

OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Resolution Authorizing the Filing of Twenty-One (21) New, Amended and Rescinded Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission Administrative Code Rules with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review

WHEREAS, the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission (“Commission”) previously adopted administrative rules for the control and regulation of traffic, operation of vehicles, the collection of tolls and for the protection and preservation of property under its jurisdiction in accordance with the authority granted to it under Section 5537.16 of the Ohio Revised Code, as promulgated in the provisions of Sections 5537-1-01 through 5537-9-05 of the Ohio Administrative Code; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 162 amended certain sections of Ohio Revised Code § § 5537.01, et seq to expand the authority of the Commission regarding evasion of tolls on the Ohio turnpike;

WHEREAS, the Commission adopted Resolution No. 88-2022 authorizing the Executive Director and General Counsel to initiate the process of: 1) submitting proposed amendments to Sections 5537-1-01, 5537-2-04, 5537-2-12, 5537-2-17, 5537-2-19, 5537-2-21, 5537-3-01, 5537-3-05, 5537-4-01, 5537-4-02, 5537-4-03, 5537-4-04, 5537-4-05, 5537-4-06, 5537-5-02, 5537-7-01, and 5537-8-01 of the Ohio Administrative Code, 2) submitting proposed new rules 5537-4-07 and 5537-9-06, and 3) submitting proposed rescissions of rules 5537-2-18 and 5537-2-20, all in accordance with Section 111.15 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the applicable statutory provisions, once the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review approves the amended administrative rules, any new rules, and any rescissions, the Commission shall file said rules in final form with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review, the Legislative Service Commission and the Secretary of State; and

WHEREAS, the Commission concurs that the process for adopting the proposed amendments, new and/or rescissions to the administrative rules should be finalized.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Commission hereby authorizes the Executive Director and General Counsel to submit the following rules in final form to JCARR, the Legislative Service Commission and the Secretary of State: 15537-1-01, 5537-2-04, 5537-2-12, 5537-2-17, 5537-2-18, 5537-2-19, 5537-2-20, 5537-2-21, 5537-3-01, 5537-3-05, 5537-4-01, 5537-4-02, 5537-4-03, 5537-4-04, 5537-4-05, 5537-4-06, 5537-4-07, 5537-4-07, 5537-5-02, 5537-7-01, 5537-8-01, and 5537-9-06 identified hereinabove all in accordance with Section 111.15 and of the Ohio Revised Code.

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