# OHIO SENATE

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 2007

**JOURNAL** 

# THIRTY-SECOND DAY Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio Thursday, April 5, 2007, 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. 137-Senator Austria.

Cosponsors: Senators Carey, Clancy, Coughlin, Goodman, Schaffer, Cafaro, Boccieri.

To amend section 2903.13 of the Revised Code to increase the penalty for assault when the victim of the offense is seventy years of age or older.

#### S. B. No. 138-Senator Schaffer.

Cosponsors: Senators Spada, Schuring, Padgett.

To enact section 5111.0119 of the Revised Code regarding coverage of occupational therapy services under the Medicaid program.

# S. B. No. 139-Senator Mumper.

Cosponsors: Senators Niehaus, Jacobson.

To amend sections 3354.16, 3355.12, 3357.16, and 4115.04 and to enact sections 153.53 and 3318.101 of the Revised Code to permit state institutions of higher education to use either single or multiple prime bidding for public improvement projects; to exempt from the Prevailing Wage Law projects constructed by state institutions of higher education and projects constructed by private, non-profit organizations that receive public moneys to construct those projects; and to prohibit the Ohio School Facilities Commission from approving school district projects that specify the payment of prevailing wages.

#### OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

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

S. R. No. 42-Senator Schuler.

Honoring the Moeller High School boys basketball team as the 2007 Division I State Champion.

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

So the resolution was adopted.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 5910.02 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Steve Stivers to serve on the War Orphan's Scholarship Board.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 3332.081 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Padgett (as Chair of the Senate Education Committee) to serve on the Student Tuition Recovery Authority.

# MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 109.91 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Goodman to serve on the State Victims Assistance Advisory Board.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 3734.51 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Niehaus (as Chair of the Senate Environment & Natural Resources Committee) to serve on the Solid Waste Management Advisory Council.

# MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 122.651 (A) of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints the following senators to serve on the Clean Ohio Council:

Senator Niehaus Senator D. Miller

On the motion of Senator Mumper, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, April 10, 2007, 11:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:	DAVID A. BATTOCLETTI
	Clerk