

The House Committee on State Affairs

89th Legislature

May 7, 2025

2:00 p.m.

Agricultural Museum, 1W.14

Pursuant to an announcement from the house floor on May 7, 2025, and permission granted on May 7, 2025, to meet while the House was in session, the House Committee on State Affairs met in a formal meeting and was called to order by the chair, Representative King, at 2:01 p.m.

The initial quorum call was answered as follows: Representatives King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; and Turner.

A quorum was present.

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HB 256

The chair laid out HB 256 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Geren moved that HB 256, 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 King; Darby; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond (9).

Nays: Representatives Hernandez; Davis, Yvonne; Thompson; Turner (4).

Present, Not Voting: Representative Anchía (1).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

HB 2881

The chair laid out HB 2881 as pending business.

Representative Darby moved that HB 2881, 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 King; Darby; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond (9).

Nays: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Davis, Yvonne; Thompson; Turner (5).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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HB 4511

The chair laid out HB 4511 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Phelan moved that HB 4511, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

HB 5182

The chair laid out HB 5182 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

The chair moved that HB 5182, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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HB 5568

The chair laid out HB 5568 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Anchía moved that HB 5568, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

HJR 201

The chair laid out HJR 201 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

The chair moved that HJR 201, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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SB 18

The chair laid out SB 18 as pending business.

Representative McQueeney moved that SB 18, 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 King; Darby; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond (9).

Nays: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Davis, Yvonne; Thompson; Turner (5).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

SB 75

The chair laid out SB 75 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Geren moved that SB 75, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

SB 330

The chair laid out SB 330 as pending business.

Representative McQueeney moved that SB 330, 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 King; Hernandez; Darby; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond (10).

Nays: Representatives Anchía; Davis, Yvonne; Thompson; Turner (4).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

SB 1026

The chair laid out SB 1026 as pending business.

Representative Metcalf moved that SB 1026, 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 King; Darby; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Raymond (8).

Nays: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Davis, Yvonne; Phelan; Thompson; Turner (6).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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SB 1535

The chair laid out SB 1535 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Hull moved that SB 1535, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

SB 1762

The chair laid out SB 1762 as pending business.

The chair moved that SB 1762, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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SB 1405

The chair recalled SB 1405 from subcommittee.

The chair laid out SB 1405.

The chair recognized Representative Anchía to explain SB 1405.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

The chair recognized Representative Anchía to explain the committee substitute.

Representative Anchía moved that SB 1405, 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 King; Hernandez; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (14).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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At 2:14 p.m., on the motion of the chair and without objection, the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Rep. King, Chair

Megan Quijano, Clerk