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TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 2017

FORTY-FIRST DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Tuesday, April 25, 2017, 11:00 o'clock a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

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

The following guests were recognized by the Senate prior to the commencement of business:

Senator Gardner recognized the fourth grade students from Glen Oak Elementary School in Lewis Center.

Senator Gardner recognized Bowling Green State University students, staff, and President Mary Ellen Mazey.

Senator Gardner recognized Miami University President Gregory Crawford.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced and considered for the first time:

S. B. No. 136 - Senator Tavares.

To enact section 5534.90 of the Revised Code to designate the entrance ramp from West Broad Street onto Interstate Highway 70 in Franklin County as the "G. Thomas Turner, Sr. I-70 East Entrance Ramp."

S. B. No. 137 - Senator Tavares.

To enact section 5534.79 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of the eastbound lanes of I-70 in Franklin County as the "Judge Robert Duncan Memorial Highway."

S. B. No. 138 - Senator Eklund.

To amend section 2933.32 of the Revised Code to authorize a corrections officer to cause a body cavity search to be conducted, to establish separate rules and restrictions for conducting strip searches, and to limit the right of any person to commence a civil action for a violation of the law governing body cavity searches and strip searches to violations related to body cavity searches.

S. B. No. 139 - Senators Skindell, Eklund.

Cosponsor: Senator Thomas.

To enact sections 149.21, 149.22, 149.23, 149.24, 149.25, 149.26, and 149.27 of the Revised Code to adopt the Uniform Electronic Legal Material

Act.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 54, the following resolutions were offered:

S. R. No. 126 - Senators Yuko, Bacon, Balderson.

Honoring the Ohio Adjutant General's Department Certified Public Manager project team as the 2016 President's Award winner.

S. R. No. 127 - Senator Skindell.

Honoring the St. Edward High School wrestling team as the 2017 Division I State Champion.

S. R. No. 128 - Senator Skindell.

Honoring the St. Edward High School wrestling team on winning the 2017 Ohio High School Athletic Association Division I State Dual Team Tournament.

S. R. No. 129 - Senator Obhof.

Honoring Evan Kasulones as the 2017 Division I OATCCC Indoor State Champion in the boys 60-meter dash.

S. R. No. 130 - Senators Kunze, Bacon, Tavares.

Honoring The Ohio State University men's volleyball team on winning the 2017 Midwestern Intercollegiate Volleyball Association title.

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

So the resolutions were adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

The President handed down the following messages from the Governor which were read by the Clerk:

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Ann K. Aquillo, from Marysville, Union County, Ohio, as a Member of the State

Dental Board for a new term beginning April 7, 2017 and ending at the close of business April 6, 2021, replacing Ann K. Aquillo, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 7th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Dennis M. Bartels, from Gahanna, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Career Colleges and Schools for a new term beginning March 20, 2017 and ending at the close of business November 20, 2021, replacing Dennis M. Bartels, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 20th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Gerald J. Bensman, from Minster, Shelby County, Ohio, as a Member of the Edison State Community College Board of Trustees for a term beginning April 7, 2017 and ending at the close of business January 17, 2019, replacing Robinson W. Joslin, who passed away.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 7th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, James David Benson, Republican, from Dublin, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Tuition Trust Authority Investment Board for a term beginning March 24, 2017 and ending at the close of business January 30, 2021, replacing Vineeta Jindal, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 24th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Jillian Froment, from Franklin County, Ohio, as Superintendent of the Department of Insurance for a term beginning March 31, 2017, and continuing at the pleasure of the Governor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of March in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Thomas W. Gunlock, from Centerville, Montgomery County, Ohio, as a Member of the Miami University Board of Trustees for a term beginning March 24, 2017 and ending at the close of business February 28, 2023, replacing Stephen P. Wilson, who resigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and

caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 24th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint Lance D. Himes, from Franklin County, Ohio, as Interim Director of the Ohio Department of Health for a term beginning March 31, 2017, and continuing at the pleasure of the Governor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of March in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Mary Esther Katris, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Board of Motor Vehicle Repair for a term beginning March 24, 2017 and ending at the close of business January 1, 2020, replacing Matthew T. Penney, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 24th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Jamillee L. Krob, RDH, MPH, DHed, from Canton, Stark County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Dental Board for a term beginning April 11, 2017 and ending at the close of business April 6, 2021, replacing Jeanne G. Huber, RDH, BA, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 11th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Pearl Kathryn Mills, from Steubenville, Jefferson County, Ohio, as a Member of the Eastern Gateway Community College Board of Trustees for a term beginning April 11, 2017 and ending at the close of business October 16, 2021, replacing Dante J. Zambrini, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 11th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, James Christopher Oda, from Piqua, Miami County, Ohio, as a Member of the Edison State Community College Board of Trustees for a term beginning March 23, 2017 and ending at the close of business January 17, 2023, replacing Tony Wendeln, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 23rd day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, David Michael Reynolds, from Solon, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Cleveland State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning March 23, 2017 and ending at the close of business May 1, 2025, replacing Todd C. Davidson, who resigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 23rd day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Dell Robinson, from Lorain, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio University Board of Trustees for a term beginning March 24, 2017 and ending at the close of business May 13, 2019, replacing Kevin B. Lake, who resigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 24th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Kim Gage Rothermel, M.D., from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member

of the State Medical Board for a new term beginning March 20, 2017 and ending at the close of business March 18, 2022, replacing Kim Gage Rothermel, M.D., whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 20th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Gregory H. Simpson, Republican, from Milford, Clermont County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Racing Commission for a term beginning April 14, 2017 and ending at the close of business March 31, 2021, replacing Mark Munroe, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 14th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Lynn Slaby, Republican, from Copley, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Casino Control Commission for a term beginning April 21, 2017 and ending at the close of business February 21, 2021, replacing Martin R. Hoke, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 21st day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

**STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS**

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Thomas R. Winters, Democrat, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Racing Commission for a new term beginning April 14, 2017 and ending at the close of business March 31, 2021, replacing Thomas R. Winters, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 14th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

[Seal]

John R. Kasich,
Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

President Larry Obhof
Ohio Senate, 22nd District
Ohio Statehouse
1 Capitol Sq., Rm. 201
Columbus, OH 43215
April 19, 2017

Dear President Obhof,

I hereby resign my position as Senate Minority Leader, effective April 26, 2017 or the date of the next voting session of the Senate. I request that you schedule a vote to elect my replacement at that time.

It has been a great honor to serve as Minority Leader representing the 33rd district, my fellow caucus members, and citizens of Ohio. I know you will show my successor the same respect and collegiality that we have enjoyed.

I will continue to be an advocate for Ohio and the Mahoning Valley and work to strengthen Ohio's schools, communities, and economy.

Sincerely,
/s/ **JOE SCHIAVONI**
Joe Schiavoni
Senate Minority Leader

33rd District

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

April 20, 2017

The Honorable Joe Schiavoni
Ohio Senate
1 Capitol Square, Room 303
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Senator Schiavoni,

It is with regret that I accept your resignation as Minority Leader of the Ohio Senate, but I know that you will continue to serve the people of the 33rd District faithfully during the remainder of your time in this chamber.

It has been my pleasure to lead alongside you, and I look forward to continuing to work together.

Best wishes,
/s/ **LARRY OBHOF**
Larry Obhof
Senate President
22nd District

On the motion of Senator Gardner, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, April 26, 2017 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.