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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2021

SEVENTY-THIRD DAY  
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio  
**Thursday, September 2, 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 Brenner 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. 221** - Senator Antani.

To amend section 5739.02 of the Revised Code to expand the class of products exempt from the sales tax if bought during a sales tax holiday.

**S. B. No. 222** - Senator Antani.

To amend sections 5739.02, 5739.03, and 5739.05 of the Revised Code to provide a three-day sales tax "holiday" each March during which sales of qualifying Energy Star products are exempt from sales and use taxes.

**S. B. No. 223** - Senator Antani.

To amend sections 1901.261, 1907.261, 2101.162, 2151.541, 2153.081, 2301.031, 2303.201, 2953.52, 2953.53, 2953.54, 2953.55, and 2953.61 and to enact section 2953.522 of the Revised Code to allow for the sealing of charges dismissed through intervention in lieu of conviction when those charges are connected to a conviction for operating a vehicle under the influence and to allow a clerk of court to spend computerization funds upon request.

**OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS**

Senators Hottinger, Romanchuk offered the following concurrent resolution:

**S. C. R. No. 8**-Senators Hottinger, Romanchuk.

Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Cirino, Craig, Fedor, Schaffer, Yuko.

To promote the induction of Dick Schafrath into the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

The question being, "Shall the concurrent resolution, **S. C. R. No. 8**, be adopted?"

On the motion of Senator Kunze, **S. C. R. No. 8**, was referred to the

Committee on Rules and Reference.

Senator Romanchuk offered the following resolution:

**S. R. No. 175**-Senator Romanchuk.

Cosponsor: Senator McColley.

To memorialize PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to urge the preservation of the Minimum Offer Price Rule for the PJM capacity market.

The question being, "Shall the resolution, **S. R. No. 175**, be adopted?"

On the motion of Senator Kunze, **S. R. No. 175**, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

Senator Schaffer offered the following resolution:

**S. R. No. 176**-Senator Schaffer.

To urge Congress to protect the natural gas and oil industry from disproportionate tax increases or other punitive measures.

The question being, "Shall the resolution, **S. R. No. 176**, be adopted?"

On the motion of Senator Kunze, **S. R. No. 176**, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

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

**S. R. No. 177** - Senator Kunze.

Honoring Henry Thomas for outstanding service to the State of Ohio.

**S. R. No. 178** - Senator Rulli.

Cosponsors: Senators Cirino, Brenner, Craig, Lang, O'Brien, Schaffer, Wilson, Gavarone.

Recognizing September 25, 2021, as National Hunting and Fishing Day in Ohio.

**S. R. No. 179** - Senator O'Brien.

Honoring the Trumbull County Tourism Bureau as the recipient of a 2021 Destiny Award.

**S. R. No. 180** - Senator O'Brien.

Honoring First Presbyterian Church of Ashtabula on its Bicentennial.

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

So the resolutions were adopted.

On the motion of Senator Kunze, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, September 8, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.

Attest:

LAUREN POTTS,  
Engrossing Clerk.