Vice Chairman Butler called the Rules and Reference committee to order at 12:21 p.m., in Hearing Room 119 of the Ohio Statehouse.

Ranking Member Sykes called the roll, and with a quorum present, the meeting proceeded as a full committee.

The Vice Chairman moved to accept the minutes from the meeting on November 5, 2019. Without objection, the minutes were approved.

The first item of business was to consider the rules report to set the House Calendar for Wednesday, November 13, 2019. The Vice Chairman moved to accept the rules report, and the Secretary called the roll. With 10 yeas and 0 nays, the report was accepted at 12:22 p.m.

The second item of business was to consider the re-referral report for H. B. No. 265. The Vice Chairman moved to re-refer H. B. No. 265 to the committee on Aging and Long-Term Care and accept the re-referral report. Ranking Member Sykes objected and, as Secretary, called the roll. With 6 yeas and 4 nays, the report was accepted.

The third item of business was to consider the re-referral report for H. B. No. 321. The Vice Chairman moved to re-refer H. B. No. 321 to the committee on Primary and Secondary Education and accept the re-referral report. Ranking Member Sykes objected and, as Secretary, called the roll. With 6 yeas and 4 nays, the report was accepted.

The fourth item of business was to consider the referral report. The Vice Chairman moved to accept the referral report, and the Secretary called the roll. With 10 yeas and 0 nays, the report was accepted.

The fifth item of business was to consider the introduction and referral report. The Vice Chairman moved that the report be accepted. Without objection, the report was accepted.

The sixth item of business was to consider the congratulatory report. The Vice Chairman moved that the report be accepted, and without objection, the report was accepted.

With no further business before the committee, the Vice Chairman adjourned the meeting at 12:25 p.m.