# The House Committee on State Affairs

88th Legislature May 19, 2023 5:30 p.m. Agricultural Museum, 1W.14

Pursuant to an announcement from the house floor on May 19, 2023, and permission granted on May 19, 2023, to meet while the House was in session, the House Committee on State Affairs met in a formal meeting and was called to order by the chair, Representative Hunter, at 5:32 p.m.

The initial quorum call was answered as follows: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson; Smithee; Spiller; Thompson, Senfronia; and Turner.

A quorum was present.

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#### **SB 365**

The chair laid out SB 365 as pending business.

Representative Turner moved that SB 365, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson;

Smithee; Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (9).

Nays: Representative Spiller (1).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

The chair stated that, because SB 365 failed to receive the required unanimous vote of the members present and voting, the committee report will not recommend that the measure be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars.

# **SB 553**

The chair laid out SB 553 as pending business.

Representative Thompson, Senfronia moved that SB 553, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Smithee; Thompson,

Senfronia; Turner (7).

Nays: Representatives Dean; Slawson; Spiller (3).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

#### SB 572

The chair laid out SB 572 as pending business.

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Representative Metcalf moved that SB 572, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson;

Smithee; Spiller (8).

Nays: Representatives Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (2).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

# **SB 1117**

The chair laid out SB 1117 as pending business.

Representative Metcalf moved that SB 1117, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Metcalf; Slawson; Smithee; Spiller

(7).

Nays: Representatives Guillen; Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (3).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

# **SB 1404**

The chair laid out SB 1404 as pending business.

Representative Dean moved that SB 1404, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed and be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson;

Smithee; Spiller; Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (10).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

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## **SB 1658**

The chair laid out SB 1658 as pending business.

Representative Turner moved that SB 1658, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson;

Smithee; Spiller; Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (10).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

## **SB 1803**

The chair laid out SB 1803 as pending business.

Representative Guillen moved that SB 1803, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson;

Smithee; Spiller (8).

Nays: Representatives Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (2).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3).

# **SB 2011**

The chair laid out SB 2011.

Representative Spiller moved that SB 2011, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson;

Smithee; Spiller; Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (10).

# None (0). Nays: Present, Not Voting: None (0). Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3). Absent: SB 2424 The chair laid out SB 2424. Representative Slawson offered a complete committee substitute. The committee substitute was adopted without objection. Representative Spiller moved that SB 2424, as substituted, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote: Representatives Hunter; Dean; Geren; Guillen; Metcalf; Slawson; Ayes: Smithee; Spiller (8). Nays: Representatives Thompson, Senfronia; Turner (2). Present, Not Voting: None (0). Representatives Hernandez; Anchía; Raymond (3). Absent: At 5:42 p.m., on the motion of the chair and without objection, the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chair. Rep. Hunter, Chair

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Ginny Holloway, Clerk