

**BILLS REFERRED TODAY**

**Friday  
May 8, 2009**

**Committee referral on the following:**

**SB 2580 Lucio**  
Relating to actions under the Beer Industry Fair Dealing Law.  
**Business & Commerce**

**HB 136 Villarreal/ Marquez/ Patrick/  
Walle/ Ortiz, Jr./ et al.**  
Relating to providing notification to parents of eligible children of the availability of prekindergarten programs.  
**Education**

**HB 192 Alonzo/ Anchia/ Flores/  
Rodriguez/ Hernandez**  
Relating to the absence of a student from school for activities in connection with obtaining United States citizenship or to visit with a parent or guardian who will be or has been deployed to a combat zone.  
**Education**

**HB 200 Heflin/ Edwards**  
Relating to continuing education requirements for public school principals.  
**Education**

**HB 221 Menendez**  
Relating to delaying parole eligibility for an individual convicted of certain violent offenses who evades arrest and to the punishment prescribed for the offense of evading arrest or detention.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 233 Rodriguez/ Kolkhorst/ Gonzales/  
Naishtat**  
Relating to the creation of an advisory committee to establish and recommend qualifications for certain health care translators and interpreters.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 319 Raymond/ Leibowitz**  
Relating to an exemption from jury service for certain persons with legal custody of a child.  
**Jurisprudence**

**HB 459 Leibowitz/ Quintanilla/ Marquez/  
Pickett**  
Relating to county abatement and regulation of nuisances and certain massage parlors; providing civil and criminal penalties.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 570 McClendon**  
Relating to requiring the disclosure of certain information to purchasers and renters of residential property.  
**Business & Commerce**

**HB 626 Allen**  
Relating to educational agreements setting forth the respective responsibilities of students, parents, and school personnel in public schools.  
**Education**

**HB 770**

**Howard, Donna/ Eiland/ Ritter/  
Elkins/ Taylor/ et al.**

Relating to the ad valorem taxation of a residence homestead that is rendered uninhabitable or unusable by a casualty or by wind or water damage and to exempting certain houses from the Open Beaches Act.  
**Finance**

**HB 912**

**Dutton**

Relating to the enforcement by contempt of certain orders in family law proceedings.  
**Jurisprudence**

**HB 999**

**Dutton/ Edwards**

Relating to the closure of a school campus by the board of trustees of certain school districts.  
**Education**

**HB 1031**

**Miller, Sid**

Relating to maintenance of roads on the property of a perpetual care cemetery.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 1041**

**Parker**

Relating to school district policies addressing sexual abuse of children.  
**Education**

**HB 1090**

**Parker**

Relating to the powers and duties of the Oak Point Water Control and Improvement District No. 4 of Denton County; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain.  
**Natural Resources**

**HB 1309**

**Otto**

Relating to the date by which the comptroller must certify the apportioned amount of the market value of railroad rolling stock to a county assessor-collector.  
**Finance**

**HB 1358**

**Keffer/ Rose/ Morrison/  
Kolkhorst/ Thompson/ et al.**

Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 1420**

**Orr**

Relating to the regulation of the transportation of oil and gas drill cuttings; providing a criminal penalty.  
**Natural Resources**

**HB 1425**

**Lewis/ Pitts/ Craddick/ Swinford/  
et al.**

Relating to the determination of the population of a county required to develop a juvenile justice alternative education program.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 1457**

**Hochberg**

Relating to procedures concerning verification of certain information submitted in a voter registration application.  
**State Affairs**

**HB 1518**

**Corte**

Relating to the addition of territory to and the amount of production fees imposed by the Trinity Glen Rose Groundwater Conservation District.  
**Natural Resources**

**HB 1533**

**Burnam/ Truitt/ Veasey**

Relating to notice of applications for permits to drill certain gas wells.  
**Natural Resources**

**HB 1796**                                 **Chisum/ Hancock/ Burnam/  
Hartnett/ et al.**

Relating to the offshore geologic storage of carbon dioxide.

**Natural Resources**

**HB 1890**                                 **Creighton/ Eissler**

Relating to notification of applications for permits for certain injection wells.

**Natural Resources**

**HB 1905**                                 **Guillen/ Naishtat/ Lucio III/  
Flores/ Leibowitz/ et al.**

Relating to studying the costs and benefits of a pilot program for services for adults with autism and other related disabilities with similar support needs.

**Health & Human Services**

**HB 1966**                                 **Davis, John/ Zerwas/ Truitt/  
Naishtat/ et al.**

Relating to an e-prescribing implementation plan under the Medicaid and child health plan programs.

**Health & Human Services**

**HB 1968**                                 **Hartnett**

Relating to the estates of decedents.

**Jurisprudence**

**HB 2121**                                 **Olivo/ et al.**

Relating to participation in the process for evaluating an application for a low income housing tax credit.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**HB 2240**                                 **Lewis/ Vaught/ Moody/ Guillen**

Relating to creating the offense of continuous violence against the family.

**Criminal Justice**

**HB 2547**                                 **Giddings**

Relating to the use of a description of employment in determining the safety and appropriateness of a return to employment by an injured employee.

**State Affairs**

**HB 2548**                                 **Kuempel**

Relating to membership of certain advisory bodies to the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation.

**Business & Commerce**

**HB 2564**                                 **McClendon**

Relating to the regulation of certain professions and practices in connection with computer technology; providing penalties.

**Business & Commerce**

**HB 2584**                                 **Hartnett/ Moody/ Madden/ et al.**

Relating to the right of certain child crime victims to a speedy trial and to be considered with respect to a defendant's motion for continuance.

**Criminal Justice**

**HB 2649**                                 **Smith, Wayne/ Callegari**

Relating to the regulation and practice of engineering.

**Business & Commerce**

**HB 2682**                                 **Alvarado/ Guillen/ McClendon/  
Merritt/ et al.**

Relating to the authority of municipalities to alter speed limits.

**Transportation & Homeland Security**

**HB 2888**                                 **Martinez, "Mando"**

Relating to recipients of financial assistance administered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**HB 2954** **Coleman**  
Relating to authorizing an increase in the student center fee at Texas Southern University.  
**Higher Education**

**HB 2994** **Heflin**  
Relating to the powers and duties of the Reagan Hospital District.  
**Intergovernmental Relations**

**HB 3005** **Coleman**  
Relating to the mandatory testing of persons suspected of exposing employees of a juvenile probation department to certain diseases.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 3072** **Geren**  
Relating to the transfer of municipal property to economic development corporations by certain municipalities.  
**Economic Development**

**HB 3097** **McClendon/ Davis, Yvonne/  
Phillips/ Harper-Brown/ Smith,  
Todd/ et al.**  
Relating to the creation, organization, duties, and functions of the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles and to the use of certain specialty license plate fees to fund the Choose Life and Choose Adoption account; providing penalties.  
**Transportation & Homeland Security**

**HB 3119** **Alvarado/ Howard, Charlie/  
Villarreal/ Taylor/ et al.**  
Relating to the creation of a pilot program to provide certain taxable entities with a franchise tax credit for the acquisition and installation of certain air quality monitoring devices to monitor the emission of air contaminants.  
**Finance**

**HB 3128** **Turner, Sylvester**  
Relating to service of process on condominium unit owners and condominium unit owners' associations in certain municipalities.  
**Jurisprudence**

**HB 3137** **Gallego**  
Relating to requiring the Department of Family and Protective Services to develop and provide certain foster parents with a statement regarding the rights and responsibilities of those persons and the agency.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 3144** **Gonzalez Toureilles**  
Relating to an exemption from the sales and use tax for parts for certain machinery and equipment used in agricultural operations and for aircraft used in connection with agriculture.  
**Finance**

**HB 3148** **Smith, Todd**  
Relating to exempting certain young persons who are convicted of an offense involving consensual sex from the requirement of registering as a sex offender in this state.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 3181** **Thompson/ Anchia**  
Relating to authorizing injunctive relief during proceedings to cancel or suspend certain alcoholic beverage permits and licenses.  
**Business & Commerce**

**HB 3226** **Madden/ Edwards/ McReynolds/  
Christian/ Hodge**  
Relating to the payment of temporary housing costs for certain individuals who are released or are eligible for release on parole or to mandatory supervision.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 3276**                                 **Howard, Donna**  
Relating to a study of priorities for awards of TEXAS grants.  
**Higher Education**

**HB 3287**                                 **McReynolds**  
Relating to the amendment of restrictions affecting real property in certain subdivisions.  
**Intergovernmental Relations**

**HB 3314**                                 **Gonzales**  
Relating to the transfer of title to a decedent's homestead through a small estate affidavit.  
**Jurisprudence**

**HB 3356**                                 **Brown, Betty**  
Relating to the issuance of AMBER alert system specialty license plates.  
**Transportation & Homeland Security**

**HB 3502**                                 **Pickett/ Solomons/ Orr/ Deshotel**  
Relating to waiver of certain statutory rights in connection with a purchase of or loan secured by real property.  
**Business & Commerce**

**HB 3526**                                 **Callegari**  
Relating to the adoption of rules by the Texas Water Development Board regarding supplemental funding resulting from federal economic recovery legislation.  
**Natural Resources**

**HB 3547**                                 **Elkins**  
Relating to an order for the closure of unregistered dry cleaning facilities and dry cleaning drop stations by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.  
**Natural Resources**

**HB 3635**                                 **Geren**  
Relating to administration of a trust with cotrustees.  
**Jurisprudence**

**HB 3649**                                 **Marquez/ Hodge/ Madden**  
Relating to a policy regarding the receipt of books by mail by an inmate in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 3671**                                 **Sheffield**  
Relating to the documents that are required for the transfer of a defendant from a county to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.  
**Criminal Justice**

**HB 3674**                                 **Thompson/ Naishtat**  
Relating to the licensing requirements for a foreign-trained physician applicant.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 3717**                                 **King, Susan**  
Relating to exemptions from the requirement to hold a license to practice physical therapy.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 3737**                                 **Anchia/ Moody**  
Relating to criminal history checks for employees of, and applicants for employment at, special care facilities.  
**Health & Human Services**

**HB 3829**                                 **Thompson**  
Relating to the per diem for members of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission.  
**Business & Commerce**

- HB 3850**                                **Thompson**  
 Relating to importation and shipment of alcoholic beverages for personal consumption; providing a criminal penalty.  
**Business & Commerce**
- HB 3861**                                **Hopson/ McReynolds**  
 Relating to the financing by the Texas Water Development Board of the proposed Lake Columbia reservoir project.  
**Natural Resources**
- HB 3951**                                **Turner, Chris/ Leibowitz/ Moody**  
 Relating to requiring a public institution of higher education to designate or employ a person trained in student financial assistance programs for military veterans and their families.  
**Higher Education**
- HB 3983**                                **Rodriguez**  
 Relating to certain homestead preservation reinvestment zones.  
**Economic Development**
- HB 4068**                                **Gonzales**  
 Relating to the conduct of judicial proceedings and transaction of other essential judicial functions in the event of a disaster.  
**Jurisprudence**
- HB 4091**                                **Farrar/ Flores**  
 Relating to bilingual education, English as a second language, and other special language programs and to an intensive reading improvement program for public school students of limited English proficiency.  
**Education**
- HB 4154**                                **Rose/ Naishtat/ Menendez**  
 Relating to the creation by the Health and Human Services Commission of a volunteer advocate program for certain elderly individuals.  
**Health & Human Services**
- HB 4265**                                **Howard, Charlie/ Paxton**  
 Relating to the definition of controlling interest for purposes of the franchise tax and to the imposition of the tax on certain combined groups.  
**Finance**
- HB 4343**                                **Smithee**  
 Relating to access to certain criminal history record information maintained by the Department of Public Safety.  
**Business & Commerce**
- HB 4409**                                **Taylor/ Eiland/ Guillen**  
 Relating to emergency preparation and management.  
**Transportation & Homeland Security**
- HB 4412**                                **Taylor**  
 Relating to the arbitration deposit required for an appeal through binding arbitration of appraisal review board orders involving multiple tracts of land.  
**Intergovernmental Relations**
- HB 4424**                                **Hernandez**  
 Relating to operations fees and child support service fees assessed by domestic relations offices.  
**Jurisprudence**
- HB 4492**                                **Eiland**  
 Relating to annuities registered under the Securities Act of 1933.  
**State Affairs**
- HB 4525**                                **Parker/ Button/ Legler/ Guillen/  
 et al.**  
 Relating to qualified manufacturing project zones.  
**Economic Development**

**HB 4545** **Raymond**

Relating to the time for filing a petition for judicial review in certain workers' compensation cases.

**State Affairs**

**HB 4754** **Kuempel**

Relating to the creation of the Guadalupe County Municipal Utility District No. 3; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting a limited power of eminent domain.

**Intergovernmental Relations**

**HCR 16** **Geren/ Miller, Sid**

Designating Paluxysaurus jonesi as the official Lone Star State Dinosaur, replacing Brachiosaur Sauropod, Pleurocoelus.

**Government Organization**