

The Senate Committee on Ways and Means was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximately 10:37 a.m. in the North Hearing Room of the Statehouse.

Attendance was taken. A quorum was present.

The minutes of the April 28, 2021 committee meeting were approved.

The Chair called up S.B. 140 for its first hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Senator Schaffer – Sponsor (Written Testimony)

The Chair called up S.B. 47 for its third hearing.

Chairman Blessing moved to Amend with AM0882 (Prohibits an employee from joining as a party plaintiff in a civil action that is brought for a violation of Ohio's Overtime Law unless that employee first gives written consent to become a party plaintiff and that consent is filed with the court in which the action is brought (this mirrors a continuing law provision applicable to civil actions brought for minimum wage violations under Ohio law).

The motion was agreed to by a vote of 5-2.

The Chair called up S.B. 97 for its first hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Senator Roegner - Sponsor (Written Testimony)

Tony Long, Ohio Chamber of Commerce - Proponent (Written Testimony)

Greg Saul, Ohio Society of CPAs - Proponent (Written Testimony)

Tom Zaino, Ohio Society of CPAs - Proponent (Written Testimony)

The committee adjourned at approximately 11:41 p.m.