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LEGISLATION SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

COLUMBUS – Gov. John R. Kasich today signed the following pieces of legislation into law:

House Bill 48 (Mecklenborg, Carney) modifies laws governing Ohio corporations, including laws covering dissenting shareholders, the dissolution of a corporation, rights to indemnification or advancement of expenses, directors' fiduciary duties, and recording of corporate mortgages;

House Bill 66 (McGregor) allows the Auditor of State to create an online fraud and abuse reporting system for state employees. The legislation also allows for whistle-blower protections for the employees who file a fraud and abuse report through the Auditor's Office; and

House Bill 116 (Barnes) implements new requirements for schools to expand existing student anti-bullying policies to include incidents occurring on school buses or by electronic means, and specifies how schools must educate students and parents about bullying.

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