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THIRTY-FIRST DAY
Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio
Thursday, April 20, 2023, 9:00 o'clock a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced:

H. B. No. 155 - Representatives Young, T., Demetriou.

Cosponsors: Representatives Barhorst, Dean, Wiggam, Plummer, Santucci, Williams, Willis, King.

To amend section 1301.201 of the Revised Code to exclude central bank digital currencies from being treated as money under the Ohio Uniform Commercial Code.

Said bill was considered the first time.

**REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES AND BILLS
FOR SECOND CONSIDERATION**

Representative Mohamed submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Constitutional Resolutions to which was referred **H. J. R. No. 1**-Representative Stewart, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back with the following amendment and recommends its adoption when so amended.

RE: CA: REQUIRE 60% VOTE TO APPROVE ANY
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Representative Stewart moved to amend as follows:

In line 11, delete "May 2" and insert "August 8"

The motion was agreed to and the joint resolution so amended.

PHIL PLUMMER
ADAM MATHEWS
BRIAN STEWART
JIM THOMAS

RON FERGUSON
DEREK MERRIN
D. J. SWEARINGEN

The following member voted "NO"

BRETT HUDSON HILLYER

The report was agreed to.

The joint resolution was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed the following bills in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. B. No. 24 - Senator Roegner

Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Blessing, Brenner, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Hackett, Hicks-Hudson, Johnson, Landis, Reineke, Reynolds, Romanchuk, Rulli, Schaffer, Smith, Sykes, Wilson

To enact section 5.2320 of the Revised Code to designate April as "Sikh Awareness Month."

Sub. S. B. No. 92 - Senators McColley, Gavarone

Cosponsors: Senators Brenner, Cirino, Hoagland, Huffman, S., Lang, O'Brien, Wilson

To amend section 3501.022 of the Revised Code to allow a special election to be held in August for certain purposes, to require a special election to be held on August 8, 2023, and to make an appropriation.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Said bills were considered the first time.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

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

Sub. S. J. R. No. 2 - Senators McColley, Gavarone

Cosponsors: Senators Antani, Brenner, Cirino, Lang, O'Brien, Reineke, Roegner, Schaffer, Wilkin, Wilson, Hoagland, Huffman, S., Johnson, Reynolds, Romanchuk

Proposing to amend Sections 1b, 1e, and 1g of Article II and Sections 1 and 3 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Ohio to require a vote of at least 60% of the electors to approve any constitutional amendment and to modify the procedures for an initiative petition proposing a constitutional amendment.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Said joint resolution was considered the first time.

On motion of Representative Callender, the House adjourned until Tuesday, April 25, 2023 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

BRADLEY J. YOUNG,
Clerk.