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ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOURTH DAY
Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio
Wednesday, March 5, 2008, 11:00 o'clock a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The journal of the previous legislative day was read and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced:

H. B. No. 493-Representative Daniels.

Cosponsors: Representatives Ujvagi, Flowers, Goodwin, Collier, Zehringer, Strahorn.

To amend section 4731.22 and to enact sections 3701.86, 3701.861, 3701.862, 4731.72, 4731.721, 4731.722, and 4731.723 of the Revised Code regarding billing for anatomic pathology services.

H. B. No. 494-Representative Dyer.

Cosponsors: Representatives Brady, Luckie, Williams, B., Otterman, J., Yuko.

To amend sections 6115.04, 6115.05, 6115.06, 6115.08, 6115.16, 6115.46, and 6115.69 and to enact sections 6115.051, 6115.081, 6115.082, 6115.091, 6115.092, 6115.093, 6115.094, 6115.095, 6115.096, and 6115.321 of the Revised Code to revise the law governing sanitary districts that are organized wholly for the reduction of populations of biting arthropods.

H. B. No. 495-Representative Fessler.

Cosponsors: Representatives Huffman, Sears, Webster, McGregor, J., Yuko, Williams, S., Boyd.

To enact section 3345.023 of the Revised Code to prohibit state institutions of higher education from requiring a student to purchase the institution's health insurance plan.

H. B. No. 496-Representative Hottinger.

To make capital reappropriations for the biennium ending June 30, 2010, and certain capital appropriations.

Said bills were considered the first time.

Message from the Speaker

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3718.03 (A)(3), the Speaker hereby appoints public member Ralph Benson to the Sewage Treatment System Technical Advisory Committee.

Message from the Speaker

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 5101.34, the Speaker hereby appoints the following members to the Ohio Commission on Fatherhood:

Representatives Bacon, White, Miller and Sayre.

Message from the Speaker

Pursuant to Section 2 of Sub. H. B. 233, 127th General Assembly, the Speaker hereby appoints Representative Barrett to the Ohio Agriculture to Chemicals, Polymers, and Advanced Materials Task Force.

Message from the Speaker

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 5537.24, the Speaker hereby appoints Representative Yuko to the Ohio Turnpike Oversight Committee.

On motion of Representative Hite, the House recessed.

The House met pursuant to recess.

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES AND BILLS FOR SECOND CONSIDERATION

Representative Koziura reported for the Rules and Reference Committee recommending that the following House Bills be considered for the second time and referred to the following committees for consideration:

H.B. No. 481 - Representative Blessing, et al

TO INCLUDE IN THE DEFINITION OF UNINSURED MOTORIST, OPERATORS WHO AVOID LIABILITY BECAUSE OF A "SUDDEN EMERGENCY" PLEA, TO PROHIBIT UNINSURED AND UNDERINSURED COVERAGE FROM LIMITING OR CONTRACTING CERTAIN COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS, AND TO INCLUDE UNINSURED MOTORIST AND UNDERINSURED MOTORIST COVERAGE IN THE CURRENT TOLLING OF THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS DUE TO THE PERSON BRINGING AN ACTION BEING WITHIN THE AGE OF MINORITY OR OF UNSOUND MIND.

To the committee on Insurance

H.B. No. 482 - Representative Fende, et al

TO AUTHORIZE PUBLIC OFFICES TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF BULK DATA REQUESTS, IMPOSE CHARGES TO COVER THE ACTUAL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH BULK DATA REQUESTS, AND CHARGE

FOR THE COST OF REDACTING CERTAIN INFORMATION.

To the committee on Civil and Commercial Law

H.B. No. 483 - Representative J. McGregor, et al

TO CREATE THE ELEVATOR SECTION OF THE OHIO CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD, TO REQUIRE LICENSURE OF ELEVATOR CONTRACTORS AND ELEVATOR MECHANICS, AND TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING ELEVATOR SERVICING AND INSPECTIONS.

To the committee on Commerce and Labor

H.B. No. 484 - Representative Garrison

TO CALCULATE AN ALTERNATIVE EQUITY LIST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2009 FUNDING UNDER THE CLASSROOM FACILITIES ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND THE EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS SCHOOL FACILITIES ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH LARGE ONE-YEAR REDUCTIONS IN VALUATION.

To the committee on Finance and Appropriations

H.B. No. 485 - Representative DeGeeter, et al

TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF HOURS AFTER BIRTH THAT A PARENT MAY VOLUNTARILY DELIVER THE CHILD TO A SAFE HAVEN WITHOUT THE PARENT EXPRESSING AN INTENT TO RETURN FOR THE CHILD AND TO INCLUDE AWARENESS OF THE SAFE HAVENS LAW IN THE HEALTH CURRICULUM PRESCRIBED FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

To the committee on Juvenile and Family Law

H.B. No. 486 - Representatives Lundy and Core, et al

TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING WATERCRAFT.

To the committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

H. B. No. 487 - Representative J. McGregor

TO ESTABLISH ALTERNATIVE ENERGY BENCHMARKS FOR ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES AND ELECTRIC SERVICES COMPANIES, PROVIDE FOR THE USE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY CREDITS, ESTABLISH ENERGY EFFICIENCY STANDARDS FOR ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES AND REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT TO ESTABLISH ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS, CREATE THE OHIO RENEWABLE ENERGY AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE LOANS AND GRANTS TO RENEWABLE ENERGY BUSINESSES, ESTABLISH POLICIES REGARDING THE GEOLOGIC STORAGE OF CARBON DIOXIDE, AND REQUIRE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSION REPORTING AND CARBON CONTROL PLANNING FOR GENERATING FACILITIES.

To the committee on Public Utilities

H.B. No. 488 - Representative Yates, et al

TO CREATE "IN GOD WE TRUST" LICENSE PLATES.

To the committee on Infrastructure, Homeland Security and Veterans Affairs

H.B. No. 489 - Representative Okey, et al

TO DESIGNATE THE LAKE MILTON BRIDGE, WHICH IS LOCATED IN MAHONING COUNTY AND IS PART OF INTERSTATE ROUTE 76, AS THE "PETER J. DELUCIA MEMORIAL BRIDGE."

To the committee on Infrastructure, Homeland Security and Veterans Affairs

H.B. No. 490 - Representative Mallory, et al

TO CREATE THE INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION CENTER WITHIN THE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

To the committee on Infrastructure, Homeland Security and Veterans Affairs

H.B. No. 491 - Representative Chandler, et al

TO REQUIRE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS AND RESIDENTIAL UNITS, TO DIRECT THE BOARD OF BUILDING STANDARDS TO ADOPT RULES THAT ESTABLISH PRODUCT AND INSTALLATION STANDARDS FOR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS, TO REQUIRE TRANSFERORS OF RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY TO DISCLOSE WHETHER FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS ARE INSTALLED IN THEIR PROPERTY, AND TO PROHIBIT A TRANSFEROR OF RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY FROM ENTERING INTO A TRANSFER AGREEMENT UNLESS FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS ARE INSTALLED AS THE BILL REQUIRES.

To the committee on State Government and Elections

H.B. No. 492 - Representative Fessler, et al

TO DESIGNATE A PORTION OF STATE ROUTE 66 WITHIN MIAMI COUNTY AS THE "CPL. SAMUEL F. PEARSON MEMORIAL HIGHWAY."

To the committee on Infrastructure, Homeland Security and Veterans Affairs

H.B. No. 496 - Representative Hottinger

TO MAKE CAPITAL REAPPROPRIATIONS FOR THE BIENNIUM ENDING JUNE 30, 2010, AND CERTAIN CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS.

To the committee on Finance and Appropriations

JON A. HUSTED
LARRY L. FLOWERS
JOYCE BEATTY
CHRIS REDFERN

KEVIN DEWINE
LARRY L. WOLPERT
JOSEPH KOZIURA

Representative Hite moved that the House and Constitutional Rules requiring bills to be considered by each house on three different days be suspended as to the second consideration of all House Bills contained in the report of the committee on Rules and Reference.

The motion was agreed to without objection.

The report was agreed to.

Said House Bills were considered the second time and referred as recommended.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Representative Koziura reported for the Rules and Reference Committee recommending that the following House Resolution be introduced and referred to the following committee for consideration:

H.R. No. 142 – Representatives Foley, Hagan, R., Goyal, Evans, Skindell, Letson, Heard, Luckie, Otterman, J., Chandler, Brady

TO URGE THE 2008 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES TO HOLD A DEBATE ON THEIR VIEWS ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY.

To the committee on State Government and Elections

/s/ JON A. HUSTED

Jon A. Husted, Chair

Representative Hite moved that the Rules and Reference Committee Report on resolutions be agreed to and that the resolutions contained therein be introduced and referred as recommended.

The motion was agreed to.

Said resolutions were introduced and referred as recommended.

Representative Koziura reported for the Rules and Reference Committee recommending that the following House Resolutions be read by title only and approved:

H.R. No. 141 – Representative Hughes

HONORING JIMMY BERES AS THE 2008 DIVISION I STATE CHAMPION IN BOYS DIVING.

H.R. No. 143 – Speaker Husted, Representatives Beatty, Adams, Aslanides, Bacon, Barrett, Batchelder, Blessing, Bolon, Book, Boyd, Brady, Brinkman, Brown, Bubb, Budish, Carmichael, Celeste, Chandler, Coley, Collier, Combs, Core, Daniels, DeBose, DeGeeter, DeWine, Distel, Dodd, Dolan, Domenick, Driehaus, Dyer, Evans, Fende, Fessler, Flowers, Foley, Gardner, Garrison, Gerberry, Gibbs, Goodwin, Goyal, Hagan, J., Hagan, R., Harwood, Heard, Hite, Hottinger, Huffman, Hughes, Jones, Koziura, Letson, Luckie, Lundy, Mallory, Mandel, McGregor, J., McGregor, R., Mecklenborg, Miller, Oelslager, Okey, Otterman, J., Patton, Peterson, Raussen, Redfern, Reinhard, Sayre, Schindel, Schlichter, Schneider, Sears, Setzer, Skindell, Stebelton, Stewart, D., Stewart, J., Strahorn, Sykes, Szollosi, Uecker, Ujvagi, Wachtmann, Wagner, Webster, White, Widener, Widowfield, Williams, B., Williams, S., Wolpert, Yates, Yuko, Zehringer

HONORING W. LAURENCE BICKING ON HIS RETIREMENT.

H.R. No. 144 – Representative Evans

HONORING CHELSIE FOLDEN ON BEING CROWNED THE 2008 MISS TEEN USA.

/s/ JON A. HUSTED

Jon A. Husted, Chair

Representative Hite moved that the Rules and Reference Committee Report on resolutions be agreed to and that the resolutions contained therein be approved.

The motion was agreed to.

Representative Koziura reported for the Rules and Reference Committee recommending that the following House Resolution be read and approved:

H.R. No. 145 - Representative DeBose, Speaker Husted, Representatives Beatty, Adams, Aslanides, Bacon, Barrett, Batchelder, Blessing, Bolon, Book, Boyd, Brady, Brinkman, Brown, Bupp, Budish, Carmichael, Celeste, Chandler, Coley, Collier, Combs, Core, Daniels, DeGeeter, DeWine, Distel, Dodd, Dolan, Domenick, Driehaus, Dyer, Evans, Fende, Fessler, Flowers, Foley, Gardner, Garrison, Gerberry, Gibbs, Goodwin, Goyal, Hagan, J., Hagan, R., Harwood, Heard, Hite, Hottinger, Huffman, Hughes, Jones, Koziura, Letson, Luckie, Lundy, Mallory, Mandel, McGregor, J., McGregor, R., Mecklenborg, Miller, Oelslager, Okey, Otterman, J., Patton, Peterson, Raussen, Redfern, Reinhard, Sayre, Schindel, Schlichter, Schneider, Sears, Setzer, Skindell, Stebelton, Stewart, D., Stewart, J., Strahorn, Sykes, Szollosi, Uecker, Ujvagi, Wachtmann, Wagner, Webster, White, Widener, Widowfield, Williams, B., Williams, S., Wolpert, Yates, Yuko, Zehringer

IN MEMORY OF DEREK OWENS.

/s/ JON A. HUSTED

Jon A. Husted, Chair

Representative Hite moved that the Rules and Reference Committee Report on resolutions be agreed to and that the resolution contained therein be approved.

The resolution is adopted.

On motion of Representative Hite, the House adjourned until Thursday, March 6, 2008 at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

LAURA P. CLEMENS,
Clerk.