

OHIO SENATE
Select Committee on Gaming Minutes
May 19, 2021
134th General Assembly

The Senate Select Committee on Gaming was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximately 4:00 p.m. in the North Hearing Room of the Statehouse.

Attendance was taken and a quorum was present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved without objection, correction, or addition.

Vice Chair Manning called up Substitute Senate Bill 176 for its second hearing.

Vice Chair Manning called up the witnesses to give testimony.

The following testimony was provided:

Brend Iden, representing Sportradar Solutions - Interested Party

Scott Bowen, representing NeoPollard Interactive - Interested Party

Merle Pratt, representing the Ohio Veterans and Fraternal Charitable Coalition - Proponent

Kevin Cochran, representing DraftKings - Proponent

Alexander Kane, representing Sporttrade Inc. - Proponent

Tara Jones, representing Intralot - Interested Party

Kristin Mullins, representing the Ohio Grocers Association - Interested Party

Charlie Bassett, representing Bassett's Market - Interested Party

David Corey, representing the Bowling Centers Association of Ohio - Interested Party

C. Todd Jones, representing the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Ohio - Interested Party

Derek Longmeier, representing the Problem Gaming Network of Ohio - Interested Party

Doug Healy, representing the Cincinnati Reds - Interested Party

Ted Tywang, representing the Haslam Sports Group - Interested Party

Dan Sullivan, representing the Memorial Tournament - Interested Party

Ali Bartlett, representing The Vanguard Group - Interested Party

Jess Stewart, representing himself - Interested Party

Kevin Savoree, representing the Mid-Ohio Sports Car Course - Written Proponent

Mary Ann Bassitt, representing herself - Written Opponent

Ashley Hartman, representing herself - Written Interested Party

Rick Ohanian, representing himself - Written Interested Party

Jennifer Rhoads, representing the Ohio Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Stores Association - Written Interested Party

With no further business to come before the committee, Vice Chair Manning adjourned the meeting at approximately 5:51 p.m.

Kirk Schuring, Chair