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AGENDA

Tuesday, May 17, 2011 8:30 a.m. Capitol Extension, Room E1.028

I. Call to Order/Roll Call

II. Approval of Committee Minutes

III. The Committee will consider the following:

HB 692 Farias SP: Van de Putte

Relating to high school graduation requirements for a student who is unable to participate in physical activity due to disability or illness.

HB 742 Hunter SP: Hinojosa

Relating to student information required to be provided at the time of enrollment in public schools.

HB 826 Farias SP: Zaffirini

Relating to facilitating the enrollment in or transfer to a public school district of a student in the conservatorship of the state.

HB 968 Strama SP: Watson

Relating to expulsion from school or placement in a disciplinary alternative education program.

HB 1334 Allen SP: Davis

Relating to the effect of a delay by the State Board for Educator Certification in renewing an educator's certification.

HB 1834 Shelton SP: Shapiro

Relating to elimination of certain requirements for increasing community awareness of prekindergarten programs offered by or in partnership with school districts.

HB 1942 Patrick, Diane | et al. SP: Van de Putte Relating to bullying in public schools.

HB 2135 Hochberg | et al. SP: Patrick

Relating to the administration of end-of-course assessment instruments to public school students enrolled below the high school level.

HB 2366 Truitt SP: Nelson

Relating to the authority of an open-enrollment charter school operated by a municipality to give a preference in admissions to children of employees of the municipality.

HB 2909 Branch SP: Shapiro

Relating to increasing awareness in this state of the importance of higher education.

HB 2971 Smith, Todd SP: Davis

Relating to the confidentiality of documents evaluating the performance of public school teachers and administrators.

HB 3278 Shelton SP: Shapiro

Relating to membership of the commissioner of education and the Texas Education Agency in certain advisory committees, commissions, task forces, and other similar entities.

HB 3468 Patrick, Diane | et al. SP: Shapiro

Relating to the assessment of public school students for college readiness and developmental education courses to prepare students for college-level coursework.

HB 3506 Villarreal SP: Davis

Relating to the use of transportation allotment funds by school districts to provide bus passes or cards to certain students.

SB 1813 Zaffirini

Relating to the state definition of public school.

Pending Bills:

HB 500 Eissler | et al. SP: Shapiro

Relating to state-adopted assessment instruments administered to public school students.

IV. Recess