

INDIGENT DEFENSE RELATED BILLS- FINALLY PASSED
07-08-2015

HB 1	Otto, John(R) Nelson, Jane(R)	General appropriations bill.
	Last Action:	6-20-15 G Earliest effective date
HB 48	McClendon, Ruth Jones(D) Ellis, Rodney(D)	Relating to the creation of a commission to review convictions after exoneration and to prevent wrongful convictions.
	Last Action:	6- 1-15 G Earliest effective date
HB 3633	Herrero, Abel(D) West, Royce(D)	Relating to reimbursement for the costs of legal services provided to an indigent defendant in a criminal case.
	Last Action:	9- 1-15 G Earliest effective date
SB 316	Hinojosa, Chuy(D) Leach, Jeff(R)	Relating to the prioritization of certain available legal defense services when appointing representation for an indigent defendant in a criminal case.
	Last Action:	9- 1-15 G Earliest effective date
SB 662	Rodriguez, Jose(D) Alonzo, Roberto(D)	Relating to the representation of certain indigent applicants for a writ of habeas corpus.
	Last Action:	6-16-15 G Earliest effective date
SB 1057	Hinojosa, Chuy(D) Herrero, Abel(D)	Relating to the authority of the Texas Indigent Defense Commission to provide certain funding for indigent defense services.
	Last Action:	9- 1-15 G Earliest effective date
SB 1353	Hinojosa, Chuy(D) Coleman, Garnet(D)	Relating to the provision and administration of indigent defense services.
	Last Action:	9- 1-15 G Earliest effective date
SB 1517	Seliger, Kel(R) Coleman, Garnet(D)	Relating to the appointment of counsel to represent indigent defendants in criminal cases.
	Last Action:	9- 1-15 G Earliest effective date
SB 1743	Hinojosa, Chuy(D) Herrero, Abel(D)	Relating to expanding the powers and duties of the office of capital writs and renaming the office of capital writs the Texas office of post-conviction defender.
	Last Action:	9- 1-15 G Earliest effective date