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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2008

TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIRST DAY Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio **Thursday, December 11, 2008, 11:00 o'clock a.m.**

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to House Rule No. 23, the Assistant Clerk called the House to order.

Representative Carmichael was selected to preside under the Rule.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced:

H. B. No. 656-Representative Stebelton. Cosponsors: Representatives Setzer, Grady, Evans, Hite, Uecker, McGregor, J., Widener, Combs, Yuko.

To amend section 124.23 of the Revised Code to eliminate the requirement that a veteran be a resident of Ohio to qualify to receive the veterans preference on civil service examinations.

Said bill was considered the first time.

The following joint resolution was introduced:

H. J. R. No. 9-Representative Fessler.

Encouraging the members of the Electoral College to exercise due diligence to ensure that the persons for whom they cast their ballots for President and Vice-president of the United States are citizens of the United States.

Said joint resolution 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. 564**-Representative Stebelton, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: PROBATE COURTS-INCREASE FEES

Representative Blessing moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the name: "Blessing."

SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD ARMOND BUDISH LOUIS W. BLESSING BILL COLEY LARRY L. FLOWERS

MARK D. OKEY ROBERT MECKLENBORG KEVIN BACON WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER

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 **H. B. No. 631**-Representative Blessing, having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: ASBESTOS BANKRUPTCY TRUST PROCEDURES

Representative Blessing moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Coley, Mecklenborg."

LOUIS W. BLESSING	LARRY L. FLOWERS
BILL COLEY	KEVIN BACON
WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER	ROBERT MECKLENBORG

The following members voted "NO"

ARMOND BUDISH	SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD
MARK D. OKEY	STEPHEN DYER

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Dodd submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Civil and Commercial Law to which was referred **S. B. No. 269**-Senator Schuler, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

RE: PERFORMING AND RECORDING GROUPS - PROHIBIT FALSE ASSOCIATION

DAN DODD MIKE FOLEY JIM HUGHES W. SCOTT OELSLAGER MATT HUFFMAN BILL COLEY T. TODD BOOK GERALD L. STEBELTON ANTHONY CORE TIMOTHY J. DEGEETER SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD ROBERT MECKLENBORG

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Dodd submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Civil and Commercial Law to which was referred **Sub. S. B. No. 277**-Senator Stivers, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: ENVIRONMENTAL HOUSING DIVISIONS - NEW

Representative Oelslager moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representative Hughes."

DAN DODD	TIMOTHY J. DEGEETER
ANTHONY CORE	T. TODD BOOK
MIKE FOLEY	GERALD L. STEBELTON
JIM HUGHES	W. SCOTT OELSLAGER
MATT HUFFMAN	SANDRA STABILE HARWOOD
BILL COLEY	ROBERT MECKLENBORG

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Bolon submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Ways and Means to which was referred **Sub. S. B. No. 306**-Senator Schuler, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: HOMESTEAD TAX EXEMPTIONS/PROPERTY TAX PAYMENT LINK DEPOSIT PROGRAMS

Representative Gibbs moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Gibbs, Schindel, Mecklenborg, Hagan, J., Slesnick."

JAY P. GOYAL
TYRONE K. YATES
KATHLEEN CHANDLER
TOM BRINKMAN
ROBERT F. HAGAN
MATTHEW J. DOLAN
MIKE FOLEY
LINDA S. BOLON
LOUIS W. BLESSING

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 **Sub. S. B. No. 320**-Senator Seitz, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: CORRUPT ACTIVITIES LAW - INCLUDE RETAIL THEFT Representative White moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Yuko, Mallory."

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

The report was agreed to.

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

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred in the passage of the following bill:

Sub. H. B. No. 318 - Representative Gibbs

Cosponsors: Representatives Aslanides, Domenick, Bacon, Batchelder, Bolon, Chandler, Combs, Daniels, DeBose, Dyer, Evans, Flowers, Garrison, Goyal, Hagan, J., Hagan, R., Harwood, Hughes, Luckie, McGregor, J., Patton, Sayre, Schindel, Schneider, Setzer, Uecker, Zehringer Senators Amstutz, Buehrer, Harris, Lehner, Padgett, Patton, Sawyer, Schaffer, Wagoner, Wilson, Miller, R., Miller, D.

To amend sections 5541.05, 5553.11, 5571.20, and 5735.27 of the Revised Code to make changes relative to the provisions that govern the placing of county and township roads on nonmaintained status and to establish that proceedings to vacate a road are not subject to real property appropriation procedures.

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

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran, Clerk. The Senate amendments were laid over under the Rule.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

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I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred in the passage of the following bill:

Sub. H. B. No. 458 - Representative Uecker

Cosponsors: Representatives Evans, McGregor, J., Huffman, Harwood, Wagner, Bacon, Batchelder, Chandler, Combs, Daniels, Domenick, Dyer, Flowers, Gerberry, Gibbs, Goyal, Hagan, J., Hughes, Letson, Newcomb, Sayre, Schindel, Schlichter, Setzer, Zehringer Senators Amstutz, Schaffer, Roberts, Sawyer, Buehrer, Fedor, Harris, Kearney, Patton, Schuler, Seitz, Wagoner

To amend sections 505.60, 505.601, 5701.11, 5705.05, 5705.06, and 5709.121 of the Revised Code to authorize townships to use money derived from the general current expense levy for road and bridge construction and repair, to make clarifying changes to the laws authorizing a township to provide health care insurance, to expressly incorporate changes in the Internal Revenue Code since December 21, 2007, into Ohio tax law, to clarify qualifications for charitable institution exemptions from property taxation, and to declare an emergency.

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

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran, Clerk.

The Senate amendments were laid over under the Rule.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred in the passage of the following bill:

Sub. H. B. No. 525 - Representative Combs

Cosponsors: Representatives McGregor, J., Peterson, Setzer, Harwood, Szollosi, Raussen, Chandler, Uecker, Adams, Batchelder, Blessing, Boyd, Brown, Ciafardini, Coley, Domenick, Dyer, Evans, Flowers, Gardner, Gerberry, Hite, Huffman, Letson, Lundy, Mecklenborg, Nero, Patton, Schneider, Stebelton Senators Cates, Seitz, Wagoner, Harris, Morano, Sawyer

To amend sections 101.45, 117.18, 119.09, 124.09, 169.08, 317.36,

505.495, 709.032, 733.39, 1121.38, 1315.17, 1315.24, 1321.07, 1321.42, 1509.36, 1513.131, 1571.10, 1571.14, 1707.23, 1901.26, 1905.26, 2335.06, 2335.08, 2743.06, 2743.65, 3745.05, 3901.04, 3901.321, 4112.04, 4121.16, 4123.13, 4167.10, 4301.04, 4503.03, 4517.32, 4701.29, 4723.29, 4725.23, 4728.05, 4730.26, 4731.22, 4735.04, 4738.11, 4741.03, 4760.14, 4762.14, 4763.04, 4769.06, 4903.05, 5101.37, 5120.30, 5123.14, 5123.96, 5149.11, 5703.29, 5727.62, and 5924.47 and to enact sections 119.094, 317.114, 317.37, and 3333.30 of the Revised Code to establish standard format requirements for documents to be recorded by a county recorder, to allow recording of a single instrument for multiple transactions pertaining to oil and gas, to permit the board of county commissioners in each county to set the mileage reimbursement rate for witnesses in civil cases in county courts at a rate not to exceed fifty and one-half cents per mile, to set the mileage reimbursement rate for witnesses in other courts of record and state adjudication hearings at fifty and one-half cents per mile, and to authorize the Chancellor of the Ohio Board of Regents to enter into an agreement with private entities to provide access to career information on the Board of Regents' web site.

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

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran, Clerk.

The Senate amendments were laid over under the Rule.

On motion of Representative Reinhard, the House adjourned until Tuesday, December 16, 2008 at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

BRADLEY J. YOUNG, Assistant Clerk.