

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

COMMITTEE: S/C on Family & Fiduciary Relationships  
TIME & DATE: 2:00 PM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if  
permission granted  
Tuesday, April 22, 2025  
PLACE: E1.014  
CHAIR: Rep. Harold V. Dutton, Jr.

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HCR 16 Schatzline  
Affirming that fatherhood is essential to the development of all children.

HB 782 Thompson  
Relating to the transfer of a protective order.

HB 2159 Gámez  
Relating to the capacity of a minor to consent to certain treatment for  
the minor or the minor's child.

HB 2288 Dutton  
Relating to an affirmative defense by the respondent to an application for  
a protective order.

HB 3281 Dutton | et al.  
Relating to procedures and grounds for termination of the parent-child  
relationship.

HB 3819 Johnson  
Relating to the use of remote technology when conducting uncontested  
probate proceedings.

HB 4656 Vasut  
Relating to the determination of the best interest of the child in certain  
suits affecting the parent-child relationship.

HB 4696 Garcia, Linda  
Relating to the remote participation of certain persons in a proceeding  
for the issuance or modification of a protective order.

HB 5494 Bryant  
Relating to the determination of parentage of a child conceived by  
assisted reproduction.

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