

# SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

## Minutes of the 3rd Meeting of the 2025 Regular Session

February 19, 2025

### Call to Order and Roll Call

The third meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Transportation was held on February 19, 2025, at 9:30 AM in Room 131 of the Capitol Annex. Senator Jimmy Higdon, Chair, called the meeting to order, and the secretary called the roll.

### Present were:

Members: Senators Jimmy Higdon, Chair; Donald Douglas, Vice Chair; Senators Karen Berg, Greg Elkins, Brandon Smith, Brandon J. Storm, Phillip Wheeler, Gex Williams, and Mike Wilson.

Guests: Senator Robert Stivers, Senate President; Seth Cutter, Vice President of Public Affairs, Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport (CVG)

LRC Staff: Dana Fugazzi, Ashley Nash, and Christina Williams.

### Approval of February 12, 2025 minutes

The minutes for the February 12, 2025 were approved.

### Bill for Consideration

#### SB 87/CS

#### *AN ACT relating to aviation.*

**Sponsor:** Senator Shelley Funke Frommeyer

Senate Bill 87 was discussed by its sponsor Senator Shelley Funke Frommeyer, who indicated there was a committee substitute on the measure. Senator Mike Wilson made a motion to adopt the committee substitute. Senator Donald Douglas seconded the motion, which passed by voice vote. Appearing with Senator Funke Frommeyer was Senate President Robert Stivers and Seth Cutter, Vice President of Public Affairs, CVG, who both spoke in favor of the measure. After brief discussion, Senator Phillip Wheeler made a motion to pass Senate Bill 87 as amended by the committee substitute. Senator Karen Berg seconded the motion, which passed on a 9-0-0 roll call vote.

### Adjournment

With no further business to come before the committee, Chairman Jimmy Higdon adjourned the meeting at 9:48 A.M.

