

## MEMORANDUM

FROM: Darrin Hall

RE: Week 7 – 83rd Legislature

DATE: February 22, 2013

Chancellor Renu Khator continued to meet with legislative leaders this week, including Speaker Joe Straus, educating them about UH and UH System issues such as equitable pharmacy funding, student financial aid and success, much needed tuition revenue bonds, downward expansions, and the recently approved creation of a UH Health Sciences Center by the Board of Regents. Next week, Regents Spencer Armour, Roger Welder and Welcome Wilson, Jr. will appear before the Senate Nominations Committee on their confirmation by the Senate.

Also, next week Dr. Roth Bose has been invited to testify on UH's commercialization efforts before the House Technology Committee.

Both the Senate Finance Higher Education Workgroup and the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Education have been having near daily meetings. In the Senate, the workgroups have been prioritizing areas for additional funding. All told, those priorities amounted to \$4 billion over the amount of available revenue so they are being asked to reprioritize them. The Higher Education Workgroup has been authorized to add \$700 million to university, health sciences centers and community colleges.

You may have read about recent talk at the capitol defending UT President Bill Powers. As such, Speaker Straus and Lt. Governor David Dewhurst have reconstituted the Joint Select Committee on Higher Education Governance, Efficiency and Transparency "so that all sides have a forum to calmly and respectfully lay out the facts.", said Dewhurst. It will be co-chaired by Senator Kel Seliger (R-Amarillo) and Representatives Dan Branch (R-Dallas). In addition, Senator Seliger filed SB15 which would not allow regents to vote on budget or personnel issues until they have been

confirmed by the Senate and received state mandated training. It also provides that any duties not specifically designated as board duties are delegated to the university.

#### Recent Filings of Interest:

HB 1229, by Dukes, Relating to the establishment of a statewide task force to address sexual assault occurring on the campuses of public and private institutions of higher education.

HB1351, by Nevarez, Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding the initiation, consolidation, or elimination of a degree or certificate program offered by a public institution of higher education.

HB1370, by Gonzalez, Relating to a limitation on the amount of tuition charged by public institutions of higher education.

HB1576, by Taylor, Relating to prohibiting state officers and employees and related individuals from engaging in insider trading.

HB1610, by Schaefer, Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.

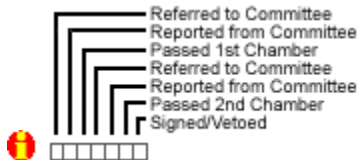
SB15, by Seliger, Relating to the duties and responsibilities of members of governing boards of university systems and institutions of higher education.



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## WEEKLY UPDATE 7

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[HB 1](#)



[Pitts, Jim\(R\)](#)

General Appropriations Bill.

**Last Action:**

2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations

[HB 4](#)



[Ritter, Allan\(R\)](#)

Relating to the creation and funding of the state water implementation fund for Texas to assist the Texas Water Development Board in the funding of certain water-related projects.

**Last Action:**

2-19-13 H Committee action pending House Natural Resources

[HB 10](#)



[Pitts, Jim\(R\)](#)

Relating to making emergency supplemental appropriations and providing direction and transfer authority regarding certain appropriations.

**Last Action:**

2-21-13 H Passed (Vote: Y:148/N: 0)

[HB 11](#)

[Ritter, Allan\(R\)](#)

Relating to the appropriation of money from the economic stabilization fund to finance certain water-related projects.

**Last Action:**

1-10-13 H Filed

[HB 14](#)



[Pitts, Jim\(R\)](#)

Relating to the fiscal transparency and accountability of certain entities responsible for public money.

**Companions:**

[SB 14](#) Williams, Tommy(R) (Identical)  
2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

**Last Action:**

2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations

[HB 22](#)



[Martinez Fischer, Trey\(D\)](#)

Relating to the establishment of a public service requirement for undergraduate students, known as Service to Texas, at

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|                            |                                           | public institutions of higher education.                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 25</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>            | Relating to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's student success-based funding recommendations for certain public institutions of higher education.                                                    |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 28</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Martinez Fischer, Trey(D)</a> | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                                                             |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 29</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>            | Relating to requiring general academic teaching institutions to offer a fixed tuition rate plan to undergraduate students.                                                                                        |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">HB 30</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>            | Relating to measures to facilitate the transfer of students within the public higher education system and the timely graduation of students from public institutions of higher education.                         |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">HB 31</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>            | Relating to certain requirements applicable to meetings of the governing board of a state university or state university system.                                                                                  |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 66</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a>       | Relating to the establishment of a pilot program under which high school students may accrue prepaid tuition units at public institutions of higher education by completing certain community service activities. |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 67</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a>       | Relating to the establishment by The University of Texas System of a law school in the Rio Grande Valley.                                                                                                         |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 81</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Pickett, Joe(D)</a>           | Relating to the eligibility of children and other dependents of certain military personnel or veterans for tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education.                                 |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to                                                                                                                                                                              |

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|                             |                                          | committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 82</a><br>■  | <a href="#">McClendon, Ruth Jones(D)</a> | Relating to a single common course numbering system for public institutions of higher education in this state.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 88</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Callegari, Bill(R)</a>       | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                               |
| <a href="#">HB 92</a><br>■  | <a href="#">White, James(R)</a>          | Relating to state formula funding for pharmacy schools and colleges and graduate-level pharmacy programs.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 93</a><br>■  | <a href="#">White, James(R)</a>          | Relating to entities that qualify as historically underutilized businesses.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 98</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>        | Relating to zero-based budgeting for certain entities funded by this state.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HB 99</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>        | Relating to the state contributions to the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 110</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>      | Relating to leave for junior college district or university system employees who are physically assaulted while on duty.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 122</a>      | <a href="#">Larson, Lyle(R)</a>          | Relating to the determination of resident status of students by public institutions of higher education.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 11-12-12 H Filed                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 136</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>      | Relating to an annual state budget and legislative budget sessions in even-numbered years and to political contributions made during a legislative session.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations |
| <a href="#">HB 142</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>      | Relating to a prohibition against human cloning and regulating other uses of human tissue by institutions of higher education.                                                                                                                                |

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|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House State Affairs                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 171</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alonzo, Roberto(D)</a>   | Relating to the establishment of veterans resource centers at certain institutions of higher education.                                                                                           |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-28-13 H Meeting set for 8:00 a.m., E2.012, House Defense and Veteran's Affairs                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 173</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alonzo, Roberto(D)</a>   | Relating to an optometry career program at the University of Houston.                                                                                                                             |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 175</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Martinez, Armando(D)</a> | Relating to a cost-of-living increase applicable to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                                      |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 498</a> Hernandez Luna, Ana(D) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                     |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 180</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zedler, Bill(R)</a>      | Relating to the determination of resident status of students by public institutions of higher education.                                                                                          |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 185</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Dutton, Harold(D)</a>    | Relating to liability of a governmental unit for personal injury and death caused by the governmental unit's negligence.                                                                          |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 204</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Krause, Matt(R)</a>      | Relating to zero-based budgeting for certain entities funded by this state and requiring a state agency that is undergoing review by the Sunset Advisory Commission to undergo a financial audit. |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 207</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Marquez, Marisa(D)</a>   | Relating to prohibited retaliation against state or local public employees for reporting to certain persons violations of law.                                                                    |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 121</a> Rodriguez, Jose(D) (Identical)<br>2-25-13 S Meeting set for 1:00 P.M., 2E.20, Senate Open Government                                                                       |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-20-13 H Not heard in committee House State Affairs                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 219</a><br>■ | <a href="#">White, James(R)</a>      | Relating to the provision of certain public benefits and services to persons not lawfully                                                                                                         |

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|                             |                                     | present in the United States and reimbursement from the federal government for those benefits and services.                                                                               |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 228</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>   | Relating to the maximum rate of growth of appropriations.                                                                                                                                 |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 230</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Isaac, Jason(R)</a>     | Relating to exempting textbooks purchased, used, or consumed by university and college students from the sales and use tax for a limited period.                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 237</a><br>■ | <a href="#">King, Phil(R)</a>       | Relating to the limitation on the rate of growth in appropriations from state tax revenues.                                                                                               |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 257</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Naomi(D)</a>  | Relating to the creation of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso as a component institution of the Texas Tech University System.                                   |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                  | <a href="#">SB 120</a> Rodriguez, Jose(D) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                        |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 285</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zedler, Bill(R)</a>     | Relating to prohibiting discrimination by public institutions of higher education against faculty members and students based on their conduct of research relating to intelligent design. |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 291</a><br>■ | <a href="#">King, Phil(R)</a>       | Relating to a hiring freeze of nonessential personnel employed by a state agency.                                                                                                         |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 318</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Giddings, Helen(D)</a>  | Relating to prohibiting an employer from requiring or requesting access to the personal accounts of employees and job applicants through electronic communication devices.                |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-19-13 H Committee action pending House Business and Industry                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 340</a>      | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Eddie(D)</a> | Relating to the power of the Texas                                                                                                                                                        |

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|                        |                                    | Commission on Environmental Quality to authorize certain injection wells that transect or terminate in the Edwards Aquifer.                                                                        |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Natural Resources                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 360</a> | <a href="#">Krause, Matt(R)</a>    | Relating to withholding state funding from a public or private institution of higher education that requires student organizations to allow student participation regardless of status or beliefs. |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 418</a> | <a href="#">Farias, Joe(D)</a>     | Relating to leave for certain veterans returning to state employment.                                                                                                                              |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-28-13 H Meeting set for 8:00 a.m., E2.012, House Defense and Veteran's Affairs                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 432</a> | <a href="#">Riddle, Debbie(R)</a>  | Relating to charitable contributions by state employees to assist domestic victims of human trafficking.                                                                                           |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House State Affairs                                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 443</a> | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawnna(D)</a>   | Relating to the liability of certain public and private institutions of higher education for failure by an administrator to report child abuse or neglect.                                         |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 451</a> | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawnna(D)</a>   | Relating to restrictions on access to certain personal online accounts through electronic communication devices by employers or public or private institutions of higher education.                |
|                        | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 416</a> Ellis, Rodney(D) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce                                                              |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 463</a> | <a href="#">Johnson, Eric(D)</a>   | Relating to the designation of certain election days as state holidays.                                                                                                                            |
|                        | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 80</a> Ellis, Rodney(D) (Identical)<br>1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                       |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 476</a> | <a href="#">Kolkhorst, Lois(R)</a> | Relating to the repurchase of real property from an entity with eminent domain authority.                                                                                                          |

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|                             |                                        | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">SB 180</a> Van de Putte, Leticia(D) (Identical)<br/>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on Senate State Affairs</p>                       |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Land and Resource<br/>Management</p>                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 480</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>     | <p>Relating to leave for certain state employees<br/>who are attending educational activities of<br/>their children.</p>                                                                   |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House State Affairs</p>                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">HB 498</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hernandez Luna, Ana(D)</a> | <p>Relating to a cost-of-living increase applicable<br/>to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement<br/>System of Texas.</p>                                                                |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 175</a> Martinez, Armando(D) (Identical)<br/>2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Pensions</p>                                 |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Pensions</p>                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 501</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hernandez Luna, Ana(D)</a> | <p>Relating to the use of proceeds from criminal<br/>asset forfeiture to provide college<br/>scholarships to children of peace officers<br/>killed in the line of duty.</p>                |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence</p>                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 515</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>          | <p>Relating to the remittance of certain taxes<br/>and fees and the allocation of certain state<br/>money.</p>                                                                             |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Appropriations</p>                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 531</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>        | <p>Relating to a cost-of-living increase applicable<br/>to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement<br/>System of Texas.</p>                                                                |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Pensions</p>                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 535</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Yvonne(D)</a>       | <p>Relating to the preference given by state<br/>agencies to goods offered by bidders in this<br/>state or manufactured, produced, or grown in<br/>this state or in the United States.</p> |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House<br/>State Affairs</p>                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 539</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alonzo, Roberto(D)</a>     | <p>Relating to repealing certain limitations on<br/>the automatic admission of undergraduate<br/>students to general academic teaching<br/>institutions.</p>                               |
|                             |                                        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Higher Education</p>                                                                                    |

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| <a href="#">HB 551</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Cortez, Philip(D)</a>    | Relating to the payment of tuition for public high school students who participate in college credit programs.                                                                     |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 435</a> Duncan, Robert(R) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education                                                         |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 556</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Clardy, Travis(R)</a>    | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education and Research Center at Stephen F. Austin State University. |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 177</a> Nichols, Robert(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 558</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Yvonne(D)</a>     | Relating to the purchase of iron, steel, and manufactured goods made in the United States for certain state, state-aided, and governmental entity construction projects.           |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Government Efficiency and Reform                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 565</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Laubenberg, Jodie(R)</a> | Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of entering students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education.                               |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 62</a> Nelson, Jane(R) (Identical)<br>1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                     |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 581</a>      | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>     | Relating to a limited waiver of sovereign immunity for state and local governmental entities in certain employment lawsuits filed by nurses.                                       |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-17-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 586</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Workman, Paul(R)</a>     | Relating to the waiver of sovereign immunity for certain claims arising under written contracts with state agencies.                                                               |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 296</a> Deuell, Bob(R) (Identical)<br>2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                        |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil                                                                                                        |

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|                             |                                          | Jurisprudence                                                                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">HB 602</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>          | Relating to the composition of the board of trustees of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                     |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 603</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>          | Relating to exempting certain textbooks for university and college courses from the sales and use tax.                                              |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 639</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Diane(R)</a>        | Relating to the eligibility requirements for admission of undergraduate students to a general academic teaching institution.                        |
| <b>Companions:</b>          |                                          | <a href="#">HB 874</a> Lavender, George(R) (Identical)<br>2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                  |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 643</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Diane(R)</a>        | Relating to the name of The Texas A&M University System Health Science Center Baylor College of Dentistry.                                          |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 662</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lewis, Tryon(R)</a>          | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a medical education building for the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.        |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 681</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Sarah(R)</a>          | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund capital projects at The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston.         |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 690</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lewis, Tryon(R)</a>          | Relating to reimbursing public institutions of higher education for tuition and fee exemptions for certain military personnel and their dependents. |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 706</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Capriglione, Giovanni(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on certain premises of or locations associated with schools or institutions of higher education.     |
| <b>Last Action:</b>         |                                          | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to                                                                                                                |

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|                             |                                       | committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 715</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a> | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations.                                                                                                                               |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 726</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>    | Relating to a fixed tuition rate provided by general academic teaching institutions and public lower-division institutions of higher education to certain undergraduate students.                           |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 741</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Walle, Amando(D)</a>      | Relating to the right of a public employee to breast-feed, or to express breast milk for, the employee's child in the workplace.                                                                            |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Business and Industry                                                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">HB 747</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>   | Relating to the duty of certain professionals, including employees of public or private institutions of higher education, to report child abuse or neglect.                                                 |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 754</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Ashby, Trenton(R)</a>     | Relating to prohibiting the use of eminent domain to take private property for recreational purposes.                                                                                                       |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Land and Resource Management                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 769</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>      | Relating to legislative budget sessions in even-numbered years and to reports of political contributions accepted during a budget session.                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 774</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Guillen, Ryan(D)</a>      | Relating to applying credit earned by a student at a general academic teaching institution to an associate's degree at a lower-division institution of higher education previously attended by the student. |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HB 778</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Guillen, Ryan(D)</a>      | Relating to an annual football game between The University of Texas at Austin and Texas A&M University.                                                                                                     |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 783</a>      | <a href="#">Sanford, Scott(R)</a>     | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate                                                                                                                                                            |

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|                        |                                     | of growth of appropriations and the use of surplus state revenues.                                                                                                            |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 794</a> | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for capital projects at Texas A&M University--Kingsville.                                                               |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 810</a> | <a href="#">Cook, Byron(R)</a>      | Relating to distribution of state agency reports to legislators.                                                                                                              |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 813</a> | <a href="#">Davis, Sarah(R)</a>     | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                         |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 814</a> | <a href="#">Davis, Sarah(R)</a>     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund a Basic Science Research Building II at The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center.                   |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 830</a> | <a href="#">Fletcher, Allen(R)</a>  | Relating to the portion of designated tuition set aside to provide student financial assistance at institutions of higher education.                                          |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 841</a> | <a href="#">Callegari, Bill(R)</a>  | Relating to the establishment of the Texas Center for Innovative Desalination Technology at the University of Houston in partnership with The University of Texas at El Paso. |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Natural Resources                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 854</a> | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a> | Relating to exempting books purchased by university and college students from the sales tax for a limited period.                                                             |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 856</a> | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a> | Relating to the liability of the state for a violation of the federal Americans with Disabilities Act.                                                                        |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                                                                     |

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| <a href="#">HB 870</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Bell, Cecil(R)</a>      | Relating to Prairie View A&M University's eligibility to participate in the research development fund.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 874</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lavender, George(R)</a> | Relating to the eligibility requirements for admission of undergraduate students to a general academic teaching institution.<br><br><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 639</a> Patrick, Diane(R) (Identical)<br>2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 889</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fallon, Pat(R)</a>      | Relating to the requirement that certain governmental bodies broadcast meetings on the Internet.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Technology                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 891</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Bell, Cecil(R)</a>      | Relating to the intercollegiate athletics fee at Prairie View A&M University.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 895</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Kolkhorst, Lois(R)</a>  | Relating to access by a public institution of higher education to the criminal history record information of certain persons seeking to reside in on-campus housing.<br><br><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">SB 146</a> Williams, Tommy(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education |
| <a href="#">HB 951</a>      | <a href="#">Keffer, Jim(R)</a>      | Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 953</a>      | <a href="#">Button, Angie(R)</a>    | Relating to a franchise tax credit for research and development activities performed in conjunction with institutions of higher education; authorizing a tax credit.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">HB 959</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Reynolds, Ron(D)</a>    | Relating to historically underutilized businesses and the preference given for goods and services purchased by state agencies.<br><br><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Government Efficiency and Reform                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 969</a>      | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawwna(D)</a>    | Relating to student loan repayment                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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|                         |                                    | assistance for certain child protective services workers.                                                                                                                                                                           |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 737</a> Watson, Kirk(D) (Identical)<br>2-21-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                               |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services                                                                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 972</a>  | <a href="#">Fletcher, Allen(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on the campuses of and certain other locations associated with institutions of higher education.                                                                                     |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 182</a> Birdwell, Brian(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice                                                                                                  |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 1000</a> | <a href="#">Oliveira, Rene(D)</a>  | Relating to the creation of a new university in South Texas within The University of Texas System.                                                                                                                                  |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 24</a> Hinojosa, Chuy(D) (Identical)<br>2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                    |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 1019</a> | <a href="#">Patrick, Diane(R)</a>  | Relating to conforming the eligibility under a major events trust fund of a National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Football Bowl Subdivision postseason event with the changes to the Bowl Championship Series system. |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 398</a> Hancock, Kelly(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Economic Development                                                                                                     |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Economic and Small Business Development                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 1025</a> | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>      | Relating to making supplemental appropriations and reductions in appropriations and giving direction and adjustment authority regarding appropriations.                                                                             |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 1033</a> | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a> | Relating to eligibility for tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education for certain military personnel, veterans, and dependents residing in this                                                         |

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|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 1052</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lavender, George(R)</a>  | Relating to the automatic admission to a public institution of higher education of a child of a person who dies while on or as a result of active duty in the United States armed forces.                                 |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 1071</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Allen, Alma(D)</a>       | Relating to the use of state institutions of higher education to provide training to state agency employees.                                                                                                              |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 1073</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Allen, Alma(D)</a>       | Relating to student loan repayment assistance for speech-language pathologists or audiologists employed by a public school or as faculty members of certain graduate programs at public institutions of higher education. |
|                              | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 620</a> Van de Putte, Leticia(D) (Identical)<br>2-18-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                            |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 1078</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Kleinschmidt, Tim(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on certain premises of or locations associated with institutions of higher education.                                                                                      |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">HB 1128</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Herrero, Abel(D)</a>     | Relating to posting suggestions and ideas on cost-efficiency on certain state agency websites.                                                                                                                            |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Government Efficiency and Reform                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 1140</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Naishtat, Elliott(D)</a> | Relating to the authority of certain university systems to provide benefits to certain qualified individuals.                                                                                                             |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance                                                                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 1189</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Larson, Lyle(R)</a>      | Relating to interstate cooperation to address regional water issues.                                                                                                                                                      |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Natural Resources                                                                                                                                                 |

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| <a href="#">HB 1229</a> | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawnna(D)</a>       | Relating to the establishment of a statewide task force to address sexual assault occurring on the campuses of public and private institutions of higher education.                                                        |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-12-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1284</a> | <a href="#">Johnson, Eric(D)</a>       | Relating to the offense of making or causing a false alarm or report involving a public or private institution of higher education.                                                                                        |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-13-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1296</a> | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>     | Relating to providing information to assist postsecondary educational institutions in addressing the state's projected workforce needs for training and education.                                                         |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1298</a> | <a href="#">Stickland, Jonathan(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns by certain license holders on certain locations associated with a public or private school or educational institution.                                                      |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1313</a> | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a>  | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on certain premises of or locations associated with schools or institutions of higher education.                                                                            |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1314</a> | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a>  | Relating to the unlawful seizure of a firearm by a governmental officer or employee.                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1315</a> | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a>  | Relating to annual reports regarding federal funding for state agencies.                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1351</a> | <a href="#">Nevarez, Poncho(D)</a>     | Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding the initiation, consolidation, or elimination of a degree or certificate program offered by a public institution of higher education. |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-15-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1363</a> | <a href="#">Callegari, Bill(R)</a>     | Relating to certain required reports and other documents prepared by state agencies and institutions of higher education.                                                                                                  |
| <b>Companions:</b>      |                                        | <a href="#">SB 59</a> Nelson, Jane(R) (Identical)<br>1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Government Organization                                                                                      |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                        | 2-15-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1370</a> | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Mary(D)</a>      | Relating to a limitation on the amount of tuition charged by public institutions of higher                                                                                                                                 |

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|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-15-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1383</a> | <a href="#">Keffer, Jim(R)</a>       | Relating to the state contribution for the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                                     |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-18-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1484</a> | <a href="#">Laubenberg, Jodie(R)</a> | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.              |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1486</a> | <a href="#">Lavender, George(R)</a>  | Relating to an intercollegiate athletics fee at Texas A&M University--Texarkana.                                                                                   |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 691</a> Eltife, Kevin(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 S Filed                                                                                             |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1517</a> | <a href="#">Sheffield, J.D.(R)</a>   | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for capital projects at Tarleton State University.                                                           |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1526</a> | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Naomi(D)</a>   | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a medical science building for the El Paso campus of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.   |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1527</a> | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Naomi(D)</a>   | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a clinical sciences building for the El Paso campus of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1569</a> | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for The University of Texas at Austin.                                                                       |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1576</a> | <a href="#">Taylor, Van(R)</a>       | Relating to prohibiting state officers and employees and related individuals from engaging in insider trading.                                                     |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1578</a> | <a href="#">Vo, Hubert(D)</a>        | Relating to a leave of absence for certain state employees who are donating adult stem cells.                                                                      |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 1610</a> | <a href="#">Schaefer, Matt(R)</a>    | Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.                                                                            |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 566</a> Eltife, Kevin(R) (Identical)                                                                                                                |

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|                             |                                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                              |
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| <a href="#">HB 1611</a>     | <a href="#">Perez, Mary Ann(D)</a>   | Relating to the date by which certain entering students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education must receive a vaccination against bacterial meningitis. |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1618</a>     | <a href="#">Munoz, Sergio(D)</a>     | Relating to limitations imposed on baccalaureate degree programs offered by public junior colleges.                                                                                    |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1629</a>     | <a href="#">Murphy, Jim(R)</a>       | Relating to information prepared by the Texas Education Agency for public school students regarding institutions of higher education in this state.                                    |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HJR 26</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>  | Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for an annual state budget and annual legislative sessions for budget purposes.                                                         |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HJR 49</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>    | Proposing a constitutional amendment regarding the maximum amount of appropriations for a state fiscal biennium.                                                                       |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HJR 64</a>      | <a href="#">Laubenberg, Jodie(R)</a> | Proposing a constitutional amendment discontinuing the authority to issue bonded indebtedness on behalf of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.                      |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SJR 19</a> Eltife, Kevin(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-23-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HJR 67</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>     | Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for legislative budget sessions in even-numbered years.                                                                                 |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HJR 70</a><br>■ | <a href="#">King, Phil(R)</a>        | Proposing a constitutional amendment concerning the maximum rate of growth of appropriations.                                                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                 |

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| <a href="#">HJR 89</a>     | <a href="#">Harless, Patricia(R)</a> | Proposing a constitutional amendment to prohibit using revenues, other money, or account or fund balances dedicated by law for nondedicated general governmental purposes.                                          |
|                            | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SJR 26</a> Estes, Craig(R) (Identical)<br>2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                              |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HJR 93</a>     | <a href="#">Hughes, Bryan(R)</a>     | Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the rate of growth of appropriations from all sources of revenue except the federal government and to authorize the legislature to appropriate money for tax rebates. |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">SB 1</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Williams, Tommy(R)</a>   | General Appropriations Bill.                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-21-13 S Meeting set for 12:00 P.M., E1.036, Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 4</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Fraser, Troy(R)</a>      | Relating to the administration and functions of the Texas Water Development Board.                                                                                                                                  |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-19-13 S Committee action pending Senate Natural Resources                                                                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 14</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Williams, Tommy(R)</a>   | Relating to the fiscal transparency and accountability of certain entities responsible for public money.                                                                                                            |
|                            | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 14</a> Pitts, Jim(R) (Identical)<br>2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                           |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 15</a>      | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the duties and responsibilities of members of governing boards of university systems and institutions of higher education.                                                                              |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">SB 22</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fraser, Troy(R)</a>      | Relating to the administration of the Texas Water Development Board.                                                                                                                                                |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 24</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hinojosa, Chuy(D)</a>    | Relating to the creation of a new university in South Texas within The University of Texas System.                                                                                                                  |
|                            | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 1000</a> Oliveira, Rene(D) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 H Committee action pending House Higher Education                                                                                                  |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to                                                                                                                                                                                |

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|                            |                                      | committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 26</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund capital projects at public institutions of higher education.                   |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 27</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to eligibility for a Texas B-on-Time loan.                                                                                          |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 30</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to the distribution of money appropriated from the national research university fund.                                               |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 31</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to formula funding for certain semester credit hours earned for dual course credit.                                                 |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 46</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to exempting books purchased, used, or consumed by university and college students from the sales and use tax for a limited period. |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 52</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to exemptions for disabled peace officers from payment of tuition and fees at public institutions of higher education.              |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 54</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to leave for junior college district or university system employees who are physically assaulted while on duty.                     |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 59</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>      | Relating to certain required reports and other documents prepared by state agencies and institutions of higher education.                    |
|                            | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 1363</a> Callegari, Bill(R) (Identical)<br>2-15-13 H Filed                                                                    |
|                            | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Government Organization                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 62</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>      | Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of entering students at public and                                                  |

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|                              |                                    | private or independent institutions of higher education.                                                                                                |
|                              | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">HB 565</a> Laubenberg, Jodie(R) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health                        |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 67</a><br>■ ■ | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>    | Relating to reporting requirements for institutions of higher education conducting human stem cell research.                                            |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-18-13 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 80</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>   | Relating to the designation of certain election days as state holidays.                                                                                 |
|                              | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">HB 463</a> Johnson, Eric(D) (Identical)<br>2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections                                |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 86</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>   | Relating to the elimination of smoking in certain workplaces and public places.                                                                         |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services                                                                      |
| <a href="#">SB 96</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Nichols, Robert(R)</a> | Relating to prohibiting the use of eminent domain to take private property for recreational purposes.                                                   |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 101</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Patrick, Dan(R)</a>    | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations and the use of surplus state revenues.                                     |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 120</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Jose(D)</a> | Relating to the creation of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso as a component institution of the Texas Tech University System. |
|                              | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">HB 257</a> Gonzalez, Naomi(D) (Identical)<br>2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                       |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 121</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Jose(D)</a> | Relating to prohibited retaliation against state or local public employees for reporting to certain persons violations of law.                          |

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|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 207</a> Marquez, Marisa(D) (Identical)<br/>2-20-13 H Not heard in committee<br/>House State Affairs</p>                                                              |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-25-13 S Meeting set for 1:00 P.M., 2E.20,<br/>Senate Open Government</p>                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 125</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>         | <p>Relating to designated tuition.</p>                                                                                                                                                                    |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on Senate Higher Education</p>                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 143</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>          | <p>Relating to programs designed to enhance<br/>medical education in this state.</p>                                                                                                                      |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on Senate Higher Education</p>                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 146</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Williams, Tommy(R)</a>       | <p>Relating to access by a public institution of<br/>higher education to the criminal history<br/>record information of certain persons seeking<br/>to reside in on-campus housing.</p>                   |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 895</a> Kolkhorst, Lois(R) (Identical)<br/>2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Higher Education</p>                                          |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on Senate Higher Education</p>                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 149</a><br>■ ■ | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>          | <p>Relating to the Cancer Prevention and<br/>Research Institute of Texas.</p>                                                                                                                             |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 S Reported from committee as<br/>substituted Senate Health and Human Services</p>                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 150</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>          | <p>Relating to the cancer prevention and<br/>research fund.</p>                                                                                                                                           |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-26-13 S Meeting set for 9:00 a.m., Senate<br/>Chamber, Senate Health and Human Services</p>                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">SB 177</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Nichols, Robert(R)</a>       | <p>Relating to authorizing the issuance of<br/>revenue bonds for a Science, Technology,<br/>Engineering, and Mathematics Education and<br/>Research Center at Stephen F. Austin State<br/>University.</p> |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 556</a> Clardy, Travis(R) (Identical)<br/>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Higher Education</p>                                           |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on Senate Finance</p>                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 180</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Van de Putte, Leticia(D)</a> | <p>Relating to the repurchase of real property<br/>from an entity with eminent domain<br/>authority.</p>                                                                                                  |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 476</a> Kolkhorst, Lois(R) (Identical)<br/>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br/>committee on House Land and</p>                                                  |

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|                             |                                      | Resource Management                                                                                                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 182</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a>   | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on the campuses of and certain other locations associated with institutions of higher education.                                      |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 972</a> Fletcher, Allen(R) (Identical)<br>2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                 |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 195</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>      | Relating to the maintenance by the Legislative Budget Board of a searchable database containing certain budget information.                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">SB 224</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the availability of money from the economic stabilization fund to be used for the purposes of projects in the state water plan.                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">SB 235</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fraser, Troy(R)</a>      | Relating to the creation of regional authorities for water infrastructure projects.                                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Natural Resources                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 279</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>      | Relating to certain information about high-value data sets provided by state agencies to the Department of Information Resources.                                                    |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-25-13 S Meeting set for 1:00 P.M., 2E.20, Senate Open Government                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 296</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Deuell, Bob(R)</a>       | Relating to the waiver of sovereign immunity for certain claims arising under written contracts with state agencies.                                                                 |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 586</a> Workman, Paul(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                     |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 301</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue to a foreign postsecondary institution a certificate of authority to grant professional degrees. |

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|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 328</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Carona, John(R)</a>   |                         | Relating to the hiring of entrepreneurs-in-residence by state agencies.                                                                                                                                                             |
|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2-19-13 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate Government Organization                                                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">SB 386</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Wendy(D)</a>   |                         | Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.                                                                                                                                                                  |
|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 398</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hancock, Kelly(R)</a> |                         | Relating to conforming the eligibility under a major events trust fund of a National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Football Bowl Subdivision postseason event with the changes to the Bowl Championship Series system. |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                | <a href="#">HB 1019</a> | Patrick, Diane(R) (Identical)<br>2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Economic and Small Business Development                                                                                                    |
|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2-20-13 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Economic Development                                                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 414</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>  |                         | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                                                                               |
|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 416</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>  |                         | Relating to restrictions on access to certain personal online accounts through electronic communication devices by employers or public or private institutions of higher education.                                                 |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                | <a href="#">HB 451</a>  | Dukes, Dawnna(D) (Identical)<br>2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                            |
|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce                                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">SB 431</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Dan(R)</a>   |                         | Relating to eliminating the set-aside of a portion of designated tuition for student financial assistance at public institutions of higher education.                                                                               |
|                             |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b>     | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 435</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Duncan, Robert(R)</a> |                         | Relating to the payment of tuition for public high school students who participate in                                                                                                                                               |

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|                             |                                      | college credit programs.                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 551</a> Cortez, Philip(D) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to<br>committee on House Public Education                                                                                     |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Education                                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 436</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a>   | Relating to administration of collegiate<br>learning assessments to students at general<br>academic teaching institutions.                                                                                              |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 437</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a>   | Relating to the determination of resident<br>status of students by public institutions of<br>higher education.                                                                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 445</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a>   | Relating to an informed student document for<br>prospective students of certain public<br>institutions of higher education.                                                                                             |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 460</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Deuell, Bob(R)</a>       | Relating to inclusion of instruction in the<br>detection and education of students with<br>mental or emotional disorders in the<br>requirements for educator training programs.                                         |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Education                                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 496</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher<br>Education Coordinating Board to review and<br>approve capital projects and purchases of real<br>property at public institutions of higher<br>education in this state.  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 497</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the number of semester credit<br>hours required to earn an associate degree at<br>public institutions of higher education.                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 498</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to applying credit earned by a<br>student at a general academic teaching<br>institution to an associate's degree at a<br>lower-division institution of higher education<br>previously attended by the student. |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to<br>committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 533</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to a review of cost savings to state<br>agencies and institutions of higher education                                                                                                                          |

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|                             |                                          | under energy savings performance contracts.                                                                                                                                                                               |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Government Organization                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 541</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>          | Relating to annual reports regarding federal funding for state agencies.                                                                                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 566</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Eltime, Kevin(R)</a>         | Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.                                                                                                                                   |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                       | <a href="#">HB 1610</a> Schaefer, Matt(R) (Identical)<br>2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">SB 579</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Jose(D)</a>       | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund capital projects on the El Paso campus of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.                                                                 |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 585</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hegar, Glenn(R)</a>          | Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy tax revenue to enhance and upgrade sports facilities in certain municipalities.                                                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Economic Development                                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 620</a>      | <a href="#">Van de Putte, Leticia(D)</a> | Relating to student loan repayment assistance for speech-language pathologists or audiologists employed by a public school or as faculty members of certain graduate programs at public institutions of higher education. |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                       | <a href="#">HB 1073</a> Allen, Alma(D) (Identical)<br>2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                            |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-18-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 629</a>      | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>          | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for The University of Texas at Austin.                                                                                                                              |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-18-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 667</a>      | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>          | Relating to a study on the feasibility of requiring certain researchers to make research papers available to the public.                                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-19-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 691</a>      | <a href="#">Eltime, Kevin(R)</a>         | Relating to an intercollegiate athletics fee at Texas A&M University--Texarkana.                                                                                                                                          |

**Companions:** [HB 1486](#) Lavender, George(R) (Identical)  
2-19-13 H Filed

**Last Action:** 2-20-13 S Filed

[SB 726](#) [Paxton, Ken\(R\)](#)

Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.

**Last Action:** 2-21-13 S Filed

[SJR 19](#) [Eltife, Kevin\(R\)](#)

Proposing a constitutional amendment discontinuing the authority to issue bonded indebtedness on behalf of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.

**Companions:** [HJR 64](#) Laubenberg, Jodie(R) (Identical)  
1-23-13 H Filed

**Last Action:** 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

[SJR 26](#) [Estes, Craig\(R\)](#)

Proposing a constitutional amendment to prohibit using revenues, other money, or account or fund balances dedicated by law for nondedicated general governmental purposes.

**Companions:** [HJR 89](#) Harless, Patricia(R) (Identical)  
2-19-13 H Filed

**Last Action:** 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

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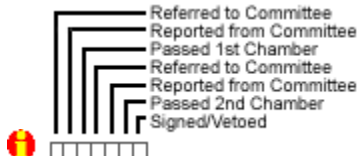
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| <a href="#">HB 1</a><br>■    | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>             | General Appropriations Bill.                                                                                                                                                        |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 4</a><br>■    | <a href="#">Ritter, Allan(R)</a>          | Relating to the creation and funding of the state water implementation fund for Texas to assist the Texas Water Development Board in the funding of certain water-related projects. |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2-19-13 H Committee action pending House Natural Resources                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 10</a><br>■■■ | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>             | Relating to making emergency supplemental appropriations and providing direction and transfer authority regarding certain appropriations.                                           |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2-21-13 H Passed (Vote: Y:148/N: 0)                                                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HB 11</a>        | <a href="#">Ritter, Allan(R)</a>          | Relating to the appropriation of money from the economic stabilization fund to finance certain water-related projects.                                                              |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 1-10-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 14</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>             | Relating to the fiscal transparency and accountability of certain entities responsible for public money.                                                                            |
|                              | <b>Companions:</b>                        | <a href="#">SB 14</a> Williams, Tommy(R) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                            |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 22</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Martinez Fischer, Trey(D)</a> | Relating to the establishment of a public service requirement for undergraduate students, known as Service to Texas, at public institutions of higher education.                    |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 25</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>            | Relating to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's student success-based funding recommendations for certain public institutions of higher education.                      |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 28</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Martinez Fischer, Trey(D)</a> | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                               |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                       | 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 29</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>            | Relating to requiring general academic teaching institutions to offer a fixed tuition rate plan to undergraduate students.                                                          |

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|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 30</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>           | Relating to measures to facilitate the transfer of students within the public higher education system and the timely graduation of students from public institutions of higher education.                         |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 31</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Branch, Dan(R)</a>           | Relating to certain requirements applicable to meetings of the governing board of a state university or state university system.                                                                                  |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 66</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a>      | Relating to the establishment of a pilot program under which high school students may accrue prepaid tuition units at public institutions of higher education by completing certain community service activities. |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 67</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a>      | Relating to the establishment by The University of Texas System of a law school in the Rio Grande Valley.                                                                                                         |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 4-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 81</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Pickett, Joe(D)</a>          | Relating to the eligibility of children and other dependents of certain military personnel or veterans for tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education.                                 |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 82</a><br>■ | <a href="#">McClendon, Ruth Jones(D)</a> | Relating to a single common course numbering system for public institutions of higher education in this state.                                                                                                    |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 88</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Callegari, Bill(R)</a>       | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations.                                                                                                                                     |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 92</a><br>■ | <a href="#">White, James(R)</a>          | Relating to state formula funding for pharmacy schools and colleges and graduate-level pharmacy programs.                                                                                                         |
|                            |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 93</a><br>■ | <a href="#">White, James(R)</a>          | Relating to entities that qualify as historically underutilized businesses.                                                                                                                                       |

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| <a href="#">HB 98</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>    |                     | Relating to zero-based budgeting for certain entities funded by this state.                                                                                 |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 99</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>    |                     | Relating to the state contributions to the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                              |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 110</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>  |                     | Relating to leave for junior college district or university system employees who are physically assaulted while on duty.                                    |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 5-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 122</a>      | <a href="#">Larson, Lyle(R)</a>      |                     | Relating to the determination of resident status of students by public institutions of higher education.                                                    |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 11-12-12 H Filed                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 136</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>  |                     | Relating to an annual state budget and legislative budget sessions in even-numbered years and to political contributions made during a legislative session. |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 142</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>  |                     | Relating to a prohibition against human cloning and regulating other uses of human tissue by institutions of higher education.                              |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House State Affairs                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 171</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alonzo, Roberto(D)</a>   |                     | Relating to the establishment of veterans resource centers at certain institutions of higher education.                                                     |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-28-13 H Meeting set for 8:00 a.m., E2.012, House Defense and Veteran's Affairs                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 173</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alonzo, Roberto(D)</a>   |                     | Relating to an optometry career program at the University of Houston.                                                                                       |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 175</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Martinez, Armando(D)</a> |                     | Relating to a cost-of-living increase applicable to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                |
|                             |                                      | <b>Companions:</b>  | <a href="#">HB 498</a> Hernandez Luna, Ana(D) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                               |

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| <a href="#">HB 180</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zedler, Bill(R)</a>    |                        | Relating to the determination of resident status of students by public institutions of higher education.                                                                                              |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HB 185</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Dutton, Harold(D)</a>  |                        | Relating to liability of a governmental unit for personal injury and death caused by the governmental unit's negligence.                                                                              |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 204</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Krause, Matt(R)</a>    |                        | Relating to zero-based budgeting for certain entities funded by this state and requiring a state agency that is undergoing review by the Sunset Advisory Commission to undergo a financial audit.     |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                                |
| <a href="#">HB 207</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Marquez, Marisa(D)</a> |                        | Relating to prohibited retaliation against state or local public employees for reporting to certain persons violations of law.                                                                        |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 121</a> | Rodriguez, Jose(D) (Identical)<br>2-25-13 S Meeting set for 1:00 P.M.,<br>2E.20, Senate Open Government                                                                                               |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2-20-13 H Not heard in committee House State Affairs                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 219</a><br>■ | <a href="#">White, James(R)</a>    |                        | Relating to the provision of certain public benefits and services to persons not lawfully present in the United States and reimbursement from the federal government for those benefits and services. |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HB 228</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>  |                        | Relating to the maximum rate of growth of appropriations.                                                                                                                                             |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                                |
| <a href="#">HB 230</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Isaac, Jason(R)</a>    |                        | Relating to exempting textbooks purchased, used, or consumed by university and college students from the sales and use tax for a limited period.                                                      |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>    | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means                                                                                                                                |
| <a href="#">HB 237</a><br>■ | <a href="#">King, Phil(R)</a>      |                        | Relating to the limitation on the rate of growth in appropriations from state tax revenues.                                                                                                           |

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| <a href="#">HB 257</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Naomi(D)</a>  |                     | Relating to the creation of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso as a component institution of the Texas Tech University System.                                            |
|                             |                                     | <b>Companions:</b>  | <a href="#">SB 120</a> Rodriguez, Jose(D) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                 |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 285</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zedler, Bill(R)</a>     |                     | Relating to prohibiting discrimination by public institutions of higher education against faculty members and students based on their conduct of research relating to intelligent design.          |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 291</a><br>■ | <a href="#">King, Phil(R)</a>       |                     | Relating to a hiring freeze of nonessential personnel employed by a state agency.                                                                                                                  |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 318</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Giddings, Helen(D)</a>  |                     | Relating to prohibiting an employer from requiring or requesting access to the personal accounts of employees and job applicants through electronic communication devices.                         |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-19-13 H Committee action pending House Business and Industry                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 340</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Eddie(D)</a> |                     | Relating to the power of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to authorize certain injection wells that transect or terminate in the Edwards Aquifer.                                     |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Natural Resources                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 360</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Krause, Matt(R)</a>     |                     | Relating to withholding state funding from a public or private institution of higher education that requires student organizations to allow student participation regardless of status or beliefs. |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 418</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Farias, Joe(D)</a>      |                     | Relating to leave for certain veterans returning to state employment.                                                                                                                              |
|                             |                                     | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-28-13 H Meeting set for 8:00 a.m., E2.012, House Defense and Veteran's Affairs                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 432</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Riddle, Debbie(R)</a>   |                     | Relating to charitable contributions by state employees to assist domestic victims of human trafficking.                                                                                           |

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| <a href="#">HB 443</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawnna(D)</a>       | Relating to the liability of certain public and private institutions of higher education for failure by an administrator to report child abuse or neglect.                          |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 451</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawnna(D)</a>       | Relating to restrictions on access to certain personal online accounts through electronic communication devices by employers or public or private institutions of higher education. |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                     | <a href="#">SB 416</a> Ellis, Rodney(D) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce                                               |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 463</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Johnson, Eric(D)</a>       | Relating to the designation of certain election days as state holidays.                                                                                                             |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                     | <a href="#">SB 80</a> Ellis, Rodney(D) (Identical)<br>1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                        |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">HB 476</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Kolkhorst, Lois(R)</a>     | Relating to the repurchase of real property from an entity with eminent domain authority.                                                                                           |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                     | <a href="#">SB 180</a> Van de Putte, Leticia(D) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                               |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Land and Resource Management                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 480</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>     | Relating to leave for certain state employees who are attending educational activities of their children.                                                                           |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 498</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hernandez Luna, Ana(D)</a> | Relating to a cost-of-living increase applicable to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                        |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                     | <a href="#">HB 175</a> Martinez, Armando(D) (Identical)<br>2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                         |

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| <a href="#">HB 501</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hernandez Luna, Ana(D)</a> |                     | Relating to the use of proceeds from criminal asset forfeiture to provide college scholarships to children of peace officers killed in the line of duty.                           |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 515</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>          |                     | Relating to the remittance of certain taxes and fees and the allocation of certain state money.                                                                                    |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 531</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>        |                     | Relating to a cost-of-living increase applicable to benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                       |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 535</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Yvonne(D)</a>       |                     | Relating to the preference given by state agencies to goods offered by bidders in this state or manufactured, produced, or grown in this state or in the United States.            |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House State Affairs                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 539</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alonzo, Roberto(D)</a>     |                     | Relating to repealing certain limitations on the automatic admission of undergraduate students to general academic teaching institutions.                                          |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 551</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Cortez, Philip(D)</a>      |                     | Relating to the payment of tuition for public high school students who participate in college credit programs.                                                                     |
|                             |                                        | <b>Companions:</b>  | <a href="#">SB 435</a> Duncan, Robert(R) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education                                                         |
|                             |                                        | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 556</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Clardy, Travis(R)</a>      |                     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education and Research Center at Stephen F. Austin State University. |
|                             |                                        | <b>Companions:</b>  | <a href="#">SB 177</a> Nichols, Robert(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                          |
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| <a href="#">HB 558</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Yvonne(D)</a>     | Relating to the purchase of iron, steel, and manufactured goods made in the United States for certain state, state-aided, and governmental entity construction projects. |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Government Efficiency and Reform                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">HB 565</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Laubenberg, Jodie(R)</a> | Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of entering students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education.                     |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 62</a> Nelson, Jane(R) (Identical)<br>1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                           |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 581</a>      | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>     | Relating to a limited waiver of sovereign immunity for state and local governmental entities in certain employment lawsuits filed by nurses.                             |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 1-17-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 586</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Workman, Paul(R)</a>     | Relating to the waiver of sovereign immunity for certain claims arising under written contracts with state agencies.                                                     |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">SB 296</a> Deuell, Bob(R) (Identical)<br>2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                              |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                                                                |
| <a href="#">HB 602</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>      | Relating to the composition of the board of trustees of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 603</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>      | Relating to exempting certain textbooks for university and college courses from the sales and use tax.                                                                   |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 639</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Diane(R)</a>    | Relating to the eligibility requirements for admission of undergraduate students to a general academic teaching institution.                                             |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 874</a> Lavender, George(R) (Identical)<br>2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                       |

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| <a href="#">HB 643</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Diane(R)</a>        |                     | Relating to the name of The Texas A&M University System Health Science Center Baylor College of Dentistry.                                                                        |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 662</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lewis, Tryon(R)</a>          |                     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a medical education building for the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.                                      |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 681</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Sarah(R)</a>          |                     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund capital projects at The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston.                                       |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 690</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lewis, Tryon(R)</a>          |                     | Relating to reimbursing public institutions of higher education for tuition and fee exemptions for certain military personnel and their dependents.                               |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 706</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Capriglione, Giovanni(R)</a> |                     | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on certain premises of or locations associated with schools or institutions of higher education.                                   |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">HB 715</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a>    |                     | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations.                                                                                                     |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 726</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>       |                     | Relating to a fixed tuition rate provided by general academic teaching institutions and public lower-division institutions of higher education to certain undergraduate students. |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">HB 741</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Walle, Amando(D)</a>         |                     | Relating to the right of a public employee to breast-feed, or to express breast milk for, the employee's child in the workplace.                                                  |
|                             |                                          | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Business and Industry                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 747</a>      | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>      |                     | Relating to the duty of certain professionals,                                                                                                                                    |

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|                        |                                   | including employees of public or private institutions of higher education, to report child abuse or neglect.                                                                                                |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 754</a> | <a href="#">Ashby, Trenton(R)</a> | Relating to prohibiting the use of eminent domain to take private property for recreational purposes.                                                                                                       |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Land and Resource Management                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HB 769</a> | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>  | Relating to legislative budget sessions in even-numbered years and to reports of political contributions accepted during a budget session.                                                                  |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 774</a> | <a href="#">Guillen, Ryan(D)</a>  | Relating to applying credit earned by a student at a general academic teaching institution to an associate's degree at a lower-division institution of higher education previously attended by the student. |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-27-13 H Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. or Adj., E1.014, House Higher Education                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 778</a> | <a href="#">Guillen, Ryan(D)</a>  | Relating to an annual football game between The University of Texas at Austin and Texas A&M University.                                                                                                     |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                |
| <a href="#">HB 783</a> | <a href="#">Sanford, Scott(R)</a> | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations and the use of surplus state revenues.                                                                                         |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">HB 794</a> | <a href="#">Lozano, Jose(R)</a>   | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for capital projects at Texas A&M University--Kingsville.                                                                                             |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                |
| <a href="#">HB 810</a> | <a href="#">Cook, Byron(R)</a>    | Relating to distribution of state agency reports to legislators.                                                                                                                                            |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 813</a> | <a href="#">Davis, Sarah(R)</a>   | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                                                       |
|                        |                                   | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to                                                                                                                                                    |

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|                             |                                     | committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 814</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Sarah(R)</a>     | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund a Basic Science Research Building II at The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center.                   |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 830</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fletcher, Allen(R)</a>  | Relating to the portion of designated tuition set aside to provide student financial assistance at institutions of higher education.                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 841</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Callegari, Bill(R)</a>  | Relating to the establishment of the Texas Center for Innovative Desalination Technology at the University of Houston in partnership with The University of Texas at El Paso. |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Natural Resources                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 854</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a> | Relating to exempting books purchased by university and college students from the sales tax for a limited period.                                                             |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 856</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lucio III, Eddie(D)</a> | Relating to the liability of the state for a violation of the federal Americans with Disabilities Act.                                                                        |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 870</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Bell, Cecil(R)</a>      | Relating to Prairie View A&M University's eligibility to participate in the research development fund.                                                                        |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 874</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lavender, George(R)</a> | Relating to the eligibility requirements for admission of undergraduate students to a general academic teaching institution.                                                  |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                  | <a href="#">HB 639</a> Patrick, Diane(R) (Identical)<br>2-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                              |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 889</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fallon, Pat(R)</a>      | Relating to the requirement that certain governmental bodies broadcast meetings on the Internet.                                                                              |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                 | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to                                                                                                                                          |

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| <a href="#">HB 891</a><br>   | <a href="#">Bell, Cecil(R)</a>     | committee on House Technology<br><br>Relating to the intercollegiate athletics fee at Prairie View A&M University.                                                   |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 895</a><br>   | <a href="#">Kolkhorst, Lois(R)</a> | Relating to access by a public institution of higher education to the criminal history record information of certain persons seeking to reside in on-campus housing. |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 146</a> Williams, Tommy(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                   |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 951</a>                                                                                        | <a href="#">Keffer, Jim(R)</a>     | Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.                                                                                                   |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2- 5-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 953</a>                                                                                        | <a href="#">Button, Angie(R)</a>   | Relating to a franchise tax credit for research and development activities performed in conjunction with institutions of higher education; authorizing a tax credit. |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2- 5-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HB 959</a><br> | <a href="#">Reynolds, Ron(D)</a>   | Relating to historically underutilized businesses and the preference given for goods and services purchased by state agencies.                                       |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Government Efficiency and Reform                                                                             |
| <a href="#">HB 969</a><br> | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawnna(D)</a>   | Relating to student loan repayment assistance for certain child protective services workers.                                                                         |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 737</a> Watson, Kirk(D) (Identical)<br>2-21-13 S Filed                                                                                                |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">HB 972</a><br> | <a href="#">Fletcher, Allen(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on the campuses of and certain other locations associated with institutions of higher education.                      |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">SB 182</a> Birdwell, Brian(R) (Identical)<br>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice                                   |
|                                                                                                               | <b>Last Action:</b>                | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                                                          |

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| <a href="#">HB 1000</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Oliveira, Rene(D)</a>   | Relating to the creation of a new university in South Texas within The University of Texas System.                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Companions:</b>           |                                     | <a href="#">SB 24</a> Hinojosa, Chuy(D) (Identical)<br>2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                    |
| <b>Last Action:</b>          |                                     | 2-20-13 H Committee action pending House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 1019</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Diane(R)</a>   | Relating to conforming the eligibility under a major events trust fund of a National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Football Bowl Subdivision postseason event with the changes to the Bowl Championship Series system. |
| <b>Companions:</b>           |                                     | <a href="#">SB 398</a> Hancock, Kelly(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Economic Development                                                                                                     |
| <b>Last Action:</b>          |                                     | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Economic and Small Business Development                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 1025</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Pitts, Jim(R)</a>       | Relating to making supplemental appropriations and reductions in appropriations and giving direction and adjustment authority regarding appropriations.                                                                             |
| <b>Last Action:</b>          |                                     | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations                                                                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HB 1033</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>  | Relating to eligibility for tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education for certain military personnel, veterans, and dependents residing in this state.                                                  |
| <b>Last Action:</b>          |                                     | 2-21-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1052</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Lavender, George(R)</a> | Relating to the automatic admission to a public institution of higher education of a child of a person who dies while on or as a result of active duty in the United States armed forces.                                           |
| <b>Last Action:</b>          |                                     | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1071</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Allen, Alma(D)</a>      | Relating to the use of state institutions of higher education to provide training to state agency employees.                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Last Action:</b>          |                                     | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs                                                                                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">HB 1073</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Allen, Alma(D)</a>      | Relating to student loan repayment assistance for speech-language pathologists                                                                                                                                                      |

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|                              |                                        | or audiologists employed by a public school or as faculty members of certain graduate programs at public institutions of higher education.                          |
|                              | <b>Companions:</b>                     | <a href="#">SB 620</a> Van de Putte, Leticia(D) (Identical)<br>2-18-13 S Filed                                                                                      |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1078</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Kleinschmidt, Tim(R)</a>   | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on certain premises of or locations associated with institutions of higher education.                                |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety                                                                         |
| <a href="#">HB 1128</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Herrero, Abel(D)</a>       | Relating to posting suggestions and ideas on cost-efficiency on certain state agency websites.                                                                      |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-21-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Government Efficiency and Reform                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1140</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Naishtat, Elliott(D)</a>   | Relating to the authority of certain university systems to provide benefits to certain qualified individuals.                                                       |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">HB 1189</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Larson, Lyle(R)</a>        | Relating to interstate cooperation to address regional water issues.                                                                                                |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Natural Resources                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">HB 1229</a>      | <a href="#">Dukes, Dawwna(D)</a>       | Relating to the establishment of a statewide task force to address sexual assault occurring on the campuses of public and private institutions of higher education. |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-12-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 1284</a>      | <a href="#">Johnson, Eric(D)</a>       | Relating to the offense of making or causing a false alarm or report involving a public or private institution of higher education.                                 |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-13-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 1296</a>      | <a href="#">Alvarado, Carol(D)</a>     | Relating to providing information to assist postsecondary educational institutions in addressing the state's projected workforce needs for training and education.  |
|                              | <b>Last Action:</b>                    | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HB 1298</a>      | <a href="#">Stickland, Jonathan(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns by certain license holders on certain locations associated with a public or                                          |

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|                         |                                       | private school or educational institution.                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1313</a> | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a> | Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on certain premises of or locations associated with schools or institutions of higher education.                                                                            |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1314</a> | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a> | Relating to the unlawful seizure of a firearm by a governmental officer or employee.                                                                                                                                       |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1315</a> | <a href="#">Creighton, Brandon(R)</a> | Relating to annual reports regarding federal funding for state agencies.                                                                                                                                                   |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-14-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1351</a> | <a href="#">Nevarez, Poncho(D)</a>    | Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding the initiation, consolidation, or elimination of a degree or certificate program offered by a public institution of higher education. |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-15-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1363</a> | <a href="#">Callegari, Bill(R)</a>    | Relating to certain required reports and other documents prepared by state agencies and institutions of higher education.                                                                                                  |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                    | <a href="#">SB 59</a> Nelson, Jane(R) (Identical)<br>1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Government Organization                                                                                      |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-15-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1370</a> | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Mary(D)</a>     | Relating to a limitation on the amount of tuition charged by public institutions of higher education.                                                                                                                      |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-15-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1383</a> | <a href="#">Keffer, Jim(R)</a>        | Relating to the state contribution for the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.                                                                                                                                             |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-18-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1484</a> | <a href="#">Laubenberg, Jodie(R)</a>  | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                                                                      |
|                         | <b>Last Action:</b>                   | 2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HB 1486</a> | <a href="#">Lavender, George(R)</a>   | Relating to an intercollegiate athletics fee at Texas A&M University--Texarkana.                                                                                                                                           |
|                         | <b>Companions:</b>                    | <a href="#">SB 691</a> Eltife, Kevin(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                     |
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| <a href="#">HB 1517</a> | <a href="#">Sheffield, J.D.(R)</a> | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for capital projects at Tarleton State University.                                                                               |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1526</a> | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Naomi(D)</a> | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a medical science building for the El Paso campus of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.                       |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1527</a> | <a href="#">Gonzalez, Naomi(D)</a> | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a clinical sciences building for the El Paso campus of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.                     |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1569</a> | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>   | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for The University of Texas at Austin.                                                                                           |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1576</a> | <a href="#">Taylor, Van(R)</a>     | Relating to prohibiting state officers and employees and related individuals from engaging in insider trading.                                                                         |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1578</a> | <a href="#">Vo, Hubert(D)</a>      | Relating to a leave of absence for certain state employees who are donating adult stem cells.                                                                                          |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-20-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1610</a> | <a href="#">Schaefer, Matt(R)</a>  | Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.                                                                                                |
| <b>Companions:</b>      |                                    | <a href="#">SB 566</a> Eltife, Kevin(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                       |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1611</a> | <a href="#">Perez, Mary Ann(D)</a> | Relating to the date by which certain entering students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education must receive a vaccination against bacterial meningitis. |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1618</a> | <a href="#">Munoz, Sergio(D)</a>   | Relating to limitations imposed on baccalaureate degree programs offered by public junior colleges.                                                                                    |
| <b>Last Action:</b>     |                                    | 2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <a href="#">HB 1629</a> | <a href="#">Murphy, Jim(R)</a>     | Relating to information prepared by the Texas Education Agency for public school students regarding institutions of higher education in this state.                                    |

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| <a href="#">HJR 26</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Raymond, Richard(D)</a>  | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-21-13 H Filed</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for an annual state budget and annual legislative sessions for budget purposes.</p>                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">HJR 49</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Perry, Charles(R)</a>    | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 6-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment regarding the maximum amount of appropriations for a state fiscal biennium.</p>                                                           |
| <a href="#">HJR 64</a>      | <a href="#">Laubenberg, Jodie(R)</a> | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment discontinuing the authority to issue bonded indebtedness on behalf of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.</p>          |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <p><a href="#">SJR 19</a> <a href="#">Eltime, Kevin(R)</a> (Identical)<br/>1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance</p>                                                                                                                                     |
| <a href="#">HJR 67</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Howard, Donna(D)</a>     | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-23-13 H Filed</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for legislative budget sessions in even-numbered years.</p>                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">HJR 70</a><br>■ | <a href="#">King, Phil(R)</a>        | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment concerning the maximum rate of growth of appropriations.</p>                                                                              |
| <a href="#">HJR 89</a>      | <a href="#">Harless, Patricia(R)</a> | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment to prohibit using revenues, other money, or account or fund balances dedicated by law for nondedicated general governmental purposes.</p> |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <p><a href="#">SJR 26</a> <a href="#">Estes, Craig(R)</a> (Identical)<br/>2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance</p>                                                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">HJR 93</a>      | <a href="#">Hughes, Bryan(R)</a>     | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 H Filed</p> <p>Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the rate of growth of appropriations from all sources of revenue except the federal government and to authorize the legislature to appropriate money for tax rebates.</p>               |
| <a href="#">SB 1</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Williams, Tommy(R)</a>   | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-21-13 H Filed</p> <p>General Appropriations Bill.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

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| <a href="#">SB 4</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Fraser, Troy(R)</a>      | Relating to the administration and functions of the Texas Water Development Board.                                                           |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-19-13 S Committee action pending Senate Natural Resources                                                              |
| <a href="#">SB 14</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Williams, Tommy(R)</a>   | Relating to the fiscal transparency and accountability of certain entities responsible for public money.                                     |
|                            |                                      | <b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 14</a> Pitts, Jim(R) (Identical)<br>2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 15</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the duties and responsibilities of members of governing boards of university systems and institutions of higher education.       |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-20-13 S Filed                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 22</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fraser, Troy(R)</a>      | Relating to the administration of the Texas Water Development Board.                                                                         |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 24</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hinojosa, Chuy(D)</a>    | Relating to the creation of a new university in South Texas within The University of Texas System.                                           |
|                            |                                      | <b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 1000</a> Oliveira, Rene(D) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 H Committee action pending House Higher Education        |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                |
| <a href="#">SB 26</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund capital projects at public institutions of higher education.                   |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 27</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to eligibility for a Texas B-on-Time loan.                                                                                          |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                |
| <a href="#">SB 30</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to the distribution of money appropriated from the national research university fund.                                               |
|                            |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                |
| <a href="#">SB 31</a>      | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to formula funding for certain                                                                                                      |

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|                       |                                      | semester credit hours earned for dual course credit.                                                                                                 |
|                       |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 46</a> | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to exempting books purchased, used, or consumed by university and college students from the sales and use tax for a limited period.         |
|                       |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                 |
| <a href="#">SB 52</a> | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to exemptions for disabled peace officers from payment of tuition and fees at public institutions of higher education.                      |
|                       |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 54</a> | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to leave for junior college district or university system employees who are physically assaulted while on duty.                             |
|                       |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 59</a> | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>      | Relating to certain required reports and other documents prepared by state agencies and institutions of higher education.                            |
|                       |                                      | <b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 1363</a> Callegari, Bill(R) (Identical)<br>2-15-13 H Filed                                                         |
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| <a href="#">SB 62</a> | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>      | Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of entering students at public and private or independent institutions of higher education. |
|                       |                                      | <b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 565</a> Laubenberg, Jodie(R) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health  |
|                       |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 67</a> | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>      | Relating to reporting requirements for institutions of higher education conducting human stem cell research.                                         |
|                       |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 80</a> | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>     | Relating to the designation of certain election days as state holidays.                                                                              |
|                       |                                      | <b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 463</a> Johnson, Eric(D) (Identical)<br>2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections          |

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| <a href="#">SB 86</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>   | Relating to the elimination of smoking in certain workplaces and public places.                                                                                      |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 96</a><br>■  | <a href="#">Nichols, Robert(R)</a> | Relating to prohibiting the use of eminent domain to take private property for recreational purposes.                                                                |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-28-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 101</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Dan(R)</a>    | Relating to the constitutional limit on the rate of growth of appropriations and the use of surplus state revenues.                                                  |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                 |
| <a href="#">SB 120</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Jose(D)</a> | Relating to the creation of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso as a component institution of the Texas Tech University System.              |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">HB 257</a> Gonzalez, Naomi(D) (Identical)<br>2- 7-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                    |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 121</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Jose(D)</a> | Relating to prohibited retaliation against state or local public employees for reporting to certain persons violations of law.                                       |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                 | <a href="#">HB 207</a> Marquez, Marisa(D) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 H Not heard in committee House State Affairs                                                        |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 2-25-13 S Meeting set for 1:00 P.M., 2E.20, Senate Open Government                                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 125</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>   | Relating to designated tuition.                                                                                                                                      |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 143</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>    | Relating to programs designed to enhance medical education in this state.                                                                                            |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                        |
| <a href="#">SB 146</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Williams, Tommy(R)</a> | Relating to access by a public institution of higher education to the criminal history record information of certain persons seeking to reside in on-campus housing. |

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|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 895</a> Kolkhorst, Lois(R) (Identical)<br/>2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education</p>                              |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education</p>                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">SB 149</a><br>■ ■ | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>          | <p>Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.</p>                                                                                                                 |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-18-13 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate Health and Human Services</p>                                                                              |
| <a href="#">SB 150</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Nelson, Jane(R)</a>          | <p>Relating to the cancer prevention and research fund.</p>                                                                                                                               |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 2-26-13 S Meeting set for 9:00 a.m., Senate Chamber, Senate Health and Human Services</p>                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 177</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Nichols, Robert(R)</a>       | <p>Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education and Research Center at Stephen F. Austin State University.</p> |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 556</a> Clardy, Travis(R) (Identical)<br/>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education</p>                               |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance</p>                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">SB 180</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Van de Putte, Leticia(D)</a> | <p>Relating to the repurchase of real property from an entity with eminent domain authority.</p>                                                                                          |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 476</a> Kolkhorst, Lois(R) (Identical)<br/>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Land and Resource Management</p>                  |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs</p>                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">SB 182</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a>       | <p>Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns on the campuses of and certain other locations associated with institutions of higher education.</p>                                    |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Companions:</b> <a href="#">HB 972</a> Fletcher, Allen(R) (Identical)<br/>2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety</p>           |
|                               |                                          | <p><b>Last Action:</b> 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice</p>                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">SB 195</a><br>■   | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>          | <p>Relating to the maintenance by the Legislative Budget Board of a searchable database containing certain budget information.</p>                                                        |

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| <a href="#">SB 224</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      |                     | Relating to the availability of money from the economic stabilization fund to be used for the purposes of projects in the state water plan.                                                                                         |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <a href="#">SB 235</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Fraser, Troy(R)</a>      |                     | Relating to the creation of regional authorities for water infrastructure projects.                                                                                                                                                 |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Natural Resources                                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 279</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>      |                     | Relating to certain information about high-value data sets provided by state agencies to the Department of Information Resources.                                                                                                   |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-25-13 S Meeting set for 1:00 P.M., 2E.20, Senate Open Government                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 296</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Deuell, Bob(R)</a>       |                     | Relating to the waiver of sovereign immunity for certain claims arising under written contracts with state agencies.                                                                                                                |
|                             |                                      | <b>Companions:</b>  | <a href="#">HB 586</a> Workman, Paul(R) (Identical)<br>2-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence                                                                                    |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs                                                                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">SB 301</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> |                     | Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue to a foreign postsecondary institution a certificate of authority to grant professional degrees.                                                |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 328</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Carona, John(R)</a>      |                     | Relating to the hiring of entrepreneurs-in-residence by state agencies.                                                                                                                                                             |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-19-13 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate Government Organization                                                                                                                                              |
| <a href="#">SB 386</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Davis, Wendy(D)</a>      |                     | Relating to the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.                                                                                                                                                                  |
|                             |                                      | <b>Last Action:</b> | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services                                                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 398</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hancock, Kelly(R)</a>    |                     | Relating to conforming the eligibility under a major events trust fund of a National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Football Bowl Subdivision postseason event with the changes to the Bowl Championship Series system. |
|                             |                                      | <b>Companions:</b>  | <a href="#">HB</a> Patrick, Diane(R) (Identical)                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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|                             |                                    | <a href="#">1019</a> | 2-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Economic and Small Business Development                                                                                     |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-20-13 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Economic Development                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 414</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>   |                      | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                               |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 416</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Ellis, Rodney(D)</a>   |                      | Relating to restrictions on access to certain personal online accounts through electronic communication devices by employers or public or private institutions of higher education. |
|                             |                                    | <b>Companions:</b>   | <a href="#">HB 451</a> Dukes, Dawnna(D) (Identical)<br>2-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                     |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce                                                                                                      |
| <a href="#">SB 431</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Patrick, Dan(R)</a>    |                      | Relating to eliminating the set-aside of a portion of designated tuition for student financial assistance at public institutions of higher education.                               |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 435</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Duncan, Robert(R)</a>  |                      | Relating to the payment of tuition for public high school students who participate in college credit programs.                                                                      |
|                             |                                    | <b>Companions:</b>   | <a href="#">HB 551</a> Cortez, Philip(D) (Identical)<br>2-13-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education                                                    |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education                                                                                                                  |
| <a href="#">SB 436</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a> |                      | Relating to administration of collegiate learning assessments to students at general academic teaching institutions.                                                                |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 437</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a> |                      | Relating to the determination of resident status of students by public institutions of higher education.                                                                            |
|                             |                                    | <b>Last Action:</b>  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 445</a>      | <a href="#">Birdwell, Brian(R)</a> |                      | Relating to an informed student document for                                                                                                                                        |

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|                        |                                      | prospective students of certain public institutions of higher education.                                                                                                                                    |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 460</a> | <a href="#">Deuell, Bob(R)</a>       | Relating to inclusion of instruction in the detection and education of students with mental or emotional disorders in the requirements for educator training programs.                                      |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 496</a> | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the authority of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to review and approve capital projects and purchases of real property at public institutions of higher education in this state.  |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 497</a> | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to the number of semester credit hours required to earn an associate degree at public institutions of higher education.                                                                            |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 498</a> | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>      | Relating to applying credit earned by a student at a general academic teaching institution to an associate's degree at a lower-division institution of higher education previously attended by the student. |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 533</a> | <a href="#">Zaffirini, Judith(D)</a> | Relating to a review of cost savings to state agencies and institutions of higher education under energy savings performance contracts.                                                                     |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Government Organization                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 541</a> | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>      | Relating to annual reports regarding federal funding for state agencies.                                                                                                                                    |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                            |
| <a href="#">SB 566</a> | <a href="#">Eltime, Kevin(R)</a>     | Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.                                                                                                                     |
|                        | <b>Companions:</b>                   | <a href="#">HB 1610</a> Schaefer, Matt(R) (Identical)<br>2-21-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                    |
|                        | <b>Last Action:</b>                  | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education                                                                                                                                   |
| <a href="#">SB 579</a> | <a href="#">Rodriguez, Jose(D)</a>   | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to fund capital projects on the                                                                                                                       |

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|                             |                                          | El Paso campus of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.                                                                                                                                                       |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance                                                                                                                                                          |
| <a href="#">SB 585</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Hegar, Glenn(R)</a>          | Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy tax revenue to enhance and upgrade sports facilities in certain municipalities.                                                                                          |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Economic Development                                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">SB 620</a>      | <a href="#">Van de Putte, Leticia(D)</a> | Relating to student loan repayment assistance for speech-language pathologists or audiologists employed by a public school or as faculty members of certain graduate programs at public institutions of higher education. |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                       | <a href="#">HB 1073</a> Allen, Alma(D) (Identical)<br>2-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education                                                                                            |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-18-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 629</a>      | <a href="#">Watson, Kirk(D)</a>          | Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for The University of Texas at Austin.                                                                                                                              |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-18-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 667</a>      | <a href="#">Seliger, Kel(R)</a>          | Relating to a study on the feasibility of requiring certain researchers to make research papers available to the public.                                                                                                  |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-19-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 691</a>      | <a href="#">Eltime, Kevin(R)</a>         | Relating to an intercollegiate athletics fee at Texas A&M University--Texarkana.                                                                                                                                          |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                       | <a href="#">HB 1486</a> Lavender, George(R) (Identical)<br>2-19-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-20-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SB 726</a>      | <a href="#">Paxton, Ken(R)</a>           | Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.                                                                     |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 2-21-13 S Filed                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <a href="#">SJR 19</a><br>■ | <a href="#">Eltime, Kevin(R)</a>         | Proposing a constitutional amendment discontinuing the authority to issue bonded indebtedness on behalf of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.                                                         |
|                             | <b>Companions:</b>                       | <a href="#">HJR 64</a> Laubenberg, Jodie(R) (Identical)<br>1-23-13 H Filed                                                                                                                                                |
|                             | <b>Last Action:</b>                      | 1-29-13 S Introduced and referred to                                                                                                                                                                                      |

[SJR 26](#)



[Estes, Craig\(R\)](#)

committee on Senate Finance

Proposing a constitutional amendment to prohibit using revenues, other money, or account or fund balances dedicated by law for nondedicated general governmental purposes.

**Companions:** [HJR 89](#) Harless, Patricia(R) (Identical)  
2-19-13 H Filed

**Last Action:** 2- 5-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

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