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FORTY-THIRD DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Tuesday, May 7, 2013, 1:30 p.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.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced and considered the first time:

S. B. No. 121-Senators Hughes, LaRose.

Cosponsor: Senator Patton.

To amend sections 2152.17, 2929.13, 2929.14, 2941.141, 2941.144, 2941.145, 2941.146, and 2941.1412 and to enact sections 2923.132 and 2941.1424 of the Revised Code to double the mandatory prison term for an offender who is convicted of a firearm specification and previously has been convicted of a firearm specification; to similarly double the period of authorized or mandatory commitment to the Department of Youth Services of a delinquent child who is guilty of a firearm specification and previously has been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing an act that would constitute a violation of a firearm specification if committed by an adult; to prohibit violent career criminals from knowingly acquiring, having, carrying, or using any firearm or dangerous ordnance; and to require a mandatory prison term for a violent career criminal convicted of committing a violent felony offense while armed with a firearm.

S. B. No. 122-Senator Sawyer.

Cosponsors: Senators Brown, Tavares.

To enact section 3312.14 of the Revised Code to create the Office of Regional Services and Accountability in the Department of Education.

S. B. No. 123-Senator Sawyer.

Cosponsors: Senators LaRose, Smith, Brown, Gentile, Tavares, Turner, Lehner.

To enact section 3313.984 of the Revised Code to require a study of interdistrict open enrollment, and to amend sections 3310.01, 3310.06, 3313.64, 3313.97, 3313.974, 3313.982, 3314.07, 3315.18, 3317.03, 3318.011, 3323.143, 3326.51, 3327.05, and 3365.01 and to repeal sections 3313.98, 3313.981, 3313.983, and 3313.984 of the Revised Code effective July 1, 2015,

to terminate interdistrict open enrollment on that date with the possibility of renewal following the General Assembly's examination of the study's findings.

S. B. No. 124-Senator Patton.

Cosponsors: Senators Eklund, Cafaro.

To enact section 5902.10 of the Revised Code to require the Director of Veterans Services, upon application by a person who is a veteran or active duty member of any branch of the armed forces of the United States, to issue to the person a military transportation card that entitles the person to travel on any type of public transportation without charge.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

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

S. R. No. 103-Senator Balderson.

Honoring Clay Williams as the 2013 Ohio NASP State Tournament overall male champion.

S. R. No. 104-Senator Balderson.

Honoring Katie Ruffner as the 2013 Ohio NASP State Tournament overall female champion.

S. R. No. 105-Senators Faber, LaRose.

Honoring Judge David E. Stucki as the president of NCJFCJ.

S. R. No. 106-Senators Jones, Balderson, Beagle, Lehner, Seitz, Uecker, Brown, Gentile, Kearney, Skindell, Smith, Tavares.

Recognizing Bike Helmet Safety Awareness Week, May 6-10, 2013.

S. R. No. 107-Senator Bacon.

Honoring the late Christopher L. Brown as the recipient of a 2013 Ohio Military Medal of Distinction.

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 bills:

S. B. No. 24 -Senator Obhof - et al.

S. B. No. 33 -Senators Bacon, LaRose - et al.

Attest:

Bradley J. Young,
Clerk.

The President signed said bills.

On the motion of Senator Coley, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, May 8, 2013 at 1:30 p.m.

Attest:

VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.