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FORTY-NINTH DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Tuesday, May 30, 2023, 9:30 a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 3, the Clerk called the Senate to order.

Senator Huffman, S. was selected to preside according to the rule.

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

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

Senator Manning submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **S. B. No. 122-**Senators Manning, Hicks-Hudson having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

YES - 6: NATHAN H. MANNING, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, ROB MCCOLLEY, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.

Senator Blessing submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **S. B. No. 39-**Senator Schaffer having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

YES - 5: LOUIS W. BLESSING, III, THERESA GAVARONE, KENT SMITH, JERRY C. CIRINO, ROB MCCOLLEY

NO - 0.

Senator Blessing submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **S. B. No. 74-**Senator Gavarone having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

YES - 5: LOUIS W. BLESSING, III, THERESA GAVARONE, KENT SMITH, JERRY C. CIRINO, ROB MCCOLLEY

NO - 0.

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

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

S. B. No. 124 - Senator Schaffer.
Cosponsor: Senator Antani.

To amend sections 107.036, 5739.02, 5747.98, and 5751.98 and to enact sections 122.97, 122.971, 122.972, 122.973, 122.974, and 122.975 of the Revised Code to exempt from the sales and use tax the sale of certain firearms and ammunition and to authorize nonrefundable tax credits for small arms and ammunition manufacturers.

S. B. No. 125 - Senator Sykes.
Cosponsors: Senators Smith, Ingram.

To amend section 4501.21 and to enact section 4503.888 of the Revised Code to create the "St. Vincent-St. Mary High School" license plate.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

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

S. R. No. 129 - Senator Landis.
Honoring the Tuscarawas Valley High School competition cheerleading team on winning a 2023 OASSA State Championship.

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

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

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

Sub. H. B. No. 27 -Representatives Mathews, Thomas, J.
Cosponsors: Representatives Barhorst, Carruthers, Claggett, Click, Cutrona, Dean, Demetriou, Dobos, Ferguson, King, Klopfenstein, LaRe, Merrin, Peterson, Richardson, Williams, Willis, Miller, J., Abdullahi, Bird, Abrams, Blackshear, Brennan, Brewer, Cross, Dell'Aquila, Galonski, Grim, Hillyer, Holmes, Hoops, Humphrey, Isaacsohn, Jones, Lorenz, Miller, K., Miller, M.,

Patton, Pavliga, Pizzulli, Ray, Robinson, Rogers, Schmidt, Seitz, Somani, Stein, Stewart, Swearingen, Thomas, C., White, Wiggam

To enact section 3345.026 of the Revised Code to require state institutions of higher education to provide financial cost and aid disclosure forms.

H. B. No. 28 -Representative Humphrey
Cosponsors: Representatives Upchurch, Russo, Sweeney, Schmidt, Miller, A., Forhan, Brown, Blackshear, Brent, Weinstein, Somani, Baker, White, Abdullahi, Abrams, Barhorst, Brennan, Brewer, Carruthers, Dell'Aquila, Demetriou, Dobos, Galonski, Grim, Gross, Hall, Hillyer, Holmes, Hoops, Isaacsohn, Jarrells, John, Jones, Lightbody, Liston, Lorenz, Mathews, Miller, J., Miranda, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Robb Blasdel, Robinson, Rogers, Skindell, Thomas, C., Troy, Williams, Willis, Young, T.

To enact section 5.2535 of the Revised Code to designate March as "Triple Negative Breast Cancer Awareness Month."

Am. H. B. No. 50 -Representatives Humphrey, Seitz
Cosponsors: Representatives Brent, Isaacsohn, Williams, Forhan, Stewart, Blackshear, Russo, Miller, A., White, Jarrells, Abrams, Galonski, Hillyer, Schmidt, Abdullahi, Baker, Brennan, Brewer, Carruthers, Cross, Cutrona, Dell'Aquila, Demetriou, Dobos, Ghanbari, Grim, Holmes, Lightbody, Liston, Mathews, Miller, J., Miranda, Pizzulli, Robb Blasdel, Rogers, Skindell, Somani, Swearingen, Sweeney, Thomas, C., Weinstein, Willis, Young, B., Young, T.

To amend section 120.54 and to enact section 2953.26 of the Revised Code to create a mechanism by which an individual who is subject to a collateral sanction for housing may obtain a certificate of qualification for housing that may provide relief from certain bars on housing.

H. B. No. 57 -Representatives Hall, Demetriou
Cosponsors: Representatives Williams, Sweeney, LaRe, Seitz, Dean, Lipps, Schmidt, White, Humphrey, Abrams, Barhorst, Bird, Brennan, Brent, Brewer, Callender, Carruthers, Click, Creech, Cross, Cutrona, Dell'Aquila, Dobos, Edwards, Galonski, Ghanbari, Grim, Gross, Hillyer, Holmes, Hoops, Isaacsohn, John, Johnson, Jones, King, Klopfenstein, Lear, Lightbody, Liston, Lorenz, Mathews, Miller, A., Miller, J., Miller, K., Miller, M., Miranda, Oelslager, Patton, Pavliga, Peterson, Plummer, Ray, Richardson, Robb Blasdel, Robinson, Roemer, Rogers, Somani, Stein, Stewart, Swearingen, Willis, Young, B., Young, T.

To amend sections 323.152 and 4503.065 of the Revised Code to index the homestead exemption amounts to inflation.

H. B. No. 61 -Representatives Troy, Callender

Cosponsors: Representatives Stewart, Hillyer, Fowler Arthur, Klopfenstein, Young, T., Galonski, Brennan, Miller, A., Forhan, Upchurch, McNally, Abrams, Baker, Barhorst, Brent, Carruthers, Claggett, Click, Cross, Dell'Aquila, Demetriou, Dobos, Grim, Gross, Hoops, Humphrey, Jarrells, John, Jones, Lightbody, Lipps, Mathews, McClain, Miller, J., Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Ray, Robinson, Rogers, Russo, Schmidt, Seitz, Skindell, Weinstein, White, Williams, Willis, Young, B.

To enact section 5.2316 of the Revised Code to designate November 19th as "James A. Garfield Day."

H. B. No. 66 -Representatives Hall, Stoltzfus
Cosponsors: Representatives Cross, Dean, Miller, K., Hillyer, Schmidt, Lipps, Johnson, Ferguson, Young, T., Seitz, Dell'Aquila, Roemer, Barhorst, Brennan, Brent, Carruthers, Click, Creech, Dobos, Gross, Jones, Kick, Miller, J., Oelslager, Patton, Rogers, Troy, White, Williams

To amend section 5743.53 and to enact section 5743.06 of the Revised Code regarding the deduction and recovery of bad debts for cigarette and tobacco and vapor products taxes.

Am. H. B. No. 105 -Representative Thomas, J.
Cosponsors: Representatives Dean, Young, B., Seitz, Roemer, Merrin, Hillyer, Lear, Barhorst, Brennan, Carruthers, Claggett, Click, Creech, Cutrona, Dell'Aquila, Demetriou, Dobos, Ghanbari, Gross, Hall, John, Johnson, Jones, Kick, King, Klopfenstein, LaRe, Mathews, Miller, J., Oelslager, Patton, Pavliga, Peterson, Rogers, Stein, Williams, Willis, Young, T.

To amend sections 718.05, 718.27, 718.85, and 718.89 of the Revised Code to modify the law regarding extensions for filing municipal income tax returns and to limit penalties for late filings.

Attest: Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

Said bills were considered the first time.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the House of Representatives has concurred in the adoption of the following concurrent resolution:

S. C. R. No. 4 -Senator Schuring
Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Hackett, Hicks-

Hudson, Johnson, Landis, Lang, McColley, Rulli, Smith, Sykes, Wilson
Representatives Abrams, Barhorst, Brennan, Callender, Carruthers, Cross, Dell'Aquila, Dobos, Galonski, Ghanbari, Grim, Gross, Hillyer, Holmes, Hoops, Jarrells, Jones, King, Klopfenstein, Lear, Mathews, Miller, A., Miranda, Oelslager, Richardson, Russo, Schmidt, Somani, Stein, Swearingen, White

To adopt the Legislative Code of Ethics for the members and employees of both chambers of the 135th General Assembly, employees of any legislative agency, and candidates for the 136th General Assembly.

Attest: Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

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

H. C. R. No. 5 -Representatives Miller, J., Holmes
Cosponsors: Representatives John, Creech, Abrams, Barhorst, Brennan, Brent, Brewer, Callender, Carruthers, Claggett, Click, Cross, Dell'Aquila, Demetriou, Dobos, Forhan, Galonski, Ghanbari, Grim, Gross, Hall, Hoops, Humphrey, Isaacsohn, Jarrells, Johnson, Jones, Kick, King, Klopfenstein, Lampton, LaRe, Lear, Lightbody, Lipps, Liston, Lorenz, Mathews, Miller, A., Miller, K., Miller, M., Patton, Ray, Richardson, Robb Blasdel, Robinson, Rogers, Russo, Schmidt, Seitz, Skindell, Somani, Stein, White, Williams, Willis, Young, B.

To support and encourage the work of the Ohio Commission for the United States Semiquincentennial in celebrating the nation's 250th anniversary.

Attest: Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

The question being, “Shall the concurrent resolution, **H. C. R. No. 5**, be adopted?

On the motion of Senator Hackett, **H. C. R. No. 5** was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 121.31 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints the following senators to serve as non-voting members on the Ohio Commission on Hispanic and Latino Affairs:

Senator Nathan H. Manning
Senator Nickie J. Antonio

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Rules No. 19 and 20, the President of the Senate removes Senator Tim Schaffer and appoints Senator Rob McColley to serve on the Ways and Means Committee for the purposes of the May 30, 2023 meeting of the committee.

Also, pursuant to Rules No. 19 and 20, the President of the Senate removes Senator Kristina D. Roegner and appoints Senator Theresa Gavarone to serve on the Ways and Means Committee for the purposes of the May 30, 2023 meeting of the committee.

On the motion of Senator Hackett, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, May 31, 2023 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest: VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.