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SECOND DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Thursday, January 5, 2017, 11:00 o'clock a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 3, the Clerk called the Senate to order.

Senator Kunze was selected to preside according to the rule.

The journal of the last legislative day was read and approved.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 54, the following resolution was offered:

S. R. No. 3 - Senator Obhof.

Honoring Major Chad M. McGinty on his retirement from the Ohio State Highway Patrol.

The question being, "Shall the resolution listed under the President's prerogative be adopted?"

So the resolution was adopted.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives is now in session and ready for the transaction of business.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the House of Representatives has adopted the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested:

H. C. R. No. 1 -Speaker Rosenberger, Representative Strahorn
Relative to a committee to wait upon the Governor to let him know the 132nd General Assembly is in session.

Attest: Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

The question being, “Shall the concurrent resolution, **H. C. R. No. 1**, be adopted?”

So the concurrent resolution was adopted.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the House of Representatives has adopted the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested:

H. C. R. No. 2 -Representative Schuring
Relative to the appointment of a joint committee to attend the inauguration of The Honorable Donald J. Trump.

Attest: Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

The question being, “Shall the concurrent resolution, **H. C. R. No. 2**, be adopted?”

So the concurrent resolution was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

December 29, 2016

The Honorable Larry Obhof
The Ohio Senate
Statehouse
Columbus OH 43215

Dear President Pro Tempore Obhof:

Please accept this correspondence as my official resignation from the Ohio Senate effective January 3, 2017 as I was recently elected to the Warren County Commission. It has been one of the greatest honors of my professional career to represent the 7th Senate District and the people of this great state.

After a decade as a member of the Ohio General Assembly, I leave this body with tremendous respect for the institution, its members and staff, and the diverse people it is designed to serve. I wish you and all of the members much success as you continue the important work of the people.

Warm personal regards,
/s/ **SHANNON JONES**

Shannon Jones
State Senator
7th Ohio Senate District

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

January 3, 2017

Dear Senator Jones,

It is with regret that I accept your resignation from the Ohio Senate, but I congratulate you on your election to the Warren County Commission. I know that you will continue to serve the people of Warren County as faithfully as you did while here in the Senate.

It has been my honor and privilege to serve alongside you, and I look forward to continuing to work with you in your new role.

Best wishes,
/s/ **LARRY OBHOF**

Larry Obhof
Senate President
22nd District

On the motion of Senator Obhof, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, January 10, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.