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NINETY-SIXTH DAY

Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio

Monday, December 8, 2025, 9:00 o'clock a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced:

H. B. No. 622 - Representatives Williams, Robb Blasdel.

To amend sections 2945.37, 2945.38, 2945.39, and 2945.401 and to enact section 5120.101 of the Revised Code to enact the Mental Health and Community Wellness Act to amend the competency to stand trial law, to create the mental health and substance abuse community-based correctional facility pilot program, to require a prosecutor to file for civil confinement of a defendant who is found incompetent to stand trial and who is charged with a felony or a misdemeanor offense of violence, and to make an appropriation.

H. B. No. 623 - Representatives Abdullahi, Cockley.

Cosponsors: Representatives Sigrist, Lett, Upchurch, Brent, McNally.

To amend sections 1329.29 and 1329.99 and to enact sections 341.03, 753.022, 1329.291, 3313.8110, 3722.20, 5119.335, and 5120.101 of the Revised Code to require the provision of religious dietary food options in school districts, hospitals, and correctional facilities and to prohibit the misrepresentation of halal foods.

H. B. No. 624 - Representative McNally.

Cosponsor: Representative Piccolantonio.

To amend sections 4111.03 and 4111.14 and to enact section 4111.20 of the Revised Code regarding the distinction between employees and independent contractors under Ohio's overtime and minimum wage laws.

H. B. No. 625 - Representatives Click, King.

Cosponsors: Representatives Williams, Newman.

To enact section 3313.5321 of the Revised Code to enact the Student Athlete Mobility (SAM) Act regarding student petitions to participate in team sports at neighboring public schools.

H. B. No. 626 - Representative Williams.

To enact section 2709.01 of the Revised Code to require courts to supply electronic notification of hearings to defendants in criminal and traffic cases and to make an appropriation.

Said bills were considered the first time.

On motion of Representative Mathews, A., the House adjourned until Thursday, December 11, 2025 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

ALI N. SAGRAVES,
Assistant Clerk.