Chairman Oelslager called the meeting of the House Finance Committee to order at 9:07 a.m. in the House Finance Hearing Room.

A quorum was present. The minutes from the previous two meetings were read and approved.

Chairman Oelslager recessed the committee.

Chairman Oelslager reconvened the committee.

Chairman Oelslager called up Substitute House Bill 80 for its fourth hearing.

Chairman Oelslager moved to amend (HC 0079). Representative Cera seconded the amendment. Without objection, the amendment was approved.

Chairman Oelslager recognized Representative Edwards for a motion. Representative Edwards moved to amend (HC 0055X2). Representative Cera seconded the motion. Without objection, the motion was approved.

William Quinn of the Ohio Association of Professional Fire Fighters was present and gave proponent testimony. Mr. Quinn answered questions asked by the committee.

Kathrine Hardin was present and gave proponent testimony.

Jay McDonald of the Fraternal Order of Police was present and gave proponent testimony.

Rob Brundrett of the Ohio Manufacturers' Association was present and gave opponent testimony.

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Charlie Smith of the National Federation of Independent Businesses was present and gave opponent testimony. Mr. Smith answered questions asked by the committee.

There was written only opponent testimony from Matthew DeTemple of the Ohio Township Association.

Letters to the committee were provided from Patrick Yingling and Robert Minor.

Chairman Oelslager moved to favorably report Substitute House Bill 80 to the House Rules and Reference Committee. The Chair called the roll. Substitute House Bill 80 was favorably reported by a vote of 27-2.

Chairman Oelslager called up House Bill 7 for its fourth hearing.

Gail Hesse of the National Wildlife Federation was present and gave proponent testimony. Ms. Hesse answered questions of the committee.

There was written only testimony from Cathann Kress of Ohio State University; and Crystal Davis of the Alliance for the Great Lakes.

With no further business, the committee adjourned at 12:49 pm.

Scott Oelslager, Chair

Committee Secretary

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