



# Staff Legislation Review - 130th General Assembly

<i>Bill Sponsor</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Title Information</i>	<i>OJC Decision</i>	<i>OJC Staff</i>
H.B. 176 Sears	Medicaid	To require the Medical Assistance Director to implement Medicaid reforms, to permit the Medicaid program to cover an additional group under certain circumstances, to revise the duties of the Joint Legislative Committee on Medicaid Technology and Reform and to make an appropriation.	No impact	
H.B. 177 Pelanda	Air Bags	To prohibit the manufacture, import or sale of a counterfeit or nonfunctional motor vehicle that causes the vehicle's diagnostic system to inaccurately indicate that the vehicle is equipped with a functional air bag, and to increase the penalty for improper replacement of a motor vehicle air bag if the violation results in the bodily injury or death of an individual.	No impact	
H.B. 178 Phillips	School Safety	With respect to school safety drills.	No impact	
H.B. 179 Bischoff	Parenting Time	To require certain employers to allow a parent to exercise court-ordered parenting time without terminating the parent's employment, reducing the parent's pay or taking other similar action against the parent.	No impact	
H.B. 180 Pillich	Youth Cardiac Arrest	With regard to sudden cardiac arrest in youth athletic activities.	No impact	
H.B. 181 Brenner	Student Information	To prohibit submission of a student's personal identifiable information to the federal government without direct authorization of the local school board.	No impact	
H.B. 182 Barnes	Newborn Screenings	To codify the genetic, endocrine and metabolic disorders screened for under the existing Newborn Screening Program, to include severe combined immunodeficiency (SCID) as an additional disorder to be screened for under the Program; and to declare an emergency.	No impact	
H.B. 183 Barnes	Newborn Screenings	To codify the genetic, endocrine and metabolic disorders screened for under the existing Newborn Screening Program; and to declare an emergency.	No impact	
H.B. 184 Patmon	Hunting Licenses	To require an applicant for a hunting license to specify whether the applicant has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a felony and to require the license to specify "firearm restricted" if an applicant has so indicated.	No impact	
H.B. 185 Cera	Road Naming	To designate a portion of State Route 7 in Jefferson County as the "U.S.M.C. Sgt. Nathaniel Shea Rock Memorial Highway."	No impact	

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H.B. 186 Boose	Indigent Defense	To provide a 50 per cent reimbursement to the counties for their indigent defense costs, to increase the guaranteed reimbursement rate for such indigent defense costs, to require the State Public Defender to approve the establishment of county public defender commissions, to approve the appointment or retention of the county public defender, and to set a statewide schedule of hourly rates and per case maximums to be paid to appointed counsel, to eliminate the option for a county to operate a joint-county public defender system, to permit the State Public Defender to create state-run regional and district offices that would operate in lieu of the county-run systems, to allow the State Public Defender to use the Indigent Defense Support Fund to pay the state's portion of costs for the regional and district offices, to provide that the Governor's next appointment to the Ohio Public Defender Commission be from a list of nominees submitted by the County Commissioners Association of Ohio, and to allow the State Public Defender to contract directly with a municipal corporation to provide representation in municipal ordinance cases.	Potential impact. Send to Court Administration.	
H.B. 187 Gerberry	Sheriff Requirements	To change the education and experience requirements necessary for eligibility to be a candidate for the office of sheriff.	No impact	
H.B. 188 Becker	Tax Filings	To change the computation of the income tax joint filer credit so that the credit results in joint filers paying the same amount of combined tax on a joint return as they would on separate returns.	No impact	
H.B. 189 Carney	JobsOhio	To create the JobsOhio Accountability Act.	No impact	
H.B. 190 Hood	Prevailing Wage	To increase the threshold to trigger the requirement that prevailing wage be paid for work on vertical public improvement projects and to allow political subdivisions and state institutions of higher education to elect whether to be subject to the Prevailing Wage Law for a public improvement project.	No impact	
H.B. 191 Becker	Automatic Firearms	To generally remove from the definition of "automatic firearm" in the Weapons Control Law a semi-automatic firearm designed or specifically adapted to fire more than 31 cartridges without reloading.	No impact	
H.B. 192 McGregor	Pawnbroker Law	To revise the law governing pawnbrokers.	No impact	
H.B. 193 Brenner	High School Diplomas	To revise current high school diploma requirements including state-administered assessments.	No impact	
H.B. 194 Lundy	Auto Month	To designate the month of November as "Auto Industry Month."	No impact	
H.B. 195 Redfern	Road Naming	To designate a portion of State Route 51 within Ottawa County the "Officer William J. Hetrick Memorial Highway."	No impact	
H.B. 196 Redfern	Road Naming	To designate a portion of State Route 101 between the municipal corporations of Castalia and Sandusky only, as the "Sfc. Charles L. Adkins Memorial Highway."	No impact	

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H.B. 197 Barnes	Abduction Survivors	To award at least twenty-five thousand dollars per year from the court of claims victims of crime fund to any survivor of abduction who was abducted for a period of eight years or more; to award free tuition at any state university or college to any such survivor of abduction; to seek a waiver from the United States Secretary of Health and Human Services for medical assistance to be provided for any such survivor of abduction for the duration of the survivor's lifetime; and to name the provisions of this bill the Michelle Knight, Amanda Berry, and Gina DeJesus Survivors of Abduction Act.	No impact	
H.B. 198 Butler	Incentive Districts	To establish a procedure by which political subdivisions proposing a tax increment financing (TIF) incentive district are required to provide notice to the record owner of each parcel within the proposed incentive district before adopting the TIF resolution, and to permit such owners to exclude their parcels from the incentive district by submitting a written response.	No impact	
H.B. 199 Burkley, Hackett	Feral Hogs	To add feral hogs to the game list and to allow the possession of any wild turkey, wild boar, or feral hog that is struck and killed by the driver of a motor vehicle.	No impact	
H.B. 200 Hood	Abortion Notification	To modify the notification requirements given by a physician 48 hours prior to the performance or inducement of an abortion, to require the physician to perform an obstetric ultrasound examination 48 hours prior to the performance or inducement of an abortion, to modify the definition of medical emergency that applies to the law regulating abortion, and to eliminate medical necessity as a reason to perform an abortion without complying with the 48-hour notification requirements.	No impact	
H.B. 201 Butler	Mortgage Subrogation	To make changes relative to mortgage subrogation and entries of satisfaction.	No impact	
H.B. 202 Blessing	Engineers and Surveyors	To make changes to the examination, reporting, and educational requirements of professional engineers and surveyors.	No impact	

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H.B. 203 Johnson	Handgun Licenses	To authorize the automatic validity in Ohio of a concealed handgun license issued by another state if the other state automatically recognizes as valid in that state an Ohio concealed handgun license without the need for any reciprocity agreement between the states; to eliminate the requirement that a former military member applying for a concealed handgun license acquire a competency certification if more than six years have passed since the member's honorable discharge or retirement; to eliminate the requirement that the training required to obtain a competency certification be conducted for a minimum number of twelve hours; to amend the disqualifiers that prohibit a person from owning a firearm and that prohibit a person from obtaining a concealed handgun license; to permit a person living in any state to apply for a concealed handgun license or a temporary concealed handgun license in Ohio; to permit an active or reserve member of the military or their spouse to renew a concealed handgun license by mail if the member or spouse is outside of the state; to permit investigators employed by the Attorney General to investigate Medicaid fraud to go armed in the same manner as sheriffs and regularly appointed police officers; to require a sheriff to contact the national instant criminal background check system when running a criminal records check upon an applicant for a concealed handgun license or for a renewal of such a license; to expand the locations at which a person has no duty to retreat before using force in self-defense; and to provide that the exercise of a constitutional or statutory right is not, in itself, the offense of disorderly conduct or inducing panic and does not constitute reasonable, articulable suspicion of criminal activity.	Potential impact. Send to Criminal L&P.	
H.B. 204 Perales	Drivers Licenses	To modify the law related to graduated driver's licenses.	No impact	
H.B. 205 Gerberry	Drilling Brine Fee	To authorize a fee on the recycling of brine from oil and gas operations to benefit local governments.	No impact	
H.B. 206 Retherford	License Plate	To create the "Disabled American Veteran" license plate.	No impact	
H.B. 207 Damschroder	Drone Restrictions	To limit the use of drones by law enforcement agencies and prohibit the defense of sovereign immunity with regard to a prohibited use of drones.	No impact	
H.B. 208 Amstutz, Sykes	Medicaid	To require the Medicaid Director to implement certain reforms to the Medicaid program, to require the Director of Job and Family Services to implement certain reforms to workforce development activities, to create the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee to review proposed rules regarding the Medicaid and workforce development activity reforms, to require the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee to issue reports recommending certain changes to the Medicaid program, and to abolish the Joint Legislative Committee on Health Care Oversight and the Joint Legislative Committee on Medicaid Technology and Reform.	No impact	
H.B. 209 Ramos	Degree Completion	To create the Finish Fund and the Finish Reserve Fund to provide grants to students who are nearing completion of their bachelor's degrees and display financial need or hardship and to make an appropriation.	No impact	

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H.B. 210 Becker	Firearm Sales	To require the sale to a federally licensed firearms dealer of all unclaimed or forfeited firearms and dangerous ordnance in the possession of a law enforcement agency that are legal for persons to possess, that are not used by an agency for police work, and that are not otherwise sold for sporting use or as a museum piece or collectors' item.	No impact	
H.B. 211 Williams	Lottery Report	To require the Director of the State Lottery Commission to prepare a report related to the Lottery Profits Education Fund.	No impact	
H.B. 212 Hagan	Severance Tax	To levy a tax on the severance of oil, gas, condensate, and natural gas liquids from horizontal wells, to distribute revenue from the tax to environmental and oil and gas regulatory purposes, local governments impacted and not impacted by horizontal well development, and a permanent fund to promote economic development, and to provide for the administration, investment, and use of the permanent fund.	No impact	
H.B. 213 Pelanda, Celebrezze	Child Custody	To permit a court to grant a motion for permanent custody of a child to a movant if the child or another child in the custody of the parent has been adjudicated an abused, neglected, or dependent child on three separate occasions, to require the court to appoint a guardian ad litem in any proceeding concerning an alleged dependent child, to require the guardian ad litem for an alleged or adjudicated abused, neglected, or dependent child to file any motions and other court papers in accordance with rules adopted by the Supreme Court, to require foster caregivers to use a reasonable and prudent parent standard when authorizing a foster child to participate in activities, to exempt the caregiver from civil or criminal liability that results from a foster caregiver's or agency's decisions made in good faith, and to limit the circumstances under which a child is placed into a planned permanent living arrangement.	Potential impact. Send to Juvenile L&P.	
H.B. 214 Clyde	Voting	To revise the requirements for the Bureau of Motor Vehicles voter registration training program and to create the Motor Voter Act Study Committee.	No impact	
H.B. 215 DeVitis	School Security	To authorize a board of education or governing authority of a school to enter into an agreement with a volunteer who is a current or retired law enforcement officer to patrol school premises to prevent or respond to a mass casualty event, to generally provide to a board of education or governing authority of a school and to such a volunteer immunity from civil liability for injury, death, or loss arising from the volunteer's services and to provide a tax credit for volunteer service.	No impact	
H.B. 216 Patterson	School Debt	To forgive a school districts indebtedness to the Solvency Assistance Fund upon its voluntary consolidation with another district if specified conditions are satisfied.	No impact	
H.B. 217 Butler, Burkley	Police/Fire Revenue	To require reimbursement of police and fire levy revenue foregone because of the creation of a tax increment financing incentive district.	No impact	
H.B. 218 Rosenberger, Dovilla	Entrepreneur Program	To require the Small Business Advisory Council to establish an entrepreneur in residence pilot program.	No impact	

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S.B. 138 Tavares	Infestations	To require that employees in certain health care and other facilities be notified of bed bug or lice infestations.	No impact	
S.B. 139 Uecker	Indigent Defense	To provide a 50 per cent reimbursement to the counties for their indigent defense costs, to increase the guaranteed reimbursement rate for such indigent defense costs, to require the State Public Defender to approve the establishment of county public defender commissions, to approve the appointment or retention of the county public defender, and to set a statewide schedule of hourly rates and per case maximums to be paid to appointed counsel, to eliminate the option for a county to operate a joint-county public defender system, to permit the State Public Defender to create state-run regional and district offices that would operate in lieu of the county-run systems, to allow the State Public Defender to use the Indigent Defense Support Fund to pay the state's portion of costs for the regional and district offices, to provide that the Governor's next appointment to the Ohio Public Defender Commission be from a list of nominees submitted by the County Commissioners Association of Ohio, and to allow the State Public Defender to contract directly with a municipal corporation to provide representation in municipal ordinance cases.	Potential impact. Send to Court Administration	
S.B. 140 Bacon	Insurance Holding Companies	To make changes to the law governing insurance holding company systems, to eliminate the petition requirement for domestic mutual companies that wish to merge or consolidate with another company, to eliminate the commission created to hear and determine petitions for merger and consolidation, to provide the requirements for maintaining a risk management framework and completing an own risk and solvency assessment, and to provide guidance and instructions for filing an own risk and solvency assessment summary report with the superintendent of insurance.	No impact	
S.B. 141 Obhof	Gaming Penalties	To create penalties related to casino gaming and transacting with a casino facility.	No impact	
S.B. 142 Seitz	Local Government Funds	To establish a new default formula for determining the share allocated to each subdivision from the Local Government Fund distribution of each county in which the largest city or township has a population of more than 13,435 and to require minimum annual distributions from the Fund to all county funds.	No impact	

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S.B. 143 Seitz	Criminal Law	To permit the Attorney General to authorize the release of information relating to certain arrests and delinquent child adjudications pursuant to a request for a criminal records check; to regulate the confidentiality of personal information related to community service block grants; to clarify the authority of boards of county commissioners to establish a community alternative sentencing center; to modify the procedure for sentencing and admitting an eligible offender to a community alternative sentencing center; to clarify that an eligible offender must successfully complete any term in a center as a condition of a community residential sanction; to include the best interests of the person as a reason for which an alleged or adjudicated delinquent child who is at least 18 but younger than 21 may be held in an adult detention facility; to eliminate the six-month waiting period for making a motion or application for the sealing of a juvenile court record; to specify that the fact of admission and confinement in an adult detention facility of a person under 21 generally is confidential; to authorize a court to order restitution if a person convicted of driving under suspension or driving under financial-responsibility-law suspension or cancellation fails to provide proof of financial responsibility; to authorize a person charged with multiple offenses in connection with the same act to apply for the sealing of records pertaining to an acquitted charge; to modify the requirements regarding testing for HIV of persons charged with specified sex offense; to increase the sentence of imprisonment that disqualifies an inmate from participating in the prison nursery program; and to amend the version of section 109.57 of the Revised Code that is scheduled to take effect January 1, 2014, to continue the provisions of this act on and after that effective date.	Potential impact. Send to Criminal, Juvenile, Traffic L&P.	
S.B. 144 Seitz	Sex Offenders	To adjust the provisions of the Sex Offender Registration and Notification Law to reflect decisions of the Ohio Supreme Court in <i>Hyle v. Porter</i> (2008), 117 Ohio St.3d 165; <i>State v. Bodyke</i> (2010), 126 Ohio St.3d 266; <i>State v. Williams</i> (2011), 129 Ohio St.3d 344; <i>In re C.P.</i> (2012), Slip Opinion No. 2012-Ohio-1446, <i>State ex rel. Jean-Baptiste v. Kirsch</i> (2012), Slip Opinion No. 2012-Ohio-5697, and <i>State v. Howard</i> (2012), Slip Opinion No. 2012-Ohio-5738; to clarify juvenile court jurisdiction in serious youthful offender proceedings; and to amend the versions of sections 109.57, 2950.11, and 2950.13 of the Revised Code that are scheduled to take effect on January 1, 2014, to continue the provisions of this act on and after that effective date.	Potential impact. Send to Criminal, Juvenile L&P.	
S.B. 145 Burke	Medicaid	To require the Medicaid Director to implement certain reforms to the Medicaid program, to require the Director of Job and Family Services to implement certain reforms to workforce development activities, to create the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee to review proposed rules regarding the Medicaid and workforce development activity reforms, to require the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee to issue reports recommending certain changes to the Medicaid program, and to abolish the Joint Legislative Committee on Health Care Oversight and the Joint Legislative Committee on Medicaid Technology and Reform.	No impact	
S.B. 146 Turner	Voting	To revise the requirements for the Bureau of Motor Vehicles voter registration training program and to create the Motor Voter Act Study Committee.	No impact	