Friday April 24, 2009

SJR 48 Williams/ et al.

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the ad valorem taxation of a residence homestead solely on the basis of the property's value as a residence homestead; and authorizing the legislature to authorize a single board of equalization for two or more adjoining appraisal entities that elect to provide for consolidated equalizations. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:44 PM*, 04/21/09

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SJR 50

Averitt

Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the issuance of additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development Board.

Committee report printed and distributed 04:33 PM, 04/15/09

SCR 47

Hegar

Granting permission for Grandfather's Blind, Ltd., and Donner Properties to sue the State of Texas, General Land Office, and School Land Board. *Committee report printed and distributed 02:41 PM*, 04/16/09

SB 11 (CS) (LC) Carona/ et al.

Relating to the prevention, investigation, prosecution, and punishment for certain gang-related and other criminal offenses and to the consequences and costs of engaging in certain activities of a criminal street gang or certain other criminal activity; providing penalties. *Committee report printed and distributed 05:42 PM, 04/14/09*

SB 12 (CS) (LC) Carona

Relating to disaster preparedness and emergency management and to certain vehicles used in emergencies; providing a penalty.

Committee report printed and distributed 09:48 PM, 04/14/09

SB 14 (CS) Fraser

Relating to the operation of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association and the Texas FAIR Plan Association; making an appropriation. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:10 PM, 04/21/09*

SB 20 (CS) Williams

Relating to ad valorem taxation. Committee report printed and distributed 03:20 PM, 04/22/09

SB 42

Zaffirini

Relating to the eligibility of certain postdoctoral fellows and graduate students to participate in health benefit programs at public institutions of higher education. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:13 PM, 04/17/09*

SB 89 (CS) (LC) Van de Putte/ et al.

Relating to the prosecution, punishment, and prevention of offenses involving trafficking of persons or certain forced or sex-based labor or services, law enforcement training relating to the trafficking of persons, and the creation of the trafficking of persons investigation and prosecution account in the general revenue fund.

Committee report printed and distributed 01:51 PM, 04/22/09

SB 182 (CS) Patrick, Dan/ et al.

Relating to informed consent to an abortion. *Committee report printed and distributed 03:16 PM, 03/26/09*

SB 265 (CS) Hinojosa/ et al.

Relating to benefits and protections for certain residential electric customers. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:32 PM, 04/17/09* (Consideration postponed to 11:00AM 4/24/09)

SB 315 Wentworth

Relating to the reapportionment of congressional districts and the creation, function, and duties of the Texas Congressional Redistricting Commission. *Committee report printed and distributed 10:15 AM, 03/13/09*

(On Third Reading)

SB 324 (CS) (LC) Shapleigh

Relating to the tuition rebate program for certain undergraduate students at general academic teaching institutions.

Committee report printed and distributed 09:52 PM, 04/20/09

SB 350 (CS) Shapleigh

Relating to the application for and continuation of certain health benefit plan coverage; providing a civil penalty.

Committee report printed and distributed 11:33 PM, 04/20/09

SB 388 (CS) (LC) Carona

Relating to the creation of a law enforcement integrity unit in the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas.

Committee report printed and distributed 11:56 AM, 04/15/09

SB 472 (CS) Estes/ Van de Putte

Relating to notice required before and period to vacate after foreclosure sale of real property. *Committee report printed and distributed 09:23 PM, 04/17/09*

SB 552 (LC) Hegar

Relating to funding for the continuing education of certain peace officers. *Committee report printed and distributed 04:33 PM*, 04/08/09

SB 563 Jackson, Mike/ et al.

Relating to the designation of a candidate as an incumbent on a primary ballot. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:17 AM, 04/15/09*

SB 568 (CS) (LC) Lucio

Relating to a notification requirement if a counselor is not assigned to a public school campus. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:22 AM, 04/23/09*

SB 612 (LC)

Shapleigh

Relating to the powers and duties of the Texas Department of Transportation related to rail facilities. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:40 AM*, 04/08/09

SB 650 (LC)

Van de Putte

Relating to certain peace officers commissioned by the Texas State Board of Pharmacy. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:16 AM, 04/20/09*

SB 666 (CS) Shapleigh

Relating to the administration of charitable trusts. Committee report printed and distributed 06:20 PM, 04/14/09

SB 780 (LC)

Watson/ Davis, Wendy/ Ellis/ Gallegos/ Harris/ et al.

Relating to disclosure of the individual vote of each member of the Supreme Court of Texas on a petition for review.

Committee report printed and distributed 03:44 PM, 03/19/09

SB 819 (CS) Davis, Wendy/ et al.

Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of certain first-time students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education. *Corrected Comm. report printed and distributed 11:32 AM, 04/23/09*

SB 840 Hind

Hinojosa

Relating to procedures for certain persons charged with certain new offenses or an administrative violation of a condition of release from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice on parole or to mandatory supervision.

Committee report printed and distributed 11:20 AM, 04/20/09

SB 858 (LC) Seliger

Relating to offering the classroom portion of a driver education course through an alternative method of instruction.

Committee report printed and distributed 07:27 PM, 04/20/09

SB 867 (CS) Lucio

Relating to summer nutrition programs provided for by school districts. *Committee report printed and distributed 05:19 PM, 04/16/09*

Harris

(On Third Reading)

(Consideration postponed to 10:00AM 4/24/09)

SB 920 (CS)

Relating to the right to an expunction of records and files relating to a person's arrest. *Committee report printed and distributed 04:07 PM, 04/14/09*

SB 992 (CS) Duncan

Relating to the jurisdiction and administration of, and procedures relating to, certain courts in this state, including procedures for appeals. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:30 AM*, 04/21/09

SB 1021 (LC) Gallegos

Relating to a prohibition on parking a commercial motor vehicle in certain residential subdivisions. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:59 PM, 03/30/09*

SB 1022 (CS) Ellis/ et al.

Relating to death benefits for the survivors of certain members of the Texas National Guard. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:07 AM, 04/21/09*

SB 1063 (CS) (LC) Watson

Relating to the powers of certain hospital districts and to the retirement benefits of employees of the districts and related entities. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:51 PM, 04/16/09*

SB 1064 (CS) (LC) Watson/ et al.

Relating to the investigation of child abuse or neglect. *Committee report printed and distributed 02:04 PM, 04/15/09*

SB 1118 (CS) Ellis/ Carona/ Whitmire/ et al.

Relating to community supervision for certain drug possession offenses and to a person's eligibility for an order of nondisclosure following a term of community supervision for any of those offenses. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:44 PM, 04/21/09*

SB 1119 Hinojosa

Relating to the recovery of medical or health care expenses in civil actions. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:54 AM, 03/25/09*

SB 1173 (CS) (LC) Seliger

Relating to certain procedures for delivery of a warrant of execution and modifications or withdrawals of a warrant of execution.

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SB 1202 (CS) Deuell/ et al.

Relating to the collection and allocation of local sales and use taxes. *Committee report printed and distributed 05:22 PM*, 04/22/09

SB 1214 (CS) Deuell

Relating to consumption advisories for mercury contamination in fish, crustaceans, molluscan shellfish, and other aquatic and terrestrial animals.

Committee report printed and distributed 01:24 AM, 04/21/09

SB 1237 (LC)

Estes

Relating to the authority of certain juvenile probation officers to carry firearms. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:26 PM*, 04/22/09

SB 1249 (CS) Zaffirini

Relating to the creation of a pilot program to improve curricula alignment between junior colleges and general academic teaching institutions for engineering degree programs. *Committee report printed and distributed 06:23 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1266 (CS) Watson

Relating to erecting an off-premise sign adjacent to and visible from State Highway 71 between the western city limits of the city of Austin and State Highway 16. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:24 PM, 04/22/09*

SB 1296 (CS) (LC) Hegar

Relating to the certification of a county jailer as a special officer for offenders with mental impairments. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:31 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1350 (CS) Carona/ et al.

Relating to the creation, administration, financing, and use of a Texas Transportation Revolving Fund; granting the authority to issue bonds. *Committee report printed and distributed 03:16 PM, 04/17/09*

SB 1360 (LC) Nichols

Relating to the deadlines for commencement and completion of the Lake Columbia reservoir project. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:01 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1378 (CS) Duncan/ Averitt

Relating to the plugging of certain inactive oil or gas wells. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:46 PM, 04/17/09*

SB 1394 (CS) Zaffirini/ et al.

Relating to notification of an applicant for admission to a general academic teaching institution regarding the availability of degree programs in the applicant's preferred major field of study offered by other institutions.

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SB 1411 (CS) West/ et al.

Relating to financial assistance programs in connection with certain children in the conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services and to certain training for caregivers of children. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:13 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1456 (CS) (LC) Duncan

Relating to the time for bringing an action on a consumer debt. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:36 PM, 04/15/09*

SB 1498 (CS) (LC) Van de Putte

Relating to veteran's employment preferences. Committee report printed and distributed 10:57 PM, 04/20/09

SB 1520 (LC) Shapleigh

Relating to the protection and care of individuals with mental retardation residing in certain residential care facilities.

Committee report printed and distributed 11:23 AM, 04/14/09

SB 1542 (LC) Uresti

Relating to the conduct of investigations, prepayment reviews, and payment holds in cases of suspected fraud, waste, or abuse in the provision of health and human services. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:46 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1548 (CS) (LC) Ogden

Relating to the monitoring and oversight of certain public retirement systems and public investments; providing civil penalties.

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SB 1553 (CS) (LC) Wentworth

Relating to the creation of district courts in certain counties. Committee report printed and distributed 02:09 PM, 04/15/09

SB 1586

Harris

Relating to the establishment of a shared database for deer breeder reporting requirements. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:22 PM*, 04/20/09

SB 1591 (LC) Ogden

Relating to the length of time certain property acquired by a charitable organization to provide lowincome housing may be exempted from ad valorem taxation. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:56 AM, 04/14/09*

SB 1609 (CS) (LC) Hegar

Relating to the control of access to state highways by the Texas Department of Transportation. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:21 AM*, 04/20/09

SB 1612 (CS) (LC) Lucio/ et al.

Relating to the provision of information by health and human services agencies to assist children with velocardiofacial syndrome.

Committee report printed and distributed 03:43 PM, 04/17/09

SB 1629 (CS) Wentworth

Relating to the persons exempted from the required prepayment of the personnel costs incurred by a governmental body in responding to requests from a requestor under the public information law that require large amounts of personnel time.

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SB 1661 (CS) (LC) Harris

Relating to child support liens on real property. Committee report printed and distributed 06:45 PM, 04/14/09

Estes

SB 1666 (CS)

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Bioenergy Policy Council and the Texas Bioenergy Research Committee.

Committee report printed and distributed 12:44 PM, 04/20/09

SB 1687 (CS) Hinojosa

Relating to the right of certain counties to maintain local control over wages, hours, and other terms and conditions of employment.

Committee report printed and distributed 01:12 AM, 04/21/09

SB 1693 (CS) (LC) Ogden

Relating to the regulation of poultry facilities and poultry litter. *Committee report printed and distributed 09:28 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1717 (LC) West

Relating to prohibition of certain practices by owners of developments supported with low income housing tax credit allocations.

Committee report printed and distributed 07:53 PM, 04/20/09

SB 1728 (CS) (LC) West

Relating to the administration of and eligibility for the Joint Admissions Medical Program. *Committee report printed and distributed 09:16 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 1736 (LC) Uresti

Relating to the regulation of certain water wells by the Presidio County Underground Water Conservation District. *Committee report printed and distributed 04:22 PM, 04/14/09*

SB 1754 (LC) Wentworth

Relating to filing fees for civil actions or proceedings in a district, county, justice, or small claims court. *Committee report printed and distributed 11:25 AM*, 04/14/09

SB 1833 Patrick, Dan

Relating to county participation in the enterprise zone program. Committee report printed and distributed 11:13 AM, 04/22/09

SB 1837 (LC) Patrick, Dan

Relating to the continuation of the Texas Bleeding Disorders Advisory Council. Committee report printed and distributed 02:24 PM, 04/17/09

SB 1860 (CS) (LC) Jackson, Mike

Relating to animal shelter standards; providing a civil penalty. Committee report printed and distributed 09:54 PM, 04/17/09

SB 1862 (LC)

Relating to state purchasing of certain environmentally friendly items. Committee report printed and distributed 06:35 PM, 04/07/09

Ellis

SB 1933 (CS) Carona

Relating to the confidentiality of information and documents collected, developed, or produced during a school district security audit. Committee report printed and distributed 12:55 AM, 04/21/09

SB 1943 (CS) (LC) West

Relating to state and municipal actions to ensure compliance with fair housing requirements. Committee report printed and distributed 12:53 AM, 04/21/09

SB 1954 (CS) (LC) Jackson, Mike

Relating to a temporary faculty license for chiropractic faculty. Committee report printed and distributed 08:07 PM, 04/17/09

SB 1983 (LC) Uresti

Relating to the regulation of employer-based day-care facilities. Committee report printed and distributed 12:50 PM, 04/22/09

SB 2014 (CS) Duncan/ Ellis/ et al.

Relating to compensation of persons wrongfully imprisoned. Committee report printed and distributed 01:58 PM, 04/09/09

SB 2017 (CS) (LC) Watson/ et al.

Relating to public participation in the development of transportation projects by the Texas Department of Transportation.

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SB 2045 (CS) Williams

Relating to certain constitutionally dedicated funds allocated to the Lamar Institute of Technology and to the administration of that institution. Committee report printed and distributed 08:57 PM, 04/22/09

SB 2047 (LC) Williams

Relating to the interception or the collection of information from certain communications in an investigation of criminal conduct.

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SB 2105 (CS) Uresti/ et al.

Relating to limiting the liability of space flight entities. Committee report printed and distributed 11:20 AM, 04/16/09

SB 2111 (CS) Averitt

Relating to the implementation of and incentives for projects involving the capture, transportation, injection, sequestration, geologic storage, or abatement of carbon dioxide; providing for the issuance of bonds.

Committee report printed and distributed 08:56 PM, 04/17/09

Seliger **SB 2120 (CS)**

Relating to the management, operation, and review of groundwater conservation districts. Committee report printed and distributed 06:21 PM, 04/22/09

SB 2145 (CS) (LC) West

Relating to publication of notice for certain transactions involving local governmental entities. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:18 AM, 04/21/09*

SB 2146 (CS) (LC) Duncan

Relating to the annual allocation of certain constitutional funds to eligible agencies and institutions of higher education.

Committee report printed and distributed 08:12 PM, 04/16/09

SB 2154 Wentworth

Relating to the confidentiality of certain travel vouchers submitted by certain peace officers. *Committee report printed and distributed 07:11 PM*, 04/17/09

SB 2230 (LC) Averitt

Relating to the jurisdiction and operation of the district courts in McLennan County. *Committee report printed and distributed 03:18 PM, 04/16/09*

SB 2243 (CS) Zaffirini

Relating to the repayment of certain education loans for licensed physicians and dentists. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:52 AM, 04/21/09*

SB 2244 (LC) Zaffirini

Relating to the eligibility of employees of certain businesses or organizations established as part of the state's economic development program and of dependents of those employees to pay resident tuition at public institutions of higher education.

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SB 2266 (LC) Gallegos

Relating to standards for installing fire hydrants in certain residential areas. *Committee report printed and distributed 06:37 PM, 04/22/09*

SB 2274 (LC)

Relating to the authority of a school district to impose ad valorem taxes. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:49 PM, 04/21/09*

Seliger

SB 2279 (CS) (LC) Ellis

Relating to the dedication of certain civil penalties for violations of the Deceptive Trade Practices-Consumer Protection Act to provide civil legal services to the indigent. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:01 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 2285 (LC) Lucio/ et al.

Relating to financial assistance by the Texas Water Development Board for the connection of residences in economically distressed areas to public water supply and sanitary sewer systems. *Committee report printed and distributed 02:14 PM, 04/16/09*

SB 2307 (CS) (LC)

Relating to the preservation and maintenance of the Governor's Mansion. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:22 PM*, 04/22/09

Williams

SB 2308 (CS) (LC) Gallegos

Relating to the use of discretionary funds raised by public school campuses. *Committee report printed and distributed 06:39 PM, 04/15/09*

SB 2325 (LC) Hinojosa

Relating to the confidentiality of certain information pertaining to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct.

Committee report printed and distributed 11:28 AM, 04/14/09

SB 2376 (CS) Lucio

Relating to the change of the name of Texas A&M University--Kingsville to Texas A&I University. *Committee report printed and distributed 09:12 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 2378 (CS) (LC) Nichols

Relating to the purposes and designation of a transportation reinvestment zone. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:02 PM, 04/14/09*

SB 2379 (CS) (LC) Jackson, Mike

Relating to responsibility and criminal penalties for certain violations committed by commercial oyster boat crews.

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SB 2424 (LC)

Deuell

Relating to the authorization of certain nonemergency ambulance services under the Medicaid program. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:30 PM*, 04/22/09

SB 2437 (LC)

Uresti

Relating to the use by a metropolitan rapid transit authority of the construction manager-at-risk method for the construction, rehabilitation, alteration, or repair of a facility. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:17 PM, 04/20/09*

SB 2465 (LC) Seliger

Relating to the payment of certain costs associated with educational programs of the John Ben Shepperd Public Leadership Institute of The University of Texas of the Permian Basin. *Committee report printed and distributed 06:57 PM, 04/16/09*

SB 2470 (CS)

Estes

Deuell

Relating to the creation of the Maverick Improvement District of Palo Pinto County; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain. *Committee report printed and distributed 12:50 AM*, 04/21/09

SB 2476 (LC)

Relating to the creation of the North Texas Trauma and Burn Authority in Trauma Service Area E. *Committee report printed and distributed 03:50 PM*, 04/22/09

SB 2481 (CS) (LC) Hegar

Relating to certain fees for future transfer of real property. Committee report printed and distributed 12:18 AM, 04/21/09

SB 2503 (LC) Nichols

Relating to the powers and duties of the Lake View Management and Development District; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting certain powers relating to navigation improvements; and granting powers of a road district.

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SB 2504 (LC)

Nichols

Relating to the creation of the Montgomery County Municipal Utility Districts Nos. 128 and 129; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain. *Committee report printed and distributed 08:59 PM*, 04/20/09

HB 670 (CS) (LC)

Martinez Fischer/ Pitts/ Gallego/ SP: Ellis Berman/ Lucio III/ et al.

Relating to a qualified privilege of a journalist not to testify. *Committee report printed and distributed 02:55 PM, 04/20/09*

HB 1484 (LC)

SP: Fraser

Relating to the use of certain professional titles by interior designers. *Committee report printed and distributed 01:34 PM*, 04/23/09

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- (LC) RECOMMENDED FOR LOCAL CALENDAR