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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2023

SIXTY-SIXTH DAY  
Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio  
**Wednesday, August 16, 2023, 9:00 o'clock a.m.**

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to House Rule No. 23, the Clerk called the House to order.

Representative Claggett was selected to preside under the Rule.

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

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following bills were introduced:

**H. B. No. 254** - Representatives Richardson, Holmes.

Cosponsors: Representatives Abrams, Brennan, Carruthers, Dean, Demetriou, Gross, Johnson, Miller, J., Pavliga, Schmidt, Seitz, Williams, Willis, White.

To amend sections 323.151, 323.152, 323.153, 4503.065, and 4503.066 of the Revised Code to expand and enhance the homestead property tax exemption for disabled veterans.

**H. B. No. 255** - Representatives Miller, K., Ghanbari.

Cosponsors: Representatives Carruthers, Brennan.

To amend sections 503.40, 503.41, 503.42, 503.43, 503.44, 503.47, 503.48, 503.49, 503.50, 4731.15, 4731.41, and 5502.01; to enact sections 503.411 and 5502.75; and to repeal sections 503.45 and 503.46 of the Revised Code to make changes to the laws governing massage establishments and to establish a nontherapeutic massage registration and to amend the version of section 503.41 of the Revised Code scheduled to take effect on December 29, 2023, to continue the change on and after that date.

**H. B. No. 256** - Representatives Miller, K., Creech.

Cosponsors: Representatives Johnson, Brennan, Seitz, Schmidt, Gross.

To amend section 2108.05 and to enact section 2108.231 of the Revised Code to require the Department of Natural Resources to inquire about organ donation under specified circumstances.

Said bills were considered the first time.

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

Representative Dobos moved that the following resolutions be read by title only and brought up for immediate adoption:

**H. R. No. 257 - Representative Russo**

Honoring the Ohio Coralinas Synchronized Swimming Club on winning a 2023 National Junior Olympic Gold Medal.

**H. R. No. 258 - Representative Santucci**

Honoring American Legion DeWitt McConnell Post 235 on its Centennial.

**H. R. No. 259 - Representative Ghanbari**

Honoring Marcus Blaze on placing first at 2023 U-17 World Wrestling Championship.

The motion was agreed to.

The question being, "Shall the resolutions be adopted?"

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Representative Dobos, the House adjourned until Tuesday, August 22, 2023 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

RONALD PUFF,  
Engrossing Clerk.