

**BILLS REFERRED TODAY**

**Thursday  
April 23, 2009**

**Committee referral on the following:**

**SB 2550 Hinojosa**

Relating to the creation of the Padre Island Gateway Municipal Management District; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**SB 2551 Ellis**

Relating to the right of the Harris County Hospital District to maintain local control over wages, hours, and other terms and conditions of employment.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**SB 2552 Patrick, Dan**

Relating to the powers and duties of Harris County Improvement District No. 1; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**SB 2553 Hegar**

Relating to granting certain counties authority to regulate the cutting of certain trees; providing a penalty.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**SB 2554 Hegar**

Relating to the appointment of a bailiff for the 130th Judicial District.

**Jurisprudence**

**SB 2555 Hegar**

Relating to granting county zoning authority in Aransas County; providing a criminal penalty.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**SB 2556 Huffman**

Relating to confidentiality of information regarding certain agents.

**Health & Human Services**

**HB 360 Kuempel/ Herrero/ et al.**

Relating to the crediting and charging of investment gains and losses on the assets held in trust by the Texas Municipal Retirement System and providing a guaranteed minimum credit to employee accounts.

**State Affairs**

**HB 483 Pierson/ et al.**

Relating to an administrative fee for defendants required by a court to perform community service in lieu of serving a term of confinement in county jail.

**Criminal Justice**

**HB 608 Castro/ Ortiz, Jr./ Moody/  
Herrero/ et al.**

Relating to posttrial psychological counseling for jurors in a criminal trial or juvenile adjudication hearing involving graphic evidence or testimony.

**Jurisprudence**

**HB 656 Rios Ybarra/ Gonzales/ Leibowitz**

Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy taxes.

**Economic Development**

- HB 1205** **Button/ et al.**  
 Relating to the circumstances in which the approval of the governing body of a taxing unit is required for refunds of overpayments or erroneous payments of ad valorem taxes.  
**Finance**
- HB 1407** **Geren**  
 Relating to the redemption of real property sold at an ad valorem tax sale.  
**Finance**
- HB 1411** **Jones**  
 Relating to records of certain frivolous complaints maintained by the Texas Board of Professional Land Surveying.  
**Business & Commerce**
- HB 1465** **Paxton**  
 Relating to the joinder of a tax lien transferee in a suit to collect a delinquent ad valorem tax.  
**Jurisprudence**
- HB 1505** **Ortiz, Jr./ Guillen**  
 Relating to the promotion or advertising of alcoholic beverages in relation to certain facilities owned by a municipality or county.  
**Business & Commerce**
- HB 1684** **Brown, Betty/ Anderson/ Aycocock/  
 Gonzalez Toureilles/ Chisum/  
 et al.**  
 Relating to the creation and administration of the rural veterinarian loan repayment program.  
**Agriculture & Rural Affairs**
- HB 1813** **Vo/ et al.**  
 Relating to the punishment for tampering with certain governmental records concerning forensic analyses.  
**Criminal Justice**
- HB 1923** **Heflin**  
 Relating to the Irion County Water Conservation District.  
**Natural Resources**
- HB 2555** **Hilderbran/ Guillen**  
 Relating to the length of time certain property acquired by a charitable organization to provide low-income housing may be exempted from ad valorem taxation.  
**Finance**
- HB 2626** **Naishtat/ Kent/ Rios Ybarra/  
 Leibowitz/ et al.**  
 Relating to the forensic medical examination of a sexual assault victim who has not reported the assault to a law enforcement agency.  
**Criminal Justice**
- HB 3202** **Bonnen**  
 Relating to authorizing the transfer of certain real property held by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.  
**Criminal Justice**
- HB 4706** **King, Tracy O.**  
 Relating to the compensation of a member of the board of directors of the Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.  
**Natural Resources**