OHIO House of Representatives JOURNAL

FRIDAY, MAY 23, 2008

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINTH DAY Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio Friday, May 23, 2008, 11:00 o'clock a.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced:

H. B. No. 576-Representative Bacon.

To amend sections 121.41, 121.48, and 121.49 of the Revised Code to expand and revise the Inspector General Act.

H. B. No. 577-Representative Fessler.

Cosponsors: Representatives Peterson, Garrison, Adams, Skindell.

To enact sections 1751.661 and 3923.602 of the Revised Code to require insurers that provide coverage for the influenza vaccine to cover a thimerosal-free influenza vaccine for children under six years of age.

Said bill was considered the first time.

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES AND BILLS FOR SECOND CONSIDERATION

Representative Harwood submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary to which was referred **H. B. No. 173**-Representatives Seitz, Book, having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: JUDGES - COMPENSATION, QUALIFICATIONS, ALLOTMENT, VACANCIES/COURT SECURITY

LOUIS W. BLESSING SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD

MARK D. OKEY
LARRY L. FLOWERS
JOSH MANDEL
STEPHEN DYER
BILL COLEY
KEVIN BACON

The following members voted "NO"

WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER ARMOND BUDISH

MICHAEL J. SKINDELL

The report was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

Representative DeGeeter submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Criminal Justice to which was referred **H. B. No. 418**-Representatives Combs, Williams, B., et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS - REVISE PENALTIES/PROTECTION ORDERS - INCLUDE COMPANION ANIMALS

Representative White moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Mandel, Dyer."

JIM CARMICHAEL
BARBARA R. SEARS
LOUIS W. BLESSING
STEPHEN DYER
KENNY YUKO
TIMOTHY J. DEGEETER
TRACY HEARD
TYRONE K. YATES
JOHN J. WHITE
DALE MALLORY
JOSH MANDEL
ANTHONY CORE

The report was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

Representative Chandler submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Local and Municipal Government and Urban Revitalization to which was referred **H. B. No. 459**-Representative Hottinger, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: DEATH CERTIFICATE CHANGE PROCESS

Representative Wolpert moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Uecker."

JEFF WAGNER

JOSEPH W. UECKER

LARRY L. WOLPERT

LARRY L. FLOWERS

TOM BRINKMAN

JIM MCGREGOR

COURTNEY COMBS

BRUCE W. GOODWIN

The following members voted "NO"

DEBORAH NEWCOMB

KENNY YUKO

KATHLEEN CHANDLER

DALE MALLORY

LORRAINE M. FENDE

LINDA S. BOLON

TED CELESTE

The report was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

Representative Chandler submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Local and Municipal Government and Urban Revitalization to which was referred **Sub. S. B. No. 268**-Senator Seitz, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: COUNTY COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSALS

Representative Wolpert moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Mallory, Newcomb, Chandler, Uecker."

LARRY L. FLOWERS
LORRAINE M. FENDE
TED CELESTE
KATHLEEN CHANDLER
DEBORAH NEWCOMB
LARRY L. WOLPERT
DALE MALLORY
COURTNEY COMBS
KENNY YUKO
JOSEPH W. UECKER

The following member voted "NO"

JIM MCGREGOR

The report was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

Representative Harwood submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary to which was referred **Am. Sub. S. B. No. 281**-Senator Seitz, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: EXEMPT PROPERTY VALUES - EQUAL TO BANKRUPTCY CODE/ADJUST ACCORDINGLY TO CPI

Representative Blessing moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Dyer, Budish."

LOUIS W. BLESSING KEVIN BACON STEPHEN DYER ARMOND BUDISH

JOSH MANDEL WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER MARK D. OKEY SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD

MICHAEL J. SKINDELL LARRY L. FLOWERS

The following member voted "NO"

BILL COLEY

The report was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

Representative Harwood submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary to which was referred **S. B. No. 302-**Senator Goodman, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

RE: WILLS - TESTATOR BE CONSCIOUS OF WITNESSES TO WILL

KEVIN BACON WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER MARK D. OKEY LARRY L. FLOWERS JOSH MANDEL MICHAEL J. SKINDELL LOUIS W. BLESSING SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD STEPHEN DYER BILL COLEY ARMOND BUDISH

The report was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and placed on the calendar.

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

H.B. No. 573 - Representative Gerberry

TO DESIGNATE NOVEMBER AS "EPILEPSY AWARENESS MONTH." To the committee on State Government and Elections

JON A. HUSTED LARRY L. FLOWERS JOYCE BEATTY KEVIN DEWINE LARRY L. WOLPERT JOSEPH KOZIURA

Representative Flowers 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 the House bill 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 bill was 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 Resolutions be read by title only and approved:

H.R. No. 207 – Representative Driehaus

HONORING ORLANDO SCALES AS A 2008 DIVISION I STATE WRESTLING CHAMPION.

H.R. No. 208 – Representative Driehaus

HONORING TOMMY PRETTY AS A 2008 DIVISION I STATE WRESTLING CHAMPION.

H.R. No. 209 – Representative Stewart, J.

HONORING THE MEIGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ARCHERY TEAM AS A 2008 NATIONAL ARCHERY IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM CHAMPION.

H.R. No. 210 – Representative Patton

HONORING THE NORTHERN OHIO VIOLENT FUGITIVE TASK FORCE ON RECEIVING THE DISTINGUISHED GROUP FOR OUTSTANDING FUGITIVE TASK FORCE AWARD.

> /s/ JON A. HUSTED Jon A. Husted, Chair

Representative Flowers 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.

Message from the Speaker

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, on May 22, 2008, signed the following:

Sub. H. B. No. 248 - Representative Blessing - et al.

Sub. H. B. No. 405 - Representative Bacon - et al.

H. C. R. No. 36 - Representative Mecklenborg - et al.

Sub. S. B. No. 150 - Senator Roberts - et al.

Am. Sub. S. B. No. 289 - Senator Spada - et al.

On motion of Representative Flowers, the House adjourned until Tuesday, May $27,\,2008$ at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest: LAURA P. CLEMENS, Clerk.