishment of a currency based on gold and silver; authorizing a fee.  
**Finance**

**HB 1481**

**Fairly/ Patterson/ Talarico/  
Buckley/ Johnson/ et al.**

Relating to school district and open-enrollment charter school policies regarding student use of personal communication devices.

**Education K-16**

**HB 3181**

**Dutton**

Relating to the enforcement of a court order for possession of or access to a child and related order modifications.

**State Affairs**

**HB 3211**

**Dean/ Gerdes/ Harless/ Lalani/  
Phelan/ et al.**

Relating to vision care benefits, including participation of optometrists and therapeutic optometrists in vision care or managed care plans.

**Health & Human Services**

**HB 4044**

**Meyer/ Turner/ Capriglione/  
Martinez Fischer/ Troxclair/ et al.**

Relating to certain expenditures by public institutions of higher education and university systems that are eligible for certain tax credits.

**Finance**

**HB 4290**

**Darby/ Landgraf/ Anchía/  
Craddick**

Relating to a qualifying cogenerator that serves a large load and a colocated desalination facility.

**Business & Commerce**

(CS) COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

(LC) RECOMMENDED FOR LOCAL CALENDAR