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TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Tuesday, March 30, 2021, 9:30 a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

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

Senator Lang 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 bill was introduced and considered for the first time:

S. B. No. 149 - Senators Maharath, Antonio.

Cosponsors: Senators Craig, Yuko, Thomas.

To amend section 2927.12 of the Revised Code to rename the offense of ethnic intimidation to bias-motivated crime; to expand the scope of bias-motivated crime; to require peace officer training on bias-motivated crime; and to require data collection and reporting on bias-motivated crime.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Gavarone offered the following joint resolution:

S. J. R. No. 2-Senators Gavarone, Yuko.

Cosponsors: Senators Rulli, Cirino, Fedor, Manning.

Proposing to enact Section 2t of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Ohio to permit the issuance of general obligation bonds to fund clean water improvements.

The question being, "Shall the joint resolution, **S. J. R. No. 2**, be adopted?"

On the motion of Senator Antani, **S. J. R. No. 2**, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 54, the following resolutions were offered:

S. R. No. 51 - Senator Antani.

Honoring the Kettering Fairmont High School boys bowling team on winning the 2021 Division I State Championship.

S. R. No. 52 - Senators Huffman, M., Brenner.

Honoring Andrew E. Doehrel on his retirement from the Ohio Chamber of Commerce.

S. R. No. 53 - Senator Roegner.

Honoring Marlon Yarbrough on winning a 2021 Division II State Wrestling Championship.

S. R. No. 54 - Senator Roegner.

Honoring Kyle Snider on winning a 2021 Division II State Wrestling Championship.

S. R. No. 55 - Senator Roegner.

Honoring Kyren Butler on winning a 2021 Division II State Wrestling Championship title.

S. R. No. 56 - Senator Roegner.

Honoring Salvatore Perrine as a 2021 Division I State Wrestling Champion.

S. R. No. 57 - Senator Roegner.

Honoring Sevi Garza as a 2021 Division III State Wrestling Champion.

S. R. No. 58 - Senator Roegner.

Honoring Zayne Lehman on winning a 2021 Division II State Wrestling Championship.

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. 76 -Representative Oelslager

Cosponsors: Representatives Johnson, Boyd, Brown, Callender, Carruthers, Click, Crawley, Crossman, Fraizer, Galonski, Hoops, Householder, Jarrells, John, Leland, Lepore-Hagan, Lightbody, Miller, J., Riedel, Russo, Sobbecki

To make appropriations for the Industrial Commission for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023, and to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of Commission programs.

H. B. No. 120 -Representatives Fraizer, Richardson

Cosponsors: Representatives Abrams, Fowler Arthur, Baldrige, Carfagna, Carruthers, Click, Cross, Ghanbari, Ginter, Grendell, Gross, Hillyer, Holmes, Jones, Jordan, Kick, Koehler, Lanese, LaRe, Lipps, McClain, Plummer, Ray, Riedel, Seitz, Stein, Swearingen, Young, T., Edwards, John, Schmidt, Bird, Brown, Creech, Crossman, Galonski, Hall, Hoops, Householder, Lampton,

Lightbody, Liston, Manning, Merrin, Miller, J., O'Brien, Patton, Pavliga, Roemer, Russo, Smith, M., Stewart, Troy, Upchurch, Weinstein, White, Wiggam, Wilkin, Young, B., Speaker Cupp

To permit compassionate care visits in long-term care facilities during the COVID-19 state of emergency, to establish criteria for those visits, and to declare an emergency.

Am. H. B. No. 132 -Representatives Hillyer, Jones
Cosponsors: Representatives Kick, Young, T., Cross, Seitz, Miller, J., Cutrona, Abrams, Bird, Carruthers, Ginter, Gross, Householder, John, Johnson, Plummer, Stein, Stephens, Stewart, Wiggam

To amend sections 4513.601, 4513.62, 5322.01, 5322.02, and 5322.03 and to enact sections 4505.104, 4513.602, and 4513.603 of the Revised Code to amend the law regarding self-service storage facilities and towing.

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:

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 74-Representative Oelslager – et al.

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 128-Representatives Hoops, Stein – et al.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following bills:

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 74-Representative Oelslager – et al.

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 128-Representatives Hoops, Stein – et al.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

The President signed said bills.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following bills:

Sub. S. B. No. 7-Senator Roegner – et al.

Sub. S. B. No. 18-Senators Roegner, Schaffer – et al.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

The President signed said bills.

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:

Sub. S. B. No. 2 -Senator Gavarone

Cosponsors: Senators Manning, Antonio, Blessing, Brenner, Cirino, Craig, Dolan, Hackett, Huffman, S., Johnson, Kunze, Peterson, Roegner, Schuring, Sykes, Wilson, Yuko Representatives Leland, Galonski, Schmidt, Abrams, Brown, Carruthers, Crossman, Edwards, Ghanbari, Gross, Hillyer, Householder, LaRe, Lepore-Hagan, McClain, Miller, J., O'Brien, Richardson, Roemer, Seitz, Smith, K., Smith, M., Sobecki, Swearingen, White, Young, T.

To amend sections 2945.37, 2945.371, 2945.38, 5119.94, 5122.02, 5122.03, 5122.11, and 5122.111 and to enact sections 4732.40, 4732.41, and 5122.112 of the Revised Code to make changes to the requirements for competency evaluations and mental health treatment in criminal cases, to eliminate a provision authorizing the hospitalization, on an emergency basis, of a person found after a hearing to meet the criteria for involuntary substance abuse treatment, and to enter into the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact (PSYPACT).

As a substitute bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

Said amendments were laid over under the rule.

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:

Sub. S. B. No. 57 -Senators Hackett, Antonio

Cosponsors: Senators Blessing, Craig, Brenner, Fedor, Yuko, Hottinger, Dolan, Williams, Gavarone, Hoagland, Huffman, M., Huffman, S., Johnson, Kunze, Maharath, Manning, O'Brien, Reineke, Schaffer, Schuring, Sykes, Thomas, Wilson Representatives Merrin, Crossman, Liston, McClain, Wiggam, Young, T., Baldrige, Blackshear, Boyd, Brent, Brown, Carruthers, Click, Cross, Edwards, Fraizer, Galonski, Ghanbari, Ginter, Gross, Hicks-Hudson, Householder, Jarrells, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lanese, Lepore-Hagan, Manning, Miller, J., O'Brien, Oelslager, Patton, Pavliga, Plummer, Riedel, Roemer, Russo, Schmidt, Seitz, Sobecki, Stephens, Troy, White, Wilkin

To amend sections 5709.121, 5709.91, and 5715.19 of the Revised Code to modify the law regarding property tax exemptions and procedures and to authorize COVID-19-related property tax valuation complaints.

As a substitute bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

Said amendments were laid over under the rule.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 101.35 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate temporarily appoints Senator Jay Hottinger to the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR) as a substitute for Senator Kirk Schuring, for the purpose of the committee's meeting on Monday, March 29, 2021.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 101.35 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate temporarily appoints Senator Stephanie Kunze to the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR) as a substitute for Senator Theresa Gavarone, for the purpose fo the committee's meeting on Monday, March 29, 2021.

On the motion of Senator Antani, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, March 31, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.