

TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
88TH LEGISLATURE

DADE PHELAN  
SPEAKER

STANDING COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS  
BY COMMITTEE

## **DEAN OF THE TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

In most parliamentary bodies, the members recognize the longest continuously serving member for their wisdom and guidance based, in part, on the institutional knowledge gained from their length of service. The United States House of Representatives designates this member as "Dean of the United States House of Representatives." Examples of notable Deans in the past include Sir Winston Churchill, Wright Patman, and George Mahon.

The Honorable Tom Craddick of Midland County and the Honorable Senfronia Thompson of Harris County, as the longest continuously serving members of the Texas House, are recognized as Deans of the Texas House of Representatives.

## **SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 10, of the Rules of the Texas House of Representatives, I appoint the Honorable Charlie Geren of Tarrant County to serve as the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Texas House of Representatives, 88th Legislature.

## **Agriculture & Livestock**

CHAIR: Cain, Briscoe

VICE-CHAIR: Anderson, Charles "Doc"

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Kitzman, Stan

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bernal, Diego  
Goodwin, Vikki  
Harris, Cody of Anderson  
Rosenthal, Jon  
Thimesch, Krona  
Wilson, Terry M.

## **Appropriations**

CHAIR: Bonnen, Greg

VICE-CHAIR: González, Mary of El Paso

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bell, Cecil Jr. of Montgomery  
Bonnen, Greg  
Bryant, John  
Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara  
Howard, Donna  
Johnson, Jarvis of Harris  
Martinez, Armando  
Martinez Fischer, Trey  
Morrison, Geanie W.  
Ortega, Lina  
Rose, Toni  
Wu, Gene

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Allison, Steve  
DeAyala, Mano  
Gates, Gary  
Isaac, Carrie  
Jetton, Jacey  
Orr, Angelia  
Spiller, David  
Stucky, Lynn  
Tepper, Carl  
Thimesch, Kronda  
Thompson, Ed of Brazoria  
Toth, Steve  
VanDeaver, Gary  
Walle, Armando

## **Business & Industry**

CHAIR: Longoria, Oscar

VICE-CHAIR: Vasut, Cody

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Cole, Sheryl  
Hinojosa, Gina  
Neave Criado, Victoria

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Frazier, Frederick  
González, Jessica of Dallas  
Isaac, Carrie  
Lambert, Stan

## **Calendars**

CHAIR: Burrows, Dustin

VICE-CHAIR: Rose, Toni

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS:

- Cook, David
- Geren, Charlie
- Hefner, Cole
- Hernandez, Ana
- Johnson, Ann of Harris
- Patterson, Jared
- Slawson, Shelby
- Talarico, James
- Thompson, Ed of Brazoria

## **Corrections**

CHAIR: Herrero, Abel

VICE-CHAIR: Kacal, Kyle

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Jones, Venton of Dallas  
Sherman, Carl O. Sr.  
Toth, Steve

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Allen, Alma  
Lopez, Ray of Bexar  
Murr, Andrew  
Swanson, Valoree



## **County Affairs**

CHAIR: Neave Criado, Victoria

VICE-CHAIR: Stucky, Lynn

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Jones, Jolanda of Harris  
Rosenthal, Jon  
Stucky, Lynn

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Gerdes, Stan  
Orr, Angelia  
Schatzline, Nate  
Slaton, Bryan  
Tinderholt, Tony

## **Criminal Jurisprudence**

CHAIR: Moody, Joseph

VICE-CHAIR: Cook, David

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Harrison, Brian  
Schatzline, Nate

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bhojani, Salman  
Bowers, Rhetta Andrews  
Darby, Drew  
Leach, Jeff  
Morales, Christina of Harris

## **Culture, Recreation & Tourism**

CHAIR: Ashby, Trent

VICE-CHAIR: Martinez, Armando

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bailes, Ernest  
Holland, Justin  
Troclair, Ellen

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Collier, Nicole  
Flores, Lulu  
Garcia, Josey  
Morrison, Geanie W.

## **Defense & Veterans' Affairs**

CHAIR: Wilson, Terry M.

VICE-CHAIR: Lopez, Ray of Bexar

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bumgarner, Ben  
Garcia, Josey

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Dorazio, Mark  
Frank, James B.  
Morales Shaw, Penny  
Muñoz, Sergio Jr.  
Slaton, Bryan

## **Elections**

CHAIR: Smith, Reggie

VICE-CHAIR: Bucy, John H. III

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bucy, John H. III  
Burrows, Dustin  
Swanson, Valoree

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Capriglione, Giovanni  
DeAyala, Mano  
Manuel, Christian  
Morales, Eddie Jr. of Maverick  
Vo, Hubert

## **Energy Resources**

CHAIR: Goldman, Craig

VICE-CHAIR: Morales, Eddie Jr. of Maverick

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Anchía, Rafael  
Anderson, Charles "Doc"  
Craddick, Tom  
Darby, Drew

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bailes, Ernest  
Gerdes, Stan  
Guerra, R.D. "Bobby"  
Thierry, Shawn  
Zwiener, Erin

## **Environmental Regulation**

CHAIR: Landgraf, Brooks

VICE-CHAIR: Guerra, R.D. "Bobby"

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Guerra, R.D. "Bobby"  
Kuempel, John  
Reynolds, Ron

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bell, Keith of Kaufman  
Dean, Jay  
Lopez, Janie of Cameron  
Meza, Terry  
Morales Shaw, Penny

## **General Investigating**

CHAIR: Murr, Andrew

VICE-CHAIR: Johnson, Ann of Harris

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Geren, Charlie  
Longoria, Oscar  
Spiller, David



## **Higher Education**

CHAIR: Kuempel, John

VICE-CHAIR: Paul, Dennis

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Burns, DeWayne  
Clardy, Travis  
González, Mary of El Paso  
Raney, John

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bucy, John H. III  
Burrows, Dustin  
Cole, Sheryl  
Howard, Donna  
Lalani, Suleman

## **Homeland Security & Public Safety**

CHAIR: Guillen, Ryan

VICE-CHAIR: Johnson, Jarvis of Harris

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bowers, Rhetta Andrews  
Goodwin, Vikki  
Harless, Sam

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Canales, Terry  
Dorazio, Mark  
Holland, Justin  
Troxclair, Ellen

## **House Administration**

CHAIR: Metcalf, Will

VICE-CHAIR: Cole, Sheryl

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS:  
Anchía, Rafael  
Harless, Sam  
Harris, Cody of Anderson  
Kuempel, John  
Landgraf, Brooks  
Moody, Joseph  
Orr, Angelia  
Walle, Armando  
Zwiener, Erin

## **Human Services**

CHAIR: Frank, James B.

VICE-CHAIR: Rose, Toni

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Frank, James B.  
Klick, Stephanie  
Noble, Candy

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Campos, Elizabeth "Liz"  
Hull, Lacey  
Manuel, Christian  
Ramos, Ana-Maria  
Shaheen, Matt

## **Insurance**

CHAIR: Oliverson, Tom

VICE-CHAIR: Johnson, Ann of Harris

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Cain, Briscoe  
Paul, Dennis  
Perez, Mary Ann

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Cortez, Philip  
Harris, Caroline of Williamson  
Hull, Lacey  
Johnson, Julie of Dallas

## **International Relations & Economic Development**

CHAIR: Button, Angie Chen

VICE-CHAIR: Ordaz, Claudia

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Meza, Terry  
Morales, Christina of Harris  
Ordaz, Claudia

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bumgarner, Ben  
Clardy, Travis  
Hayes, Richard  
Plesa, Mihaela  
Shine, Hugh

## **Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence**

CHAIR: Leach, Jeff

VICE-CHAIR: Johnson, Julie of Dallas

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Moody, Joseph  
Murr, Andrew  
Schofield, Mike

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Davis, Yvonne  
Flores, Lulu  
Slawson, Shelby  
Vasut, Cody

## **Juvenile Justice & Family Issues**

CHAIR: Dutton, Harold V. Jr.

VICE-CHAIR: Lujan, John

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Cook, David  
Lujan, John  
Talarico, James

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Leo-Wilson, Terri  
Lopez, Janie of Cameron  
Martinez Fischer, Trey  
Smithee, John  
Wu, Gene



## **Land & Resource Management**

CHAIR: Burns, DeWayne

VICE-CHAIR: Rogers, Glenn

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bell, Keith of Kaufman  
Buckley, Brad  
Rogers, Glenn

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bell, Cecil Jr. of Montgomery  
Ortega, Lina  
Reynolds, Ron  
Schofield, Mike  
Sherman, Carl O. Sr.

## **Licensing & Administrative Procedures**

CHAIR: King, Ken of Hemphill

VICE-CHAIR: Walle, Armando

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Hernandez, Ana  
Herrero, Abel  
Thompson, Senfronia of Harris  
Walle, Armando

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Goldman, Craig  
Harless, Sam  
King, Tracy of Uvalde  
Patterson, Jared  
Schaefer, Matt  
Shaheen, Matt

## **Local & Consent Calendars**

CHAIR: Harris, Cody of Anderson

VICE-CHAIR: Bowers, Rhetta Andrews

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS:  
Allison, Steve  
Bell, Keith of Kaufman  
Hull, Lacey  
Jetton, Jacey  
Manuel, Christian  
Morales, Eddie Jr. of Maverick  
Morales Shaw, Penny  
Paul, Dennis  
Rogers, Glenn

## **Natural Resources**

CHAIR: King, Tracy of Uvalde

VICE-CHAIR: Thompson, Ed of Brazoria

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Kacal, Kyle  
King, Tracy of Uvalde  
Price, Four  
Thompson, Ed of Brazoria

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Gámez, Erin  
Kitzman, Stan  
Lalani, Suleman  
Metcalf, Will  
Ramos, Ana-Maria  
Rogers, Glenn  
Zwiener, Erin

## **Pensions, Investments & Financial Services**

CHAIR: Capriglione, Giovanni

VICE-CHAIR: Lambert, Stan

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Capriglione, Giovanni  
Lambert, Stan  
Vo, Hubert

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Bhojani, Salman  
Bryant, John  
Frazier, Frederick  
Leo-Wilson, Terri  
Plesa, Mihaela  
VanDeaver, Gary

## **Public Education**

CHAIR: Buckley, Brad

VICE-CHAIR: Allen, Alma

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Allen, Alma  
Dutton, Harold V. Jr.  
King, Ken of Hemphill  
Longoria, Oscar  
Schaefer, Matt

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Allison, Steve  
Cunningham, Charles  
Harris, Cody of Anderson  
Harrison, Brian  
Hefner, Cole  
Hinojosa, Gina  
Talarico, James

## **Public Health**

CHAIR: Klick, Stephanie

VICE-CHAIR: Campos, Elizabeth "Liz"

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Collier, Nicole  
Oliverson, Tom  
Smith, Reggie  
Tinderholt, Tony

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Jetton, Jacey  
Johnson, Ann of Harris  
Jones, Jolanda of Harris  
Jones, Venton of Dallas  
Price, Four

## **Redistricting**

CHAIR:

Darby, Drew

VICE-CHAIR:

Turner, Chris

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS:

Anchía, Rafael

Campos, Elizabeth "Liz"

Cunningham, Charles

Goldman, Craig

Jetton, Jacey

Landgraf, Brooks

Lozano, J. M.

Moody, Joseph

Morrison, Geanie W.

Murr, Andrew

Rose, Toni

Schofield, Mike

Thompson, Senfronia of Harris



## **Resolutions Calendars**

CHAIR: Guerra, R.D. "Bobby"

VICE-CHAIR: Gates, Gary

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS:  
Gerdes, Stan  
Kitzman, Stan  
Lalani, Suleman  
Morales, Christina of Harris  
Ordaz, Claudia  
Plesa, Mihaela  
Shine, Hugh  
Stucky, Lynn  
Thimesch, Krona

## **State Affairs**

CHAIR: Hunter, Todd

VICE-CHAIR: Hernandez, Ana

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Geren, Charlie  
Guillen, Ryan  
Hunter, Todd  
Raymond, Richard Peña  
Smithee, John

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Anchía, Rafael  
Dean, Jay  
Metcalf, Will  
Slawson, Shelby  
Spiller, David  
Thompson, Senfronia of Harris  
Turner, Chris

## **Transportation**

CHAIR: Canales, Terry

VICE-CHAIR: Raney, John

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Ashby, Trent  
Canales, Terry  
Davis, Yvonne  
Lozano, J. M.  
Romero, Ramon Jr.

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Gámez, Erin  
Harris, Caroline of Williamson  
Landgraf, Brooks  
Lujan, John  
Ordaz, Claudia  
Patterson, Jared  
Perez, Mary Ann

## **Urban Affairs**

CHAIR: Lozano, J. M.

VICE-CHAIR: Gates, Gary

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Bernal, Diego  
Cortez, Philip  
Gates, Gary

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Cunningham, Charles  
González, Jessica of Dallas  
Hayes, Richard  
Romero, Ramon Jr.  
Tepper, Carl

## **Ways & Means**

CHAIR: Meyer, Morgan

VICE-CHAIR: Thierry, Shawn

SENIORITY APPOINTMENTS: Button, Angie Chen  
Muñoz, Sergio Jr.  
Shine, Hugh  
Turner, Chris

SPEAKER APPOINTMENTS: Craddick, Tom  
Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara  
Hefner, Cole  
Noble, Candy  
Raymond, Richard Peña

**PROCLAMATION**  
**CREATION OF HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON**  
**HEALTH CARE REFORM**

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 16(b), Rules of the House of Representatives, I, Dade Phelan, Speaker of the House of Representatives, hereby create the House Select Committee on Health Care Reform.

**SECTION 1. PURPOSE AND JURISDICTION.**

The committee is created to provide a cross-jurisdictional forum for the consideration of issues that broadly affect the state's health care delivery system. The committee has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to:

(1) reducing the impact of excessive health care costs on the efficacy of government-sponsored health plans and the private health insurance market, including the corresponding impact on individuals, businesses, and state government;

(2) improving health care affordability, including factors such as transparency, competition, and patient incentives;

(3) reducing the impact of government benefit, administrative, and contractual coverage mandates and the corresponding impact on employer and consumer premiums and out-of-pocket costs;

(4) improving access to affordable, quality, and comprehensive health care, especially for low-income and at-risk populations;

(5) improving access to and affordability of prescription drugs;

(6) improving outreach to families with children who are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, including children in rural areas; and

(7) reducing the impact of delayed care on the state's health care delivery system, health care costs, and patient health outcomes.

**SECTION 2. MEMBERSHIP, AUTHORITY, AND DURATION.**

The committee shall have 11 members and shall have the same authority and duties conferred on standing committees under the Rules of the House of Representatives. The committee expires on the date the 89th Legislature convenes.

The following members are hereby appointed to the House Select Committee on Health Care Reform:

Sam Harless, Chair

Donna Howard, Vice-Chair

Greg Bonnen

John Bucy

James Frank

Stephanie Klick

Eddie Morales

Tom Oliverson

Four Price

Toni Rose

Armando Walle

/s/ DADE PHELAN  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

## **PROCLAMATION**

### **CREATION OF HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON YOUTH HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 16(b), Rules of the House of Representatives, I, Dade Phelan, Speaker of the House of Representatives, hereby create the House Select Committee on Youth Health and Safety.

#### **SECTION 1. PURPOSE AND JURISDICTION.**

The committee is created to provide a cross-jurisdictional forum for the consideration of issues that broadly affect health, safety, and rights of Texas youth. The committee has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to:

(1) improving the ability of federal, state, and local governmental entities to address the needs of Texas youth through expanded coordination between all programs and systems that serve youth and their families, including child protective services, mental health services, educational institutions, and the juvenile justice system;

(2) creating a safer environment for Texas youth in schools and local communities;

(3) the use by Texas youth of social media and online platforms, including their design and operations, and the corresponding impact on the privacy, health, and safety of Texas youth;

(4) the allocation and use of state resources for preventative and rehabilitative services that address the primary challenges facing Texas youth placed in the juvenile justice system;

(5) the expansion of prevention efforts and the strengthening of service systems to permit the behavioral health challenges faced by Texas youth to be addressed closer to their homes, including efforts and systems that permit youth to remain in their classrooms and stay out of institutionalized healthcare and juvenile justice systems; and

(6) programs, services, and governmental action focused on the rehabilitation of youthful offenders, including considerations related to developmental factors that impact a youth's entry into the justice system.

#### **SECTION 2. MEMBERSHIP, AUTHORITY, AND DURATION.**

The committee shall have nine members and shall have the same authority and duties conferred on standing committees under the Rules of the House of Representatives. The committee expires on the date the 89th Legislature convenes.

The following members are hereby appointed to the House Select Committee on Youth Health and Safety:

Senfronia Thompson, Chair

Lacy Hull, Vice Chair

Steve Allison

Giovanni Capriglione

Harold Dutton

Ann Johnson

Tracy King

Brooks Landgraf

J.M. Lozano

/s/ DADE PHELAN  
Speaker of the House of Representatives