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EXECUTIVE ORDER & LEGISLATION SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

COLUMBUS – Today, Gov. John R. Kasich signed the following Executive Order and pieces of legislation into law:

Executive Order 2011-31K clarifies through an emergency rule that the dates for the 2012 muzzleloading deer season are January 7 through January 10, 2012;

House Bill 96 (Celeste, Brenner) specifies dyslexia as a specific learning disability and requires a pilot project to provide early screening and intervention services for children with dyslexia;

House Bill 157 (Schuring, Letson) authorizes educational service centers to provide teacher professional development on dyslexia;

House Bill 79 (Bubp, Uecker) prohibits qualified health plans from providing coverage for certain abortions;

Senate Bill 264 (Jones) codifies the quality incentive payment and bonus structure of the Medicaid reimbursement rate for nursing homes;

House Bill 364 (Roegner, Duffey) establishes standards for the securitization of costs for electric distribution utilities;

Senate Bill 155 (Cates, Sawyer) designates February 20 as “John Glenn Friendship 7 Day;”

House Bill 371 (Amstutz, Weddington) revises the Local Government Innovation Program and makes an appropriation;

House Bill 225 (Peterson, Landis) vests in county auditors responsibility for reviewing and approving property tax exemption applications for some publicly owned property, authorizes county auditors and boards of township trustees to adopt a direct deposit payroll policy, and authorizes counties to increase the amount credited to “rainy day” reserve balance accounts to one-sixth of the expenditures made in the preceding fiscal year from the fund in which the reserve balance account is established;

House Bill 243 (Kozlowski) eliminates the restriction on the number of A-3a liquor permits that may be issued per county and specifies that new A-3a permits issued after the act’s effective date are subject to local option election;

Senate Bill 117 (Seitz, Schiavoni) adopts the Uniform Power of Attorney Act;

House Bill 250 (Hackett) establishes requirements and procedures for issuing portable electronics insurance;

House Bill 209 (Adams) permits a political subdivision, upon the deposit of public moneys with an eligible public depository, to arrange for the public depository to redeposit those moneys with other federally insured banks and savings and loan associations in accordance with specified conditions; and

House Bill 302 (Adams) makes the clerk of courts of Miami County the clerk of the Miami County Municipal Court.

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