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ONE HUNDRED NINTH DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Thursday, November 15, 2007, 11:00 o'clock a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 3, the Clerk called the Senate to order.

Senator Padgett was selected to preside according to the rule.

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

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

Senator Cates submitted the following report:

The standing committee on State and Local Government and Veterans' Affairs, to which was referred **S. C. R. No. 9**-Senator Stivers, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its adoption.

Co-Sponsors: Cates, Grendell.

YES - 7: GARY W. CATES, TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL, BILL SEITZ, JOHN A. CAREY, TOM NIEHAUS, SHIRLEY A. SMITH, CAPRI S. CAFARO.

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"

The report of the committee was accepted.

Senator Cates submitted the following report:

The standing committee on State and Local Government and Veterans' Affairs, to which was referred **S. B. No. 185**-Senators Schuler, Kearney, having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsors: Cates, Grendell, Seitz.

YES - 7: GARY W. CATES, TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL, BILL SEITZ, JOHN A. CAREY, TOM NIEHAUS, SHIRLEY A. SMITH, CAPRI S. CAFARO.

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"

The report of the committee was accepted.

Senator Cates submitted the following report:

The standing committee on State and Local Government and Veterans' Affairs, to which was referred **S. B. No. 243**-Senator Schaffer, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsors: Cates, Grendell, Niehaus.

YES - 7: GARY W. CATES, TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL, BILL SEITZ, JOHN A. CAREY, TOM NIEHAUS, CAPRI S. CAFARO, SHIRLEY A. SMITH.

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"

The report of the committee was accepted.

Senator Grendell submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary - Criminal Justice, to which was referred **S. B. No. 219**-Senator Schuring, having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsors: Grendell, Faber.

YES - 9: TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL, BILL SEITZ, TIMOTHY O. SCHAFFER, STEVE STIVERS, STEPHEN C. AUSTRIA, LANCE T. MASON, THOMAS SAWYER, KEITH L. FABER, SHIRLEY A. SMITH.

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"

The report of the committee was accepted.

Senator Grendell submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary - Criminal Justice, to which was referred **Sub. H. B. No. 104**-Representative Core, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports back a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

Co-Sponsor: Seitz.

YES - 9: TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL, STEPHEN C. AUSTRIA, KEITH L. FABER, TIMOTHY O. SCHAFFER, BILL SEITZ, SHIRLEY A. SMITH, THOMAS SAWYER, STEVE STIVERS, LANCE T. MASON.

NO - 0.

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee be accepted?"
The report of the committee was accepted.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced and considered the first time:

S. B. No. 255-Senator Austria.

Cosponsors: Senators Cates, Goodman, Mason, Mumper, Padgett, Schaffer, Spada, Wilson.

To amend section 2903.11 of the Revised Code to make the sentence for felonious assault a definite term of imprisonment of from 10 to 20 years if the victim is under 5 years of age and suffers substantial permanent injury.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

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

S. R. No. 142-Senator Austria.

Honoring the Catholic Central High School boys soccer team on winning the 2007 Division III State Championship.

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

So the resolution was adopted.

On the motion of Senator Niehaus, the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.