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Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio
Wednesday, March 28, 2012, 1:30 p.m.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Brent Allen of the Old North Church in Canfield, Ohio, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

The following guests of the House of Representatives were recognized by Speaker Batchelder prior to the commencement of business:

The Ohio University speech and debate team received H.R. 300, presented by Representative Phillips-92nd district.

Charles A. Penzone received H.R. 270, presented by Representative Brenner-2nd district.

Debra Singleton and students from St. Raphael School, guests of Representative Baker-16th district.

Marilyn, Marilyn, and Melissa Slaby, wife and daughters of Representative Slaby-41st district.

Faculty and students from Kent State University, guests of Representative Clyde-68th district.

Students from the Center for Cultural Interchange, guests of Representative Wachtmann-75th district.

The first responders from Chardon, Ohio, guests of Representative Matheney-98th district.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced:

H. B. No. 499-Representative Damschroder.

Cosponsors: Representatives Henne, Stinziano, Szollosi, Murray, Dovilla, Okey, Goodwin, Yuko.

To amend section 101.15 and to enact section 101.16 of the Revised Code to require publication of legislative committee testimony on the General Assembly's web site.

Said bill was considered the first time.

REPORTS OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

Representative Adams, J. submitted the following report:

The Committee of Conference to which the matters of difference between the two houses were referred on Am. Sub. S.B. 165, Obhof and Grendell - et al., having had the same under consideration, recommends to the respective houses as follows:

The bill as passed by the House with the following amendments:

In line 7, delete "and"

In line 8, after "3313.603" insert ", 3313.61, and 3313.612"

In line 31, delete "division" and insert "divisions (B) and"

In line 33, after the underlined period insert "The state board shall make available a list of suggested grade-appropriate supplemental readings that place the documents prescribed by this division in their historical context, which teachers may use as a resource to assist students in reading the documents within that context."

In line 175, after the third comma insert "American"; delete "and"

In line 176, delete "government"; strike through "social studies" and insert "American government"

In line 189, delete "an"

In line 190, delete "examination" and insert "examinations"; delete "complies" and insert "comply"

In line 192, after "and" insert "American"

In line 196, delete "examination" and insert "examinations"

In line 197, delete "an"; delete "examination" and insert "examinations"; after "in" insert "American"; after "and" insert "American"

In line 200, delete "examination" and insert "examinations"; after "in" insert "American"

In line 201, after "and" insert "American"; delete everything after the underlined period

Delete line 202

In line 203, delete "Demonstration" and insert "The end-of-course examinations in American history and American government shall require demonstration"

In line 207, delete the underlined semicolon and insert an underlined period

In line 208, delete " That at" and insert " At"; delete " twenty-five" and insert " twenty"; delete " assessment"

In line 209, delete " addresses" and insert " end-of-course examination in American government shall address"

In line 232, strike through "a social studies" and insert " an American history"; after "examination" insert " and an American government end-of-course examination"

Between lines 715 and 716, insert:

"**Sec. 3313.61.** (A) A diploma shall be granted by the board of education of any city, exempted village, or local school district that operates a high school to any person to whom all of the following apply:

(1) The person has successfully completed the curriculum in any high school or the individualized education program developed for the person by any high school pursuant to section 3323.08 of the Revised Code, or has qualified under division (D) or (F) of section 3313.603 of the Revised Code, provided that no school district shall require a student to remain in school for any specific number of semesters or other terms if the student completes the required curriculum early;

(2) Subject to section 3313.614 of the Revised Code, the person has met the assessment requirements of division (A)(2)(a) or (b) of this section, as applicable.

(a) If the person entered the ninth grade prior to the date prescribed by rule of the state board of education under division (D)(2) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, the person either:

(i) Has attained at least the applicable scores designated under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code on all the assessments required by that division unless the person was excused from taking any such assessment pursuant to section 3313.532 of the Revised Code or unless division (H) or (L) of this section applies to the person;

(ii) Has satisfied the alternative conditions prescribed in section 3313.615 of the Revised Code.

(b) If the person entered the ninth grade on or after the date prescribed by rule of the state board under division (D)(2) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, the person has met the requirements of the entire assessment system prescribed under division (B)(2) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code, except to the extent that the person is excused from some portion of that assessment system pursuant to section 3313.532 of the Revised Code or division (H) or (L) of this section.

(3) The person is not eligible to receive an honors diploma granted pursuant to division (B) of this section.

Except as provided in divisions (C), (E), (J), and (L) of this section, no diploma shall be granted under this division to anyone except as provided under this division.

(B) In lieu of a diploma granted under division (A) of this section, an honors diploma shall be granted, in accordance with rules of the state board, by any such district board to anyone who accomplishes all of the following:

(1) Successfully completes the curriculum in any high school or the individualized education program developed for the person by any high school pursuant to section 3323.08 of the Revised Code;

(2) Subject to section 3313.614 of the Revised Code, has met the assessment requirements of division (B)(2)(a) or (b) of this section, as applicable.

(a) If the person entered the ninth grade prior to the date prescribed by rule of the state board of education under division (D)(2) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, the person either:

(i) Has attained at least the applicable scores designated under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code on all the assessments required by that division;

(ii) Has satisfied the alternative conditions prescribed in section 3313.615 of the Revised Code.

(b) If the person entered the ninth grade on or after the date prescribed by rule of the state board under division (D)(2) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, the person has met the requirements of the entire assessment system prescribed under division (B)(2) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code.

(3) Has met additional criteria established by the state board for the granting of such a diploma.

An honors diploma shall not be granted to a student who is subject to the Ohio core curriculum prescribed in division (C) of section 3313.603 of the Revised Code but elects the option of division (D) or (F) of that section. Except as provided in divisions (C), (E), and (J) of this section, no honors diploma shall be granted to anyone failing to comply with this division and no more than one honors diploma shall be granted to any student under this division.

The state board shall adopt rules prescribing the granting of honors diplomas under this division. These rules may prescribe the granting of honors diplomas that recognize a student's achievement as a whole or that recognize a student's achievement in one or more specific subjects or both. The rules may prescribe the granting of an honors diploma recognizing technical expertise for a career-technical student. In any case, the rules shall designate two or more criteria for the granting of each type of honors diploma the board establishes under this division and the number of such criteria that must be met for the granting of that type of diploma. The number of such criteria for any type of

honors diploma shall be at least one less than the total number of criteria designated for that type and no one or more particular criteria shall be required of all persons who are to be granted that type of diploma.

(C) Any district board administering any of the assessments required by section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code to any person requesting to take such assessment pursuant to division (B)(8)(b) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code shall award a diploma to such person if the person attains at least the applicable scores designated under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code on all the assessments administered and if the person has previously attained the applicable scores on all the other assessments required by division (B)(1) of that section or has been exempted or excused from attaining the applicable score on any such assessment pursuant to division (H) or (L) of this section or from taking any such assessment pursuant to section 3313.532 of the Revised Code.

(D) Each diploma awarded under this section shall be signed by the president and treasurer of the issuing board, the superintendent of schools, and the principal of the high school. Each diploma shall bear the date of its issue, be in such form as the district board prescribes, and be paid for out of the district's general fund.

(E) A person who is a resident of Ohio and is eligible under state board of education minimum standards to receive a high school diploma based in whole or in part on credits earned while an inmate of a correctional institution operated by the state or any political subdivision thereof, shall be granted such diploma by the correctional institution operating the programs in which such credits were earned, and by the board of education of the school district in which the inmate resided immediately prior to the inmate's placement in the institution. The diploma granted by the correctional institution shall be signed by the director of the institution, and by the person serving as principal of the institution's high school and shall bear the date of issue.

(F) Persons who are not residents of Ohio but who are inmates of correctional institutions operated by the state or any political subdivision thereof, and who are eligible under state board of education minimum standards to receive a high school diploma based in whole or in part on credits earned while an inmate of the correctional institution, shall be granted a diploma by the correctional institution offering the program in which the credits were earned. The diploma granted by the correctional institution shall be signed by the director of the institution and by the person serving as principal of the institution's high school and shall bear the date of issue.

(G) The state board of education shall provide by rule for the administration of the assessments required by section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code to inmates of correctional institutions.

(H) Any person to whom all of the following apply shall be exempted from attaining the applicable score on the assessment in social studies designated

under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code, any ~~social studies~~ American history end-of-course examination and any American government end-of-course examination required under division (B)(2) of that section if such an exemption is prescribed by rule of the state board under division (D)(4) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, or the test in citizenship designated under former division (B) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code as it existed prior to September 11, 2001:

- (1) The person is not a citizen of the United States;
- (2) The person is not a permanent resident of the United States;
- (3) The person indicates no intention to reside in the United States after the completion of high school.

(I) Notwithstanding division (D) of section 3311.19 and division (D) of section 3311.52 of the Revised Code, this section and section 3311.611 of the Revised Code do not apply to the board of education of any joint vocational school district or any cooperative education school district established pursuant to divisions (A) to (C) of section 3311.52 of the Revised Code.

(J) Upon receipt of a notice under division (D) of section 3325.08 ~~of or~~ or division (D) of section 3328.25 of the Revised Code that a student has received a diploma under either section, the board of education receiving the notice may grant a high school diploma under this section to the student, except that such board shall grant the student a diploma if the student meets the graduation requirements that the student would otherwise have had to meet to receive a diploma from the district. The diploma granted under this section shall be of the same type the notice indicates the student received under section 3325.08 or 3328.25 of the Revised Code.

(K) As used in this division, "limited English proficient student" has the same meaning as in division (C)(3) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code.

Notwithstanding division (C)(3) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code, no limited English proficient student who has not either attained the applicable scores designated under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code on all the assessments required by that division, or met the requirements of the assessments required by division (B)(2) of that section, shall be awarded a diploma under this section.

(L) Any student described by division (A)(1) of this section may be awarded a diploma without attaining the applicable scores designated on the assessments prescribed under division (B) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code provided an individualized education program specifically exempts the student from attaining such scores. This division does not negate the requirement for such a student to take all such assessments or alternate assessments required by division (C)(1) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code for the purpose of assessing student progress as required by federal law.

Sec. 3313.612. (A) No nonpublic school chartered by the state board of

education shall grant a high school diploma to any person unless, subject to section 3313.614 of the Revised Code, the person has met the assessment requirements of division (A)(1) or (2) of this section, as applicable.

(1) If the person entered the ninth grade prior to the date prescribed by rule of the state board under division (D)(2) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, the person has attained at least the applicable scores designated under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code on all the assessments required by that division, or has satisfied the alternative conditions prescribed in section 3313.615 of the Revised Code.

(2) If the person entered the ninth grade on or after the date prescribed by rule of the state board under division (E)(2) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, the person has met the requirements of the entire assessment system prescribed under division (B)(2) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code.

(B) This section does not apply to either of the following:

(1) Any person with regard to any assessment from which the person was excused pursuant to division (C)(1)(c) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code;

(2) Any person with regard to the social studies assessment under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code, any ~~social studies~~ American history end-of-course examination and any American government end-of-course examination required under division (B)(2) of that section if such an exemption is prescribed by rule of the state board of education under division (D)(4) of section 3301.0712 of the Revised Code, or the citizenship test under former division (B) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code as it existed prior to September 11, 2001, if all of the following apply:

(a) The person is not a citizen of the United States;

(b) The person is not a permanent resident of the United States;

(c) The person indicates no intention to reside in the United States after completion of high school.

(C) As used in this division, "limited English proficient student" has the same meaning as in division (C)(3) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code.

Notwithstanding division (C)(3) of section 3301.0711 of the Revised Code, no limited English proficient student who has not either attained the applicable scores designated under division (B)(1) of section 3301.0710 of the Revised Code on all the assessments required by that division, or met the requirements of the assessments under division (B)(2) of that section, shall be awarded a diploma under this section."

In line 722, delete "and"; after "3313.603" insert ", 3313.61, and 3313.612"

In line 1 of the title, delete "and"

In line 2 of the title, after "3313.603" insert ", 3313.61, and 3313.612"
Managers on the Part of the Senate Managers on the Part of the House of Representatives

/S/ LARRY OBHOF
LARRY OBHOF

/S/ GERALD L. STEBELTON
GERALD L. STEBELTON

/S/ PEGGY B. LEHNER
PEGGY B. LEHNER

/S/ JOHN ADAMS
JOHN ADAMS

/S/ TOM SAWYER
TOM SAWYER

CLAYTON LUCKIE

The question being, "Shall the report of the committee of Conference be agreed to?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 63, nays 29, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Baker	Beck	Blair	Blessing
Boose	Brenner	Bubp	Buchy
Budish	Butler	Celebrezze	Combs
Conditt	Damschroder	DeVitis	Derickson
Dovilla	Duffey	Gardner	Gonzales
Goyal	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Henne	Hill
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Lundy	Maag	Matheny	McClain
McGregor	Newbold	Patmon	Pelanda
Pillich	Roegner	Rose	Rosenberger
Ruhl	Schuring	Sears	Slaby
Slesnick	Sprague	Stautberg	Stebelton
Stinziano	Terhar	Thompson	Uecker
Wachtmann	Young		Batchelder-63.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Antonio	Ashford	Barnes	Boyd
Carney	Celeste	Cera	Clyde
Driehaus	Fedor	Fende	Foley
Garland	Gerberry	Goodwin	Heard
Letson	Luckie	Mallory	Milkovich
Murray	O'Brien	Okey	Phillips
Ramos	Reece	Szollosi	Williams
			Yuko-29.

The report of the committee of Conference was agreed to.

**REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES AND BILLS
FOR SECOND CONSIDERATION**

Representative Fende submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Health and Aging to which was referred **H. B. No. 334**-Representatives Johnson, Bulp, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: PSEUDOEPHEDRINE/EPHEDRINE SALES – TRACK ELECTRONICALLY THROUGH NATIONAL EXCHANGE

Representative Wachtmann moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Duffey, Garland, Hackett."

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| LYNN R. WACHTMANN | ANNE GONZALES |
| LORRAINE M. FENDE | NICKIE ANTONIO |
| JOHN BARNES | JOHN PATRICK CARNEY |
| MIKE DUFFEY | RANDY GARDNER |
| NANCY GARLAND | BRUCE W. GOODWIN |
| ROBERT HACKETT | BRIAN HILL |
| TERRY JOHNSON | MARY BRIGID MATHENEY |
| DOROTHY PELANDA | DAN RAMOS |
| CLIFF ROSENBERGER | KIRK SCHURING |
| BARBARA R. SEARS | KENNY YUKO |

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Williams submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Public Utilities to which was referred **H. B. No. 360**-Representative Rosenberger, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: 911 CHARGE FOR PREPAID WIRELESS SERVICE – REVISE AMOUNTS AND METHODS OF PAYING

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| PETER STAUTBERG | SANDRA WILLIAMS |
| RON AMSTUTZ | MIKE ASHFORD |
| PETER BECK | JACK CERA |
| MARGARET CONDITT | MIKE FOLEY |
| ANNE GONZALES | BRUCE W. GOODWIN |
| CHRISTINA HAGAN | AL LANDIS |
| SEAN O'BRIEN | CONNIE PILLICH |
| KRISTINA ROEGNER | CLIFF ROSENBERGER |
| MICHAEL STINZIANO | ANDY THOMPSON |

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Williams submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Public Utilities to which was referred **H. B. No. 379**-Representative Blessing, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: WATER AND SEWER FACILITIES – ADJUST RATES/TAX SURCHARGE/INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS

PETER STAUTBERG	SANDRA WILLIAMS
RON AMSTUTZ	MARLENE ANIELSKI
MIKE ASHFORD	PETER BECK
JACK CERA	MARGARET CONDITT
MIKE FOLEY	ANNE GONZALES
CHRISTINA HAGAN	AL LANDIS
SEAN O'BRIEN	KRISTINA ROEGNER
CLIFF ROSENBERGER	MICHAEL STINZIANO
MATT SZOLLOSI	ANDY THOMPSON

The following members voted "NO"

BRUCE W. GOODWIN	CONNIE PILLICH
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The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Gerberry submitted the following report:

The standing committee on State Government and Elections to which was referred **H. B. No. 396**-Representatives McGregor, Murray, having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: RULE MAKING AND RULE REVIEW PROCEDURES – REVISE

RON MAAG	RON GERBERRY
JOHN ADAMS	LOUIS W. BLESSING
TED CELESTE	KATHLEEN CLYDE
COURTNEY COMBS	REX DAMSCHRODER
MIKE DOVILLA	TERESA FEDOR
RANDY GARDNER	CHERYL GROSSMAN
MATT HUFFMAN	TOM LETSON
MATT LUNDY	BILL PATMON
PHILIP H. ROSE	ROBERT COLE SPRAGUE
MICHAEL STINZIANO	LOUIS TERHAR
RON YOUNG	

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Gerberry submitted the following report:

The standing committee on State Government and Elections to which was referred **H. R. No. 198**-Representatives Boose, Foley, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute resolution and recommends its adoption.

RE: DETROIT RIVER INTERNATIONAL CROSSING BETWEEN U.S. AND CANADA

Representative Maag moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the name: "Gerberry."

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| RON MAAG | RON GERBERRY |
| JOHN ADAMS | LOUIS W. BLESSING |
| TED CELESTE | KATHLEEN CLYDE |
| COURTNEY COMBS | REX DAMSCHRODER |
| MIKE DOVILLA | TERESA FEDOR |
| RANDY GARDNER | CHERYL GROSSMAN |
| MATT HUFFMAN | TOM LETSON |
| MATT LUNDY | BILL PATMON |
| PHILIP H. ROSE | ROBERT COLE SPRAGUE |
| MICHAEL STINZIANO | LOUIS TERHAR |
| RON YOUNG | |

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Fende submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Health and Aging to which was referred **H. C. R. No. 21**-Representatives Slesnick, Ramos, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back with the following amendment and recommends its adoption when so amended.

RE: SUPPORT STEEL WORKERS IN URGING SOLVENCY OF PENSION BENEFIT GUARANTEE CORPORATION

Representative Wachtmann moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Barnes, Carney, Garland, Goodwin."

Representative Ramos moved to amend as follows:

In line 20, delete "Guarantee" and insert "Guaranty"

In line 25, delete "Guarantee" and insert "Guaranty"

In line 28, delete "Guarantee" and insert "Guaranty"

In line 31, delete "Guarantee" and insert "Guaranty"

In line 41, delete "Guarantee" and insert "Guaranty"

In line 4 of the title, delete "Guarantee" and insert "Guaranty"

The motion was agreed to and the bill so amended.

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| LYNN R. WACHTMANN | ANNE GONZALES |
| NICKIE ANTONIO | LORRAINE M. FENDE |
| JOHN BARNES | JOHN PATRICK CARNEY |
| MIKE DUFFEY | RANDY GARDNER |
| NANCY GARLAND | BRUCE W. GOODWIN |
| ROBERT HACKETT | BRIAN HILL |
| TERRY JOHNSON | MARY BRIGID MATHENEY |
| DOROTHY PELANDA | DAN RAMOS |
| CLIFF ROSENBERGER | KIRK SCHURING |
| BARBARA R. SEARS | KENNY YUKO |

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Fende submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Health and Aging to which was referred **H. C. R. No. 38**-Representatives Stinziano, Gonzales, having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its adoption.

RE: MARCH 2012 – PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK MONTH

Representative Wachtmann moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Fende, Antonio, Barnes, Carney, Duffey, Garland, Hackett, Ramos, Yuko."

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| LYNN R. WACHTMANN | LORRAINE M. FENDE |
| NICKIE ANTONIO | JOHN BARNES |
| JOHN PATRICK CARNEY | MIKE DUFFEY |
| RANDY GARDNER | NANCY GARLAND |
| BRUCE W. GOODWIN | ROBERT HACKETT |
| BRIAN HILL | TERRY JOHNSON |
| MARY BRIGID MATHENEY | DOROTHY PELANDA |
| DAN RAMOS | CLIFF ROSENBERGER |
| KIRK SCHURING | BARBARA R. SEARS |
| KENNY YUKO | |

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Pillich submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Criminal Justice to which was referred **S. B. No. 19**-Senator Hughes, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: JUVENILE DRIVERS – JUDGE ELECT NOT TO SUSPEND LICENSE / DRIVING IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS

LYNN SLABY	LOUIS W. BLESSING
DANNY R. BUBP	BILL HAYES
PHILIP H. ROSE	JOSEPH W. UECKER
SANDRA WILLIAMS	RON YOUNG

The following members voted "NO"

MARGARET CONDITT	NANCY GARLAND
CONNIE PILLICH	

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Pillich submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Veterans Affairs to which was referred **Am. S. B. No. 134**-Senator Wagoner, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

RE: VIETNAM VETERANS' DAY – MARCH 30

Representative Johnson moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Johnson, Bulp, Yuko."

TERRY JOHNSON	CLIFF ROSENBERGER
CONNIE PILLICH	DANNY R. BUBP
JIM BUTLER	TERESA FEDOR
CHRISTINA HAGAN	AL LANDIS
ZACK MILKOVICH	RON YOUNG
KENNY YUKO	

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Murray submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Judiciary and Ethics to which was referred **S. B. No. 208**-Senators Obhof, Kearney, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: OHIO UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE – REVISE

Representative Bubp moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Bubp, Szollosi, Slaby, Terhar, Letson."

DANNY R. BUBP	JIM BUTLER
DENNIS MURRAY	MARGARET CONDITT
MATT HUFFMAN	TOM LETSON
MARK D. OKEY	PHILIP H. ROSE
LYNN SLABY	GERALD L. STEBELTON
MICHAEL STINZIANO	MATT SZOLLOSI
LOUIS TERHAR	

The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Williams submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Public Utilities to which was referred **Sub. S. B. No. 289**-Senators Coley, Schiavoni, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back and recommends its passage.

RE: COGENERATION TECHNOLOGY – USE AIR CONTAMINANT WASTE/BYPRODUCT – A RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCE

Representative Stautberg moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Representatives Stautberg, Williams, Cera, Conditt, O'Brien, Pillich, Roegner."

PETER STAUTBERG	SANDRA WILLIAMS
RON AMSTUTZ	MARLENE ANIELSKI
MIKE ASHFORD	PETER BECK
JACK CERA	MARGARET CONDITT
ANNE GONZALES	BRUCE W. GOODWIN
CHRISTINA HAGAN	AL LANDIS
SEAN O'BRIEN	CONNIE PILLICH
KRISTINA ROEGNER	CLIFF ROSENBERGER
MICHAEL STINZIANO	ANDY THOMPSON

The following members voted "NO"

MIKE FOLEY	MATT SZOLLOSI
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The report was agreed to.

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

Representative Ashford submitted the following report:

The standing committee on Finance and Appropriations to which was referred **Sub. S. B. No. 312**-Senator Widener, et al., having had the same under consideration, reports it back as a substitute bill and recommends its passage.

RE: CAPITAL REAPPROPRIATIONS FY 2013 AND 2014

Representative Amstutz moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the name: "Representative Amstutz."

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| RON AMSTUTZ | JEFFREY MCCLAIN |
| RICHARD ADAMS | MARLENE ANIELSKI |
| MIKE ASHFORD | PETER BECK |
| JOHN PATRICK CARNEY | KATHLEEN CLYDE |
| TIMOTHY DERICKSON | DENISE DRIEHAUS |
| MIKE DUFFEY | MIKE FOLEY |
| RANDY GARDNER | NANCY GARLAND |
| ANNE GONZALES | JAY P. GOYAL |
| CHERYL GROSSMAN | DAVE HALL |
| BILL HAYES | MATT LUNDY |
| RON MAAG | ROSS MCGREGOR |
| DEBBIE PHILLIPS | ALICIA REECE |
| BARBARA R. SEARS | LYNN SLABY |
| STEPHEN SLESNICK | ROBERT COLE SPRAGUE |
| GERALD L. STEBELTON | |

The report was agreed to.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Representative Adams, J. moved that majority party members asking leave to be absent or absent the week of Tuesday, March 27, 2012, be excused, so long as a written request is on file in the majority leadership offices.

The motion was agreed to.

Representative Heard moved that minority party members asking leave to be absent or absent the week of Tuesday, March 27, 2012, be excused, so long as a written request is on file in the minority leadership offices.

The motion was agreed to.

BILLS FOR THIRD CONSIDERATION

Pursuant to House Rule 75, pertaining to bills being taken out of order, Representative Blessing moved that **Sub. S. B. No. 312**-Senator Widener, et al., be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion was agreed to without objection.

Sub. S. B. No. 312-Senator Widener.

Cosponsors: Senators Balderson, Beagle, Eklund, Hite, Jones, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Sawyer, Turner. Representative Amstutz.

To amend sections 3326.03 and 5120.092 of the Revised Code to revise the law for new STEM school proposals, to establish a temporary STEM subcommittee to consider and approve proposals through July 31, 2012, to modify the Adult and Juvenile Correctional Facilities Bond Retirement Fund, and to make capital reappropriations for the biennium ending June 30, 2014, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 92, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Blessing	Boose
Boyd	Brenner	Bubp	Buchy
Budish	Butler	Carney	Celebrezze
Celeste	Cera	Clyde	Combs
Conditt	Damschroder	DeVitis	Derickson
Dovilla	Driehaus	Duffey	Fedor
Fende	Foley	Gardner	Garland
Gerberry	Gonzales	Goodwin	Goyal
Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.	Hall
Hayes	Heard	Henne	Hill
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Letson	Luckie	Lundy	Maag
Mallory	Matheney	McClain	McGregor
Milkovich	Murray	Newbold	O'Brien
Okey	Patmon	Pelanda	Phillips
Pillich	Ramos	Reece	Roegner
Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring
Sears	Slaby	Slesnick	Sprague
Stautberg	Stebelton	Stinziano	Szollosi
Terhar	Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann
Williams	Young	Yuko	Batchelder-92.

The bill passed.

Representative Amstutz moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Beck, Blair, Blessing, Boyd, Combs, Conditt, Derickson, DeVitis, Gonzales, Hackett, Hill, McGregor, Newbold, Sears, Stebelton, Uecker, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

Am. H. B. No. 436-Representatives Grossman, Anielski.

Cosponsors: Representatives Thompson, Wachtmann, Combs, Landis, Terhar, Baker, Pelanda, Hagan, C., Buchy, Kozlowski, Henne, Newbold, Barnes.

To enact sections 122.97 and 122.971 of the Revised Code to create the SiteOhio certification program within the Department of Development to certify and market eligible commercial, industrial, and manufacturing sites and facilities, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 92, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Blessing	Boose
Boyd	Brenner	Bubp	Buchy
Budish	Butler	Carney	Celebrezze
Celeste	Cera	Clyde	Combs
Conditt	Damschroder	DeVitis	Derickson
Dovilla	Driehaus	Duffey	Fedor
Fende	Foley	Gardner	Garland
Gerberry	Gonzales	Goodwin	Goyal
Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.	Hall
Hayes	Heard	Henne	Hill
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Letson	Luckie	Lundy	Maag
Mallory	Matheney	McClain	McGregor
Milkovich	Murray	Newbold	O'Brien
Okey	Patmon	Pelanda	Phillips
Pillich	Ramos	Reece	Roegner
Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring
Sears	Slaby	Slesnick	Sprague
Stautberg	Stebelton	Stinziano	Szollosi
Terhar	Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann
Williams	Young	Yuko	Batchelder-92.

The bill passed.

Representative Grossman moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Adams, R., Amstutz, Antonio, Blair, Blessing, Boose, Carney, Celebrezze, Celeste, Damschroder, Derickson, DeVitis, Dovilla, Driehaus, Duffey, Gardner, Garland, Hackett, Hall, Hayes, Heard, Hill, Huffman, Mallory, Matheney, McClain, Milkovich, O'Brien, Patmon, Phillips, Pillich, Reece, Roegner, Ruhl, Schuring, Sears, Slaby, Sprague, Stebelton, Stinziano, Uecker, Williams, Yuko, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

Sub. H. B. No. 265-Representatives Slaby, O'Brien.

Cosponsors: Representatives Grossman, Huffman, Blessing, Blair, Stebelton.

To amend sections 1901.24, 1907.29, 2152.67, 2938.04, 2938.05, 2945.05, and 2945.06 of the Revised Code to authorize prosecuting attorneys to demand a jury trial in a felony case, notwithstanding a defendant's waiver of trial by jury and over a defendant's objection, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Representative Pillich moved to amend as follows:

Between lines 147 and 148, insert:

" (C) If the prosecuting attorney, city director of law, village solicitor, or similar chief legal officer responsible for prosecuting a criminal case demands a jury trial under this section or under section 1901.24, 1907.29, 2152.67, 2937.08, or 2938.04 of the Revised Code, the office of the prosecuting attorney, city director of law, village solicitor, or similar chief legal officer responsible for prosecuting the criminal case shall pay all court costs and attorney's fees incurred by the defendant during the trial."

In line 6 of the title, after "objection" insert ", and to require the office of a prosecuting authority who demands a jury trial to pay all of the court costs and attorney's fees incurred by the defendant"

The question being, "Shall the motion to amend be agreed to?"

Representative Huffman moved that the motion be laid on the table.

The question being, "Shall the motion to amend be laid on the table?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 54, nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

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| Adams J. | Adams R. | Amstutz | Anielski |
| Baker | Beck | Blair | Blessing |
| Boose | Brenner | Bubp | Buchy |
| Butler | Combs | Conditt | DeVitis |
| Derickson | Dovilla | Duffey | Gardner |

Gonzales	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Henne	Hill
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Maag	Matheny	McClain	McGregor
Newbold	O'Brien	Pelanda	Roegner
Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring
Sears	Slaby	Stautberg	Stebelton
Terhar	Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann
Young			Batchelder-54.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Antonio	Ashford	Barnes	Boyd
Budish	Carney	Celebrezze	Celeste
Cera	Clyde	Damschroder	Driehaus
Fedor	Fende	Foley	Garland
Gerberry	Goodwin	Goyal	Heard
Letson	Luckie	Lundy	Mallory
Milkovich	Murray	Okey	Patmon
Phillips	Pillich	Ramos	Reece
Sprague	Stinziano	Szollosi	Williams
			Yuko-37.

The motion to amend was laid on the table.

The question recurring, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 50, nays 42, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Baker	Beck	Blair	Blessing
Boose	Brenner	Bubp	Buchy
Butler	Combs	Conditt	DeVitis
Derickson	Dovilla	Gardner	Gerberry
Gonzales	Grossman	Hagan, C.	Hall
Hayes	Hill	Huffman	Johnson
Kozlowski	Landis	Lundy	Maag
Matheny	McClain	O'Brien	Pelanda
Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring
Sears	Slaby	Sprague	Stautberg
Stebelton	Terhar	Uecker	Wachtmann
Young			Batchelder-50.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Antonio	Ashford	Barnes	Boyd
Budish	Carney	Celebrezze	Celeste
Cera	Clyde	Damschroder	Driehaus
Duffey	Fedor	Fende	Foley
Garland	Goodwin	Goyal	Hackett
Heard	Henne	Letson	Luckie
Mallory	McGregor	Milkovich	Murray
Newbold	Okey	Patmon	Phillips

Pillich
Slesnick
Williams

Ramos
Stinziano

Reece
Szollosi

Roegner
Thompson
Yuko-42.

The bill passed.

Representative Slaby moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Amstutz, Uecker."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

Am. S. B. No. 134-Senator Wagoner.

Cosponsors: Senators LaRose, Brown, Tavares, Turner, Bacon, Balderson, Beagle, Burke, Cafaro, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Hughes, Jones, Kearney, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Oelslager, Patton, Sawyer, Schaffer, Schiavoni, Seitz, Skindell, Widener. Representatives Johnson, Bubp, Yuko.

To enact section 5.2267 of the Revised Code to designate March 30 as "Vietnam Veterans' Day," and to declare an emergency, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the emergency clause stand as part of the bill?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 87, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Boose	Boyd
Brenner	Bubp	Buchy	Budish
Butler	Carney	Celebrezze	Celeste
Cera	Clyde	Combs	Conditt
Damschroder	DeVitis	Derickson	Dovilla
Duffey	Fedor	Fende	Foley
Gardner	Garland	Gerberry	Gonzales
Goyal	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Heard	Henne
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Letson	Luckie	Lundy	Maag
Mallory	Matheney	McClain	McGregor
Milkovich	Murray	Newbold	Okey
Patmon	Pelanda	Phillips	Pillich
Ramos	Reece	Roegner	Rose
Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring	Sears
Slaby	Slesnick	Sprague	Stautberg
Stebelton	Stinziano	Szollosi	Terhar
Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann	Williams
Young	Yuko		Batchelder-87.

Having received a constitutional majority, the emergency clause stood as part of the bill.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass as an emergency measure?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 91, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Blessing	Boose
Boyd	Brenner	Bubp	Buchy
Budish	Butler	Carney	Celebrezze
Celeste	Cera	Clyde	Combs
Conditt	Damschroder	DeVitis	Derickson
Dovilla	Driehaus	Duffey	Fedor
Fende	Foley	Gardner	Garland
Gerberry	Gonzales	Goyal	Grossman
Hackett	Hagan, C.	Hall	Hayes
Heard	Henne	Hill	Huffman
Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis	Letson
Luckie	Lundy	Maag	Mallory
Matheney	McClain	McGregor	Milkovich
Murray	Newbold	O'Brien	Okey
Patmon	Pelanda	Phillips	Pillich
Ramos	Reece	Roegner	Rose
Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring	Sears
Slaby	Slesnick	Sprague	Stautberg
Stebelton	Stinziano	Szollosi	Terhar
Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann	Williams
Young	Yuko		Batchelder-91.

Having received the required constitutional majority, the bill passed as an emergency measure.

Representative Thompson moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Adams, R., Amstutz, Anielski, Antonio, Baker, Barnes, Blair, Blessing, Boose, Boyd, Brenner, Buchy, Butler, Carney, Celebrezze, Celeste, Cera, Clyde, Combs, Conditt, Damschroder, Derickson, DeVitis, Dovilla, Driehaus, Duffey, Fedor, Fende, Foley, Gardner, Garland, Gerberry, Gonzales, Goyal, Grossman, Hackett, Hagan, C., Hall, Hayes, Heard, Henne, Hill, Huffman, Kozlowski, Landis, Letson, Lundy, Maag, Mallory, Matheney, McClain, McGregor, Milkovich, Murray, Newbold, O'Brien, Okey, Patmon, Pelanda, Phillips, Ramos, Reece, Roegner, Rose, Rosenberger, Ruhl, Schuring, Sears, Slaby, Sprague, Stautberg, Stebelton, Stinziano, Szollosi, Terhar, Thompson, Uecker, Williams, Young, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

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. 482 -Representative Amstutz

Cosponsors: Representatives Adams, R., Anielski, Antonio, Baker, Beck, Blair, Blessing, Boyd, Combs, Conditt, Derickson, DeVitis, Dovilla, Garland, Gerberry, Goyal, Grossman, Hackett, Hayes, Hill, Letson, Luckie, Maag, Martin, Matheney, McClain, McGregor, Newbold, Pelanda, Rose, Schuring, Sears, Slaby, Stebelton, Szollosi, Terhar, Thompson, Uecker, Speaker Batchelder. Senators Balderson, Eklund, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Schaffer

To amend sections 126.14, 151.01, 151.04, and 154.21, to enact sections 4501.30, 4501.301, 4501.302, and 4501.303, and to repeal section 3333.072 of the Revised Code to make capital appropriations and make changes related to the laws governing capital projects.

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

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Pursuant to Joint Rule 16, Representative Blessing moved that the Senate amendments to **Sub. H. B. No. 482**-Representative Amstutz, et al., be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion was agreed to without objection.

On motion of Representative Blessing, the House recessed.

The House met pursuant to recess.

The Senate amendments to **Sub. H. B. No. 482**-Representative Amstutz, et al., were taken up for consideration.

Sub. H. B. No. 482-Representative Amstutz.

Cosponsors: Representatives Adams, R., Anielski, Antonio, Baker, Beck, Blair, Blessing, Boyd, Combs, Conditt, Derickson, DeVitis, Dovilla, Garland, Gerberry, Goyal, Grossman, Hackett, Hayes, Hill, Letson, Luckie, Maag, Martin, Matheney, McClain, McGregor, Newbold, Pelanda, Rose, Schuring, Sears, Slaby, Stebelton, Szollosi, Terhar, Thompson, Uecker, Speaker Batchelder. Senators Balderson, Eklund, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Schaffer.

To amend sections 126.14, 151.01, 151.04, and 154.21, to enact sections 4501.30, 4501.301, 4501.302, and 4501.303, and to repeal section 3333.072 of the Revised Code to make capital appropriations and make changes related to the laws governing capital projects.

The question being, "Shall the Senate amendments be concurred in?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 89, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Blessing	Boose
Brenner	Bubp	Buchy	Butler
Carney	Celebrezze	Celeste	Cera
Clyde	Combs	Conditt	Damschroder
DeVitis	Derickson	Dovilla	Driehaus
Duffey	Fedor	Fende	Foley
Gardner	Garland	Gerberry	Gonzales
Goyal	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Heard	Henne
Hill	Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski
Landis	Letson	Luckie	Lundy
Maag	Mallory	Matheney	McClain
McGregor	Milkovich	Murray	Newbold
O'Brien	Okey	Patmon	Pelanda
Phillips	Pillich	Ramos	Reece
Roegner	Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl
Schuring	Sears	Slaby	Slesnick
Sprague	Stautberg	Stebelton	Stinziano
Szollosi	Terhar	Thompson	Uecker
Wachtmann	Williams	Young	Yuko
			Batchelder-89.

The Senate amendments were concurred in.

Sub. S. B. No. 208-Senators Obhof, Kearney.

Cosponsors: Senators Bacon, Beagle, Jones, Sawyer, Schiavoni, Wagoner, Coley, Daniels, Faber, Hughes, Lehner, Manning, Oelslager, Patton.
Representatives Bubp, Szollosi, Slaby, Terhar, Letson.

To amend sections 102.01, 103.63, 1309.102, 1309.105, 1309.307, 1309.311, 1309.316, 1309.317, 1309.326, 1309.406, 1309.408, 1309.502, 1309.503, 1309.507, 1309.515, 1309.516, 1309.518, 1309.521, and 1309.607 of the Revised Code to make changes to Ohio's Uniform Commercial Code and to provide that the Joint Legislative Ethics Committee is the appropriate ethics commission for matters relating to the public member appointees to the Constitutional Modernization Commission, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 88, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Blessing	Boose
Brenner	Bubp	Buchy	Butler
Carney	Celebrezze	Celeste	Cera
Clyde	Combs	Conditt	Damschroder
DeVitis	Derickson	Dovilla	Driehaus
Duffey	Fedor	Fende	Foley
Gardner	Garland	Gerberry	Gonzales
Goyal	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Heard	Henne
Hill	Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski
Landis	Letson	Luckie	Lundy
Maag	Mallory	Matheny	McClain
McGregor	Milkovich	Murray	Newbold
O'Brien	Okey	Patmon	Pelanda
Phillips	Pillich	Ramos	Reece
Roegner	Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl
Schuring	Sears	Slaby	Sprague
Stautberg	Stebelton	Stinziano	Szollosi
Terhar	Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann
Williams	Young	Yuko	Batchelder-88.

The bill passed.

Representative Bubp moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Antonio, Baker, Beck, Blair, Brenner, Carney, Dovilla, Duffey, Foley, Garland, Hall, Hayes, Murray, Rose, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

Sub. S. B. No. 289-Senators Coley, Schiavoni.

Cosponsors: Senators Jones, Balderson, Cafaro, Gentile, Bacon, Brown, Manning, Seitz, Turner, Eklund, Lehner, Oelslager, Sawyer, Burke, Faber, Hughes, Niehaus, Patton, Peterson. Representatives Stautberg, Williams, Cera, Conditt, O'Brien, Pillich, Roegner.

To amend sections 3706.25 and 4928.01 of the Revised Code to include cogeneration technology using waste or byproduct gas from an air contaminant source as a renewable energy resource, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Representative Foley moved to amend as follows:

In line 5, delete "and" and insert a comma; after "4928.01" insert ", and 4928.64"

Between lines 433 and 434, insert:

"Sec. 4928.64. (A)(1) As used in sections 4928.64 and 4928.65 of the Revised Code, "alternative energy resource" means an advanced energy resource or renewable energy resource, as defined in section 4928.01 of the Revised Code that has a placed-in-service date of January 1, 1998, or after; a renewable energy resource created on or after January 1, 1998, by the modification or retrofit of any facility placed in service prior to January 1, 1998; or a mercantile customer-sited advanced energy resource or renewable energy resource, whether new or existing, that the mercantile customer commits for integration into the electric distribution utility's demand-response, energy efficiency, or peak demand reduction programs as provided under division (A)(2)(c) of section 4928.66 of the Revised Code, including, but not limited to, any of the following:

- (a) A resource that has the effect of improving the relationship between real and reactive power;
- (b) A resource that makes efficient use of waste heat or other thermal capabilities owned or controlled by a mercantile customer;
- (c) Storage technology that allows a mercantile customer more flexibility to modify its demand or load and usage characteristics;
- (d) Electric generation equipment owned or controlled by a mercantile customer that uses an advanced energy resource or renewable energy resource;
- (e) Any advanced energy resource or renewable energy resource of the mercantile customer that can be utilized effectively as part of any advanced energy resource plan of an electric distribution utility and would otherwise qualify as an alternative energy resource if it were utilized directly by an electric distribution utility.

(2) For the purpose of this section and as it considers appropriate, the public utilities commission may classify any new technology as such an advanced energy resource or a renewable energy resource.

(B) By 2025 and thereafter, an electric distribution utility shall provide from alternative energy resources, including, at its discretion, alternative energy resources obtained pursuant to an electricity supply contract, a portion of the electricity supply required for its standard service offer under section 4928.141 of the Revised Code, and an electric services company shall provide a portion of its electricity supply for retail consumers in this state from alternative energy resources, including, at its discretion, alternative energy resources obtained pursuant to an electricity supply contract. That portion shall equal twenty-five per cent of the total number of kilowatt hours of electricity sold by the subject utility or company to any and all retail electric consumers whose electric load

centers are served by that utility and are located within the utility's certified territory or, in the case of an electric services company, are served by the company and are located within this state. However, nothing in this section precludes a utility or company from providing a greater percentage. The baseline for a utility's or company's compliance with the alternative energy resource requirements of this section shall be the average of such total kilowatt hours it sold in the preceding three calendar years, except that the commission may reduce a utility's or company's baseline to adjust for new economic growth in the utility's certified territory or, in the case of an electric services company, in the company's service area in this state.

Of the twenty-five per cent alternative energy resources that shall be implemented by the subject utility or company by 2025 and thereafter:

(1) ~~Half~~ Ten per cent may be generated from advanced energy resources;

(2) At least ~~half~~ fifteen per cent shall be generated from renewable energy resources, including one-half per cent from solar energy resources, in accordance with the following benchmarks:

By end of year	Renewable energy resources	Solar energy resources
2009	0.25%	0.004%
2010	0.50%	0.010%
2011	1%	0.030%
2012	1.5%	0.060%
2013	2% <u>2.5%</u>	0.090%
2014	2.5% <u>3.5%</u>	0.12%
2015	3.5% <u>4.5%</u>	0.15%
2016	4.5% <u>5.5%</u>	0.18%
2017	5.5% <u>7%</u>	0.22%
2018	6.5% <u>8%</u>	0.26%
2019	7.5% <u>9%</u>	0.3%
2020	8.5% <u>10.5%</u>	0.34%
2021	9.5% <u>11.5%</u>	0.38%
2022	10.5% <u>12.5%</u>	0.42%
2023	11.5% <u>14%</u>	0.46%
2024 and each calendar year thereafter	12.5% <u>15%</u>	0.5%

(3) At least one-half of the renewable energy resources implemented by the utility or company shall be met through facilities located in this state; the remainder shall be met with resources that can be shown to be deliverable into this state.

(C)(1) The commission annually shall review an electric distribution utility's or electric services company's compliance with the most recent applicable benchmark under division (B)(2) of this section and, in the course of that review, shall identify any undercompliance or noncompliance of the utility or company that it determines is weather-related, related to equipment or resource shortages for advanced energy or renewable energy resources as applicable, or is otherwise outside the utility's or company's control.

(2) Subject to the cost cap provisions of division (C)(3) of this section, if the commission determines, after notice and opportunity for hearing, and based upon its findings in that review regarding avoidable undercompliance or

noncompliance, but subject to division (C)(4) of this section, that the utility or company has failed to comply with any such benchmark, the commission shall impose a renewable energy compliance payment on the utility or company.

(a) The compliance payment pertaining to the solar energy resource benchmarks under division (B)(2) of this section shall be an amount per megawatt hour of undercompliance or noncompliance in the period under review, starting at four hundred fifty dollars for 2009, four hundred dollars for 2010 and 2011, and similarly reduced every two years thereafter through 2024 by fifty dollars, to a minimum of fifty dollars.

(b) The compliance payment pertaining to the renewable energy resource benchmarks under division (B)(2) of this section shall equal the number of additional renewable energy credits that the electric distribution utility or electric services company would have needed to comply with the applicable benchmark in the period under review times an amount that shall begin at forty-five dollars and shall be adjusted annually by the commission to reflect any change in the consumer price index as defined in section 101.27 of the Revised Code, but shall not be less than forty-five dollars.

(c) The compliance payment shall not be passed through by the electric distribution utility or electric services company to consumers. The compliance payment shall be remitted to the commission, for deposit to the credit of the advanced energy fund created under section 4928.61 of the Revised Code. Payment of the compliance payment shall be subject to such collection and enforcement procedures as apply to the collection of a forfeiture under sections 4905.55 to 4905.60 and 4905.64 of the Revised Code.

(3) An electric distribution utility or an electric services company need not comply with a benchmark under division (B)(1) or (2) of this section to the extent that its reasonably expected cost of that compliance exceeds its reasonably expected cost of otherwise producing or acquiring the requisite electricity by three per cent or more. The cost of compliance shall be calculated as though any exemption from taxes and assessments had not been granted under section 5727.75 of the Revised Code.

(4)(a) An electric distribution utility or electric services company may request the commission to make a force majeure determination pursuant to this division regarding all or part of the utility's or company's compliance with any minimum benchmark under division (B)(2) of this section during the period of review occurring pursuant to division (C)(2) of this section. The commission may require the electric distribution utility or electric services company to make solicitations for renewable energy resource credits as part of its default service before the utility's or company's request of force majeure under this division can be made.

(b) Within ninety days after the filing of a request by an electric distribution utility or electric services company under division (C)(4)(a) of this section, the commission shall determine if renewable energy resources are

reasonably available in the marketplace in sufficient quantities for the utility or company to comply with the subject minimum benchmark during the review period. In making this determination, the commission shall consider whether the electric distribution utility or electric services company has made a good faith effort to acquire sufficient renewable energy or, as applicable, solar energy resources to so comply, including, but not limited to, by banking or seeking renewable energy resource credits or by seeking the resources through long-term contracts. Additionally, the commission shall consider the availability of renewable energy or solar energy resources in this state and other jurisdictions in the PJM interconnection regional transmission organization or its successor and the midwest system operator or its successor.

(c) If, pursuant to division (C)(4)(b) of this section, the commission determines that renewable energy or solar energy resources are not reasonably available to permit the electric distribution utility or electric services company to comply, during the period of review, with the subject minimum benchmark prescribed under division (B)(2) of this section, the commission shall modify that compliance obligation of the utility or company as it determines appropriate to accommodate the finding. Commission modification shall not automatically reduce the obligation for the electric distribution utility's or electric services company's compliance in subsequent years. If it modifies the electric distribution utility or electric services company obligation under division (C)(4)(c) of this section, the commission may require the utility or company, if sufficient renewable energy resource credits exist in the marketplace, to acquire additional renewable energy resource credits in subsequent years equivalent to the utility's or company's modified obligation under division (C)(4)(c) of this section.

(5) The commission shall establish a process to provide for at least an annual review of the alternative energy resource market in this state and in the service territories of the regional transmission organizations that manage transmission systems located in this state. The commission shall use the results of this study to identify any needed changes to the amount of the renewable energy compliance payment specified under divisions (C)(2)(a) and (b) of this section. Specifically, the commission may increase the amount to ensure that payment of compliance payments is not used to achieve compliance with this section in lieu of actually acquiring or realizing energy derived from renewable energy resources. However, if the commission finds that the amount of the compliance payment should be otherwise changed, the commission shall present this finding to the general assembly for legislative enactment.

(D)(1) The commission annually shall submit to the general assembly in accordance with section 101.68 of the Revised Code a report describing the compliance of electric distribution utilities and electric services companies with division (B) of this section and any strategy for utility and company compliance or for encouraging the use of alternative energy resources in supplying this state's electricity needs in a manner that considers available technology, costs, job creation, and economic impacts. The commission shall allow and consider public comments on the report prior to its submission to the general assembly.

Nothing in the report shall be binding on any person, including any utility or company for the purpose of its compliance with any benchmark under division (B) of this section, or the enforcement of that provision under division (C) of this section.

(2) The governor, in consultation with the commission chairperson, shall appoint an alternative energy advisory committee. The committee shall examine available technology for and related timetables, goals, and costs of the alternative energy resource requirements under division (B) of this section and shall submit to the commission a semiannual report of its recommendations.

(E) All costs incurred by an electric distribution utility in complying with the requirements of this section shall be bypassable by any consumer that has exercised choice of supplier under section 4928.03 of the Revised Code."

In line 434, delete "and" and insert a comma; after "4928.01" insert ", and 4928.64"

In line 1 of the title, delete "and" and insert a comma; after "4928.01" insert ", and 4928.64"

In line 4 of the title, before the period insert "and to increase the renewable energy resource generation benchmarks for electric distribution utilities and electric service companies"

The question being, "Shall the motion to amend be agreed to?"

Representative Huffman moved that the motion be laid on the table.

The question being, "Shall the motion to amend be laid on the table?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 54, nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Baker	Beck	Blair	Boose
Brenner	Bubp	Buchy	Butler
Combs	Conditt	Damschroder	DeVitis
Derickson	Dovilla	Duffey	Gardner
Gonzales	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Henne	Hill
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Maag	Matheney	McClain	McGregor
Newbold	Pelanda	Roegner	Rose
Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring	Sears
Slaby	Sprague	Stautberg	Stebelton
Terhar	Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann
Young			Batchelder-54.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Antonio	Ashford	Barnes	Carney
Celebrezze	Celeste	Cera	Clyde
Driehaus	Fedor	Fende	Foley

Garland	Gerberry	Goyal	Heard
Letson	Luckie	Lundy	Mallory
Milkovich	Murray	O'Brien	Okey
Patmon	Phillips	Pillich	Ramos
Reece	Stinziano	Szollosi	Williams
			Yuko-33.

The motion to amend was laid on the table.

The question recurring, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 79, nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Antonio	Ashford	Baker	Barnes
Beck	Blair	Boose	Brenner
Bubp	Buchy	Butler	Celebrezze
Cera	Combs	Conditt	Damschroder
DeVitis	Derickson	Dovilla	Driehaus
Duffey	Fedor	Fende	Gardner
Garland	Gerberry	Gonzales	Grossman
Hackett	Hagan, C.	Hall	Hayes
Heard	Henne	Hill	Huffman
Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis	Letson
Luckie	Lundy	Maag	Mallory
Matheney	McClain	McGregor	Milkovich
Newbold	O'Brien	Okey	Patmon
Pelanda	Pillich	Reece	Roegner
Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring
Sears	Slaby	Slesnick	Sprague
Stautberg	Stebelton	Stinziano	Terhar
Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann	Williams
Young	Yuko		Batchelder-79.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Carney	Celeste	Clyde	Foley
Goyal	Murray	Phillips	Ramos
			Szollosi-9.

The bill passed.

Representative Conditt moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Anielski, Baker, Barnes, Beck, Blair, Boose, Brenner, Bubp, Buchy, Combs, Damschroder, Derickson, DeVitis, Dovilla, Duffey, Gerberry, Grossman, Hackett, Hagan, C., Hall, Hill, Johnson, Landis, Letson, Lundy, Maag, Mallory, Matheney, McClain, McGregor, Milkovich, Newbold, Patmon, Pelanda, Rose, Ruhl, Schuring, Slaby, Sprague, Stebelton, Terhar, Thompson, Uecker, Yuko, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

Sub. H. R. No. 198-Representatives Boose, Foley.

Cosponsors: Representatives Adams, J., Antonio, Brenner, Celeste, Combs, Dovilla, Fedor, Garland, Grossman, Hagan, R., Letson, Martin, Murray, Ramos, Sears, Szollosi, Terhar, Thompson, Yuko, Gerberry.

To support the construction of the New International Trade Crossing between the United States and Canada, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

Representative Boose moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Ashford, Barnes, Blair, Bubp, Carney, Conditt, Damschroder, Derickson, DeVitis, Driehaus, Duffey, Hackett, Hall, Johnson, Luckie, Maag, McClain, McGregor, Newbold, O'Brien, Patmon, Reece, Ruhl, Schuring, Slaby, Sprague, Stebelton, Young, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 88, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

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| Adams J. | Adams R. | Amstutz | Anielski |
| Antonio | Ashford | Baker | Barnes |
| Beck | Blair | Boose | Brenner |
| Bubp | Buchy | Budish | Butler |
| Carney | Celebrezze | Celeste | Cera |
| Clyde | Combs | Conditt | Damschroder |
| DeVitis | Derickson | Dovilla | Driehaus |
| Duffey | Fedor | Fende | Foley |
| Gardner | Garland | Gerberry | Gonzales |
| Goyal | Grossman | Hackett | Hagan, C. |
| Hall | Hayes | Heard | Henne |
| Hill | Huffman | Johnson | Kozlowski |
| Landis | Letson | Luckie | Lundy |
| Maag | Mallory | Matheny | McClain |
| McGregor | Milkovich | Murray | Newbold |
| O'Brien | Okey | Patmon | Pelanda |
| Phillips | Pillich | Ramos | Reece |
| Roegner | Rose | Rosenberger | Ruhl |
| Schuring | Sears | Slaby | Sprague |
| Stautberg | Stebelton | Stinziano | Szollosi |
| Terhar | Thompson | Uecker | Wachtmann |
| Williams | Young | Yuko | Batchelder-88. |

The resolution was adopted.

H. R. No. 292-Representative Adams, R.

Cosponsors: Representatives Adams, J., Beck, Derickson, Duffey, Gardner, Garland, Gerberry, Gonzales, Henne, Hill, Newbold, O'Brien, Reece, Sprague, Stebelton, Stinziano, Terhar, Thompson, Buchy.

To designate the month of March 2012 as "Skilled Workforce Recognition Month" in Ohio, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

Representative Adams, R. moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Anielski, Antonio, Ashford, Baker, Barnes, Blair, Boose, Brenner, Butler, Carney, Celebrezze, Combs, Damschroder, DeVitis, Dovilla, Driehaus, Fedor, Fende, Goyal, Grossman, Hackett, Hagan, C., Hall, Hayes, Heard, Johnson, Landis, Letson, Lundy, Maag, Mallory, McGregor, Milkovich, Pelanda, Phillips, Pillich, Ramos, Rose, Rosenberger, Ruhl, Sears, Slaby, Williams, Yuko, Batchelder."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 86, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

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| Adams J. | Adams R. | Amstutz | Antonio |
| Ashford | Baker | Barnes | Beck |
| Blair | Boose | Brenner | Bubp |
| Buchy | Budish | Butler | Carney |
| Celebrezze | Celeste | Cera | Clyde |
| Combs | Conditt | Damschroder | DeVitis |
| Derickson | Dovilla | Driehaus | Duffey |
| Fedor | Fende | Foley | Gardner |
| Garland | Gerberry | Gonzales | Goyal |
| Grossman | Hackett | Hagan, C. | Hall |
| Hayes | Heard | Henne | Hill |
| Huffman | Johnson | Kozlowski | Landis |
| Letson | Luckie | Lundy | Maag |
| Mallory | Matheney | McClain | McGregor |
| Milkovich | Murray | O'Brien | Okey |
| Patmon | Pelanda | Phillips | Pillich |
| Ramos | Reece | Roegner | Rose |
| Rosenberger | Ruhl | Schuring | Sears |
| Slaby | Sprague | Stautberg | Stebelton |
| Stinziano | Szollosi | Terhar | Thompson |
| Uecker | Wachtmann | Williams | Young |
| Yuko | | | Batchelder-86. |

The resolution was adopted.

Representative Huffman moved that House Rule 66, pertaining to bills being placed on the calendar, be suspended and that **H. B. No. 322**-Representative Brenner, et al. be taken up for immediate consideration the third time.

The motion was agreed to without objection.

H. B. No. 322-Representative Brenner.

Cosponsors: Representatives Kozlowski, Henne, Combs, Wachtmann, Stebelton.

To enact sections 1121.051, 1155.181, 1163.221, and 1733.413 of the Revised Code to permit Ohio banks, savings and loan associations, savings banks, and credit unions to charge the same interest rate and other charges that out-of-state banks may charge Ohio customers, was taken up for consideration the third time.

The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Representative Letson moved that **H. B. No. 322**-Representative Brenner, et al., be rereferred to the committee on Financial Institutions, Housing and Urban Development.

The question being, "Shall the motion to rerefer be agreed to?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 34, nays 54, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Antonio	Ashford	Barnes	Budish
Carney	Celebrezze	Celeste	Cera
Clyde	Driehaus	Fedor	Fende
Foley	Garland	Gerberry	Goyal
Heard	Letson	Luckie	Lundy
Mallory	Milkovich	Murray	O'Brien
Okey	Patmon	Phillips	Pillich
Ramos	Reece	Stinziano	Szollosi
Williams			Yuko-34.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Baker	Beck	Blair	Boose
Brenner	Bubp	Buchy	Butler
Combs	Conditt	Damschroder	DeVitis
Derickson	Dovilla	Duffey	Gardner
Gonzales	Grossman	Hackett	Hagan, C.
Hall	Hayes	Henne	Hill
Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski	Landis
Maag	Matheney	McClain	McGregor
Newbold	Pelanda	Roegner	Rose
Rosenberger	Ruhl	Schuring	Sears
Slaby	Sprague	Stautberg	Stebelton

Terhar	Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann
Young			Batchelder-54.

The motion was not agreed to.

The question recurring, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas and nays were taken and resulted - yeas 57, nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were: Representatives

Adams J.	Adams R.	Amstutz	Anielski
Baker	Beck	Blair	Boose
Brenner	Bubp	Buchy	Butler
Carney	Combs	Conditt	Damschroder
DeVitis	Derickson	Dovilla	Duffey
Gardner	Gonzales	Grossman	Hackett
Hagan, C.	Hall	Hayes	Henne
Hill	Huffman	Johnson	Kozlowski
Landis	Maag	Matheny	McClain
McGregor	Newbold	Pelanda	Pillich
Roegner	Rose	Rosenberger	Ruhl
Schuring	Sears	Slaby	Sprague
Stautberg	Stebelton	Stinziano	Terhar
Thompson	Uecker	Wachtmann	Young
			Batchelder-57.

Those who voted in the negative were: Representatives

Antonio	Ashford	Barnes	Budish
Celebrezze	Celeste	Cera	Clyde
Driehaus	Fedor	Fende	Foley
Garland	Gerberry	Goyal	Heard
Letson	Luckie	Lundy	Mallory
Milkovich	Murray	O'Brien	Okey
Patmon	Phillips	Ramos	Reece
Szollosi	Williams		Yuko-31.

The bill passed.

Representative Brenner moved to amend the title as follows:

Add the names: "Adams, R., Hackett, Ruhl."

The motion was agreed to and the title so amended.

The title as amended was agreed to.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed the following bills in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. B. No. 279 -Senator Seitz

Cosponsors: Senators Patton, Jones, Obhof, Hughes, Cafaro, Bacon, Balderson, Beagle, Brown, Burke, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Kearney, LaRose, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Oelslager, Peterson, Sawyer, Schaffer, Schiavoni, Smith, Tavares, Wagoner, Widener

To enact section 5533.254 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 264 in Hamilton County as the "Sergeant David Kreuter Memorial Highway."

S. B. No. 300 -Senators Manning, Wagoner

Cosponsors: Senators Brown, Hughes, Seitz, Cafaro, Bacon, Balderson, Beagle, Burke, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Jones, Kearney, LaRose, Lehner, Niehaus, Obhof, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Sawyer, Schaffer, Schiavoni, Tavares, Widener

To enact section 5533.181 of the Revised Code to designate the bridge spanning the Vermillion River, that is part of State Route 113, as the "Staff Sgt. James P. Hunter Memorial Bridge."

S. B. No. 303 -Senator Oelslager

Cosponsors: Senators Cafaro, Schiavoni, Wagoner, Brown, Seitz, Jones, Beagle, LaRose, Burke, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Hughes, Kearney, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Obhof, Patton, Peterson, Sawyer, Schaffer, Tavares, Turner, Widener

To enact section 5533.322 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 44 within Stark County as the "First Lt. Ashley White Stumpf Memorial Highway."

S. B. No. 311 -Senator Gentile

Cosponsors: Senators Brown, Cafaro, Bacon, Balderson, Beagle, Burke, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Hite, Hughes, Jones, Kearney, LaRose, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Obhof, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Sawyer, Schaffer, Schiavoni, Seitz, Smith, Tavares, Turner, Wagoner, Widener

To enact section 5533.688 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 800 in Harrison County as the "Trooper George Conn Memorial Highway."

Am. S. B. No. 238 -Senator Lehner

Cosponsors: Senators Jones, Wagoner, Schaffer, Brown, Tavares, Skindell, Cafaro, Sawyer

To amend section 102.02 of the Revised Code to require persons who are elected or appointed to, or who are candidates for, an office of a township with a population of five thousand or more to file statements under the Ethics Law.

Sub. S. B. No. 297 -Senator Patton

Cosponsors: Senators Tavares, Brown, Burke, Cafaro, Coley, Jones, Kearney, LaRose, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Obhof, Oelslager, Schaffer, Schiavoni, Seitz, Wagoner

To amend section 4731.293 of the Revised Code to specify requirements for obtaining and renewing a clinical research faculty certificate and to declare an emergency.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Said bills were considered the first time.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. C. R. No. 16 -Senator Burke

Cosponsors: Senators Beagle, Brown, Patton, Schaffer, Wagoner, Balderson, Cafaro, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Hughes, Jones, Kearney, Lehner, Manning, Niehaus, Obhof, Oelslager, Peterson, Sawyer, Schiavoni, Seitz, Skindell, Tavares, Turner, Widener

To urge Congress to support the provision of efficient and comprehensive mental health treatment to combat military personnel and combat veterans who are suffering from Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and other combat-related stress disorders.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Said concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Rules and Reference 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 House amendments to:

Am. S. C. R. No. 19 -Senator Widener - et al.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Message from the Speaker

March 28, 2012

Speaker William G. Batchelder
Ohio House of Representatives
77 South High Street
14th Floor Riffe Center
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Speaker Batchelder:

I am hereby submitting my letter of resignation to the Ohio House of Representatives effective April 16, 2012. I want to express my sincere gratitude and appreciation for the opportunities my time in the Ohio House has presented me as we all worked for the betterment of Ohio.

Respectfully,

/s/ MARY BRIGID MATHENEY

Mary Brigid Matheney
State Representative
House District 98

Message from the Speaker

March 28, 2012

The Honorable Mary Brigid Matheney
Ohio House of Representatives
77 South High Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Representative Matheney:

This is to acknowledge receipt and acceptance of your letter of resignation from the Ohio House of Representatives, effective April 16, 2012.

You have served your constituents and the state of Ohio well over the duration of your appointment and I am confident that you will continue to do so in your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

/s/ WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER

William G. Batchelder

Speaker

Ohio House of Representatives

Message from the Speaker

March 28, 2012

Mr. Speaker,

I, Phillip Rose, wish to submit my letter of resignation to the Ohio House of Representatives. This will be effective as of April 16, 2012.

I want to thank all of you for the privilege of serving as the Representative for the 87th Ohio House District. It was truly an honor and a pleasure working with all of you during my short tenure. I wish all of you the best in the future.

Sincerely,

/s/ PHILIP ROSE

Philip Rose

State Representative

87th House District

Message from the Speaker

March 28, 2012

The Honorable Philip H. Rose

Ohio House of Representatives

77 South High Street

Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Representative Rose:

This is to acknowledge receipt and acceptance of your letter of resignation from the Ohio House of Representatives, effective April 16, 2012.

You have served your constituents and the state of Ohio well over the duration of your appointment and I am confident that you will continue to do so in your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

/s/ WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER
William G. Batchelder
Speaker
Ohio House of Representatives

Message from the Speaker

March 27, 2012

Dear Mr. Speaker,

It is with mixed emotions that I submit to you this letter of resignation effective April 10, 2012. As you know, I recently accepted an appointment to serve as a Commissioner on the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

I was truly honored and humbled by your request to run for State Representative for the 41st House District. Serving my constituents and the State of Ohio has been a privilege of the highest degree. Your confidence in my abilities to serve as Chairman of the Criminal Justice Committee has been humbling. I am grateful to have served with such dedicated legislators who have inspired this General Assembly to reach new heights and to accomplish what no other General Assembly has done in the history of this great State. I will cherish my experiences in this chamber, the relationships that I have built, and the opportunities I have had to shape policy that will positively affect future generations. I am thankful for your leadership, wisdom and depth of character, which evoke my respect and admiration.

To my constituents, my colleagues in both chambers, and the staff of the 129th General Assembly, I will miss you. I look forward to serving you in my new role as Public Utilities Commissioner.

Sincerely,

/s/ LYNN SLABY
Lynn Slaby

Message from the Speaker

March 28, 2012

The Honorable Lynn Slaby
Ohio House of Representatives
77 South High Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Representative Slaby:

This is to acknowledge receipt and acceptance of your letter of resignation from the Ohio House of Representatives, effective April 10, 2012.

You have served your constituents and the state of Ohio well over the years and I am confident you will continue to do so as the Public Utilities Commissioner.

Sincerely,

/s/ WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER

William G. Batchelder

Speaker

Ohio House of Representatives

Message from the Speaker

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, on March 28, 2012, signed the following:

Sub. H. B. No. 275 - Representatives Young, Slaby - et al.

Am. S. C. R. No. 19 - Senator Widener - et al.

Sub. S. B. No. 179 - Senator Wilson - et al.

Sub. H. B. No. 482 - Representative Amstutz - et al.

Am. Sub. S. B. No. 165 - Senators Obhof, Grendell - et al.

Am. S. B. No. 134 - Senator Wagoner - et al.

Sub. S. B. No. 208 - Senators Obhof, Kearney - et al.

Am. Sub. S. B. No. 243 - Senator Hughes - et al.

Sub. S. B. No. 312 - Senator Widener - et al.

On motion of Representative Huffman, the House adjourned until Thursday, March 29, 2012 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

JENNIFER E. WOODRING,
Clerk.