

## MINUTES

### SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Tuesday, February 22, 2011  
12:00 PM or upon adjournment  
Capitol Extension, Room E1.036

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Pursuant to a notice posted in accordance with Senate Rule 11.10 and 11.18, a public hearing of the Senate Committee on Finance was held on Tuesday, February 22, 2011, in the Capitol Extension, Room E1.036, at Austin, Texas.

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#### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Senator Steve Ogden, Chair  
Senator Juan Hinojosa, Vice Chair  
Senator Bob Deuell  
Senator Robert Duncan  
Senator Kevin Eltife  
Senator Craig Estes  
Senator Eddie Lucio, Jr.  
Senator Jane Nelson  
Senator Dan Patrick  
Senator Kel Seliger  
Senator Florence Shapiro  
Senator Royce West  
Senator Tommy Williams  
Senator Judith Zaffirini

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Senator John Whitmire

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The chair called the meeting to order at 1:14 PM. The following business was transacted:

The chair laid out SB 1 as pending business.

Testimony was taken on SB 1 – Article IV. Witnesses testifying and registering on the bill are shown on the attached list.

Supreme Court of Texas

Senator Hinojosa assumed the chair.

Court of Criminal Appeals

Senator Ogden resumed the chair.

Senator Hinojosa assumed the chair.

14 Courts of Appeals

Office of Court Administration

Office of State Prosecuting Attorney

Texas State Law Library

State Commission on Judicial Conduct

Comptroller of Public Accounts, Comptroller's Department, Judiciary Section

Senator Ogden resumed the chair.

Senator Hinojosa assumed the chair.

Office of Capital Writs

Special Provisions Relating to the Judiciary

Senator Hinojosa moved that SB 1 be left pending. Without objection, it was so ordered.

There being no further business, at 4:56 PM Senator Hinojosa moved that the Committee stand recessed until 30 minutes upon adjournment of the Senate on February 23, 2011. Without objection, it was so ordered.

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Senator Steve Ogden, Chair

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Stephanie Hoover, Clerk