

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT 2025 JUNE
(THE END: Bills Failing or Passing)

FAILED in 89th Legislature
GOP Legislative Priorities

**#1 Border Security, #2 Secure TX Elections,
#3 Stop Sexualizing TX Kids, (#4 Ban Democrat Chairs)
#5 Ban Taxpayer Funded Lobbying, #6 Secure the Grid,
#7 Texas Is Not for Sale, #8 Ban Federal Overreach**

#2 SB 16 Hughes - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR
COMMITTEE - Proof of Citizenship.

#3 SB 18 Hughes - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR
COMMITTEE- Bars libraries from receiving state funding if they host drag
shows or drag queen story hours for minors.

#5 SB 19 Middleton(HB 3257 Olcott & HB 4860 Patterson) - DIED IN
KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE - Related to a political
subdivision using public funds for lobbying.

#2 SB 108 Hall -DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR COMMITTEE -
Appointment of election clerks.

#2 SB 310 Hughes - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR
COMMITTEE - Rank Choice Voting.

#8 SB 315 Kolkhorst - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR
COMMITTEE - Texans Right to DNA.

#2 SB 318 Creighton - DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS -
Establish Election Integrity division in AG's Office.

#1 SB 324 Kolkhorst (HB 3210 Olcott) - DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS - Requiring state employers and private employers to participate in E-Verify.

#6 SB 388 King - DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS -Relating to the legislature's goals for electric generation capacity in TX.

#2 SB 396 Kolkhorst (HB 2272 Morgan & HB 4253 Gerdes) - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR COMMITTEE - Confirmation of voter residence by county voter registrar.

#2 SB 505 Bettencourt (HB 968 Toth) - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR COMMITTEE - Process to address election irregularities.

#2 SB 511 Bettencourt (HB 1489 Oliverson)- DIED IN SHAHEEN'S HOUSE ELECTION COMMITTEE - Prohibiting employee of state from distributing voter applications.

#2 SB 618 Sparks (HB 2773 Leach) - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR COMMITTEE- Unlawful altering of election procedures including civil penalties.

#6 SB 715 Sparks (HB 3356 Patterson)- DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS - Reliability requirement for electric generation facilities.

#6 SB 819 Kolkhorst - DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE - Authorizing fees for renewable energy facilities.

#2 SB 964 Hughes - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR COMMITTEE - Personal ID or Driver's License issued to a non-citizen.

2 SB 1026 Hughes (HB 4957 Wilson & HB 5138 Shaheen) - DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE - Authority of Attorney General to prosecute criminal offenses of election law.

#8 SB 1065 Hall - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR COMMITTEE- Supports carrying handguns by licensed owners.

3 SB 1067 Middleton DIED IN HOUSE WILSON'S HIGHER ED COMMITTEE - Bans universities' staff from accepting funds from Foreign Governments.

#3 SB 1224 Sparks (HB 2206 Bumgarner) - DIED IN BUCKLEY'S HOUSE PUBLIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE - Reporting of public school misconduct to police.

#3 SB 1396 Hall - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDARS - Protect against harmful sex ed curriculum.

#6 SB 1754 Birdwell (HB 4057 Troxclair) - DIED IN MEYER'S HOUSE WAYS & MEANS - Allowing exemption from ad valorem taxation a portion of the value of property of a renewable energy facility.

#1 SB 1798 Middleton - DIED IN SENATE LT. GOV DAN PATRICK DID NOT PUT ON SENATE CALENDAR - Resident status and documentation requirements for students in Public Institutions of Higher Education.

#6 SB 1978 Hall DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE- Relating to the interconnection of a facility in the ERCOT power region to other facilities.

#2 SB 2309 Hughes (HB 4989 Dorazio) - DIED IN SHAHEEN'S HOUSE ELECTION COMMITTEE - Election integrity and security of the ballot boxes.

#2 SB 2681 Bettencourt - DIED IN HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDARS COMMITTEE- Voter Registration challenges must have probable concerns.

#SB 2880 Hughes (HB 5510 Leach) - DIED IN KING'S HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE - Liability for distribution of abortion pill.

#3HB 186 Patterson - DIED ON CALENDAR IN LT GOV DAN PATRICK'S SENATE - Prohibition against minors using social media.

#6 HB 1710 Landgraf - DIED/ POSTPONED ON HUNTER'S HOUSE CALENDAR - Issuance of certificate of convenience or necessity to import or export power from ERCOT power region.

#6 HB 3125 Guerra - DIED NOT MAKING IT ON LT GOV DAN PATRICK'S SENATE CALENDAR - TX Workforce Commission to establish a Geothermal Energy and Training initiative.

#3 HB 3225 - Alders (SB 2101-Hughes) - DIED ON CALENDAR IN LT GOV DAN PATRICK'S SENATE - Restricted the access of sexually explicit material in sections of a municipal public library that are designated for children.

#2 HB 5138 Shaheen - DIED IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SINCE HOUSE & SENATE COULDN'T COME TO AN AGREEMENT! - Attorney General's ability to prosecute criminal election offences.

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#6 SB 6 King -

Planning for the generation of electric power by a water supply or sewer service corporation.

#1 SB 8 Schwertner (HB 5580 Spiller)

Agreements between Sheriffs and ICE using the Warrant Service Model, Jail Enforcement Model or Task Force Model. Conference committee reconciled the House (Spiller Amendment) and Senate version of the bill.

#3 SB 12 - Creighton -

A vital fix to the READER Act, not working as intended due to legal challenges, unclear definitions and a lack of enforcement. Conference committee reconciled the House (Leach - sponsor Amendment) and Senate version of the bill.

#3 SB 13 Paxton -

Parental Rights regarding public school catalogs. Conference Committee Report reconciled Buckley's opposition of creation of counsels to help protect kids.

#7 SB 17 Kolkhorst (HB 17 Heffner) -

Purchase of real property by certain aliens or foreign entities.

#3 SB 20 Flores -

Criminal offense of possession, promotion, or production of certain obscene visual material appearing to depict a child.

#8 SB 25 Kolkhorst (HB 25 Hull) -

Relating to health and nutrition standards to promote healthy living, including requirements for food labeling with authorizing civil penalties.

#6 SB 75 Hall (HB 941 Cain) -

Related to the resilience of the electric grid.

#6 SB 231 King -

Temporary emergency electric energy facilities.

#8 SB 379 Middleton (HB 5243 Gerdes) -

Prohibiting the purchase of sweetened drinks and candy under the supplemental nutrition assistance program.

#3 SB 412 Middleton (HB 267 Patterson) -

Relating to defenses to prosecution for certain offenses involving material or conduct that is obscene to children.

#2 SB 510 Bettencourt (HB 1478 Cain) -

Failure of Voter Registrar to comply with voter registration laws.

#8 SB 888 Kolkhorst (HB 2460 Leach) -

Relating to the attorney general's defense of a district or county attorney against certain lawsuits in federal court.

#2 SB 985 Bettencourt (HB 342 Hayes) -

Combination of certain election precincts

#8 SB 1362 Hughes (HB 162 Cain) -

Relating to prohibiting the recognition, service, and enforcement of extreme risk protective orders; creating a criminal offense.

#2 SB 1470 Hughes -

Relating to requiring the Department of Public Safety to share data for the purpose of maintaining the statewide voter registration list.

#6 SB 1535 Zaffirini -

Establishment of TX Workforce Commission of a nuclear energy workforce development program.

#6 SB 1762 Blanco (HB 5568 Darby) -

Authority of Railroad Commission of TX to designate certain persons as operators of an orphaned well.

6 SB 1789 Schwertner (HB 4627 McQueeney) -

Electric service quality and reliability with administrative penalty.

#2 SB 1862 Hughes -

Relating to interstate notification by the voter registrar of certain applicants for voter registration.

#6 SB 2148 Hall (HB 4851 Slawson) -

Relating to the reliability of the electricity supply chain.

#2 SB 2166 Parker -

Relating to testing of voting tabulation equipment.

#3 SB 2420 Paxton (HB 4901 Fairly) -

Relating to the regulation of platforms for the sale and distribution of software applications for mobile devices.

#2 SB 2753 Hall -

Relating to the integration of early voting by personal appearance and election day voting, including the manner in which election returns are processed and other related changes.

#1 SJR 5 Huffman (HJR 15 Smithee) -

Proposing a constitutional amendment requiring the denial of bail under certain circumstances to persons accused of certain offenses punishable as a felony.

#2 SJR 37 Birdwell (HJR 197) -

Proposing a constitutional amendment clarifying that a voter must be a United States citizen.

#6 HB 14 Harris (SB 2060 Parker) -

Development of nuclear energy industry.

#3 HB 100 Leo Wilson (SB 451 Middleton) -

Relating to the purchase, adoption, and use of instructional materials by public schools.

#7 HB 119 Gerdes (SB 1845 Hughes) -

Relating to the registration as a lobbyist of persons who engage in certain lobbying activities on behalf of a foreign adversary and to prohibitions on the receipt of compensation related to those lobbying activities; providing a civil penalty.

#8 HB 1056 Dorazio (SB 2002- Hughes) Recognition of gold and silver species as legal tender and the establishment of a transactional currency based on gold and silver. Conference committee reconciled amendments.

#2 SB 1470 Hughes -

Relating to requiring the Department of Public Safety to share data for the purpose of maintaining the statewide voter registration list.

#8 HB 1586 Hull

Relating to an exemption from required immunizations for school enrollment.

#2 HB 1661 Vasut (SB 507 Bettencourt) - Election supplies and conduct of elections and increasing criminal penalties.

#8 HB 2963 Capriglione (SB 2428 Hall) - Relating to diagnosis, maintenance, and repair of certain digital electronic equipment

#6 HB 3228 Lambert (SB 2657 Perry) Inclusion of certain provisions in lease agreements for wind and solar power facilities

#6 HB 3229 Lambert (SB 2659 Perry) - Recycling of certain renewable energy components.

#8 HB 3441 Luther - Liability of Vaccine Manufacturers who advertise vaccines that are harmful for children (If vaccine shield removed federally)

#6 HB 3809 Darby (SB 1824 Schwertner) - Relating to the removal of battery energy storage facilities.

#6 HB 3824 King (SB 1825 Schwertner) Emergency operations of battery energy storage facilities with administrative penalties.

#8 HB 4076 Leach - Relating to prohibiting organ transplant recipient discrimination on the basis of vaccination status.

#8 HB 4535 McQueeney

Relating to COVID-19 vaccine administration requirements.

#3 HB 4623 Little -

Liability (up to \$500,000) of public school and employees for sexual misconduct toward a student. Often called the Sovereign Immunity Act of Texas Public Schools.