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ONE HUNDRED NINETY-SEVENTH DAY Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio **Tuesday, November 19, 2024, 9:30 a.m.**

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

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

Senator Craig was selected to preside according to the rule.

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

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

S. B. No. 332 - Senator Schaffer.

To create the Tri-Share Child Care Pilot Program.

S. B. No. 333 - Senators Blessing, Ingram.

To enact sections 341.43, 753.34, 5120.052, and 5139.132 of the Revised Code to require voice communication services for inmates, delinquent children, and youthful offenders, and to make an appropriation.

S. B. No. 334 - Senators Hackett, Schaffer.

To enact section 5534.59 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of U.S. Route 33 in Fairfield County and I-70 in Clark County as the "Congressman David Hobson Memorial Highway."

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Blessing offered the following joint resolution:

S. J. R. No. 6-Senator Blessing.

Proposing to amend Section 2 of Article II and Sections 1, 3, 4, and 5 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Ohio to increase the membership of the General Assembly to 51 senators and 153 representatives beginning January 1, 2033.

The question being, "Shall the joint resolution, S. J. R. No. 6, be adopted?

On the motion of Senator Johnson, S. J. R. No. 6, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 55, the following resolutions were offered:

S. R. No. 475 - Senator Schaffer.

Honoring the Lancaster High School girls cross country team on winning the 2024 Division I State Championship.

S. R. No. 476 - Senator Blessing.

Honoring the Madeira High School girls soccer team on winning the 2024 Division V State Championship.

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, Stephanie B. McCloud, from Franklin County, Ohio, as Administrator of the Bureau of Workers' Compensation for a term beginning November 18, 2024 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 12th day of November in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.

[Seal]

Mike DeWine, Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 127.12 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate removes Senator Jerry C. Cirino and temporarily appoints Senator Shane Wilkin to the Controlling Board for the purposes of the November 18, 2024 meeting.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Senate Rules No. 19 and 20, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Reineke to the Senate General Government Committee as a temporary replacement for Senator Schuring for the purposes of the committee's meeting on Tuesday, November 19, 2024.

On the motion of Senator Johnson, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday,

November 20, 2024 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN, Clerk.