The State Board of Education Committee of the Full Board met at 9:03 a.m. on Tuesday, September 17, 2013, in the State Board of Education Room, #1-104, of the William B. Travis Building, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas. All members of the committee were present, as follows:

Presiding: Barbara Cargill, chair; Lawrence A. Allen, Jr.; Donna Bahorich; David Bradley; Ruben Cortez, Jr.; Martha M. Dominguez; Pat Hardy; Mavis B. Knight; Tom Maynard; Sue Melton-Malone; Ken Mercer; Geraldine “Tincy” Miller; Marisa B. Perez; Thomas Ratliff; Marty Rowley

DISCUSSION ITEM

1. Public Hearing on House Bill (HB) 5 and High School Graduation Requirements
   (Board agenda page I-91)

The Committee of the Full Board heard public testimony from the following individuals:

NAME: P. Tim Martindell
AFFILIATION: Texas Council of Teachers of English Language Arts (TCTELA)

NAME: Sandy Hughey
AFFILIATION: Texas Association of School Boards

NAME: Jennifer Bergland
AFFILIATION: Texas Computer Education Association (TCEA)

NAME: Nancy Riley
AFFILIATION: Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education

NAME: Dineen Majcher
AFFILIATION: Texans Advocating for Meaningful Student Assessment

NAME: Tom Luce
AFFILIATION: National Math and Science Initiative

NAME: Marcelo Cavazos
AFFILIATION: Arlington ISD

NAME: Sue Blanchette
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Kim Garcia
AFFILIATION: Self
NAME: Barbara Beto  
AFFILIATION: Texas PTA

NAME: Sara Tays  
AFFILIATION: ExxonMobil/Texas Association of Business

NAME: James Wussow  
AFFILIATION: Plano ISD

NAME: Pauline Dow  
AFFILIATION: Chief Academic Officer, Austin ISD

NAME: Chuck Schu  
AFFILIATION: National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER)

NAME: Tony Martinez  
AFFILIATION: Texas Association of Supervisors of Mathematics (TASM)

NAME: Mellessa Denny  
AFFILIATION: Texas Speech Communication Association

NAME: Celina Moreno  
AFFILIATION: Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF)

NAME: HD Chambers  
AFFILIATION: Alief ISD, Region 4 Service Center, Texas School Alliance

NAME: Greg Mayo  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Robert Floyd  
AFFILIATION: Texas Coalition for Quality Arts Education

NAME: Michael Marder  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Melissa Witt  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Steven Bebee  
AFFILIATION: National Communication Association

NAME: Presley Savarino  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Rhonda Smith  
AFFILIATION: Texas Speech Communication Association
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Invited testimony was provided by Dr. Raymond Paredes, Commissioner of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

Mrs. Cargill adjourned the public hearing on House Bill 5 and High School Graduation Requirements at 1:13 p.m.
The State Board of Education Committee of the Full Board met at 1:03 p.m. on Tuesday, September 17, 2013, in the State Board of Education Room, #1-104, of the William B. Travis Building, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas. All members of the committee were present, as follows:

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**DISCUSSION ITEM**

1. **Public Hearing Regarding Instructional Materials Submitted for Adoption by the State Board of Education under Proclamation 2014**
   (Board agenda page I-93)

   The Committee of the Full Board heard public testimony from the following individuals:

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<td>Steven Schafersman</td>
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NAME: Mark S. Finkelstein
AFFILIATION: Anti-Defamation League

NAME: Thomas Lancaster
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Elizabeth Jensen
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: John Blanton
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Jennifer Darrouzet
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Ronald Wetherington
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Ray Bohlin
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: David Shormann
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Hays Hettinger
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Mark Cadwallader
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Kathy Miller
AFFILIATION: Texas Freedom Network

NAME: Carl Lindemann
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Kenny Friesenhahn
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Miguel Angel Medina
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Kristin Miller White
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Randy Linder
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: David Walls
AFFILIATION: Texas Values
NAME: Bob Warneke
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Zachary Kopplin
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Anita Greenberg
AFFILIATION: Science Delights

NAME: Joshua Rosenau
AFFILIATION: National Center for Science Education

NAME: Erin Boase
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Matt Simpson
AFFILIATION: ACLU of Texas

NAME: Edith Clark
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Michael Ignatowski
AFFILIATION: Central Texas Chapter of the World Future Society

NAME: John A. Kingman
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Michael C. Singer
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: James Peyer
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Arturo DeLozanne
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Jay Calloway
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Christopher P. Randle
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NAME: Aron Nelson
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AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Gary Bennett  
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NAME: Paul Havlak  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Arthur Stewart  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Brian Boyko  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Noelle Dempsey  
AFFILIATION: Self

NAME: Ben Simpson  
AFFILIATION: Second Giant Leap

NAME: Brian Ferguson  
AFFILIATION: San Marcos Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

Mrs. Cargill adjourned the public hearing regarding instructional materials submitted for adoption by the State Board of Education under Proclamation 2014 at 5:30 p.m.