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ONE HUNDRED THIRD DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Wednesday, December 6, 2023, 1:30 p.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Rick Reynolds, Senior Pastor of Common Ground Destiny Center Church in Columbus, Ohio, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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 Reynolds recognized Mark Lowrie from Gahanna Lincoln High School as the Ohio Teacher of the Year.

Senator Hackett recognized Dr. Jo Alice Blondin, President of Clark State College, as the 2023 Marie Y. Martin Executive Officer Award from the Association of Community College Trustees.

Senator DeMora recognized the Upper Arlington High School Girls Water Polo team as the 2023 Division I State Champions.

President Huffman recognized the Class of 2024 LSC Fellows.

Senator Antonio recognized members of the Ohio Children's Alliance on their visit to the Statehouse in honor of their 50th anniversary.

Senator Sykes recognized Dr. Felix Kumah-Abiwu and exchange students from South Africa studying at Kent State University on their visit to the Statehouse.

Senator Reynolds recognized her husband, Dr. Rick Reynolds along with members of her church on their visit to the Statehouse.

Senator Wilkin honored David Beaver, Timothy Furbee, and Cameron Boatman, victims of an explosion at Jimbo's Auto Repair shop in Hillsboro, Ohio.

Senator McColley moved that the Senate advance to the ninth order of business, being offering of resolutions

The motion was agreed to.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Senators Huffman, M., McColley offered the following resolution:

S. R. No. 247-Senators Huffman, M., McColley.

Relative to the election of Brian M. Chavez, to fill the vacancy in the membership of the Senate created by the resignation of Frank Hoagland of the 30th Senatorial District.

WHEREAS, Section 11 of Article II of the Ohio Constitution, provides for the filling of a vacancy in the Senate by election by the members of the Senate who are affiliated with the same political party as the person last elected to the seat which has become vacant; and

WHEREAS, Frank Hoagland of the 30th Senatorial District has resigned as a member of the Senate effective December 1, 2023, thus creating a vacancy in the Senate; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the members of the Senate who are affiliated with the Republican party, that Brian M. Chavez (Republican), having the qualifications set forth in the Ohio Constitution and the laws of Ohio to be a member of the Senate from the 30th Senatorial District, is hereby elected, pursuant to Section 11 of Article II of the Ohio Constitution, as a member of the Senate from the 30th Senatorial District, to fill the vacancy created by Frank Hoagland; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the journal of the Senate together with the yeas and nays of the members of the Senate affiliated with the Republican party voting on the Resolution, and that the Clerk of the Senate shall certify the Resolution and the vote on its adoption to the Secretary of State.

The question being, "Shall the resolution, **S. R. No. 247**, be adopted?

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 24, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antani	Blessing	Brenner	Cirino
Dolan	Gavarone	Hackett	Huffman, S.
Johnson	Kunze	Landis	Lang
Manning	McColley	O'Brien	Reineke
Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli
Schaffer	Wilkin	Wilson	Huffman, M.-24

Senator Chavez appeared at the bar of the Senate and was administered the oath of office by the Honorable Matt Huffman, President of the Senate.

Senator McColley moved that the Senate revert to the first order of business, being reports of reference and bills for second consideration

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS OF REFERENCE AND BILLS FOR SECOND CONSIDERATION

Senator Huffman, M. reports for the standing committee on Rules and Reference, recommending that the following bills and resolutions, standing in order for second consideration, be referred to committee as recommended:

Am. H. B. No. 54-Representative Grim, et al.

To enact section 5534.502 of the Revised Code to designate the interchange of I-475 and Dorr Street in Lucas County as the "Keith G. Earley Memorial Interchange."

To the Committee on Transportation.

H. B. No. 75-Representatives Lampton, Dean, et al.

To enact section 5534.919 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 72 in Greene County as the "Caitlin Renee Preston Memorial Highway."

To the Committee on Transportation.

H. B. No. 81-Representatives Robb Blasdel, Jones, et al.

To enact section 5534.452 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 39 in Carroll County as the "Sheriff Dale R. Williams Memorial Highway."

To the Committee on Transportation.

H. B. No. 107-Representative Patton, et al.

To enact section 5534.442 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of I-90 in Cleveland as the "Cleveland Firefighter Johnny Tetrick Memorial Highway."

To the Committee on Transportation.

H. B. No. 139-Representatives Roemer, Miller, J., et al.

To amend sections 2903.13 and 2929.13 of the Revised Code to increase the penalties 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.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. No. 161-Representatives Miranda, Hillyer, et al.

To amend sections 2907.02, 2907.03, 2907.04, 2907.05, 2907.06, 2907.07, and 2945.42 of the Revised Code to eliminate the spousal exceptions for the offenses of rape, sexual battery, unlawful sexual conduct with a minor, gross sexual imposition, sexual imposition, and importuning and to permit a person to testify against the person's spouse in a prosecution for any of those offenses.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. No. 176-Representative Grim, et al.

To amend sections 4501.21 and 4503.53 of the Revised Code to revise the "Ohio Carpenters" license plate.

To the Committee on Transportation.

H. B. No. 201-Representatives Hillyer, Demetriou, et al.

To enact section 3704.20 of the Revised Code to prohibit a state agency, county, or township from restricting the sale or use of a motor vehicle based on the energy source used to power the motor vehicle and to prohibit a state agency from adopting the California emissions standards for motor vehicles.

To the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities.

Sub. H. B. No. 214-Representative Holmes, et al.

To amend sections 3314.03 and 3326.11 and to enact section 3319.614 of the Revised Code to require each public school to adopt a policy regarding certain expectations related to the performance of staff member professional duties and to amend the version of section 3314.03 of the Revised Code that is scheduled to take effect January 1, 2025, to continue the changes on and after that effective date.

To the Committee on Education.

Am. H. B. No. 250-Representatives Miranda, Richardson, et al.

To amend section 3313.6114 of the Revised Code to revise the Military Enlistment diploma seal.

To the Committee on Education.

Am. H. B. No. 256-Representatives Miller, K., Creech, et al.

To amend sections 2108.05 and 2108.33 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.

To the Committee on Health.

Sub. H. B. No. 257-Representatives Hoops, Claggett, et al.
To amend sections 305.02, 715.693, 924.12, 5505.04, and 5543.06 and to enact sections 121.221, 145.071, 742.071, and 3309.091 of the Revised Code to authorize certain public bodies to meet virtually.

To the Committee on Government Oversight.

S. R. No. 240-Senator Johnson, et al.
To condemn the People's Republic of China for its role in the global drug trade, especially in its capacity as the largest point of origin of fentanyl smuggled to the United States.

To the Committee on Community Revitalization.

S. R. No. 241-Senator Johnson, et al.
To condemn the People's Republic of China and the Chinese Communist Party for conducting unrestricted warfare against the world, and especially against the United States, and for the systematic, brutal oppression of its own people.

To the Committee on Community Revitalization.

S. R. No. 242-Senator Johnson, et al.
To urge the United States Congress to designate the Sinaloa Cartel and the Jalisco Cartel New Generation, as well as similar drug cartels like the Zheng Cartel, as foreign terrorist organizations and to recognize the threats those organizations pose to the people of the United States as terrorism.

To the Committee on Community Revitalization.

S. B. No. 187-Senators Craig, Sykes, et al.
To amend sections 2923.13 and 2923.14 of the Revised Code to prohibit a person who is charged with or has been convicted of first degree misdemeanor domestic violence from possessing a firearm or dangerous ordnance.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. No. 188-Senators Craig, Sykes, et al.

To enact section 2923.22 of the Revised Code to limit liability for federally licensed firearms dealers in regards to firearm hold agreements.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. No. 189-Senators Craig, Sykes, et al.

To amend sections 5747.08 and 5747.98 and to enact sections 5747.86 and 5747.87 of the Revised Code to authorize a nonrefundable income tax credit for the cost of handgun training and firearms storage and locking devices.

To the Committee on Ways and Means.

S. B. No. 190-Senator Antani

To amend section 5753.021 of the Revised Code to reduce the sports gaming tax rate from 20% to 10%.

To the Committee on Finance.

S. B. No. 191-Senator Romanchuk

To enact section 5534.154 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 39 in Richland County as the "PFC Richard 'Rick' Wesley McFarland Memorial Highway."

To the Committee on Transportation.

S. B. No. 192-Senator Brenner, et al.

To amend sections 4735.01 and 4735.18 and to enact section 5301.95 of the Revised Code to expand the scope of activities for which a real estate broker's license is required and to require wholesalers to make certain disclosures in transactions involving residential real property.

To the Committee on Government Oversight.

S. B. No. 193-Senators Hoagland, Johnson

To amend sections 2909.21, 2909.24, 2925.37, and 3719.21 and to enact section 5502.09 of the Revised Code to add drug offenses committed by a major drug offender to the definition of "specified offenses" used in terrorism offenses, to modify the offense of terrorism, to prohibit possession of an encapsulating or tableting machine, and to create the pill press mold, encapsulating machine, and tableting machine registry.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. No. 194-Senator Reynolds

To amend section 742.33 of the Revised Code to increase contribution amounts that employers of full-time municipal police officers must make to the Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund.

To the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. No. 195-Senator Manning

To enact section 149.60 of the Revised Code to establish the Ohio Ireland Trade Commission.

To the Committee on General Government.

S. B. No. 196-Senator Roegner

To amend sections 173.521, 173.542, 940.09, 1347.08, 1561.12, 1571.012, 1751.84, 3304.23, 3309.22, 3313.716, 3319.141, 3501.382, 3701.046, 3701.144, 3701.162, 3701.262, 3701.47, 3701.48, 3701.50, 3701.59, 3701.74, 3705.30, 3705.33, 3705.35, 3707.08, 3710.07, 3721.01, 3721.011, 3721.041, 3727.19, 3742.03, 3742.04, 3742.07, 3901.56, 3923.25, 3923.84, 4113.23, 4506.07, 4507.06, 4507.08, 4507.081, 4507.141, 4507.30, 4511.81, 4729.284, 4729.41, 4729.45, 4729.47, 5120.17, 5120.21, 5145.22, and 5739.01 and to enact sections 4723.436 and 4723.4812 of the Revised Code regarding the authority of advanced practice registered nurses, and to amend the version of section 3705.30 of the Revised Code that is scheduled to take effect on September 30, 2024, to continue the changes to that section on and after that date.

To the Committee on Health.

S. B. No. 197-Senator Antani

To amend sections 1901.261, 1907.261, 2101.162, 2151.541, 2153.081, 2301.031, 2303.201, 2951.041, 2953.31, 2953.34, and 2953.61 and to enact section 2953.522 of the Revised Code to allow for the sealing or expungement of charges dismissed through intervention in lieu of conviction when those charges are connected to a conviction for operating a vehicle under the influence and to allow a clerk of court to spend computerization funds upon request.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. No. 198-Senators Lang, Manning

To amend sections 4507.50, 4507.51, 4507.52, 5120.59, and 5139.511 and to enact section 5145.1611 of the Revised Code to provide inmates with state identification cards and documentation upon their release relating to work experience, education, and trade skills.

To the Committee on Small Business and Economic Opportunity.

S. B. No. 199-Senator Lang, et al.

To amend sections 1707.01, 1707.03, 1707.09, 1707.091, 1707.092, 1707.13, and 1707.23 of the Revised Code to make changes to the Securities Law.

To the Committee on Financial Institutions and Technology.

YES - 12: NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, BOB D. HACKETT, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, MATT HUFFMAN, STEPHANIE KUNZE, ROB MCCOLLEY, MICHELE REYNOLDS, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.

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

The report of the committee was accepted.

Said bills and resolutions were considered a second time and referred to committee as recommended.

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

Senator Huffman, S. submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Health, to which was referred **S. B. No. 144-** Senator Romanchuk having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

YES - 5: STEPHEN A. HUFFMAN, TERRY JOHNSON, BOB D. HACKETT, KRISTINA D. ROEGNER, MARK ROMANCHUK

NO - 0.

Senator Blessing submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **Sub. H. B. No. 187-**Representatives Hall, Bird, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

YES - 5: LOUIS W. BLESSING, III, KRISTINA D. ROEGNER, KENT SMITH, JERRY C. CIRINO, TIM SCHAFFER

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the reports of the committee be accepted?"
The reports of the committee were accepted.

Senator Huffman, M. submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Rules and Reference to which were referred the appointments by the Governor of:

Barreras, Lori, Republican, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Civil Rights Commission for a term beginning September 1, 2023, ending at the close of business July 28, 2028, replacing Lori Barreras, whose term expired.

Dackin, Stephen, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as Director of the Department of Education and Workforce for a term beginning November 14, 2023, and continuing at the pleasure of the Governor.

Protsman, Christopher, Independent, from Kettering, Greene County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Organized Crime Investigations Commission for a term beginning June 30, 2023, ending at the close of business September 3, 2024, replacing Jeffrey P. Kruithoff, who resigned.

Wente, Kara, from Franklin County, Ohio, as Director of the Department of Children and Youth for a term beginning August 21, 2023, and continuing at the pleasure of the Governor.

Zacharias, Joseph, from Marietta, Washington County, Ohio, as a Member of the Washington State Community College Board of Trustees for a term beginning September 1, 2023, ending at the close of business February 17, 2029, replacing Daniel Lee Pennock, whose term expired.

Having had the same under consideration, reports back the recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to said appointments.

YES – 12: NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, BOB D. HACKETT, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, MATT HUFFMAN, STEPHANIE KUNZE, ROB

MCCOLLEY, MICHELE REYNOLDS, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

NO – 0.

The question being, "Shall the Senate advise and consent to the appointments by the Governor?"

Senator Antonio moved that the appointment of Stephen Dackin be removed from the list and voted on separately.

The question being, "Shall the motion be agreed to?"

The motion was agreed to.

The question being, "Shall the Senate advise and consent to the remaining appointments by the Governor?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 30, nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Brenner	Chavez
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Ingram
Johnson	Kunze	Landis	Lang
Manning	McColley	O'Brien	Reineke
Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli
Schaffer	Smith	Sykes	Wilkin
Wilson			Huffman, M.-30

Senator Antani voted in the negative-1.

So the Senate advised and consented to said appointments.

The question being, Shall the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Stephen Dackin?

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 25, nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Blessing	Brenner	Chavez	Cirino
Dolan	Gavarone	Hackett	Huffman, S.
Ingram	Johnson	Kunze	Landis
Lang	Manning	McColley	O'Brien
Reineke	Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk
Rulli	Schaffer	Sykes	Wilkin
			Huffman, M.-25

Senators Antani, Antonio, DeMora, Hicks-Hudson, Smith, and Wilson voted in the negative-6.

So the Senate advised and consented to said appointment.

Senator Huffman, M. submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Rules and Reference to which were referred the appointments by the Attorney General of:

Grossman, Cheryl, Republican, from Grove City, Franklin County, Ohio, as

a Member of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel Governing Board for a term beginning September 2, 2023, ending at the close of business September 1, 2026.

Skinner, Connie, Republican, from Delaware, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel Governing Board for a term beginning September 2, 2023, ending at the close of business September 1, 2026.

Watkins, Michael, Republican, from Elida, Allen County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel Governing Board for a term beginning September 2, 2023, ending at the close of business September 1, 2026.

Having had the same under consideration, reports back the recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to said appointments.

YES – 12: NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, BOB D. HACKETT, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, MATT HUFFMAN, STEPHANIE KUNZE, ROB MCCOLLEY, MICHELE REYNOLDS, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

NO – 0.

The question being, "Shall the Senate advise and consent to the appointments by the Attorney General?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 29, nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Brenner	Chavez
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Johnson
Kunze	Landis	Lang	Manning
McColley	O'Brien	Reineke	Reynolds
Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli	Schaffer
Smith	Sykes	Wilkin	Wilson
			Huffman, M.-29

Senators Antani and Ingram voted in the negative-2.

So the Senate advised and consented to said appointments.

BILLS FOR THIRD CONSIDERATION

Sub. H. B. No. 187-Representatives Hall, Bird.
Cosponsors: Representatives Roemer, White, Creech, Schmidt, Dean, Plummer, Lear, Young, T., Demetriou, Jones, Carruthers, Kick, Fowler Arthur, Lorenz, Click, Cutrona, Dobos, Edwards, Gross, John, Johnson, Miller, M., Peterson, Williams.

To amend sections 323.152, 323.153, 323.156, 2506.01, 4503.065, 4503.066, 4503.068, 5713.01, 5713.03, 5715.012, 5715.19, 5715.24, 5715.25, 5715.251, 5715.26, and 5717.01 of the Revised Code to make changes to the law governing real property valuation and tax complaints, to temporarily modify the computation of the homestead exemption, to abate property taxes on certain municipal and community improvement corporation property, to make an appropriation, and to declare an emergency, was considered the third time.

The question being, “Shall the section, Section 10, setting forth the emergency features of the bill, stand as a part of the bill?”

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 29, nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Brenner	Chavez
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Johnson
Kunze	Landis	Lang	Manning
McColley	O'Brien	Reineke	Reynolds
Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli	Schaffer
Smith	Sykes	Wilkin	Wilson
			Huffman, M.-29

Senators Antani and Ingram voted in the negative-2.

So the section, Section 10, setting forth the emergency features of the bill stood as a part of the bill.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass as an emergency measure?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 31, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antani	Antonio	Blessing	Brenner
Chavez	Cirino	DeMora	Dolan
Gavarone	Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.
Ingram	Johnson	Kunze	Landis
Lang	Manning	McColley	O'Brien
Reineke	Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk
Rulli	Schaffer	Smith	Sykes
Wilkin	Wilson		Huffman, M.-31

So the bill having received the required constitutional majority passed as an emergency measure.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Brenner, Cirino, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Johnson, Landis, Lang, Manning, Reineke, Romanchuk, Rulli, Schaffer, Wilkin."

The question being, “Shall the motion be agreed to?”

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

S. B. No. 144-Senator Romanchuk.

To amend section 4729.41 of the Revised Code regarding immunizations administered by pharmacists, pharmacy interns, and pharmacy technicians, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **S. B. No. 144**, pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 30, nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Brenner	Chavez
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Ingram
Johnson	Kunze	Landis	Lang
Manning	McColley	O'Brien	Reineke
Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli
Schaffer	Smith	Sykes	Wilkin
Wilson			Huffman, M.-30

Senator Antani voted in the negative-1.

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Senators Antonio, Blessing, Cirino, DeMora, Gavarone, Hackett, Huffman, S., Kunze, Lang, Manning, Reineke, Smith."

The question being, “Shall the motion be agreed to?”

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

MOTIONS

Senator Gavarone moved that Senators absent the week of Sunday, December 03, 2023, be excused, so long as a written explanation is on file with the Clerk pursuant to Senate Rule No. 17.

The question being, "Shall the motion be agreed to?"

The motion was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

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

S. B. No. 200 - Senators Schaffer, Landis.

To declare the General Assembly's intent to regulate carbon capture and storage technologies and the geologic sequestration of carbon dioxide for long-term storage.

S. B. No. 201 - Senator DeMora.
Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Craig, Smith, Hicks-Hudson, Sykes, Ingram.

To amend sections 3501.01, 3505.03, 3505.04, and 3513.257 of the

Revised Code to require justice of the Supreme Court and judge of court of appeals candidates to appear on the nonpartisan ballot with other judicial candidates.

S. B. No. 202 - Senator Antani.

To repeal section 1349.09 of the Revised Code and to repeal Section 803.380 of H.B. 33 of the 135th General Assembly to repeal the requirement that operators of online web sites, services, and products that target children under age 16 obtain parental consent.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator McColley offered the following resolution:

S. R. No. 248-Senator McColley.

Relative to mileage reimbursement.

RESOLVED, Pursuant to section 101.27 of the Revised Code and S.R. No. 2--Senator Schuring, Relative to mileage reimbursement, adopted January 3, 2023, the Clerk of the Senate is authorized to add the mileage for Brian M. Chavez of 254 miles round trip.

The question being, "Shall the resolution, **S. R. No. 248**, be adopted?

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 30, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antani	Antonio	Blessing	Brenner
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Ingram
Johnson	Kunze	Landis	Lang
Manning	McColley	O'Brien	Reineke
Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli
Schaffer	Smith	Sykes	Wilkin
Wilson			Huffman, M.-30

So the resolution was adopted.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Hackett, Johnson."

The question being, "Shall the motion be agreed to?"

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

Senator McColley offered the following resolution:

S. R. No. 249-Senator McColley.

Relative to mileage reimbursement.

RESOLVED, Pursuant to section 101.27 of the Revised Code and S.R. No. 2--Senator Schuring, Relative to mileage reimbursement, adopted January 3, 2023, the Clerk of the Senate is authorized to add the mileage for Andrew O. Brenner of 64 miles round trip.

The question being, “Shall the resolution, **S. R. No. 249**, be adopted?

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 30, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antani	Antonio	Blessing	Chavez
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Ingram
Johnson	Kunze	Landis	Lang
Manning	McColley	O'Brien	Reineke
Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli
Schaffer	Smith	Sykes	Wilkin
Wilson			Huffman, M.-30

So the resolution was adopted.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 55, the following resolution was offered:

S. R. No. 250 - Senator Dolan.

Honoring Matt Spellman on being named the 2023 OIAAA Athletic Director of the Year.

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

So the resolution was adopted.

On the motion of Senator McColley, the Senate recessed until 5:30 p.m.

The Senate met pursuant to the recess.

Senator McColley moved that the Senate revert to the second order of business, being reports of standing and select committees

The motion was agreed to.

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

Senator Johnson submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Community Revitalization, to which was referred **S. R. No. 240-**Senator Johnson, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its adoption.

YES - 3: TERRY JOHNSON, AL LANDIS, MICHELE REYNOLDS

NO - 1: VERNON SYKES

Senator Rulli submitted the following report:

The standing committee on General Government, to which was referred **Sub. H. B. No. 86-**Representative LaRe, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor – S. Huffman

YES - 5: MICHAEL A. RULLI, STEPHEN A. HUFFMAN, WILLIAM P. DEMORA, THERESA GAVARONE, ROB MCCOLLEY

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the reports of the committee be accepted?"
The reports of the committee were accepted.

BILLS FOR THIRD CONSIDERATION

Sub. H. B. No. 86-Representative LaRe.
Cosponsors: Representatives Carruthers, Stein, Miller, J., Schmidt, Brennan, Barhorst, Miller, A., Dell'Aquila, Abrams, Brewer, Creech, Cross, Forhan, Johnson, Jones, Kick, Lampton, Mathews, Richardson, Russo, Seitz, Somani, Swearingen, Thomas, C., Upchurch, Wiggam, Williams. Senator Huffman, S.

To amend sections 121.95, 121.951, 519.21, 928.01, 928.03, 2925.01, 3376.07, 3719.01, 3796.01, 3796.02, 3796.03, 3796.05, 3796.06, 3796.07, 3796.09, 3796.10, 3796.12, 3796.14, 3796.15, 3796.17, 3796.18, 3796.19, 3796.20, 3796.21, 3796.22, 3796.24, 3796.28, 3796.29, 3796.30, 4301.17, 4301.171, 4303.041, 4303.184, 4399.15, 4735.18, 5119.10, 5502.01, 5502.13, 5502.14, 5713.30, 5739.21, and 5739.99; to enact sections 109.44, 2953.321, 3796.04, 3796.062, 3796.221, 3796.32, 3796.33, 3796.99, 5119.81, 5119.82, 5119.83, 5120.81, 5739.27, 5739.271, and 5739.272; and to repeal sections 3780.01, 3780.02, 3780.03, 3780.04, 3780.05, 3780.06, 3780.07, 3780.08, 3780.09, 3780.10, 3780.11, 3780.12, 3780.13, 3780.14, 3780.15, 3780.16, 3780.17, 3780.18, 3780.19, 3780.20, 3780.21, 3780.22, 3780.23, 3780.24, 3780.25, 3780.26, 3780.27, 3780.28, 3780.29, 3780.30, 3780.31, 3780.32, 3780.33, 3780.34, 3780.35, 3780.36, 3780.90, 3780.99, and 3796.021 of the Revised Code to revise specified provisions of the liquor control, hemp, and adult-use marijuana laws and to levy taxes on marijuana, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Sub. H. B. No. 86**, pass?"

Senator DeMora moved to amend as follows:

In line 1730, after "consumers" insert ", other than adult-use marijuana intended for consumption by vaporization,"

The question being, "Shall the amendment be agreed to?"

The motion to amend was agreed to.

The question recurred, "Shall the bill, **Sub. H. B. No. 86**, pass?"

Senator McColley moved to amend as follows:

In line 1933, after "A" insert "provisional"

In line 2067, after "A" insert "provisional"

The question being, "Shall the amendment be agreed to?"

The motion to amend was agreed to.

The question recurred, "Shall the bill, **Sub. H. B. No. 86**, pass?"

Senator Hicks-Hudson moved to amend as follows:

In line 1075, delete "," and insert "and"

In line 1078, delete "and the person did not violate the provisions of any"

In line 1079, delete "community control sanction imposed for the violation,"

In line 1095, after "section," insert "and"

In line 1098, delete ", and that the person did"

Delete line 1099

In line 1100, delete "imposed for the violation"

In line 1122, delete "," and insert "and"

In line 1125, delete ", and whether the"

Delete line 1126

In line 1127, delete "sanction imposed for the violation"

In line 1141, delete "," and insert "and"

In line 1144, delete ", and that the person did"

Delete line 1145

In line 1146, delete "imposed for the violation"

The question being, "Shall the amendment be agreed to?"

The motion to amend was agreed to.

The question recurred, "Shall the bill, **Sub. H. B. No. 86**, pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 29, nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Brenner	Chavez
Cirino	DeMora	Dolan	Gavarone
Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.	Johnson
Kunze	Landis	Lang	Manning
McColley	O'Brien	Reineke	Reynolds
Roegner	Romanchuk	Rulli	Schaffer
Smith	Sykes	Wilkin	Wilson
			Huffman, M.-29

Senators Antani and Ingram voted in the negative-2.

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Brenner, Cirino, DeMora, McColley, Reineke, Smith, Reynolds."

The question being, “Shall the motion be agreed to?”

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

On the motion of Senator McColley, the Senate recessed until 9:00 a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to the recess.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Rules No. 19 and 20, the President of the Senate makes the following changes to the following Senate standing committees for the remainder of the 135th General Assembly:

Senate Committee on Community Revitalization
Remove Senator Terry Johnson, as Chair
Appoint Senator Al Landis, as Chair
Appoint Senator Brian M. Chavez, as Vice Chair

Senate Committee on Insurance
Appoint Senator Brian M. Chavez

Senator Committee on Transportation
Appoint Senator Brian M. Chavez

Senate Committee on Veterans and Public Safety
Appoint Senator Terry Johnson, as Chair
Appoint Senator Brian M. Chavez

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 103.41(D) of the Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Mark Romanchuk to serve as Chair of the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee for the second year of the 135th General Assembly.

On the motion of Senator Lang, the Senate adjourned until Monday, December 11, 2023 at 9:30 a.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.