



Rules and Reference Committee

Speaker Clifford A. Rosenberger, Chair

Referral Report

February 27, 2018

Representative Celebrezze reported for the Rules and Reference committee recommending that the following House Bills be considered for the second time and referred to the following committees for consideration:

H. B. No. 513 – Representatives Brenner, Ginter

To enhance the homestead exemption for surviving spouses of peace officers, firefighters, and emergency medical personnel killed in the line of duty.

To the committee on Ways and Means

H. B. No. 514 – Representative Howse

To designate February 1 as “Freedom Day in Ohio.”

To the committee on State and Local Government

H. B. No. 515 – Representative Pelanda

Regarding child rehoming and nonjudicial grants of parental rights.

To the committee on Community and Family Advancement

H. B. No. 516 – Representative Cera

To designate a portion of State Route 78 in Monroe County as the “Sgt. Herman Zerger, Jr. Highway.”

To the committee on Transportation and Public Safety

H. B. No. 517 – Representatives Schaffer, Leland

To designate the month of October as “Ohio Principals Month.”

To the committee on Education and Career Readiness

H. B. No. 518 – Representatives Dever, Cera

To make changes to the laws governing hunting and fishing.

To the committee on Energy and Natural Resources

H. B. No. 519 – Representatives West, Kick

To create the Ohio Council on Transportation Technology to make recommendations regarding state policies related to autonomous technology.

To the committee on Transportation and Public Safety



H. B. No. 520 – Representatives Miller, Hughes

To increase the penalty for soliciting when the person solicited is eighteen years of age or older, to specify that the fine for soliciting in this circumstance is not more than two thousand five hundred dollars, and to specify that up to one thousand dollars of that fine may be deposited into the Victims of Human Trafficking Fund.

To the committee on Criminal Justice

H. B. No. 521 – Representative Boggs

To create the “Girls on the Run” license plate.

To the committee on Transportation and Public Safety

H. B. No. 522 – Representative Lanese

To allow an outdoor refreshment area to include F liquor permit holders.

To the committee on Government Accountability and Oversight

H. B. No. 523 – Representatives Lanese, Perales

To establish animal abuse reporting requirements, to require the Department of Defense Family Advocacy Program to be notified when a person serving in the armed forces is investigated for child abuse or neglect or domestic violence, and to modify the laws regulating counselors, social workers, and marriage and family therapists.

To the committee on Community and Family Advancement

H. B. No. 524 – Representatives Scherer, Patterson

To expand the income tax deduction allowed for contributions to Ohio’s 529 college savings program to include contributions to 529 programs established by other states.

To the committee on Ways and Means

H. B. No. 525 – Representative Schuring

To extend eligibility for the motion picture tax credit to certain live stage theater productions, to increase the maximum amount of credits that may be awarded from \$40 million to \$100 million per fiscal year, and to make other revisions to the law governing administration of the credit.

To the committee on Government Accountability and Oversight

H. B. No. 529 – Representative Ryan

To make capital appropriations and changes to the law governing capital projects and to make reappropriations for the biennium ending June 30, 2020.

To the committee on Finance