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ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIRST DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Thursday, December 8, 2011, 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 Hite was selected to preside according to the rule.

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

**REPORTS OF REFERENCE AND BILLS FOR SECOND
CONSIDERATION**

Senator Faber reports for the Standing Committee on Rules and Reference, recommending that the following bills, standing in order for second consideration, be referred to committee as recommended:

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 125-Representative Wachtmann, et al.

To amend section 4731.22 and to enact section 2919.19 of the Revised Code to generally prohibit an abortion of an unborn human individual with a detectable fetal heartbeat.

To the Committee on Health, Human Services and Aging.

S. B. No. 265-Senator Bacon, et al.

To amend sections 131.43 and 131.44 of the Revised Code to increase the balance that must exist in the Budget Stabilization Fund, from 5% to 10% of the General Revenue Fund revenue, before revenue surpluses are applied to income tax reductions.

To the Committee on Finance.

S. B. No. 266-Senators Widener, Sawyer, et al.

To amend sections 3335.02, 3335.09, 3337.01, 3339.01, 3341.02, 3343.02, 3344.01, 3350.10, 3352.01, 3356.01, 3359.01, 3361.01, 3362.01, and 3364.01 of the Revised Code to grant student members of the boards of trustees of state universities and the Northeast Ohio Medical University voting power and the authority to attend executive sessions.

To the Committee on Education.

YES - 7: KEITH L. FABER, TOM PATTON, SHANNON JONES,
CHRIS WIDENER, MARK D. WAGONER, SCOTT
OELSLAGER, SHIRLEY A. SMITH.

NO - 0.

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

The report of the committee was accepted.

Said bills were considered a second time and referred to committee as recommended.

REPORTS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

Senator Faber submitted the following report:

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 37, the Standing Committee on Rules and Reference, recommends that **H.C.R. No. 16** – Representatives Butler, Rosenberger, et al., having been referred to the Standing Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans Affairs, be recommitted to the Standing Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans Affairs.

YES - 7: KEITH L. FABER, SHANNON JONES, SCOTT
OELSLAGER, TOM PATTON, SHIRLEY A. SMITH,
MARK D. WAGONER, CHRIS WIDENER.

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. 267-Senator Turner.

Cosponsors: Senators Kearney, Schiavoni.

To enact section 101.48 of the Revised Code to establish a controlled substance testing requirement for members of the General Assembly.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Kearney offered the following concurrent resolution:

S. C. R. No. 23-Senator Kearney.

Cosponsors: Senators Tavares, Sawyer, Brown, Seitz, Jones.

To commend the members of the Black Brigade for their defense of Cincinnati in 1862.

The question being, "Shall the concurrent resolution, **S. C. R. No. 23**, be adopted?"

On the motion of Senator Coley, **S. C. R. No. 23**, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Reference.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 54, the following resolutions were offered:

S. R. No. 157-Senator Beagle.

Honoring Darryl Cloud as the recipient of the 2011 Robert E. Yaokum Award.

S. R. No. 158-Senators Hughes, Bacon.

Honoring the Bishop Hartley High School girls volleyball team as the 2011 Division II State Champion.

S. R. No. 159-Senator Hughes.
Cosponsor: Senator Bacon.

Honoring the St. Francis DeSales High School girls soccer team as the 2011 Division II State Champion.

S. R. No. 160-Senator Balderson.

Honoring the Oxford Mining as the recipient of two Excellence in Surface Coal Mining Reclamation Awards.

S. R. No. 161-Senator Bacon.
Cosponsor: Senator Hughes.

Honoring the Worthington Christian High School boys soccer team as the 2011 Division III State Champion.

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

So the resolutions were adopted.

Message from the House of Representatives

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following bill:

Am. H. B. No. 302 -Representative Adams, R. - et al.

Attest: Laura P. Clemens,
Clerk.

The President signed said bill.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 103.63 of the Ohio Revised Code, the Minority Leader of the Senate appoints the following senators to serve on the Ohio Constitutional Modernization Commission:

Senator Kearney
Senator Tavares
Senator Skindell

On the motion of Senator Coley, the Senate adjourned until Thursday, December 8, 2011 at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest: VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.