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SEVENTY-SEVENTH DAY
Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio
Monday, September 29, 2025, 9:00 o'clock a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to House Rule No. 23, the Clerk called the House to order.

Representative Dovilla was selected to preside under the Rule.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced:

H. B. No. 472 - Representatives Cockley, Salvo.

Cosponsors: Representatives McNally, Lett, Piccolantonio, White, E., Brennan, Rader, Synenberg, Williams, Upchurch, White, A., Odioso, Robb Blasdel, Brownlee.

To amend sections 3109.14, 3705.24, 3705.242, 4507.50, and 4507.52 and to enact section 3705.243 of the Revised Code to waive fees for an identification card or a copy of a birth certificate for individuals experiencing homelessness.

H. B. No. 473 - Representative Thomas, D.

Cosponsors: Representatives Fischer, Gross, Hiner, King.

To amend sections 145.47, 742.31, 3307.27, 3309.47, 4117.08, and 5505.15 of the Revised Code to prohibit a public employer from paying employee contributions to a state retirement system.

H. B. No. 474 - Representatives Baker, Deeter.

To amend sections 3721.28, 3721.29, and 3721.30 of the Revised Code to enact the Ohio Dementia Care Training Act for Nurse Aides.

H. B. No. 475 - Representatives Mohamed, White, E.

Cosponsors: Representatives Brennan, Brownlee, Jarrells, Lett, McNally, Russo, Upchurch, Workman.

To amend sections 125.18 and 5922.08 and to enact sections 5502.282, 5502.283, and 5922.09 of the Revised Code to require the assessment of municipal corporation cybersecurity infrastructure, to allow the cybersecurity strategic advisor to certify and contract with private cybersecurity firms, and to establish a toll-free secure line to the Ohio Cyber Reserve.

H. B. No. 476 - Representatives Craig, Thomas, D.

Cosponsors: Representatives Ray, Glassburn, Brennan, Hall, T., Gross, Hiner, Ferguson, Kishman, Robb Blasdel.

To amend sections 2915.01, 2915.092, and 2915.14 of the Revised Code to authorize online raffles under the Charitable Gaming Law and to declare an emergency.

H. B. No. 477 - Representative Claggett.

To amend section 109.02 and to enact section 9.243 of the Revised Code to require state agencies to compensate the Attorney General for legal representation.

H. B. No. 478 - Representatives Thomas, D., Synenberg.

Cosponsors: Representatives Brennan, Click, Hiner, Johnson, Lorenz, Miller, K., Ray, Upchurch.

To amend section 2921.04 and to enact section 2921.06 of the Revised Code to create the offense of jury tampering and to include a public servant in the offense of intimidation of an attorney, victim, witness, or public servant in a criminal case.

H. B. No. 479 - Representative Schmidt.

Cosponsors: Representatives Deeter, Stephens.

To amend sections 4773.10, 4774.08, and 4774.10 and to enact sections 4723.37, 4773.062, and 4774.101 of the Revised Code regarding physician supervision of contrast administration for imaging.

H. B. No. 480 - Representatives Roemer, Dovilla.

Cosponsors: Representatives Daniels, Deeter, Gross, Hall, T., Johnson, King, Ray, Richardson, Robb Blasdel, White, A.

To amend sections 122.58, 169.01, 169.02, 169.03, 169.05, 169.06, 169.07, 169.08, 169.09, 169.12, 169.16, 169.99, and 5703.21; to enact sections 169.091, 169.18, 169.19, and 169.20; and to repeal section 169.10 of the Revised Code to make changes to the Unclaimed Funds Law.

H. B. No. 481 - Representatives Fowler Arthur, Piccolantonio.

Cosponsors: Representatives Hiner, Williams, Brennan, Sigrist, Johnson, Klopfenstein.

To amend section 121.22 of the Revised Code to allow a public body to meet in an executive session to discuss the performance of a public employee or official.

H. B. No. 482 - Representatives Kishman, Oelslager.

To enact section 5534.972 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of U.S. Route 30 in Stark County as the "Bill Powell Memorial Highway."

H. B. No. 483 - Representatives Mathews, A., Williams.

Cosponsors: Representatives Glassburn, Hall, T., John, Miller, K.

To amend sections 319.202, 319.302, 323.155, 323.158, 4503.0610, and

5323.02 and to enact sections 323.21 and 323.22 of the Revised Code to allow eligible homeowners to defer the payment of a portion of their property taxes.

H. B. No. 484 - Representatives Click, Odioso.

Cosponsors: Representatives White, A., Johnson, Thomas, D., Mathews, A., Lorenz, Cockley, Baker, Lett, Daniels, Newman.

To create the Workforce Investment Now (WIN) for Child Care pilot program to provide publicly funded child care to child care staff members and to make an appropriation.

H. B. No. 485 - Representative Miller, M.

Cosponsors: Representatives Click, Gross, King, Mullins, Salvo, Williams, Newman.

To amend sections 3301.0718, 3302.07, 3313.60, 3314.03, 3326.11, and 3328.24 and to enact section 3313.6034 of the Revised Code to enact the Baby Olivia Act to include human growth and development instruction in health education.

H. B. No. 486 - Representatives Click, Dovilla.

Cosponsors: Representatives Williams, Ritter, Hall, T., Gross, Claggett, King, Miller, M., Salvo, Fowler Arthur, Newman.

To amend sections 3314.03, 3326.11, and 3328.24 and to enact sections 3320.09, 3320.10, and 3320.11 of the Revised Code to enact the Charlie Kirk American Heritage Act to permit teachers in public schools and state institutions of higher education to provide instruction on the influence of Christianity on history and culture.

Said bills were considered the first time.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

Pursuant to Section 5120.07 of the Ohio Revised Code, the Speaker of the House hereby appoints the following members to the Ex-Offender Reentry Coalition:

Appoint Representatives Abrams and Lawson-Rowe.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

Pursuant to House Rules 13, 30, and 32, the Speaker of the House hereby makes the following changes to the committee on Rules and Reference:

Remove Representative Stewart; appoint Representative Santucci.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

Pursuant to Article XIX, Section 1(G) of the Ohio Constitution, the Speaker of the House hereby makes the following changes to the Joint Committee on Congressional Redistricting:

Remove Representative Tims; appoint Representative Robinson.

On motion of Representative Stewart, the House adjourned until Wednesday, October 1, 2025 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

BRADLEY J. YOUNG,
Clerk.