PROCLAMATION

CREATION OF HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON
CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS AND REMEDIES

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 Constitutional Rights and Remedies.

SECTION 1. COMPOSITION, JURISDICTION, AND DURATION. (a) The committee shall have 15 members, with jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to:

(1) rights guaranteed under the United States and Texas constitutions and remedies for a violation of those rights, including matters related to federalism, separation of powers, and public accountability;

(2) the implementation, administration, and enforcement of statutory guarantees of those rights;

(3) the design, stability, and integrity of democratic institutions responsible for the enforcement and protection of constitutional rights and their statutory guarantees;

(4) the conduct of state officers and employees in the enforcement and infringement of constitutional rights and their statutory guarantees;

(5) federal, state, and local funding of entities and activities that enforce and protect constitutional rights and their statutory guarantees; and

(6) the following state agencies: the Criminal Appeals, Criminal Prosecutions, General Counsel, Opinion Committee, and Solicitor General Divisions of the Office of the Attorney General; Office of Court Administration; Office of the Governor; Office of the Secretary of State; Civil Rights Division of the Texas Workforce Commission; and any other state officer, agency, board, commission, department, or institution as it relates to the subject matter jurisdiction of this committee.

(b) The committee expires on the date the 88th Legislature convenes.

SECTION 2. MEMBERSHIP. The following members are appointed to the House Select Committee on Constitutional Rights and Remedies:

Trent Ashby, Chair
Senfronia Thompson, Vice Chair
John Bucy
Travis Clardy
Charlie Geren
Jacey Jetton
Ann Johnson
Stephanie Klick
Brooks Landgraf
J.M. Lozano
Oscar Longoria
Joe Moody
Victoria Neave
Matt Shaheen
James White

DADE PHELAN
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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