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# FIFTEENTH DAY Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio **Tuesday, February 18, 2025, 9:00 o'clock a.m.**

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to House Rule No. 23, the Clerk called the House to order.

Representative Hiner was selected to preside under the Rule.

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

### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following bills were introduced:

**H. B. No. 102** - Representatives Klopfenstein, Williams. Cosponsors: Representatives Bird, Click, Miller, K., Claggett, Deeter, Johnson, Robb Blasdel, John, Newman, Daniels, Brennan, Richardson, Hiner, King, Schmidt, Miller, M., Santucci, Mathews, T., McClain.

To amend sections 1923.02, 2950.99, 5321.03, and 5321.051; to amend, for the purpose of adopting a new section number as indicated in parentheses, section 2950.035 (2950.036); and to enact section 2950.035 of the Revised Code to prohibit a sex offender or a child-victim offender from residing within 2,000 feet of the residence of the victim and from loitering within 1,000 feet of the residence of the victim.

H. B. No. 103 - Representatives Troy, Hall, T.

Cosponsors: Representatives Baker, Brennan, Brent, Brewer, Cockley, Denson, Fischer, Grim, Hall, D., Jarrells, John, Lett, McNally, Miller, K., Piccolantonio, Rader, Russo, Sigrist, Sims, Sweeney, Synenberg, Thomas, D., Upchurch, White, E.

To amend sections 323.152 and 4503.065 of the Revised Code to increase the homestead exemption amount and income limit.

H. B. No. 104 - Representatives Lawson-Rowe, Deeter.

Cosponsors: Representatives Brennan, Brent, Brewer, Click, Daniels, Denson, Hiner, Klopfenstein, Lorenz, Mohamed, Mullins, Odioso, Rader, Ritter, Salvo, Sims, Synenberg, Thomas, D., Tims, Upchurch, White, E., Workman.

To enact section 5.2540 of the Revised Code to designate February 14 as "Cardiovascular Health Awareness Day."

**H. B. No. 105** - Representatives Craig, Thomas, J. Cosponsors: Representatives Lampton, Daniels, Thomas, D.

To enact sections 1357.01, 1357.011, 1357.02, 1357.03, 1357.04, 1357.05, 1357.06, 1357.07, and 1357.08 and to repeal section 1349.55 of the Revised

Code to revise and supplement state regulations concerning non-recourse litigation funding agreements.

### H. B. No. 106 - Representatives King, Miller, M.

Cosponsors: Representatives Deeter, Click, Williams, Lear, Brennan.

To enact Alyssa's Law to establish a pilot grant program for public and chartered nonpublic schools to purchase panic alert systems or contract for artificial intelligence firearm detection software and to make an appropriation.

H. B. No. 107 - Representative Williams.

To amend section 122.1710 and to enact sections 122.1712 and 122.1713 of the Revised Code to modify the Individual Microcredential Assistance Program(IMAP), to create platinum provider programs for certain IMAP participants, and to name this act the Platinum Providers Act.

H. B. No. 108 - Representative Williams.

To amend section 2901.05 of the Revised Code to enact the Self-Defense Protection Act to create a pretrial procedure for a person asserting self-defense, defense of another, or defense of that person's property.

H. B. No. 109 - Representative Pizzulli.

To amend sections 351.01, 351.021, 353.06, 4735.11, 5739.01, 5739.08, 5739.09, 5739.091, and 5741.01 and to enact section 5325.01 of the Revised Code to limit the authority of local governments to regulate short-term rental properties, to extend local lodging taxes to short-term rentals, to require collection of those taxes by short-term rental platforms, and to require real estate licenses to be issued electronically.

**H. B. No. 110** - Representatives Thomas, C., Williams. Cosponsors: Representatives Gross, Brennan, Klopfenstein, Miller, K., Rogers, Hiner.

To amend section 2907.08 of the Revised Code to increase the penalty for repeat voyeurism.

**H. B. No. 111** - Representatives Miller, K., Creech. Cosponsors: Representatives Brennan, Deeter, Hiner, Bird.

To amend section 4511.21 of the Revised Code to impose an additional fine on drivers who exceed the speed limit by 30 miles per hour.

H. B. No. 112 - Representatives Gross, Lear.

Cosponsors: Representatives Swearingen, Barhorst, Fischer, Miller, M., King, Click, Hall, T., Creech, Ferguson, Claggett, Miller, K., Mullins, Klopfenstein, Workman, Dean, Teska, Willis, McClain, John, Mathews, T., Pizzulli, Ritter, Lorenz, Johnson, Holmes, Bird, Fowler Arthur.

To enact section 3792.09 of the Revised Code to prohibit discrimination

against an individual for the refusal of certain medical interventions for reasons of conscience, including religious convictions, and to name this act the Conscientious Right to Refuse Act.

**H. B. No. 113** - Representatives Bird, Newman. Cosponsors: Representatives Plummer, Peterson, Ritter, Johnson, Klopfenstein, Schmidt, Stephens, Willis, Creech.

To amend sections 102.02, 709.022, 709.023, 709.024, 709.16, and 3735.67 and to enact section 3311.222 of the Revised Code to modify the law regarding annexation and financial disclosure forms, and to require school district approval of residential community reinvestment area property tax exemptions.

H. B. No. 114 - Representatives Bird, Ritter.

Cosponsors: Representatives Williams, Young, King, Daniels, Fowler Arthur, Hiner.

To amend sections 3314.06, 3314.08, 3317.0213, and 3321.01 of the Revised Code regarding age requirements for kindergarten admission.

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 passed the following bills in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

Sub. S. B. No. 1 - Senator Cirino

Cosponsors: Senators Brenner, Chavez, Cutrona, Johnson, Koehler, Lang, Manchester, O'Brien, Reineke, Roegner, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Wilkin, Huffman, Timken

To amend sections 3335.02, 3335.09, 3337.01, 3339.01, 3341.02, 3343.02, 3344.01, 3345.45, 3350.10, 3352.01, 3356.01, 3359.01, 3361.01, 3362.01, 3364.01, 4117.14, and 4117.15; to enact new section 3333.045 and sections 3345.029, 3345.0216, 3345.0217, 3345.0218, 3345.0219, 3345.382, 3345.451, 3345.452, 3345.453, 3345.454, 3345.455, 3345.456, 3345.591, 3345.80, and 3345.88; and to repeal section 3333.045 of the Revised Code to enact the Advance Ohio Higher Education Act regarding the operation of state institutions of higher education.

## Am. S. B. No. 9 - Senator Blessing

Cosponsors: Senators Roegner, Schaffer, Antonio, Cirino, Craig, Cutrona, DeMora, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Lang, Patton, Reineke, Smith, Timken, Weinstein, Wilson

To amend section 5701.11 of the Revised Code to expressly incorporate changes in the Internal Revenue Code since March 15, 2023, into Ohio law and to declare an emergency.

## S. B. No. 24 - Senators Johnson, Huffman

Cosponsors: Senators Brenner, Antonio, Blackshear, Blessing, Chavez, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Gavarone, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Koehler, Landis, Lang, Liston, O'Brien, Patton, Reineke, Roegner, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Smith, Timken, Weinstein

To enact section 5.022 of the Revised Code to adopt the 1905 Wright Flyer III as the state airplane.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran, Clerk.

Said bills were considered the first time.

# **MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER**

Pursuant to House Rules 13, 30, and 32, the Speaker hereby makes the following changes to the standing committee on Finance:

Remove Representatives Bird, John, Schmidt, Thomas, J., Williams, and Willis; appoint Representatives Click, Creech, Dean, Deeter, Lorenz, and Mathews, T.

# **MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER**

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, on February 13, 2025, signed the following:

S. J. R. No. 5-Senator McColley - et al.

On motion of Representative Craig, the House adjourned until Monday, February 24, 2025 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

BRADLEY J. YOUNG, Clerk.