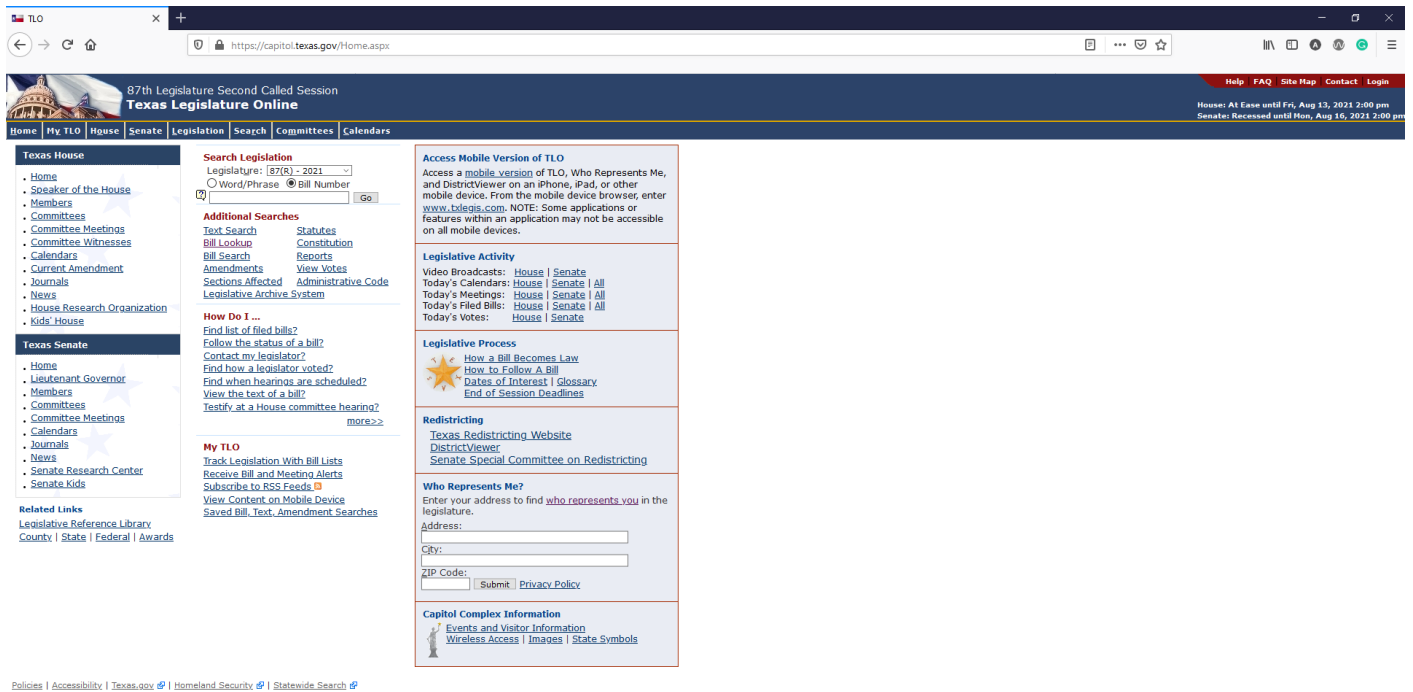


# How To Use Texas Legislature Online (TLO)

## Finding a Bill:

1. Open <https://capitol.texas.gov/> in your internet browser.



2. Make sure you have the right session selected under "Search Legislation"
  - a. This session = "87(R) – 2021" (the special sessions have a number – in the order they were called – in parentheses instead of an 'R')



3. Choose either “Word/Phrase” or “Bill Number” depending on how you want to search.
  - a. If searching by bill number, make sure to put “SB” or “HB” (as applicable) in front of the number.

4. Click “Go”!
  - a. If you are searching by bill number, you will be directed to the history of the bill you searched
  - b. If you are searching by word/phrase, you will be directed to a list of bills including the words that you searched

**History** | Text | Actions | Companions | Amendments | Authors | Sponsors | Captions | Bill Stages

**Bill: SB 41** | Legislative Session: 87(R)

**Last Action:** 06/14/2021 E Effective on 1/1/22

**Caption Version:** Enrolled

**Caption Text:** Relating to the consolidation and allocation of state civil court costs

**Author:** Zaffirini

**Coauthor:** Hinojosa | Huffman | Hughes | Johnson

**Sponsor:** Leach

**Subjects:** Courts--Administration (10130)  
Courts--Appellate (10125)  
Courts--County & Statutory (10115)  
Courts--District (10120)  
Courts--General (10160)  
Courts--Judges (10140)  
Courts--Justice (10110)  
Fees & Other Nontax Revenue--Local (10361)  
Fees & Other Nontax Revenue--State (10362)  
COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS (V2608)

**Companion:** [HB 4417](#) by Moody, Identical

**Senate Committee:** [Jurisprudence](#)

**Status:** Out of committee

**Vote:** Ayes=5 Nays=0 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=0

**House Committee:** [Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence](#)

**Status:** Out of committee

**Vote:** Ayes=5 Nays=0 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=4

**Actions:** (descending date order)  
viewing Votes: [Most Recent House Vote](#) | [Most Recent Senate Vote](#)

Description	Comment	Date	Time	Journal Page
Effective on 1/1/22		06/14/2021		
Filed without the Governor's signature		06/14/2021	3180	
Sent to the Governor		06/01/2021	3178	
Signed in the Senate		05/31/2021	3176	
Signed in the House		05/31/2021	5514	
Reported enrolled		05/31/2021	3178	
Senate concurs in House amendment(s)-reported		05/29/2021	5157	
Record vote		05/29/2021	2847	
Senate concurs in House amendment(s)		05/29/2021	2847	

**Text Search**

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Bills 1 through 25 out of 64 match

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**87(R) HB 20 - Senate Committee Report Version - Bill Analysis**  
**Excerpt:** the organization has paid bonds in violation of this article. (h) Provides that Chapter 22 (Forfeiture & bond for a defendant. SECTION 4. Amends Article 17.15, Code of Criminal Procedure, as follows: Art. 17.15. R

**87(R) HB 20 - Senate Committee Report Version - Bill Text**  
**Author:** Murr | et al.  
**Caption:** Relating to rules for fixing the amount of bail, to the release of certain defendants on a bail bond or information pertaining to bail bonds.  
**Excerpt:** of this article. (g) A sheriff may suspend a charitable bail organization from paying bail bonds by a charitable bail organization. (i) A charitable bail organization may not accept a premium or comp

**87(R) HB 20 - Enrolled Version - Bill Analysis**  
**Excerpt:** conditions; (2) 1/2 granted monetary bond with or without conditions; or (3) 1/2 denied bail in accord conditions, if any, and minimum amount of bail, if any, whether personal bond or monetary bond, necessary to

**87(R) HB 2077 - House Committee Report Version - Bill Analysis**  
**Excerpt:** to provide a monetary bail bond for the sole purpose of preventing the defendant's release on bail requires a magistrate who denies a defendant's bail to inform of the entitlement to a bail revis

**87(R) HB 2077 - House Committee Report Version - Bill Text**  
**Author:** Reynolds | et al.  
**Caption:** Relating to bail proceedings and related duties of a magistrate in a criminal case.  
**Excerpt:** A magistrate may not require a defendant to provide a monetary bail bond for the sole purpose of to provide a monetary bail bond is entitled to a bail review hearing under Article 17.034. (e) A magistr

**87(R) HB 20 - Enrolled Version - Bill Text**  
**Author:** Murr | et al.  
**Caption:** Relating to the release of defendants on bail.  
**Excerpt:** a defendant is arrested, a magistrate shall order, after individualized consideration of all circumst: monetary bond with or without conditions; or (3) denied bail in accordance with the Texas Const

**87(R) SB 21 - Enrolled Version - Bill Text**  
**Author:** Huffman | et al.  
**Caption:** Relating to rules for fixing the amount of bail, to the release of certain defendants on a bail bond or information pertaining to bail bonds.  
**Excerpt:** of this article. (g) A sheriff may suspend a charitable bail organization from paying bail bonds by a charitable bail organization. (i) A charitable bail organization may not accept a premium or comp

## Reading the Text of a Bill:

1. Go to the bill by following the steps above.
2. Once you find your bill, click on the "Text" tab at the top of the "History" screen (*what appears when you search for a particular bill or click on a bill in a search list after searching a word/phrase*).

Texas Legislature Online  
**Text**

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Bill: SB 11 Legislative Session: 87(R)

Version	Bill
Introduced	 
Senate Committee Report	 
Engrossed	 
House Committee Report	 
Enrolled	 

Additional Documents: [House Public Comments](#)

3. Select the .pdf or .doc icon next to the version of the bill that you would like to read. *Hint: For final text of the bill, choose the "Enrolled" version.*
4. Once you open the bill, links to statutes will be in blue, deleted text of a statute will be ~~crossed through~~, and added or new text to the statute will be underlined.

9 SECTION 1.02. Section [133.151](#), Local Government Code, is  
10 amended to read as follows:

11 Sec. 133.151. STATE CONSOLIDATED CIVIL FEE ON FILING A  
12 CIVIL CASE [SUIT IN DISTRICT COURT]. (a) The [In addition to each  
13 fee collected under Section [51.317](#)(b)(1), Government Code, the]  
14 clerk of a district court, statutory county court, statutory  
15 probate court, or county court shall collect:

16 (1) a fee in the amount of \$137 [the following fees] on  
17 the filing of any civil, probate, guardianship, or mental health  
18 case; and

19 (2) a fee in the amount of \$45 on any action other than  
20 an original action subject to Subdivision (1), including an appeal  
21 and any counterclaim, cross-action, intervention, contempt action,  
22 adverse probate action, interpleader, motion for new trial, or  
23 third-party action [suit+

24 [(1) \$45 for family law cases and proceedings as  
25 defined by Section [25.0002](#), Government Code, and

26 [(2) \$50 for any case other than a case described by  
27 Subdivision (1)].