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ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIRST DAY  
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio  
**Wednesday, May 22, 2024, 1:30 p.m.**

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer was offered by Pastor Brian Solomon, Capitol Ministries 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 McColley recognized Colin White from Ottawa-Glandorf High School as the 2024 Ohio Mr. Basketball.

Senator McColley recognized Brodie Dominique and Adam Mattin, as OHSAA Division III State Wrestling Champions.

Senator Johnson recognized Jaylynn Parker for setting the record for the biggest fish caught in Ohio since the Ohio Division of Wildlife began keeping records with a 101 pound, 56 inch blue catfish.

Senator DeMora recognized the St. Francis DeSales High School Cheer Team as the 2024 Division III State Champions.

Senator Romanchuk recognized Senior Legislative Aide, Adam Landefeld, for his outstanding service to the Ohio Senate.

Senator O'Brien recognized Charles Walder, Geauga County Auditor, and David Thomas, Ashtabula County Auditor on their visit to the Statehouse.

Senator O'Brien recognized her grandson, Triston O'Brien, on his visit to the Statehouse.

Senator Smith requested a moment of silence in honor of Euclid Police Officer, Jacob Derbin, who was killed in the line of duty on May 11, 2024.

**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 resolution, standing in order for second consideration, be referred to committee as recommended:

**Sub. H. B. No. 194**-Representative Miller, K., et al.

To amend sections 4503.038, 4503.19, and 5502.68 and to enact sections 4503.261 and 4503.262 of the Revised Code to authorize a contract with a

private vendor for the issuance of specialty license plates.

To the Committee on Transportation.

**Sub. H. B. No. 234**-Representatives Williams, Rogers, et al.

To amend sections 2929.12 and 2929.22 of the Revised Code to prohibit a court imposing a sentence on an offender for a felony or misdemeanor from considering whether the offender who entered an Alford plea shows genuine remorse for the offense.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**H. B. No. 264**-Representatives Pizzulli, Johnson, et al.

To amend section 4928.01 of the Revised Code to make certain steam-producing facilities waste energy recovery systems for purposes of the state's energy efficiency laws.

To the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities.

**Sub. H. B. No. 265**-Representatives Wiggam, Hall, et al.

To amend sections 149.43, 149.45, 319.28, and 319.54 of the Revised Code to exempt redaction request forms, affidavits, and the records of the work schedules of designated public service workers from disclosure under public records law.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**Sub. H. B. No. 271**-Representatives Mathews, Peterson, et al.

To amend section 3505.06 of the Revised Code to specify that state questions and issues appearing on ballots must be numbered consecutively based on the previous election.

To the Committee on General Government.

**Am. H. B. No. 338**-Representatives White, Sweeney, et al.

To amend sections 3119.01, 3119.66, 3119.86, and 3119.88 and to enact sections 3109.20, 3119.10, 3119.11, 3119.12, 3119.861, 3119.862, and 3119.863 of the Revised Code to allow child support orders to be issued, modified, or extended for children over 18 with a disability.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**Am. H. B. No. 347**-Representative Jones, et al.

To amend section 5739.03 of the Revised Code to allow an alternative method for certain farmers to verify that certain trailers and vehicles are purchased for agricultural purposes and thus exempt from sales and use tax.

To the Committee on Ways and Means.

**Am. H. B. No. 466**-Representatives Schmidt, Brennan, et al.

To amend sections 4735.55, 4735.56, and 4735.59 of the Revised Code to require a written agency agreement for a licensed broker to represent a buyer or seller in a real estate transaction.

To the Committee on Select Committee on Housing.

**S. C. R. No. 11**-Senator Brenner

To urge Congress and the President of the United States, along with the United States Department of Education to exclude sexual orientation and gender identity from Title IX.

To the Committee on Education.

**S. B. No. 263**-Senator Brenner

To amend sections 2137.15, 2743.51, 2743.56, 2743.60, 2743.71, and 2905.11 and to enact section 2905.111 of the Revised Code to enact Braden's Law to prohibit sexual extortion and aggravated sexual extortion and to allow family of certain victims of aggravated sexual extortion to receive compensation from the crime victims compensation fund.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**S. B. No. 264**-Senator Ingram

To amend section 5.2219 of the Revised Code to add screening awareness to Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month.

To the Committee on Health.

**S. B. No. 265**-Senator Ingram

To amend sections 3313.41, 3318.08, and 5705.10; to enact new section 3313.411; and to repeal sections 3313.411, 3313.412, and 3313.413 of the Revised Code to eliminate the right of first refusal for certain schools in the acquisition of school district real property.

To the Committee on Education.

**S. B. No. 266**-Senator Reineke

To enact sections 4933.51, 4933.53, 4933.54, 4933.55, 4933.57, and 4933.59 of the Revised Code to regulate the ownership of electric vehicle charging stations.

To the Committee on Transportation.

**S. B. No. 267**-Senator Schaffer, et al.

To amend section 2307.70 and to enact section 309.081 of the Revised Code regarding civil actions by persons who suffer injury or loss due to vandalism or riot activity.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**S. B. No. 268**-Senators Wilkin, Huffman, S.

To amend section 4741.04 and to enact section 4741.041 of the Revised Code to establish requirements and procedures for veterinarian telehealth visits.

To the Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**S. B. No. 269**-Senator Hackett

To enact section 4729.521 of the Revised Code to prohibit drug manufacturers and wholesalers from taking certain actions regarding reimbursements made to 340B covered entities.

To the Committee on Health.

**S. B. No. 270**-Senator Johnson

To enact section 5.2540 of the Revised Code to designate March 20th as "Ameloblastoma Awareness Day."

To the Committee on Health.

**S. B. No. 271**-Senators Blessing, Craig

To amend sections 5747.08 and 5747.98 and to enact section 5747.86 of the Revised Code to authorize a refundable income tax credit or rebate for homeowners and renters whose property taxes or a portion of their rent exceed five per cent of their income.

To the Committee on Ways and Means.

**S. B. No. 272**-Senator Blessing

To enact section 3304.151 of the Revised Code to establish the Traumatic Brain Injury Treatment Accelerator Program.

To the Committee on Health.

**S. B. No. 273**-Senator Reynolds

To enact section 5180.41 of the Revised Code to establish the Child Care Cred Program and to make an appropriation.

To the Committee on Workforce and Higher Education.

YES - 14: MATT HUFFMAN, NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, HEARCEL F. CRAIG, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, BOB D. HACKETT, CATHERINE D. INGRAM, STEPHANIE KUNZE, ROB MCCOLLEY, MICHELE REYNOLDS, TIM SCHAFFER, KIRK SCHURING, 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 resolution were considered a second time and referred to committee as recommended.

### **REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES**

Senator Brenner submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Education, to which was referred **S. B. No. 208**-Senator Roegner having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor: Brenner.

YES - 6: ANDREW O. BRENNER, SANDRA O'BRIEN, CATHERINE D. INGRAM, LOUIS W. BLESSING, III, STEPHEN A. HUFFMAN, VERNON SYKES

NO - 0.

Senator Hackett submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Insurance, to which was recommitted **S. B. No. 63**-Senator Lang, et al., having had the same under consideration, re-reports it back with the following amendment and recommends its passage when so amended.

In line 11, delete "thirty" and insert "sixty"

In line 13, delete "that provides" and insert "providing"

In line 14, delete "in the"

Delete lines 15 through 17

In line 18, delete "following with specificity" and insert ", including the following"

In line 26, after "specific" insert "brand and trade"

In line 27, delete ", including, but not limited to,"

Delete line 28

In line 29, delete "product,"

In line 46, after "(C)" insert "The sworn statement required under division (B) of this section is in addition to other requirements for asbestos claims under sections 2307.91 to 2307.98 of the Revised Code.

(D)"

In line 52, delete "(D)" and insert "(E)"

Delete lines 56 through 60

In line 61, delete "plaintiff's claim against that defendant." and insert:

"(F) Except as provided in division (I) of this section, on a motion by a defendant in a tort action alleging an asbestos claim, the court shall dismiss the plaintiff's claim without prejudice against either of the following:

(1) The defendant if the defendant's asbestos-containing product or site is not specifically identified in the disclosures required under division (B) of this section;

(2) The defendant or all defendants, as applicable, if the plaintiff fails to comply with division (B) of this section.

(G)"

In line 63, after "motion" insert "under division (F) of this section"

Delete lines 65 through 69

In line 70, delete "(F)" and insert "(H)"; delete "administratively"

In line 71, delete "(E)" and insert "(F)"

After line 72, insert:

"(I) The court may not dismiss a plaintiff's claim under division (F) of this section upon a showing of good cause by the plaintiff."

In line 73, delete "(G)" and insert "(J)"

In line 76, delete "(H)" and insert "(K)"

YES - 7: BOB D. HACKETT, GEORGE F. LANG, BRIAN M. CHAVEZ, STEPHEN A. HUFFMAN, TIM SCHAFFER, MARK ROMANCHUK, STEVE WILSON

NO - 5: HEARCEL F. CRAIG, LOUIS W. BLESSING, III, WILLIAM P. DEMORA, STEPHANIE KUNZE, NATHAN H. MANNING

Senator Manning submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **H. B. No. 305-**Representatives Stewart, Brown, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor: Manning.

YES - 5: NATHAN H. MANNING, MICHELE REYNOLDS, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, ROB MCCOLLEY,

NO - 2: PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, KENT SMITH

Senator Manning submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **S. B. No. 37-**Senators Blessing, Ingram having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

YES - 7: NATHAN H. MANNING, MICHELE REYNOLDS, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, ROB MCCOLLEY, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.



Senator Manning submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **S. B. No. 237-** Senators Gavarone, Manning having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

YES - 7: NATHAN H. MANNING, MICHELE REYNOLDS, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, ROB MCCOLLEY, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.

Senator Kunze submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Transportation, to which was referred **S. B. No. 114-** Senator Schaffer having had the same under consideration, reports it back with the following amendment and recommends its passage when so amended.

Co-Sponsor: Hackett.

In line 2 of the title, delete "State" and insert "United States"

In line 9, delete "state" and insert "United States"

YES - 11: STEPHANIE KUNZE, BILL REINEKE, NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, WILLIAM P. DEMORA, BOB D. HACKETT, BRIAN M. CHAVEZ, SANDRA O'BRIEN, KRISTINA D. ROEGNER, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.

Senator Kunze submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Transportation, to which was referred **S. B. No. 141-** Senator Sykes, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor: Hackett.

YES - 11: STEPHANIE KUNZE, BILL REINEKE, NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, WILLIAM P. DEMORA, BOB D. HACKETT, BRIAN M. CHAVEZ, SANDRA O'BRIEN, KRISTINA D. ROEGNER, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.

Senator Kunze submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Transportation, to which was referred **S. B. No. 183**-Senator Antonio having had the same under consideration, reports it back with the following amendment and recommends its passage when so amended.

Co-Sponsor: Hackett.

In line 3 of the title, delete "James Patrick" and insert "Jimmy"

In line 11, delete "James"

In line 12, delete "Patrick" and insert "Jimmy"

YES - 11: STEPHANIE KUNZE, BILL REINEKE, NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, WILLIAM P. DEMORA, BOB D. HACKETT, BRIAN M. CHAVEZ, SANDRA O'BRIEN, KRISTINA D. ROEGNER, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

NO - 0.

Senator Kunze submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Transportation, to which was referred **S. B. No. 233**-Senators DeMora, Kunze, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor: Brenner.

YES - 11: STEPHANIE KUNZE, BILL REINEKE, NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, WILLIAM P. DEMORA, BOB D. HACKETT, BRIAN M. CHAVEZ, SANDRA O'BRIEN, KRISTINA D. ROEGNER, TIM SCHAFFER, KENT SMITH

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:

**Agin, Joshua**, from Zanesville, Muskingum County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Reclamation Forfeiture Fund Advisory Board for a term beginning

February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business January 10, 2028, replacing Joshua J. Agin, whose term expired.

**Bakaletz, Lauren**, from Hilliard, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Third Frontier Commission for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business April 1, 2026, replacing Lauren O. Bakaletz, whose term expired.

**Barhorst, D. Michael**, from Sidney, Shelby County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Emergency Response Commission for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 13, 2026, replacing D. Michael Barhorst, whose term expired.

**Bass, David**, Democrat, from Copley, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Advisory Council for the Aging for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business November 21, 2026, replacing David M. Bass, whose term expired.

**Bates, Trevor**, from Powell, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business August 27, 2026, replacing Trevor M. Bates, whose term expired.

**Bete, Timothy**, Independent, from Beavercreek, Greene County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Advisory Council for the Aging for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business November 21, 2025, replacing Denise A. Shockley, whose term expired.

**Bishop, Geoffrey**, Republican, from Westerville, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Fair Plan Underwriting Association Board of Governors for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business September 18, 2025, replacing Geoffrey M. Bishop, whose term expired.

**Bozman, Yvette**, Independent, from Moreland Hills, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Advisory Council for the Aging for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business November 21, 2025, replacing Marian K. Schuda, whose term expired.

**Brown, Kathryn**, from Dublin, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Emergency Response Commission for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 13, 2026, replacing Kathryn Bradsher Brown, whose term expired.

**Burks, Larry**, Independent, from West Chester, Butler County, Ohio, as a Member of the Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Release Compensation Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business July 10, 2026, replacing Larry D. Burks, whose term expired.

**Buschur, Brian**, from Dayton, Montgomery County, Ohio, as a Member of the Environmental Education Council for a term beginning March 19, 2024,

ending at the close of business October 1, 2025, replacing Brian J. Buschur, whose term expired.

**Cain, Allison**, from Belmont, Belmont County, Ohio, as a Member of the Technical Advisory Council on Oil and Gas for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business January 31, 2027, replacing Allison R. Cain, whose term expired.

**Campbell, Craig**, from Leesburg, Highland County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business August 27, 2026, replacing Craig R. Campbell, whose term expired.

**Carramusa, Cara**, from Poland, Mahoning County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning March 19, 2024, ending at the close of business August 27, 2026, replacing Timothy E. McIntire, whose term expired.

**Conway, Adam**, Republican, from Granville, Licking County, Ohio, as a Member of the Forestry Advisory Council for a term beginning March 1, 2024, ending at the close of business February 29, 2028, replacing Adam M. Conway, whose term expired.

**Cooper, Keenan**, from Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio, as a Member of the Accountancy Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business October 20, 2030, replacing John E. Soucie, whose term expired.

**Dadosky, Edward**, from Blue Ash, Hamilton County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Emergency Response Commission for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 13, 2026, replacing Edward J. Dadosky, whose term expired.

**Davis, Crystal**, from Twinsburg, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Lake Erie Commission for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business September 1, 2026, replacing Crystal M.C. Davis, whose term expired.

**Dixon, Charles**, Republican, from Granville, Licking County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Fire Council for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business November 1, 2028, replacing Charles W. Dixon, whose term expired.

**Drabick, Keith**, from East Palestine, Columbiana County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Emergency Response Commission for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 13, 2026, replacing Clifford L. Mason, whose term expired.

**Dye, Darrell**, from Dublin, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Vision Professionals Board for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business March 22, 2027, replacing Darrell Dye, whose term

expired.

**Faust, Brian**, from Springboro, Warren County, Ohio, as a Member of the Third Frontier Commission for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business April 1, 2025, replacing Bruce A. Langos, whose term expired.

**Feibel, Jonathan**, from Bexley, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Medical Board for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business March 18, 2029, replacing Jonathan B. Feibel, whose term expired.

**Finley, John**, Republican, from McConnelsville, Morgan County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Fire Council for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business November 1, 2028, replacing John W. Finley, whose term expired.

**Fisher, Douglas**, from Lancaster, Fairfield County, Ohio, as a Member of the Radiation Advisory Council for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business September 6, 2028, replacing Douglas S. Fisher, whose term expired.

**Gill, Danielle**, Republican, from Logan, Hocking County, Ohio, as a Member of the Forestry Advisory Council for a term beginning March 1, 2024, ending at the close of business February 29, 2028, replacing Danielle R. Gill, whose term expired.

**Gordan, Stephen**, from Oxford, Butler County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Historic Site Preservation Advisory Board for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 14, 2027, replacing Elwin C. Robinson, whose term expired.

**Green, Jack**, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Minority Development Financing Advisory Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business September 30, 2030, replacing Jack R. Green, whose term expired.

**Hanselmann, David**, Democrat, from Lewis Center, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Soil and Water Conservation Commission for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business June 30, 2027, replacing Richard P. Bryan, whose term expired.

**Hephner, Ray**, from Walton Hills, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Veterinary Medical Licensing Board for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business December 31, 2025, replacing John S. Walkenhorst, whose term expired.

**Jennings, Wendy**, from Bryan, Williams County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Psychology for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 4, 2028, replacing Wendy K. Jennings, whose term expired.

**Keck, Timothy**, from Grove City, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business August 27, 2026, replacing Timothy E.J. Keck, whose term expired.

**Klein, Jennifer**, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Emergency Response Commission for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 13, 2026, replacing Jennifer D. Klein, whose term expired.

**Linn, Lesley**, Democrat, from Galloway, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Chemical Dependency Professionals Board for a term beginning December 24, 2023, ending at the close of business December 23, 2026, replacing Lesley A. Linn, whose term expired.

**Luketic, David**, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Third Frontier Commission for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business April 1, 2026, replacing Daryl Z. Laisure, whose term expired.

**McCarthy, Mary**, Republican, from Delaware, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Minority Development Financing Advisory Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business September 30, 2030, replacing Mary L. McCarthy, whose term expired.

**McClelland, Richard**, from Zanesville, Muskingum County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Standardbred Development Commission for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business June 30, 2027, replacing Richard McClelland, whose term expired.

**McCullough, Sarah**, Republican, from Zanesville, Muskingum County, Ohio, as a Member of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business October 10, 2025.

**Mechling, Paul**, Democrat, from Pierpont, Ashtabula County, Ohio, as a Member of the Forestry Advisory Council for a term beginning March 1, 2024, ending at the close of business February 29, 2028, replacing Paul Parks Mechling II, whose term expired.

**Miller, Mark**, from Bay Village, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Radiation Advisory Council for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business September 6, 2028, replacing Mark A. Miller, whose term expired.

**Miller, Rebecca**, Democrat, from Lakewood, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business October 10, 2025.

**Miller, Diane**, from Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio

Lake Erie Commission for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business September 1, 2026, replacing Diane M. Miller, whose term expired.

**Minikowski, James**, Independent, from Solon, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 10, 2026, replacing James G. Minikowski, whose term expired.

**Mitchell, Callie**, Democrat, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 10, 2026, replacing Callie Mitchell, whose term expired.

**Muhammad, Alverta**, Democrat, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 10, 2026, replacing Alverta E. Muhammad, whose term expired.

**Needles, Thomas**, Republican, from Whitehall, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Motor Vehicle Dealers Board for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 4, 2026, replacing Thomas F. Needles, whose term expired.

**Osborne, Roger**, Republican, from Fleming, Washington County, Ohio, as a Member of the Reclamation Commission for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business June 28, 2025, replacing Craig N. Porter, whose term expired.

**Papke, Mark**, from Parma Heights, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Environmental Education Council for a term beginning March 19, 2024, ending at the close of business October 1, 2025, replacing Mark K. Papke, whose term expired.

**Pendleton, Scott**, from Cadiz, Harrison County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Veterinary Medical Licensing Board for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business December 31, 2026, replacing Scott A. Pendleton, whose term expired.

**Quackenbush, Joseph**, from Newark, Licking County, Ohio, as a Member of the Board of Nursing for a term beginning January 1, 2024, ending at the close of business December 31, 2027, replacing Joseph E. Quackenbush, whose term expired.

**Ransior, Frederick**, Democrat, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Minority Development Financing Advisory Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business September 30, 2028, replacing Jason E. Wells, whose term expired.

**Rex, Michael**, Republican, from Athen, Athens County, Ohio, as a Member of the Wildlife Council for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business January 31, 2028, replacing Michael A. Rex, whose term expired.

**Rice, Daniel**, from Cuyahoga Falls, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Historic Site Preservation Advisory Board for a term beginning March 29, 2024, ending at the close of business January 14, 2027, replacing Daniel M. Rice, whose term expired.

**Ridi, Dan**, Independent, from Maumee, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Release Compensation Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business July 10, 2026, replacing Dan Dergham Ridi, whose term expired.

**Robinson, Heather**, Republican, from Powell, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Wildlife Council for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business January 31, 2028, replacing George R. Klein, who resigned.

**Schaeffer, Tonya**, Republican, from Loveland, Clermont County, Ohio, as a Member of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 10, 2026, replacing Tonya K. Schaeffer, whose term expired.

**Sczpanski, Jeffrey**, from Galloway, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business August 27, 2026, replacing Jeffrey N. Sczpanski, whose term expired.

**Sliva, Michael**, from Cadiz, Harrison County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Reclamation Forfeiture Fund Advisory Board for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business January 10, 2028, replacing Michael A. Sliva, whose term expired.

**Snyder, Joseph**, Democrat, from Kent, Portage County, Ohio, as a Member of the Self-Insuring Employers Evaluation Board for a term beginning February 9, 2024, ending at the close of business August 22, 2026, replacing Carol A. Wilson, whose term expired.

**Temple, Brenton**, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Board of Nursing for a term beginning January 1, 2024, ending at the close of business December 31, 2027, replacing Matthew J. Carle, whose term expired.

**Undercoffer, Rachel**, from Kent, Portage County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Psychology for a term beginning December 22, 2023, ending at the close of business October 4, 2028, replacing Douglas G. Cole, whose term expired.



**Van Allen, Melissa**, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business August 27, 2026, replacing Melissa Van Allen, whose term expired.

**Wadsworth, Barbara**, from Brunswick, Medina County, Ohio, as a Member of the Board of Nursing for a term beginning January 1, 2024, ending at the close of business December 31, 2027, replacing Barbara J. Wadsworth, whose term expired.

**Wright, Jessie**, from Poland, Mahoning County, Ohio, as a Member of the Accountancy Board for a term beginning October 27, 2023, ending at the close of business October 20, 2030, replacing Gerald Paul Weinstein, whose term expired.

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

YES – 14: MATT HUFFMAN, NICKIE J. ANTONIO, ANDREW O. BRENNER, HEARCEL F. CRAIG, MATT DOLAN, THERESA GAVARONE, BOB D. HACKETT, CATHERINE D. INGRAM, STEPHANIE KUNZE, ROB MCCOLLEY, MICHELE REYNOLDS, TIM SCHAFFER, KIRK SCHURING, KENT SMITH

NO – 0.

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

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the Senate advised and consented to said appointments.

**BILLS FOR THIRD CONSIDERATION**

**Sub. H. B. No. 305**-Representatives Stewart, Brown.

Cosponsors: Representatives Baker, Bird, Brewer, Claggett, Click, Dell'Aquila, Galonski, Grim, Gross, Isaacsohn, Jarrells, John, Kick,

Klopfenstein, Lampton, LaRe, Lightbody, Lipps, McNally, Miller, A., Miller, J., Miranda, Mohamed, Plummer, Skindell, Somani, Upchurch, Weinstein, Williams, Willis, Young, T., Hillyer, Mathews, Abrams, Barhorst, Brennan, Brent, Creech, Cross, Cutrona, Dobos, Forhan, Fowler Arthur, Hall, Humphrey, Johnson, Jones, Liston, Lorenz, McClain, Miller, K., Miller, M., Oelslager, Patton, Pavliga, Peterson, Robb Blasdel, Russo, Stein, Thomas, C., White, Wiggam. Senator Manning.

To amend sections 9.03, 120.54, 181.21, 325.33, 345.13, 517.23, 1317.07, 1901.02, 1901.123, 1901.261, 1907.11, 1907.143, 1907.261, 2303.081, 2303.201, 2505.02, 2929.20, 2967.26, 3517.01, 3517.10, 3517.12, 3517.13, 3517.155, 3517.992, 3517.993, 4507.112, 4509.101, and 4517.261; to enact new section 135.032 and sections 181.26, 1901.313, 1907.202, and 3109.055; and to repeal sections 135.032 and 135.321 of the Revised Code to address the laws governing financial and administrative matters of the courts, judgeships and court jurisdiction in Conneaut and Ashtabula County, appeals related to enforcement of state law, conciliation in family law proceedings, the use of financial assistance by legal aid societies, allocation of funds to the Indigent Support Defense Fund, political subdivision soldiers' memorials, maintenance of a mausoleum or columbarium, third-party administration of driving tests, motor vehicle documentary service charges, and public depositories; to establish a standing juvenile committee of the Criminal Sentencing Commission; to prohibit chartered counties and municipal corporations from using public funds for certain purposes; to modify the Campaign Finance Law; and to reiterate the effective date of judicial release and transitional control provisions enacted in S.B. 288 of the 134th General Assembly, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Sub. H. B. No. 305**, pass?"

Senator Dolan moved to amend as follows:

In line 143, delete "."

In line 144, delete "institution" and insert ":

(1) "Institution"

In line 147, after "Code" insert ".

(2) "Prompt corrective action directive" means a directive issued by a regulatory authority of the United States as authorized under 12 U.S.C. 1790d or 1831o"

In line 151, delete "issued by a regulatory authority of"

In line 152, delete "the United States"

In line 158, delete "issued by a"

In line 159, delete "regulatory authority of the United States"

In line 163, delete "issued by a"

In line 164, delete "regulatory authority of the United States"

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. 305**, pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 24, nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

Senators Antonio, Craig, DeMora, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Smith, and Sykes voted in the negative-7.

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Brenner, Cirino, Gavarone, Hackett, Johnson, Lang, McColley, Reineke, Reynolds, Roegner, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Wilkin, Wilson."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Sub. H. B. No. 158**-Representatives Roemer, Miller, M.

Cosponsors: Representatives Ferguson, Fowler Arthur, Gross, Johnson, Brennan, Carruthers, Creech, Edwards, Forhan, Jones, Kick, Lorenz, Loychik, Mathews, Merrin, Peterson, Ray, Rogers, Upchurch, Willis, Young, T.

To amend sections 2925.01, 3333.26, 3937.41, 4709.01, 4709.07, 4709.08, 4709.09, 4709.11, 4709.12, 4709.14, 4709.99, 4713.01, 4713.02, 4713.06, 4713.07, 4713.071, 4713.08, 4713.081, 4713.09, 4713.10, 4713.14, 4713.141, 4713.16, 4713.17, 4713.25, 4713.28, 4713.30, 4713.31, 4713.34, 4713.35, 4713.37, 4713.39, 4713.41, 4713.46, 4713.49, 4713.55, 4713.56, 4713.58, 4713.59, 4713.60, 4713.61, 4713.62, 4713.63, 4713.64, 4713.641, 4713.66, 4713.69, 4713.99, and 4973.17; to enact new sections 4709.02, 4709.03, 4709.05, 4709.10, 4709.13, 4713.44, and 4713.45 and sections 4709.031, 4709.051, 4709.071, 4709.072, 4709.073, 4709.091, 4709.111, 4709.112, 4713.33, and 4713.331; and to repeal sections 4709.02, 4709.03, 4709.05, 4709.10, 4709.13, 4709.23, 4713.26, 4713.36, 4713.44, and 4713.45 of the Revised Code to make changes to the law governing the regulation of cosmetologists and barbers, to enter into the Cosmetology Licensure Compact, and to revise the law governing hospital police officer commissions, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Sub. H. B. No. 158**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Hicks-Hudson, Johnson, Reineke, Reynolds, Roegner, Smith, Wilkin."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Sub. S. B. No. 37**-Senators Blessing, Ingram.

To amend sections 1901.44, 1905.202, 1907.25, 2925.02, 2925.03, 2925.04, 2925.041, 2925.05, 2925.06, 2925.11, 2925.12, 2925.13, 2925.14, 2925.22, 2925.23, 2925.31, 2925.32, 2925.36, 2925.37, 2935.26, 2935.27, 2937.40, 2947.09, 3123.54, 3123.56, 3123.58, 3321.13, 3321.191, 4501.06, 4503.10, 4503.102, 4503.12, 4503.20, 4503.39, 4507.212, 4509.101, 4509.45, 4509.66, 4509.67, 4509.69, 4509.77, 4510.101, 4510.111, 4510.16, 4510.17, and 4510.22; to enact section 2929.33; and to repeal sections 2937.221 and 4510.32 of the Revised Code to make changes to the laws governing driver's license suspensions and to the laws governing penalties for failure to provide proof of financial responsibility, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Sub. S. B. No. 37**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Senators Antonio, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Hicks-Hudson, Manning, Reineke, Reynolds, Smith, Sykes, Wilkin."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Am. S. B. No. 63**-Senator Lang.

Cosponsors: Senators Cirino, Hackett, Huffman, S., Romanchuk, Schaffer, Schuring, Wilson, Rulli, Reynolds, Reineke.

To enact section 2307.931 of the Revised Code to require a plaintiff in a tort action alleging an asbestos claim to file specified disclosures, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Am. S. B. No. 63**, pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted – yeas 21, nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Brenner	Chavez	Cirino	Dolan
Gavarone	Hackett	Huffman, S.	Johnson
Landis	Lang	McColley	O'Brien
Reineke	Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk
Schaffer	Schuring	Wilkin	Wilson
			Huffman, M.-21

Those who voted in the negative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Craig	DeMora
Hicks-Hudson	Ingram	Kunze	Manning
Smith			Sykes-10

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Wilkin."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Sub. S. B. No. 95**-Senator Reynolds.

Cosponsor: Senator Huffman, S.

To amend sections 4729.285, 4729.45, and 4729.921 and to enact sections 3959.22 and 4729.554 of the Revised Code related to remote dispensing pharmacies and other changes to the pharmacy law, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Sub. S. B. No. 95**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

Antonio	Blessing	Brenner	Chavez
Cirino	Craig	DeMora	Dolan
Gavarone	Hackett	Hicks-Hudson	Huffman, S.
Ingram	Johnson	Kunze	Landis

Lang	Manning	McColley	O'Brien
Reineke	Reynolds	Roegner	Romanchuk
Schaffer	Schuring	Smith	Sykes
Wilkin	Wilson		Huffman, M.-31

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Blessing, Brenner, Chavez, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Hackett, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Johnson, Kunze, Landis, Manning, Reineke, Roegner, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Schuring, Sykes, Wilkin, Wilson."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Am. S. B. No. 114**-Senator Schaffer.

Cosponsor: Senator Hackett.

To enact section 5534.873 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of United States Route 33 in Fairfield County as the "Lance Corporal James F. Kimple Memorial Highway", was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Am. S. B. No. 114**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Blessing, Brenner, Chavez, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Johnson, Kunze, Landis, Lang, O'Brien, Reineke, Romanchuk."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**S. B. No. 141**-Senator Sykes.

Cosponsors: Senators Brenner, Craig, Lang, Wilson, Hackett.

To enact section 5534.301 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of I-77 in Akron as the "American Gold Star Mothers, Inc. Memorial Highway", was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **S. B. No. 141**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Blessing, Chavez, Cirino, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Johnson, Kunze, Landis, O'Brien, Reineke, Roegner, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Schuring, Smith, Wilkin."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Am. S. B. No. 183-Senator Antonio.**

Cosponsor: Senator Hackett.

To enact section 5534.662 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of I-90 in Cuyahoga County as the "Lance Corporal Jimmy Rizzo Memorial Highway", was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Am. S. B. No. 183**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Blessing, Brenner, Chavez, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Johnson, Kunze, Landis, Lang, O'Brien, Reineke, Roegner, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Wilkin."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**Sub. S. B. No. 208-Senator Roegner.**

Cosponsor: Senator Brenner.

To amend section 3313.98 of the Revised Code to require a city, exempted village, or local school district to include in its open enrollment policy an exception for military children, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **Sub. S. B. No. 208**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Blessing, Cirino, Craig, Dolan, Gavarone, Hackett, Hicks-Hudson, Huffman, S., Johnson, Landis, O'Brien, Reineke, Reynolds, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Schuring, Sykes, Wilkin, Wilson."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

**S. B. No. 225**-Senator Roegner.

To amend section 5.481 of the Revised Code to designate September 22 as Veterans Suicide Awareness and Prevention Day, was considered the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill, **S. B. No. 225**, pass?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the bill passed.

The title was amended as follows:

Add the names: "Senators Antonio, Blessing, Brenner, Chavez, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Hackett, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Johnson,



Kunze, Landis, Lang, Manning, O'Brien, Reineke, Reynolds, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Schuring, Smith, Sykes, Wilkin, Wilson."

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

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

### **Message from the House of Representatives**

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the House of Representatives has concurred in the passage of the following bill:

#### **Sub. S. B. No. 81** -Senator Romanchuk

Cosponsors: Senators Roegner, Hackett, Ingram, Antonio, Cirino, DeMora, Gavarone, Huffman, S., Lang, Manning, Reineke, Reynolds, Rulli, Schaffer  
Representatives Gross, Baker, Liston, Miller, M., Abdullahi, Brennan, Carruthers, Dell'Aquila, Denson, Dobos, Forhan, Hillyer, Isaacsohn, LaRe, Miller, A., Miller, J., Sims, Somani, Upchurch

To amend sections 3905.471, 4723.021, 4723.06, 4723.28, and 4723.431; to enact new section 4723.35 and sections 4723.351, 4723.436, and 4730.204; and to repeal section 4723.35 of the Revised Code to authorize certain advanced practice registered nurses and physician assistants to sign documents related to psychiatric inpatients; to revise the law governing the Board of Nursing's monitoring of impaired practitioners; and to modify the law governing insurance navigators and to amend the version of section 4723.431 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.

As a substitute bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,  
Clerk.

Senator McColley moved that pursuant to Senate Rule No. 44, the amendments of the House of Representatives to **Sub. S. B. No. 81**, be brought up for consideration.

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

The motion was agreed to.

The question being, "Shall the Senate concur in the amendments of the House of Representatives?"

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

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Senators

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

So the Senate concurred in the amendments of the House of Representatives.

### MOTIONS

Senator Gavarone moved that Senators absent the week of Sunday, May 19, 2024, 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. 274** - Senators Gavarone, Brenner.

To amend sections 111.26, 111.44, 3501.01, 3501.05, 3501.11, 3501.17, 3501.22, 3501.30, 3503.01, 3503.07, 3503.09, 3503.10, 3503.11, 3503.13, 3503.14, 3503.15, 3503.151, 3503.153, 3503.16, 3503.19, 3503.20, 3503.21, 3503.24, 3503.26, 3503.28, 3503.29, 3503.33, 3505.18, 3505.181, 3505.182, 3505.183, 3505.19, 3505.20, 3506.01, 3506.03, 3506.04, 3506.05, 3506.06, 3506.07, 3506.08, 3506.09, 3506.10, 3506.15, 3506.23, 3509.02, 3509.03, 3509.04, 3509.05, 3509.06, 3509.07, 3509.08, 3509.09, 3511.02, 3511.04, 3511.05, 3511.09, 3511.11, 3513.18, 3513.19, 3599.12, and 4507.53; to amend, for the purpose of adopting a new section number as indicated in parentheses, section 3503.153 (3503.155); to enact new sections 3503.152 and 3503.153 and sections 3503.154, 3503.201, 3503.231, 3506.022, 3506.051, 3506.052, 3506.053, 3506.054, 3506.101, and 3506.141; and to repeal sections 3503.111, 3503.152, 3503.18, 3505.22, 3506.021, 3506.24, 3511.12, 3511.13, and 3513.20 of the Revised Code to make changes to the Election Law related to voter registration, voting, and the certification of voting systems.

**S. B. No. 275** - Senator Dolan.

Cosponsor: Senator Wilson.

To enact sections 4928.675, 4928.676, 4928.677, 4928.678, 4928.679, 4928.6710, and 4928.6711 of the Revised Code regarding virtual net metering and meter aggregation.

**S. B. No. 276** - Senators Cirino, Chavez.

To amend sections 122.15, 122.151, 122.153, 122.154, and 122.155 of the Revised Code to modify the availability of and eligibility for tax credits awarded under the rural business growth program.

On the motion of Senator McColley, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, May 28, 2024 at 9:30 a.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,  
Clerk.