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SENATE

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ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIXTH DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Monday, November 9, 2026, 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.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

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

S. B. No. 485 - Senator Blessing.

To amend sections 3923.33, 3923.331, 3923.332, 3923.337, 3923.338, 3923.339, and 3923.42 and to enact section 3923.3310 of the Revised Code to provide Medigap policies for Medicare-eligible individuals under the age of 65.

S. B. No. 486 - Senator Schaffer.

To enact section 5534.016 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 674 in Fairfield County and Pickaway County as the "Captain Seth R. Koval Memorial Highway."

S. B. No. 487 - Senator Timken.

To amend sections 2151.34, 2903.213, 2919.27, and 2929.34 of the Revised Code to add strangulation to the list of offenses for which a protection order may be obtained and to increase the penalty for violating a protection order.

S. B. No. 488 - Senator Roegner.

To amend sections 2925.01, 4709.07, 4709.072, 4709.09, 4713.01, 4713.02, 4713.06, 4713.07, 4713.071, 4713.08, 4713.081, 4713.09, 4713.10, 4713.14, 4713.141, 4713.15, 4713.16, 4713.17, 4713.22, 4713.24, 4713.28, 4713.31, 4713.32, 4713.34, 4713.35, 4713.351, 4713.37, 4713.42, 4713.44, 4713.45, 4713.46, 4713.49, 4713.50, 4713.55, 4713.56, 4713.57, 4713.58, 4713.59, 4713.60, 4713.61, 4713.62, 4713.63, 4713.64, 4713.641, 4713.65, 4713.66, 4743.05, 4745.01, 4776.20, and 5502.63; to amend, for the purpose of adopting new section numbers as indicated in parentheses, sections 4709.07 (4713.281), 4709.072 (4713.311), and 4709.09 (4713.411); and to repeal sections 4709.01, 4709.02, 4709.03, 4709.031, 4709.05, 4709.051, 4709.071, 4709.073, 4709.08, 4709.091, 4709.10, 4709.11, 4709.111, 4709.112, 4709.12, 4709.13, 4709.14, 4709.99, 4713.25, 4713.30, and 4713.39 of the Revised Code to make changes to the law governing the regulation of cosmetologists and barbers.

S. B. No. 489 - Senator Craig.
Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Brenner, DeMora, Smith.

To enact section 5.2325 of the Revised Code to designate January as "Ohio Mentoring Month."

S. B. No. 490 - Senators Craig, Blackshear.
Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Brenner, DeMora, Smith.

To enact section 5.2544 of the Revised Code to designate May as Ohio Mental Health Awareness Month.

S. B. No. 491 - Senator Brenner.

To amend sections 125.04, 131.45, 133.06, 311.29, 319.301, 319.36, 319.40, 319.45, 319.50, 321.24, 321.31, 321.34, 321.341, 323.08, 323.156, 323.31, 718.09, 718.10, 725.02, 1728.06, 1728.10, 1728.11, 1728.111, 2151.362, 3301.0711, 3301.0712, 3301.0714, 3301.0715, 3301.16, 3301.162, 3301.163, 3301.68, 3302.036, 3302.04, 3302.10, 3302.12, 3310.51, 3310.522, 3310.62, 3310.70, 3311.20, 3311.21, 3313.29, 3313.473, 3313.48, 3313.55, 3313.603, 3313.6029, 3313.612, 3313.618, 3313.64, 3313.6411, 3313.6413, 3313.65, 3313.83, 3313.982, 3314.07, 3314.09, 3314.091, 3315.01, 3315.18, 3316.20, 3317.01, 3317.014, 3317.015, 3317.02, 3317.021, 3317.022, 3317.023, 3317.024, 3317.025, 3317.028, 3317.0210, 3317.0211, 3317.0212, 3317.0213, 3317.0214, 3317.0215, 3317.03, 3317.034, 3317.051, 3317.081, 3317.16, 3317.20, 3317.201, 3317.22, 3317.25, 3317.26, 3318.011, 3318.06, 3318.061, 3318.062, 3318.063, 3318.361, 3318.45, 3318.71, 3319.17, 3323.01, 3323.091, 3323.13, 3323.14, 3323.141, 3323.142, 3323.143, 3326.20, 3326.44, 3326.51, 3327.01, 3327.011, 3327.012, 3327.013, 3327.015, 3327.016, 3327.02, 3327.021, 3327.03, 3327.06, 3327.07, 3327.09, 3327.10, 3327.12, 3327.13, 3327.14, 3327.15, 3327.16, 3327.17, 3333.81, 3365.07, 3365.08, 3735.67, 3735.671, 4141.47, 4503.06, 4503.068, 5139.07, 5705.01, 5705.03, 5705.10, 5705.191, 5705.194, 5705.199, 5705.21, 5705.212, 5705.213, 5705.215, 5705.217, 5705.218, 5705.219, 5705.2111, 5705.2112, 5705.2113, 5705.2114, 5705.28, 5705.31, 5705.311, 5705.315, 5705.32, 5705.412, 5709.081, 5709.40, 5709.41, 5709.42, 5709.43, 5709.45, 5709.46, 5709.47, 5709.48, 5709.49, 5709.51, 5709.57, 5709.62, 5709.63, 5709.631, 5709.632, 5709.73, 5709.74, 5709.75, 5709.78, 5709.79, 5709.80, 5709.82, 5709.84, 5709.85, 5709.88, 5709.882, 5709.883, 5709.91, 5709.92, 5715.17, 5715.19, 5715.22, 5715.27, 5717.02, 5739.02, 5739.10, 5739.21, 5741.02, 5741.03, 5747.021, 5748.02, 5748.021, 5748.08, 5748.081, 5748.09, and 5751.20; to enact new section 3317.06 and sections 3311.39, 3317.0111, 3318.91, 3367.01, 3367.02, 3367.03, 3367.04, 3367.05, 5705.81, 5709.94, 5739.0211, and 5748.11; and to repeal sections 725.021, 3310.01, 3310.02, 3310.03, 3310.031, 3310.032, 3310.033, 3310.034, 3310.035, 3310.036, 3310.04, 3310.05, 3310.06, 3310.07, 3310.08, 3310.10, 3310.11, 3310.12, 3310.13, 3310.14, 3310.15, 3310.16, 3310.17, 3313.974, 3313.975, 3313.976,

3313.977, 3313.978, 3313.979, 3313.98, 3313.981, 3313.983, 3314.087, 3314.093, 3317.06, 3317.062, 3317.064, 3317.08, 3317.082, 3327.04, 3327.05, 3327.11, 5705.314, and 5709.83 of the Revised Code to establish a new school financing system that provides a statewide per-pupil funding payment to public and chartered nonpublic schools based on a single statewide property tax and increased state sales tax; to repeal school district property and income taxes; to issue general obligation bonds to refund certain school district debt obligations; to eliminate the classroom facilities assistance programs, the Educational Choice and Pilot Project scholarship programs, and interdistrict open enrollment; and to require educational service centers to transport students on a countywide basis.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

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

S. R. No. 457 - Senator Brenner.

Honoring Jodie Han on winning the 2026 OHSAA Division I State Championship in girls golf.

S. R. No. 458 - Senator Brenner.

Honoring the River View High School boys golf team on securing the 2026 Division II State Championship.

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

On the motion of Senator Cirino, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, November 10, 2026 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest: VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.