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PROCEEDINGS

Proclamation by Governor Calling Special Session

The President laid before the Senate and directed the Secretary to read the proclamation from the Governor:

PROCLAMATION
by the
Governor of the State of Texas

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come:

I, Price Daniel, Governor of the State of Texas, do by virtue of authority vested in me by the Constitution of Texas, hereby call a special session, 56th Legislature, to be convened in the City of Austin, commencing at 11 a.m., Wednesday, the 17th day of June, A.D., 1959, for the following purposes:

1. To provide for the retirement of the deficit in the State Treasury existing for the present fiscal year ending August 31, 1959, by the enactment of sufficient revenue-raising measures.

2. To enact appropriations for general State services authorized under existing law or Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session and First Called Session, for the biennium beginning September 1, 1959, and ending August 31, 1961, and to provide sufficient new revenue to finance such appropriations. Specifically, this call does not include the submission of appropriations or the raising of revenue for purposes not heretofore authorized by existing laws or enactments of the Regular Session and First Called Session of the 56th Legislature.

3. To provide for adequate procedures for the custody, reporting and escheat of property to which the State is entitled under present laws and amendments relating thereto.

4. To provide for legislation to adequately protect State and public rights and uses of the beaches along the Gulf of Mexico and prevent further obstructions and interferences therewith.

5. To consider and act on such other subjects and questions as the Governor may submit from time to time.

The Secretary of State will take notice of this action and will notify the members of the legislature.

Done at Austin, Texas, this sixteenth day of June, A.D., 1959, under the Seal of this State properly attested by the Secretary of State.

PRICE DANIEL
Governor