

HB 585 -- Conduct or Speech at Public Hearings and Meetings

Sponsor: Oxford

Currently, any action seeking monetary damage against a person for conduct or speech at a public hearing or meeting is subject to a special motion to dismiss, a motion for judgment on the pleadings, or a motion for summary judgment so it can be considered on an expedited basis to prevent the unnecessary expense of litigation. This bill allows any action against a person for conduct or speech at a public hearing or meeting to be subject to these special motions.