

The House Committee on State Affairs

89th Legislature

May 12, 2025

2:00 p.m.

Agricultural Museum, 1W.14

Pursuant to an announcement from the house floor on May 12, 2025, and permission granted on May 12, 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 2:07 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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SB 1036

The chair laid out SB 1036 as pending business.

The chair moved that SB 1036, 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; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Thompson; Turner (13).

Nays: Representative Hull (1).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

SB 1566

The chair laid out SB 1566 as pending business.

Representative McQueeney moved that SB 1566, 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 1664

The chair laid out SB 1664 as pending business.

Representative Guillen moved that SB 1664, 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).

SB 2188

The chair laid out SB 2188 as pending business.

Representative Geren offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Darby moved that SB 2188, 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; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond (8).

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

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representative Smithee (1).

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SB 2268

The chair laid out SB 2268 as pending business.

The chair offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Phelan moved that SB 2268, 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).

SCR 5

The chair laid out SCR 5 as pending business.

The chair moved that SCR 5, 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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SCR 8

The chair laid out SCR 8 as pending business.

Representative Geren moved that SCR 8, 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).

SCR 9

The chair laid out SCR 9 as pending business.

The chair moved that SCR 9, 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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SCR 32

The chair laid out SCR 32 as pending business.

Representative Metcalf moved that SCR 32, 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).

SCR 46

The chair laid out SCR 46 as pending business.

(Representative Smithee now present.)

Representative Hull moved that SCR 46, 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; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Raymond; Smithee (11).

Nays: Representatives Geren; Phelan; Thompson; Turner (4).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

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SB 231

The chair laid out SB 231 as pending business.

The chair moved that SB 231, 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; Smithee; Thompson; Turner (15).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

SB 667

The chair laid out SB 667 as pending business.

Representative McQueeney moved that SB 667, 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; Anchía; Darby; Davis, Yvonne; Geren; Guillen; Hull; McQueeney; Metcalf; Phelan; Raymond; Smithee (12).

Nays: Representatives Hernandez; Thompson; Turner (3).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

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SB 689

The chair laid out SB 689 as pending business.

Representative Metcalf moved that SB 689, 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; Smithee (9).

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

Present, Not Voting: Representative Raymond (1).

Absent: None (0).

SB 825

The chair laid out SB 825 as pending business.

Representative Smithee moved that SB 825, 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; Smithee (10).

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

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

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SB 965

The chair laid out SB 965 as pending business.

The chair moved that SB 965, 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; Smithee (10).

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

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

SB 992

The chair laid out SB 992 as pending business.

Representative Geren moved that SB 992, 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; Smithee; Thompson; Turner (15).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

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SB 1059

The chair laid out SB 1059 as pending business.

Representative Darby moved that SB 1059, 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; Smithee (10).

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

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

SB 1220

The chair laid out SB 1220 as pending business.

The chair moved that SB 1220, 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; Smithee; Thompson; Turner (15).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

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SB 2368

The chair laid out SB 2368 as pending business.

Representative Metcalf moved that SB 2368, 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; Smithee; Thompson; Turner (15).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

SB 2601

The chair laid out SB 2601 as pending business.

Representative McQueeney offered a complete committee substitute.

The committee substitute was adopted without objection.

Representative Hull moved that SB 2601, 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; Smithee; Thompson; Turner (15).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: None (0).

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At 2:23 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