



Legislative Subcommittee Meeting Minutes | May 7, 2021 @ 1:00 PM

AGENDA

1. Impaired Driving Legislation Discussion
 - Discussed the status of bills passing the House/Senate to the Governor's Office:
 - HB 385: Relating to conditions of community supervision and procedures applicable to the reduction or termination of a defendant's period of community supervision
 - This law would allow the courts to waive all fees for offenders, including IIDs
 - May require for-profit businesses to provide their services free of charge to offenders
 - Sent to Senate (passed House)
 - HB 1024: Relating to the pickup and delivery of alcoholic beverages from certain premises for off-premises consumption
 - Sent to the Governor
 - No marihuana legalization bills likely to pass
 - HB 441: Relating to the criminal and licensing consequences of certain marihuana possession and drug paraphernalia possession offenses; imposing a fee
 - Under 1 Oz Class C, removes many collateral effects, adds expunction
 - Sent to Senate (passed House)
 - HB 2593: Relating to the criminal penalties for the possession of certain tetrahydrocannabinols under the Texas Controlled Substances Act
 - Sent to Senate (passed House)
 - HB 3611 (incorporated in HB 3774): Relating to remotely conducting court proceedings in this state
 - Committee report sent to House Calendars
 - HB 2733: Relating to defendants restricted to the operation of a vehicle equipped with an ignition interlock device or required to submit to alcohol monitoring and establishing a central database of those defendants
 - Sent to Senate (passed House)
 - HB 3598: Relating to increasing the minimum term of imprisonment and changing the eligibility for community supervision, mandatory supervision, and parole for persons convicted of intoxication manslaughter
 - Placed on General State Calendar

- HB 3325: Relating to the terminology used to describe transportation-related accidents (accidents → crashes)
 - Sent to Senate (passed House)
 - SB 1480: Relating to the licensing and regulation of certain drug and alcohol related court-ordered educational programs; providing administrative penalties; requiring occupational licenses; authorizing fees; creating criminal offenses
 - Placed on Local, Consent, and Res Calendar (passed Senate)
2. Next Steps: Assignments for 87th Legislature Bill Summaries

ACTION ITEMS

1. TxIDTF Admin:
 - a. Send Doodle Poll; Schedule meeting in early June
 - b. Send Bill Summary Template to Subcommittee
2. Subcommittee Members:
 - a. Continue tracking bills

Subcommittee Members:

- Clay Abbott, TDCAA
- Ned Minevitz, TMCEC
- Debra Coffey, Smart Start
- Judge Laura Weiser, TCJ
- Randy Sarosdy, TJCTC
- Nicole Holt, TxSDY
- Kirbie Ferrell, TTI - Legislative Affairs Liaison (Non-Member)