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EIGHTY-FIFTH DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Monday, November 10, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

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

Senator Wilkin 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 O'Brien submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Local Government, to which was referred **Am. H. B. No. 124**-Representatives Thomas, D., Hall, T., et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor: Koehler.

YES - 7: SANDRA O'BRIEN, THERESA GAVARONE, KENT
SMITH, PAULA HICKS-HUDSON, KYLE KOEHLER, AL
LANDIS, SHANE WILKIN

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"

The report of the committee was accepted.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

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

S. B. No. 320 - Senator Roegner.

To enact sections 4755.72 and 4755.721 of the Revised Code to enter into the Athletic Trainer Compact.

S. B. No. 321 - Senator Schaffer.

To enact sections 5119.081 and 5123.131 of the Revised Code regarding the carrying of firearms by certain special police officers.

S. B. No. 322 - Senator Cutrona.

To amend sections 133.06, 3302.036, 3302.042, 3302.16, 3302.17, 3310.03, 3311.29, and 3314.102; to enact new section 3302.10; and to repeal sections 3302.10, 3302.103, 3302.11, 3302.111, and 3302.12 of the Revised Code and to repeal Sections 4, 5, and 6 of H.B. 70 of the 131st General Assembly to dissolve academic distress commissions and to instead require

student support teams for certain low-performing school buildings.

S. B. No. 323 - Senator Blessing.

To amend sections 9.15, 313.12, 759.01, 1713.36, 1721.06, 1721.18, 1721.21, 2108.15, 2108.70, 2108.72, 2108.75, 2108.82, 2108.83, 2108.84, 2108.85, 2108.86, 2108.87, 2111.13, 2743.51, 2925.01, 3705.01, 3705.18, 3705.19, 3705.20, 4511.451, 4717.01, 4717.03, 4717.04, 4717.06, 4717.07, 4717.08, 4717.11, 4717.13, 4717.14, 4717.15, 4717.20, 4717.21, 4717.22, 4717.23, 4717.24, 4717.25, 4717.26, 4717.27, 4717.28, 4717.29, 4717.30, 4717.36, 4717.41, 4767.02, 4767.05, 5120.45, 5121.11, 5121.53, 5901.25, 5901.26, 5901.27, 5901.29, and 5901.32 of the Revised Code to provide for the natural organic reduction of remains.

S. B. No. 324 - Senator Huffman.

To amend sections 4773.01, 4773.02, 4773.03, and 4773.06 of the Revised Code to revise the law governing general X-ray machine operators and other radiation technicians.

S. B. No. 325 - Senator Schaffer.

To amend section 5751.01 of the Revised Code to authorize a commercial activity tax exclusion for contractor payments to subcontractors.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Hicks-Hudson offered the following concurrent resolution:

S. C. R. No. 13-Senator Hicks-Hudson.

Honoring the longstanding partnership between the Province of Québec and the State of Ohio.

The question being, “Shall the concurrent resolution, **S. C. R. No. 13**, be adopted?

On the motion of Senator Lang, **S. C. R. No. 13**, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

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

S. R. No. 217 - Senators Landis, Timken.

Honoring Brice Fuller as the 2025 Division III State Boys Cross Country Champion.

S. R. No. 218 - Senators Huffman, Wilkin.

Honoring Kirk Kiefer as the 2025 NAWEOA Officer of the Year.

S. R. No. 219 - Senator Liston.

Honoring the Gahanna Lincoln High School girls cross country team as the 2025 Division I State Champion.

S. R. No. 220 - Senator McColley.

Honoring Arianna Kiessling as the 2025 Division II State Girls Bowling Champion.

S. R. No. 221 - Senator Craig.

Honoring the St. Charles Preparatory School water polo team as the 2025 Division I State Champion.

The question being, "Shall the resolutions listed under the President's prerogative be adopted?"

So the resolutions were 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:

Am. H. B. No. 188 -Representatives Hall, T., Synenberg

Cosponsors: Representatives Williams, Newman, Brennan, Piccolantonio, Pizzulli, Isaacsohn, Jarrells, King, Russo, Brownlee, Demetriou, Abrams, Barhorst, Bird, Click, Deeter, Dovilla, Fowler Arthur, Ghanbari, Gross, Holmes, Hoops, John, Klopfenstein, Lear, Mathews, A., Mathews, T., Miller, M., Odioso, Peterson, Plummer, Richardson, Salvo, Santucci, Schmidt, Stephens, Stewart, Thomas, D., Willis, Young

To enact section 122.1712 of the Revised Code to create the Ohio Israel Trade and Innovation Partnership.

H. B. No. 195 -Representatives Isaacsohn, Mathews, A.

Cosponsors: Representatives Brennan, Brownlee, Hall, D., Holmes, Odioso, Oelslager, Piccolantonio, Schmidt, Synenberg, Williams, Willis, Young

To amend sections 1301.101, 1301.102, 1301.103, 1301.104, 1301.105, 1301.106, 1301.201, 1301.204, 1301.205, 1301.206, 1301.301, 1301.302, 1301.304, 1301.305, 1301.306, 1302.01, 1302.02, 1302.04, 1302.05, 1302.06, 1302.08, 1302.12, 1303.01, 1303.03, 1303.41, 1303.69, 1304.51, 1304.56, 1304.57, 1304.58, 1304.62, 1304.63, 1304.65, 1304.66, 1304.72, 1305.03, 1305.15, 1307.102, 1307.106, 1308.01, 1308.02, 1308.05, 1308.17, 1308.24, 1309.102, 1309.104, 1309.105, 1309.203, 1309.204, 1309.207, 1309.208, 1309.209, 1309.210, 1309.301, 1309.304, 1309.305, 1309.310, 1309.312, 1309.313, 1309.314, 1309.316, 1309.317, 1309.323, 1309.324, 1309.330, 1309.331, 1309.332, 1309.334, 1309.341, 1309.404, 1309.406, 1309.408, 1309.509, 1309.513, 1309.601, 1309.605, 1309.608, 1309.611, 1309.613,

1309.614, 1309.615, 1309.616, 1309.619, 1309.620, 1309.621, 1309.624, 1309.628, 1310.01, 1310.02, 1310.05, 1310.08, 1310.09, 1310.10, 1310.12, 1310.15, and 1311.55 and to enact sections 1309.111, 1309.112, 1309.113, 1309.343, 1309.344, 1309.345, 1309.346, 1314.101, 1314.102, 1314.103, 1314.104, 1314.105, 1314.106, 1314.107, 1316.101, 1316.102, 1316.201, 1316.301, 1316.302, 1316.303, 1316.304, 1316.305, and 1316.306 of the Revised Code to make changes to the Ohio Uniform Commercial Code.

H. B. No. 386 -Representatives Odioso, Abrams

Cosponsors: Representatives Mathews, A., Bird, Brennan, Brownlee, Gross, Hall, D., John, Lampton, Lear, Miller, J., Miller, M., Newman, Oelslager, Plummer, Ray, Richardson, Robb Blasdel, Schmidt, Synenberg, Thomas, C., Williams, Willis

To amend section 3101.05 of the Revised Code to require identity verification with photo identification when applying for a marriage license.

H. B. No. 430 -Representatives Hiner, Miller, K.

Cosponsors: Representatives Willis, Daniels, Grim, Lorenz, Rogers, Abrams, Barhorst, Brennan, Brownlee, Claggett, Click, Deeter, Ghanbari, Gross, Hall, D., Holmes, Hoops, Klopfenstein, LaRe, Lawson-Rowe, Lear, Manning, Mathews, A., Miller, J., Mohamed, Newman, Peterson, Richardson, Robb Blasdel, Thomas, C., White, A., White, E.

To enact section 5534.451 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 13 in Knox County as the "Ohio State Highway Patrol Lt. Vance M. Andrews Memorial Highway."

H. B. No. 433 -Representatives Klopfenstein, Fowler Arthur

Cosponsors: Representatives John, Newman, Gross, Glassburn, Thomas, D., Daniels, Miller, J., Barhorst, Brennan, Brownlee, Click, Hall, D., Hiner, Mathews, T., Plummer, Rader, Schmidt, Somani, Thomas, C., Troy, White, E., Willis

To amend sections 993.01 and 993.04 of the Revised Code to alter the current amusement ride classification structure for purposes of the annual inspection and reinspection fees.

H. B. No. 471 -Representative Abrams

Cosponsors: Representatives Willis, Daniels, Grim, Lorenz, Miller, K., Rogers, Barhorst, Brennan, Brownlee, Bryant Bailey, Claggett, Click, Craig, Creech, Deeter, Demetriou, Dovilla, Fischer, Fowler Arthur, Ghanbari, Gross, Hall, D., Hall, T., Hiner, Holmes, Hoops, Humphrey, Isaacsohn, John, King, Kishman, Lampton, LaRe, Lawson-Rowe, Lear, Lett, Manning, Mathews, A., Mathews, T., Miller, J., Miller, M., Mohamed, Newman, Odioso, Oelslager, Peterson, Piccolantonio, Plummer, Ray, Richardson, Ritter, Robb Blasdel, Roemer, Russo, Salvo, Schmidt, Sims, Stephens, Swearingen, Synenberg,

Thomas, C., White, A., White, E., Young

To enact section 5534.971 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of Interstate 275 in Hamilton County as the "Deputy Larry Henderson Memorial Highway."

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 Senate amendments to:

Sub. H. B. No. 23-Representatives Roemer, Williams – et al.

Sub. H. B. No. 434-Representatives Willis, Lampton – et al.

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 concurred in the adoption of the following concurrent resolution:

S. C. R. No. 3 -Senator Schaffer

Cosponsors: Senators Reineke, Lang, Wilkin, Huffman, Brenner, Cirino, Gavarone, Johnson, O'Brien, Patton, Reynolds, Roegner, Romanchuk, Wilson
Representatives Abrams, Click, Daniels, Fischer, Fowler Arthur, Ghanbari, Gross, Hall, T., John, Johnson, Kishman, Lorenz, Mathews, A., Mathews, T., Miller, K., Peterson, Robb Blasdel, Santucci, Schmidt, Thomas, D., Willis, Young

To urge Congress to make changes to the Fair Labor Standards Act to allow a person under 16 years of age to be employed between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. during the school year.

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 concurred in the passage of the following bill:

S. B. No. 50 -Senator Schaffer

Cosponsors: Senators Reineke, Lang, Wilkin, Huffman, Brenner, Cirino, Gavarone, Johnson, Koehler, Landis, O'Brien, Patton, Reynolds, Roegner, Romanchuk, Wilson

Representatives Abrams, Click, Craig, Creech, Daniels, Demetriou, Dovilla, Fischer, Fowler Arthur, Gross, Hall, T., Hiner, Holmes, John, Johnson, King, Kishman, Klopfenstein, Lear, Lorenz, Mathews, A., Mathews, T., Miller, K., Miller, M., Peterson, Plummer, Robb Blasdel, Roemer, Salvo, Santucci, Schmidt, Thomas, D., Willis, Young

To amend sections 3331.02 and 4109.07 of the Revised Code regarding age and schooling certificate requirements and work hours for a person under sixteen years of age.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 127.12 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate temporarily appoints Senator George Lang to the Controlling Board, as a substitute for Senator Jerry Cirino, for the purpose of the November 10, 2025 meeting.

On the motion of Senator Lang, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, November 12, 2025 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:

Melissa Graves,
Journal Clerk.