Ohio House of Representatives

Ohio House Commerce and Labor Committee
Minutes – March 17, 2021

Chairman Stein Called the House Commerce and Labor Committee to order at 3:05 pm. The Clerk called the roll and a quorum was present. The minutes from the March 10, 2021 committee were accepted without objection.

Chairman Stein brought up HB 172 for its first hearing. The Chairman recognized Representatives OBrien and Baldridge to provide Sponsor Testimony. Questions were asked by the committee and answered by the sponsors. With no further questions, that concluded the first hearing on HB 172.

Chairman Stein brought up HB 163 for its first hearing. The Chairman recognized Representatives Cutrona and Sweeney to provide sponsor testimony. Questions were asked by the committee and answered by the sponsors. With no further questions, that concluded the second hearing on HB 163.

Chairman Stein brought up HB 68 for its third hearing. The Chairman invited Chris McCloskey to provide opponent testimony. Questions were asked by the committee and answered by Mr. McClockey. Chairman Stein noted that there was written opponent testimony provided by the Ohio Council of Retail Merchants. With no further questions, that concluded the second hearing on HB 68.

Chairman Stein brought up HB 23 for its fourth hearing. The Chairman recognized Vice Chairman Johnson. Mr. Johnson moved that HB 23 would be favorably be reported back to the Rules and Reference Committee. The Clerk called the roll. With ten yes votes and no nay votes, the bill was favorably referred back to the Rules and Reference Committee. The roll was left open until noon of the following day.

Seeing no further business to be brought before the committee, the House Commerce and Labor Committee was adjourned at 4:06 pm.

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Representative Dick Stein, Chairman

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Ranking Member Michele Lepore Hagan, Secretary