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 Sykes recognized Dennis Hetzel on his retirement from the Ohio News Media Association and Monica Neiporte for her new position as Executive Director of the Ohio News Media Association.

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

Senator Burke submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Health, Human Services and Medicaid, to which was referred S. B. No. 27-Senator Uecker, et. al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back with the following amendment and recommends its passage when so amended.

Co-Sponsors: Hottinger, Huffman, S..

YES - 7:  JAY HOTTINGER, STEPHANIE KUNZE, PEGGY LEHNER, BOB D. HACKETT, DAVE BURKE, STEPHEN A. HUFFMAN, THERESA GAVARONE

NO - 3:  NICKIE J. ANTONIO, CECIL THOMAS, TINA MAHARATH

In line 459, after "authorizing" insert "the minor to"; after "consent" insert ", or the court to consent on behalf of the minor,"

In line 460, after "2151.85" insert "or division (C) of section 2919.121"

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"
The report of the committee was accepted.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

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

S. B. No. 118 - Senator Roegner
To amend section 2903.13 of the Revised Code to increase the penalty for assault if the victim is acting as a sports official or the assault is committed in retaliation for the victim's actions as a sports official.

**S. B. No. 119** - Senators Roegner, Peterson
Cosponsors: Senators Uecker, Terhar

To amend section 1.04 of the Revised Code to exempt Ohio from daylight savings time.

**S. B. No. 120** - Senators McColley, Rulli
Cosponsors: Senators Brenner, Huffman, M., Huffman, S., Roegner

To amend section 117.46 of the Revised Code to authorize the Auditor of State to conduct performance audits of any and all state institutions of higher education.

**S. B. No. 121** - Senators Sykes, Kunze
Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Thomas, Williams, Craig, Fedor, Lehner

To amend sections 3301.0718 and 3313.6011 and to enact section 3301.0727 of the Revised Code to require the State Board of Education to adopt health education standards and to require that only statewide venereal disease education standards and curriculum be approved by the General Assembly.

**OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS**

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

**S. R. No. 81** - Senators Kunze, Burke
Honoring the Dublin Jerome High School hockey team as the 2019 Division I State Runner-up.

**S. R. No. 82** - Senator Gavarone
Honoring James White as a 2019 Ohio High School State Powerlifting Champion.

**S. R. No. 83** - Senator Obhof
Honoring Josh Bever as the Division I State Wrestling Champion in the 220-pound weight class.

**S. R. No. 84** - Senator Obhof
Honoring Logan Heil as the 2019 Division I State Wrestling Champion in the 126-pound weight class.

**S. R. No. 85** - Senators Craig, Maharath, Brenner, Kunze
Honoring the Columbus Africentric Early College High School girls basketball team as the 2019 Division III State Champion.

**S. R. No. 86 - Senator Kunze**
Honoring Joy Grubbs as the 2019 Ohio Educational Theater Association Teacher of the Year.

**S. R. No. 87 - Senator Kunze**
Honoring Chris Burkhart as a 2019 Division I State Indoor Track and Field Champion.

**S. R. No. 88 - Senator Kunze**
Honoring Calista Manns as the 2019 Division II-III State Indoor Track and Field Champion in the 60-meter hurdles.

**S. R. No. 89 - Senator Kunze**
Honoring the Hilliard Davidson High School girls 3,200-meter relay team as the 2019 Division I State Indoor Track and Field Meet Runner-up.

**S. R. No. 90 - Senator Manning**
Honoring Peyton Fenton as a 2019 Division I State Champion.

**S. R. No. 91 - Senator Manning**
Honoring Mick Burnett as the Division I State Wrestling Champion in the 132-pound weight class.

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, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Dr. Amy Stearns Acton, from Franklin County, Ohio, as Director of the
Department of Health for a term beginning March 4, 2019 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 26th day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal] Mike DeWine, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, McKinley E. Brown, Republican, from Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Casino Control Commission for a new term beginning February 28, 2019 and ending at the close of business February 21, 2023, replacing McKinley E. Brown, 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 28th day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal] Mike DeWine, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Laurel Dawson, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Capitol Square Review and Advisory Board for a term beginning February 15, 2019 and continuing at the pleasure of the Governor, replacing Beth Hansen.

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 15th day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal] Mike DeWine, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Brian M. Perera, from Upper Arlington, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Sunset Review Committee for a term beginning March 13, 2019 and ending at the close of business December 31, 2020, replacing Brian M. Perera, 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 13th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal]
Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, John S. Steinhauer, J.D., Republican, from Akron, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Casino Control Commission for a new term beginning February 28, 2019 and ending at the close of business February 21, 2023, replacing John S. Steinhauer, J.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 28th day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal]
Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Karen S. Stewart-Linkhart, Democrat, from Xenia, Greene County, Ohio, as a Member of the Wildlife Council for a term beginning February 19, 2019 and ending at the close of business January 31, 2023, replacing Karen S. Stewart-Linkhart, 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 1st day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal]  
Mike DeWine,  
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Judy C. Wolford, J.D., Republican, from Ashville, Pickaway County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Organized Crime Investigations Commission for a term beginning March 13, 2019 and ending at the close of business September 3, 2020, replacing Carol A. Hamilton O'Brien, 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 13th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal]  
Mike DeWine,  
Governor.
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Erik F. Yassenoff, M.A., from Upper Arlington, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Sunset Review Committee for a term beginning March 13, 2019 and ending at the close of business December 31, 2020, replacing Linda Woggon, 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 13th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

[Seal]  

Mike DeWine, Governor.

On the motion of Senator Sykes, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, March 27, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:  
VINCENT L. KEERAN, Clerk.