

## **MINUTES**

### **SENATE COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATION**

Tuesday, April 22, 2025  
11:00 AM or upon adjournment  
Betty King Committee Room

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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 Administration was held on Tuesday, April 22, 2025, in the Betty King Committee Room at Austin, Texas.

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#### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Senator Bob Hall, Chair  
Senator Adam Hinojosa, Vice Chair  
Senator Molly Cook  
Senator Sarah Eckhardt  
Senator Lois Kolkhorst  
Senator José Menéndez  
Senator Mayes Middleton

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT:**

None

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The chair called the meeting to order at 3:20 PM. There being a quorum present, the following business was transacted:

The following members arrived after the roll was called: Senators Middleton, Menendez.

The chair laid out SCR 46 and recognized the author, Senator Sparks, to explain the bill.

Witnesses registering on the bill are shown on the attached list.

Senator Hinojosa moved that SCR 46 be reported favorably to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion carried with a record vote of 6 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present not voting, and 0 absent.

The chair laid out SCR 18 and recognized the author, Senator Parker, to explain the bill.

No witnesses registered or testified on the bill.

Senator Hinojosa moved that SCR 18 be reported favorably to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion carried with a record vote of 7 ayes, 0 nays, 0 present not voting, and 0 absent.

Senator Hinojosa moved that the bill be recommended for placement on the Local & Uncontested Calendar; without objection, it was so ordered.

The chair laid out SCR 4 and recognized the author, Senator Eckhardt, to explain the bill.

No witnesses registered or testified on the bill.

Senator Eckhardt moved that SCR 4 be reported favorably to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion carried with a record vote of 7 ayes, 0 nays, 0 present not voting, and 0 absent.

Senator Eckhardt moved that the bill be recommended for placement on the Local & Uncontested Calendar; without objection, it was so ordered.

The chair laid out SCR 43 and recognized the author, Senator Hinojosa, Adam, to explain the bill.

No witnesses registered or testified on the bill.

Senator Hinojosa moved that SCR 43 be reported favorably to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion carried with a record vote of 7 ayes, 0 nays, 0 present not voting, and 0 absent.

There was no action taken for the following bill(s): SCR 31

Senator Hinojosa moved that the bill be recommended for placement on the Local & Uncontested Calendar; without objection, it was so ordered.

The chair laid out the recommended list of bills for placement of the Local and Uncontested Calendar to be held on April 24, 2025. Senator Hinojosa moved that the list of bills recommended for placement on the Local & Uncontested Calendar to be held on April 24, 2025,

with the exception of SB 1727, be certified. The motion carried with a record vote of 7 ayes, 0 nays, 0 present not voting, and 0 absent.

There being no further business, at 3:38 PM Senator Hinojosa moved that the Committee stand recessed subject to the call of the chair. Without objection, it was so ordered.

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Senator Bob Hall, Chair

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Thomas McGregor, Clerk