



Insurance Committee  
Chairman Tom Brinkman, Jr.  
December 10, 2019

Chairman Brinkman called the House Insurance Committee to order at 10:12 AM. A quorum was present. The Committee approved minutes from the previous meeting.

House Bill 339, Rep. Merrin, 4<sup>th</sup> hearing, All Testimony

- No witnesses provided testimony.

The chair inquired on the pleasure of the committee. Rep. Merrin moved that the Insurance Committee favorably report HB 339 as a substitute bill to the Rules and Reference Committee. Rep. Antani seconded the motion. The Chair called the roll. HB 339 was favorably reported as a substitute bill with a vote of 14 yeas and 0 nays.

Senate Bill 9, Sen. Huffman, M., 5<sup>th</sup> hearing, All Testimony

The chair called upon Rep. DeVitis who motioned to amend, amendment number 1600X1. Without objection, the motion was agreed to and the amendment became a part of the bill.

- Terrence O'Donnell, Dickinson Wright PLLC, explained the accepted amendment to the committee. Questions were asked.

The chair inquired on the pleasure of the committee. Rep. DeVitis moved that the Insurance Committee favorably report SB 9 as amended to the Rules and Reference Committee. Rep. Patton seconded the motion. The Chair called the roll. SB 9 was favorably reported with a vote of 14 yeas and 0 nays. The Chair requested that LSC harmonize the amendments accepted in Insurance Committee into a Substitute Bill.

House Bill 390, Reps. Crossman and Clites, 2<sup>nd</sup> hearing, Proponent Testimony

- Kelsey Bergfeld, Advocates for Ohio's Future, offered testimony. Questions were asked.
- Jose Rodriguez, Equitas Health, offered testimony.
- Steven Wagner, Universal Health Care Action Network, offered testimony.
- Kathryn Poe offered testimony. Questions were asked.
- Kelly Maynard, Little Hercules Foundation, offered testimony.
- The Chairman noted to the committee that written testimony was offered by:
  - Wendy Patton, Policy Matters Ohio
  - Julie McMahan, Susan G. Komen Columbus
  - Holly Pendell, National Multiple Sclerosis Society
  - Darold Johnson, Ohio Coalition for Health Coverage
  - Marcie Seidel, Prevention Action Alliance

Having no further business, the committee adjourned at 10:50 AM.

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Chair

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Secretary