HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence

TIME & DATE: 9:00 AM, Wednesday, August 20, 2025

PLACE: E2.030

CHAIR: Rep. Jeff Leach

Public testimony may be limited to two (2) minutes per witness.

The Committee will hear public testimony on the following bill:

HB 16 Leach

Relating to the operation and administration of and practices and procedures related to proceedings in the judicial branch of state government, including court security, court documents and arrest warrants, document delivery, juvenile boards, constitutional amendment election challenges, record retention, youth diversion, court-ordered mental health services, the powers of the Texas Supreme Court, and jurors; increasing a criminal penalty; authorizing fees.

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