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ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FOURTH DAY Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio **Thursday, March 27, 2008, 11:00 o'clock a.m.**

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced and considered the first time:

S. B. No. 310-Senator Cates. Cosponsors: Senators Schuring, Cafaro, Kearney.

To amend sections 2961.01 and 2961.02 of the Revised Code to make existing laws prohibiting a person who has been convicted of a felony from holding public office and denying such person other specified privileges applicable upon the determination of the person's guilt.

S. B. No. 311-Senator Cates. Cosponsors: Senators Fedor, Miller, D.

To amend sections 1713.55, 3332.25, 3345.85, and 3701.133 of the Revised Code to require that students living in on-campus housing at institutions of higher education be vaccinated for meningococcal meningitis and hepatitis B or obtain a waiver.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 54, the following resolution was offered:

S. R. No. 193-Senator Carey.

Honoring the Chillicothe High School boys basketball team on winning the 2008 Division II State Championship.

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

So the resolution was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

The President handed down the following messages from the Governor which were read by the Clerk:

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, John R. Aller, from Akron, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Council on Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services for a term beginning October 26, 2007 and ending at the close of business July 31, 2009, replacing Michael Schoenhofer, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 26th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, William P. Bousquet, from North Madison, Lake County, Ohio, as a Member of the Reclamation Commission for a term beginning August 14, 2007 and ending at the close of business June 28, 2011.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 14th day of August in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, William J. Brennan, Independent, from Whitehouse, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the Transportation Review Advisory Council for a term beginning October 18, 2007 and ending at the close of business June 30, 2012, replacing John H. Crandall, whose term expired. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 18th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Robert C. Brown, Democrat, from Shaker Heights, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Transportation Review Advisory Council for a term beginning October 18, 2007 and ending at the close of business June 30, 2012, replacing Jerry N. Hruby, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 18th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Richard D. Finn III, from Lockbourne, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Cemetery Dispute Resolution Committee for a new term beginning October 18, 2007 and ending at the close of business July 2, 2011.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 18th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Rebecca L. Finni, Independent, from Amelia, Clermont County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning January 2, 2008 and ending at the close of business August 27, 2010, replacing Lois Borin, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 2nd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Charles W. Graf, Democrat, from Lancaster, Fairfield County, Ohio, as a Member of the Barber Board for a new term beginning January 2, 2008 and ending at the close of business September 27, 2010.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 2nd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Vernon Higaki, from Macedonia, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Emergency Response Commission for a term beginning April 4, 2007 and ending at the close of business January 13, 2009, replacing Greg Hemker,

whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 4th day of April in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Marilyn J. Huheey, Democrat, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Cosmetology for a term beginning December 13, 2007 and ending at the close of business October 31, 2012.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 13th day of December in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Patricia P. Isaacson, from Worthington, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Housing Finance Agency for a new term beginning February 1, 2008 and ending at the close of business January 31, 2014.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 23rd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Thomas D. Kmiec, Democrat, from Lyndhurst, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Release Compensation Board for a new term beginning December 10, 2007 and ending at the close of business July 11, 2010.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 10th day of December in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Kimberly Lawler, Republican, from Frazeysburg, Muskingum County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning January 2, 2008 and ending at the close of business August 27, 2010, replacing Hector Merced, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 2nd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Mary K. Lazarus, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio

Arts Council for a term beginning October 17, 2007 and ending at the close of business July 1, 2010, replacing Susan R. Sofia, who resigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 17th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Algenon L. Marbley, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning May 28, 2007 and ending at the close of business May 13, 2016, replacing the Hon. Robert M. Duncan, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of May in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, William McCreary, from Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the Third Frontier Commission for a term beginning February 1, 2008 and ending at the close of business April 1, 2010, replacing David Waterman, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 1st day of February in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Jolene M. Molitoris, Democrat, from Dublin, Franklin County, Ohio, as Chair of the Ohio Rail Development Commission for a term beginning October 21, 2007 and ending at the close of business October 20, 2013, replacing James Betts, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 17th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Mark R. Montoney, from Powell, Delaware County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine Advisory Board for a term beginning November 16, 2007 and ending at the close of business November 16, 2013, replacing Bruce McWhinney, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Ronald Nichols, Democrat, from Chillicothe, Ross County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Organized Crime Investigations Commission for a term beginning February 1, 2008 and ending at the close of business September 3, 2010,

replacing Tom Ariss, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 1st day of February in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Averell S. Overby, Democrat, from Athens, Athens County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board for a new term beginning January 2, 2008 and ending at the close of business August 27, 2008.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 2nd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Kimberly C. Payne, Democrat, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board for a term beginning January 2, 2008 and ending at the close of business August 27, 2011, replacing Janet Howels, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 2nd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Mary Ann Pilotte, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Tobacco Use Prevention and Control Foundation for a term beginning October 30, 2007 and ending at the close of business June 3, 2012, replacing Patricia Hicks, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Dennis O. Roark, Republican, from Springfield, Clark County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Optometry for a term beginning January 8, 2008 and ending at the close of business September 25, 2012.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 8th day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Patricia M. Scharf, Democrat, from Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Optometry for a term beginning October 30, 2007 and ending at the close of business September 25, 2012.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Chandra R. Shah, Independent, from Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors for a new term beginning October 17, 2007 and ending at the close of business September 24, 2012.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 17th day of October in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Vernon P. Stanforth, Republican, from Washington, Fayette County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission for a new term beginning December 20, 2007 and ending at the close of business September 19, 2010.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 20th day of December in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Matthew L. Studer, from Haskins, Wood County, Ohio, as a Member of the Credit Union Council for a term beginning September 22, 2007 and ending at the close of business September 22, 2010, replacing Deanna K. Meyer, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 22nd day of September in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Kimberly A. Thomas, Democrat, from Richmond Heights, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Cosmetology for a term beginning January 2, 2008 and ending at the close of business October 31, 2012, replacing Donna Froelich, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 2nd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Cynthia B. Thompson, Independent, from Holland, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Cultural Facilities Commission for a term beginning May 23, 2007 and ending at the close of business December 31, 2009, replacing Paul Sieben, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 22nd day of May in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Jeffery Skapin, Democrat, from Stow, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Board of Examiners of Architects for a term beginning December 20, 2007 and ending at the close of business October 2, 2012, replacing Leon Humphries, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 20th day of December in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

STATE OF OHIO EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR COLUMBUS

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Janet K. Wade-Watts, from Malta, Morgan County, Ohio, as a Member of the Council on Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services for a new term beginning September 19, 2007 and ending at the close of business July 31, 2009.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 19th day of September in the year of our Lord, two thousand and seven.

[Seal]

I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Robert B. Williams, Democrat, from Massillon, Stark County, Ohio, as a Member of the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission for a term beginning January 23, 2008 and ending at the close of business September 19, 2010, replacing Walter Ugrinic, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 23rd day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and eight.

[Seal]

Ted Strickland, Governor.

Said appointments were referred to the Committee on Rules.

On the motion of Senator Amstutz, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN, Clerk.