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# Requesting a bill from LSC

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Call, email, or send a memo to LSC's Assignment Clerk (RequestLSC@lsc.ohio.gov).

Any member of LSC staff can take a bill request.

#### BILL DRAFTING

One or more LSC drafters will work on your bill request.

Phone calls, emails, and meetings commonly take place between the drafter and you or your staff to ensure the bill meets your needs.

#### BILL RESEARCH

Drafters may provide research related to your bill request as part of the drafting process.

A member also may request research that is not related to a specific bill.

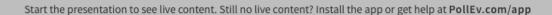
#### RESEARCH EXAMPLES

- Topic-related:
  - What makes a workers' compensation claim compensable?
  - The costs involved in reinstating free hunting and fishing licenses for seniors
  - Multi-state survey on texting while driving statutes

#### RESEARCH EXAMPLES

- Constituent questions
  - Why are my Social Security benefits being reduced?
  - What are the prescribing limits for people with chronic pain?
  - What are the laws regarding handling my neighbor's tree that is encroaching in my yard?
  - When did Ohio law change to stop requiring police to enforce companionship/visitation laws?

# How many research assignments do LSC staff complete in a General Assembly?



#### RESEARCH ASSIGNMENTS COMPLETED



# What's the minimum number of LSC staff who work on a bill?

# MINIMUM NUMBER OF LSC STAFF WHO WORK ON A BILL

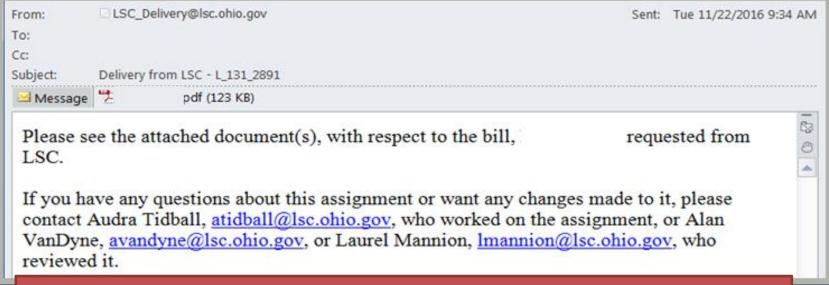
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#### RECEIVING A BILL FROM LSC

- Each bill draft typically receives at least four layers of review before being delivered.
  - Review by an LSC Division Chief with subject matter expertise.
  - Legal review.
  - Technical review.
  - Expert proofreading and polishing.

#### RECEIVING A BILL FROM LSC

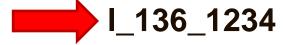
Bills are delivered electronically to a designated email inbox.



The email includes the draft, any cover letter or attachments the drafter sends, and contact information for questions or changes.

#### WHAT DOES A BILL DRAFT LOOK LIKE?

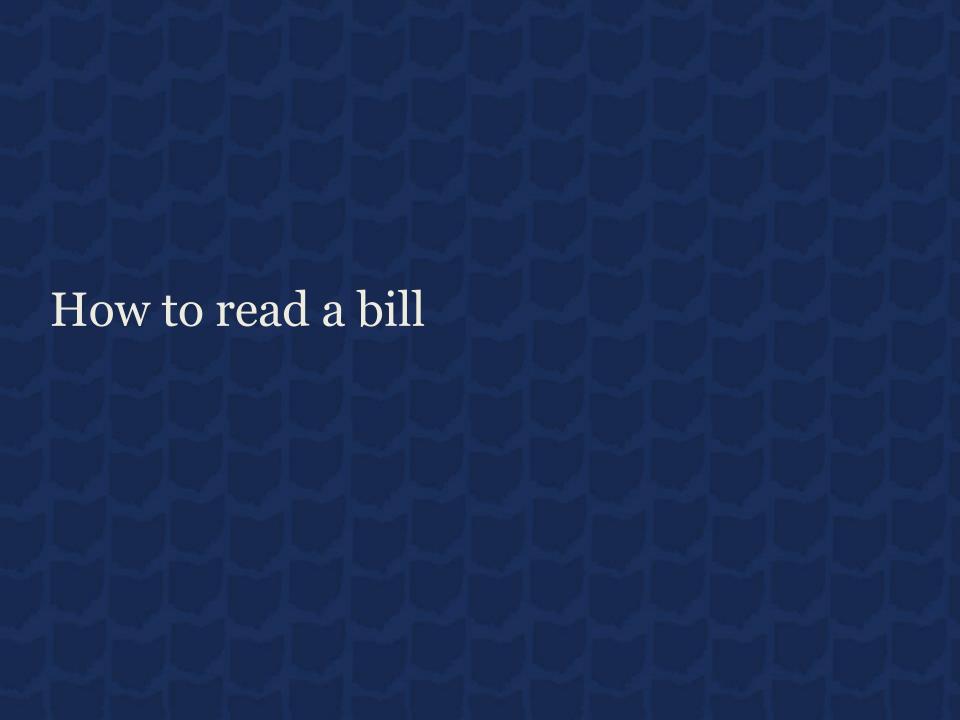
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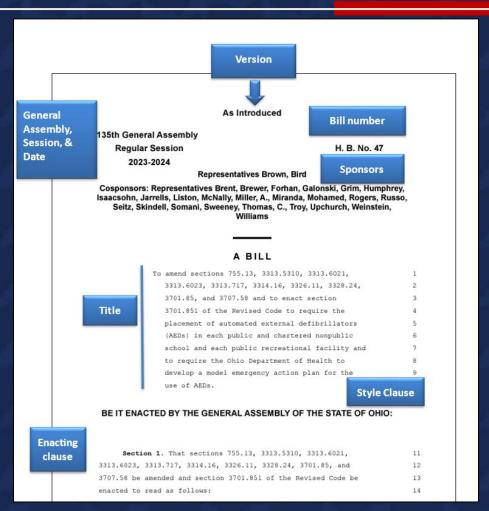
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**A BILL** 



#### PARTS OF A BILL

- Header
- Title
- Style clause
- Enacting Clause
- Bill body
- Repeal clause
- Uncodified sections



#### BILL TITLE — AFFECTED STATUTES

#### A BILL

To amend sections 755.13, 3313.5310, 3313.6021,	1
3313.6023, 3313.717, 3314.16, 3326.11, 3328.24,	2
3701.85, and 3707.58 and to enact section	3
3701.851 of the Revised Code to require the	4
placement of automated external defibrillators	5
(AEDs) in each public and chartered nonpublic	6
school and each public recreational facility and	7
to require the Ohio Department of Health to	8
develop a model emergency action plan for the	9
use of AEDs.	10

#### BILL TITLE — DESCRIPTION OF CONTENT

#### A BILL

To amend sections 755.13, 3313.5310, 3313.6021, 3313.6023, 3313.717, 3314.16, 3326.11, 3328.24, 3701.85, and 3707.58 and to enact section 3701.851 of the Revised Code to require the placement of automated external defibrillators (AEDs) in each public and chartered nonpublic school and each public recreational facility and to require the Ohio Department of Health to develop a model emergency action plan for the use of AEDs.

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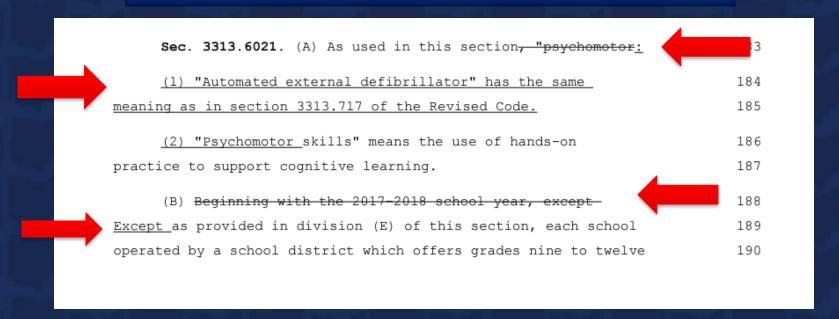
#### BILL BODY

Full text of affected Revised Code sections are included (constitutional requirement).

Sections are in numerical, not subject matter, order.

#### WHAT'S BEING CHANGED?

#### New language is underlined



# Existing language being removed is stricken

#### WHAT IS BEING CHANGED

#### **Outright repeals**

### Full text of repealed section is not in the bill

To amend sections 4511.216, 4513.11, and 5733.98; to enact new section 4513.111 and sections 4513.112, 4513.113, 4513.114, and 4513.115; and to repeal sections 4513.111 and 5733.44 of the Revised Code to clarify the law governing slow-

Look for the section number in the title and repeal clause



Section 3. That sections 4513.111 and 5733.44 of the Revised Code are hereby repealed.

#### UNCODIFIED LAW

Usually at the end of the bill.

Numbered as parts of the bill (Section 3, Section)

4, etc.).

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Section 3. All items in this act are hereby appropriated
                                                                            518
as designated out of any moneys in the state treasury to the
                                                                            519
credit of the designated fund. For all operating appropriations
                                                                            520
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made in this act, those in the first column are for fiscal year
2024 and those in the second column are for fiscal year 2025.
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The operating appropriations made in this act are in addition to
                                                                            523
any other operating appropriations made for these fiscal years.
                                                                            524
     Section 4.
                                                                            525
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                    OBM OFFICE OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT
  Dedicated Purpose Fund Group
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#### EXAMPLES OF UNCODIFIED SECTIONS

#### Temporary law (in effect for less than 3 years)

	Section 4.	525
		526
	1 2 3 4 5	
A	OBM OFFICE OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT	
В	Dedicated Purpose Fund Group	
С	5CV3 042510 Hospital Provider Relief \$0 \$5,453,60 Payment	0
D	TOTAL Dedicated Purpose Fund Group \$0 \$5,453,60	0
Е	TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS \$0 \$5,453,60	0
	SUPPLEMENTAL HOSPITAL RELIEF	527
	The foregoing appropriation item 042510, Hospital Provider	528

#### Examples of uncodified sections

#### Special law (not of general application)

Section 753.20. (A) The Governor may execute a deed in the name of the state ("grantor") conveying to the City of Toledo or to a grantee to be determined, and to the grantee's heirs and assigns or successors and assigns, all of the state's right, title, and interest in the following described real estate:

Situate in the City of Toledo, County of Lucas, State of Ohio:

All of Lots Number 1051, 1052 and 1053 AND All of Lots 1057, 1058, 1059, and 1409½ in the VISTULA DIVISION in the CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO.

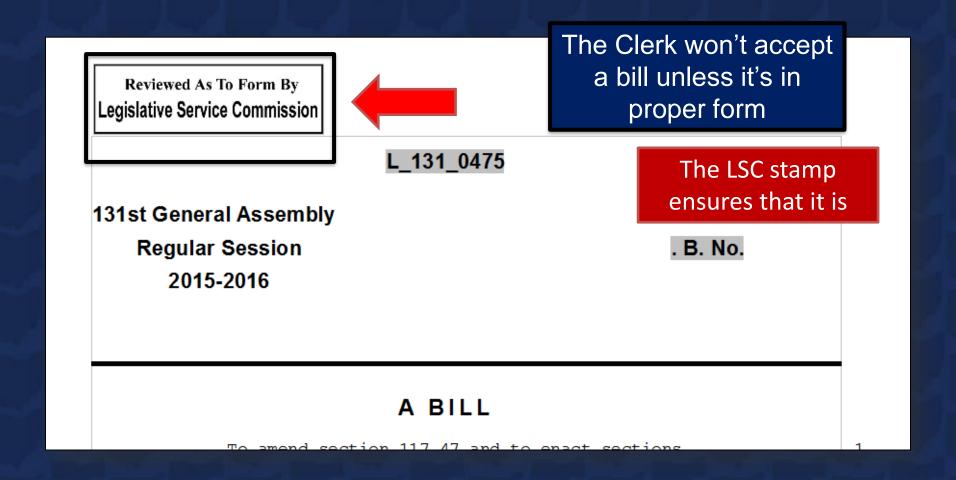
#### EXAMPLE OF UNCODIFIED SECTIONS

#### Emergency clause

Section 3. This act is hereby declared to be an emergency	171
measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public	172
peace, health, and safety. The reason for such necessity is that	173
boaters using the waters of this state urgently need the support	174
and protection afforded by this act during the current boating	175
season. Therefore, this act shall go into immediate effect.	176



#### WHAT A BILL NEEDS FOR INTRODUCTION



#### THE BAR CODE

Reviewed As To Form By Legislative Service Commission

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132nd General Assembly Regular Session 2017-2018

. B. No.

#### A BILL

To amend sections 956.01 and 956.08 and to enact section 956.031 of the Revised Code to revise the law governing high volume dog breeders.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 956.01 and 956.08 be amended and section 956.031 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:

Sec. 956.01. As used in this chapter:

"Accredited veterinarian" means a veterinarian accredited by the United States department of agriculture.

"Adult dog" means a dog that is twelve months of age or older.

"Animal rescue for dogs" means an individual or or organization recognized by the director of agriculture that 13 keeps, houses, and maintains dogs and that is dedicated to the welfare, health, safety, and protection of dogs, provided that 15 the individual or organization does not operate for profit, does 16

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#### CLERK ASSIGNS NUMBER

Indicates the version of the bill

As Introduced

135th General Assembly Regular Session 2023-2024

H. B. No. 47

The bill keeps this number through the General Assembly

#### SPONSORS AND COSPONSORS

#### Representatives Brown, Bird

Cosponsors: Representatives Brent, Brewer, Forhan, Galonski, Grim, Humphrey, Isaacsohn, Jarrells, Liston, McNally, Miller, A., Miranda, Mohamed, Rogers, Russo, Seitz, Skindell, Somani, Sweeney, Thomas, C., Troy, Upchurch, Weinstein, Williams, Abdullahi, Abrams, Barhorst, Click, Cutrona, Dell'Aquila, Denson, Dobos, Ghanbari, John, Johnson, Jones, LaRe, Lightbody, Lipps, Mathews, Miller, J., Oelslager, Patton, Robinson, Schmidt, White, Willis, Young, T.

Senators Huffman, S., Antonio, Blessing, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Dolan, Gavarone, Hackett, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Johnson, Kunze, Manning, O'Brien, Reynolds, Smith, Wilkin



#### FIRST HEARING

Sponsor testimony

LSC prepares a bill analysis to explain what the bill does



#### OHIO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE COMMISSION

Office of Research and Drafting Legislative Budget Office

H.B. 47 135<sup>th</sup> General Assembly

#### **Bill Analysis**

Version: As Introduced

Primary Sponsors: Reps. Brown and Bird

Audra Tidball, Attorney

#### SUMMARY

- Requires the placement of automatic external defibrillators (AEDs) in each public and chartered nonpublic school and each municipal sports and recreation location.
- Modifies training requirements related to AEDs in public and chartered nonpublic schools.
- Requires the Department of Health to develop a model emergency action plan for the use of AEDs by public and chartered nonpublic schools, youth sports organizations, and municipal sports and recreation locations.
- Requires, rather than permits, each public and chartered nonpublic school and youth sports organization, before each athletic season, to hold an informational meeting regarding the symptoms and warning signs of sudden cardiac arrest for student and youth athletes.

#### DETAILED ANALYSIS

#### AEDs in schools and sports and recreation locations

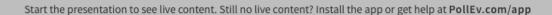
#### Schools

#### Placement

The bill revises the law on the placement of automatic external defibrillators (AEDs) in schools by requiring, rather than permitting, their placement in schools and by expanding the locations to which the law applies.

Current law authorizes each school district, community school, and chartered nonpublic school to require the placement of an AED in each school under its control. It is silent regarding

## How many analyses do LSC staff complete in a General Assembly?



#### **ANALYSIS ASSIGNMENTS**



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## SECOND HEARING

Other testimony

LSC prepares a fiscal note to explain the bill's costs



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## Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Click here for H.B. 47's Bill Analysis

Version: As Introduced

Primary Sponsors: Reps. Brown and Bird

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: Yes

Daniel Hummel, Budget Analyst, and other LBO staff

## Highlights

- School district and community school costs may increase by up to several hundred thousand dollars statewide to purchase automated external defibrillators (AEDs). Survey data indicates that most public schools already meet the bill's AED placement requirements. Statewide, ongoing AED maintenance costs for those that do not already comply with the bill may be in the tens of thousands of dollars annually.
- The number of public sports and recreation locations across the state that will need one or more AEDs to comply with the bill is uncertain. Therefore, the purchase and maintenance costs for the local governments that operate these facilities is also uncertain. An AED costs about \$1,500 more or less while ongoing maintenance costs may add up to a few hundred dollars per year.
- The Ohio Department of Health (ODH) will experience an increase in costs to develop and make available the required model emergency action plan for the use of AEDs by public and chartered nonpublic schools, youth sports organizations, and public sports and

# FISCAL NOTE ASSIGNMENTS



# MAKING CHANGES TO A BILL

## Amendments

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(D) (2) of this section, the" 2

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moved to amend as follows:

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Amendment: shows the changes line by line

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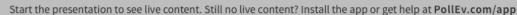
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(D) (1) The Except as provided in division (D) (2) of this	54
section, the controlling authority of each sports and recreation	55
location shall require do all of the following:	56
(a) Require the placement of an automated external	57
defibrillator in each sports and recreation location under the	58
authority's control.	59

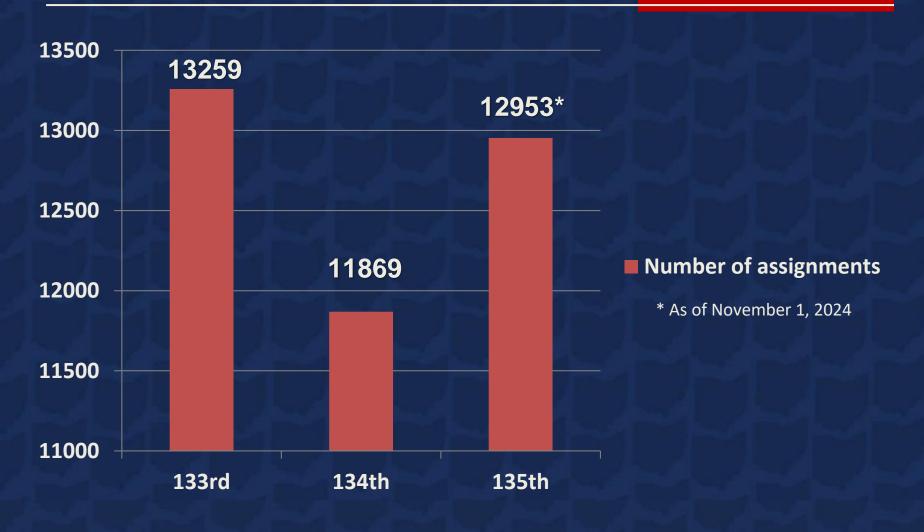
# MAKING CHANGES TO A BILL

rule, the offender shall be fined not more than five hundred	50
dollars. All fines collected for any violation of any rule	51
adopted under this division shall be paid into the general fund	52
of the county treasury.	53
(D)(1) The controlling authority of each sports and	54
recreation location shall require the placement of an automated	55
external defibrillator in each location under the authority's	56
control.	57
(2) Each controlling authority also shall require that a	58
sufficient number of the staff persons of each sports and	59
recreation location successfully complete an appropriate	60
training course in the use of an automated external	61
defibrillator as described in section 3701.85 of the Revised	62
Code.	63
(3) Each controlling authority shall adopt an emergency	64
action plan for the use of automated external defibrillators and	65

# How many amendments do LSC staff complete in a General Assembly?



# HOW MANY AMENDMENTS ARE DRAFTED IN A GENERAL ASSEMBLY?



# Making changes to the bill

# Substitute bill

## As Passed by the He

135th General Assembly Regular Session 2023-2024

## Representatives Bro

Cosponsors: Representatives Brent, Brewer, Flsaacsohn, Jarrells, Liston, McNally, Miller, A., Meditz, Skindell, Somani, Sweeney, Thomas, Williams, Abdullahi, Abrams, Barhorst, Click Dobos, Ghanbari, John, Johnson, Jones, LaRe, J., Oelslager, Patton, Robinson, Schmitter

## A BILL

To amend sections 755.13, 331

## As Reported by the Senate Health Committee

135th General Assembly

Regular Session

Sub. H. B. No. 47

2023-2024

#### Representatives Brown, Bird

Cosponsors: Representatives Brent, Brewer, Forhan, Galonski, Grim, Humphrey, Isaacsohn, Jarrells, Liston, McNally, Miller, A., Miranda, Mohamed, Rogers, Russo, Seitz, Skindell, Somani, Sweeney, Thomas, C., Troy, Upchurch, Weinstein, Williams, Abdullahi, Abrams, Barhorst, Click, Cutrona, Dell'Aquila, Denson, Dobos, Ghanbari, John, Johnson, Jones, LaRe, Lightbody, Lipps, Mathews, Miller, J., Oelslager, Patton, Robinson, Schmidt, White, Willis, Young, T.

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# COMPARATIVE SYNOPSES

- Prepared mostly in the House
- Compares one bill version to another



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## **Substitute Bill Comparative Synopsis**

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133<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly

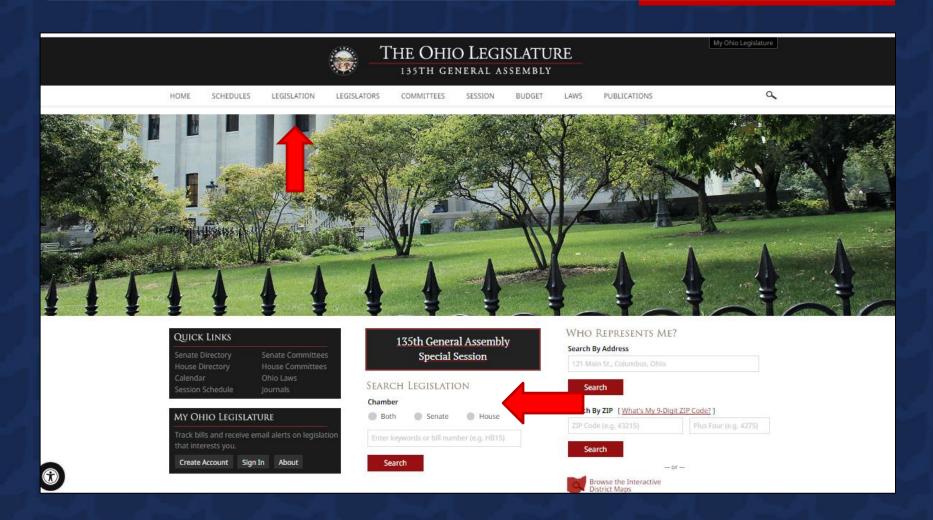
House Economic and Workforce Development

Christopher Edwards, Attorney

This table summarizes how the latest substitute version of the bill differs from the immediately preceding version. It addresses only the topics on which the two versions differ substantively. It does not list topics on which the two bills are substantively the same.

Previous Version (As Introduced)	Latest Version (I_133_1330-2)		
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#### Effective Date

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Appropriations effective July 23, 2024





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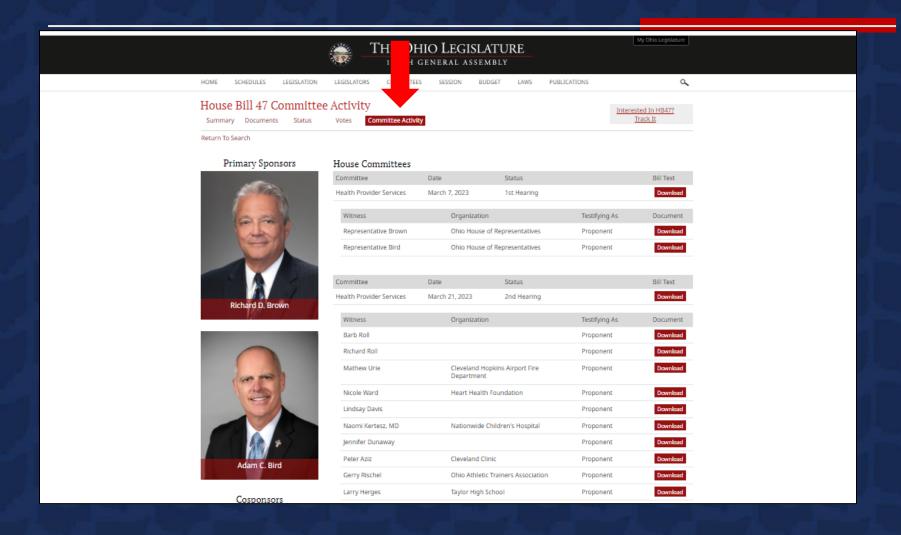
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State and Local Government

#### Committees

House Health Provider Services Committee House Rules and Reference Committee Senate Health Committee

# **HEARINGS**



## COMMITTEE REPORT

- Bill is reportedly favorably from committee
- May go to floor or be re-referred to the same or another committee

As Reported by the House Health Provider Services Committee

135th General Assembly Regular Session 2023-2024

H. B. No. 47

# HOW TO KNOW IF A BILL'S BEEN CHANGED

Am. = Amended

As Passed by the House

135th General Assembly Regular Session 2023-2024

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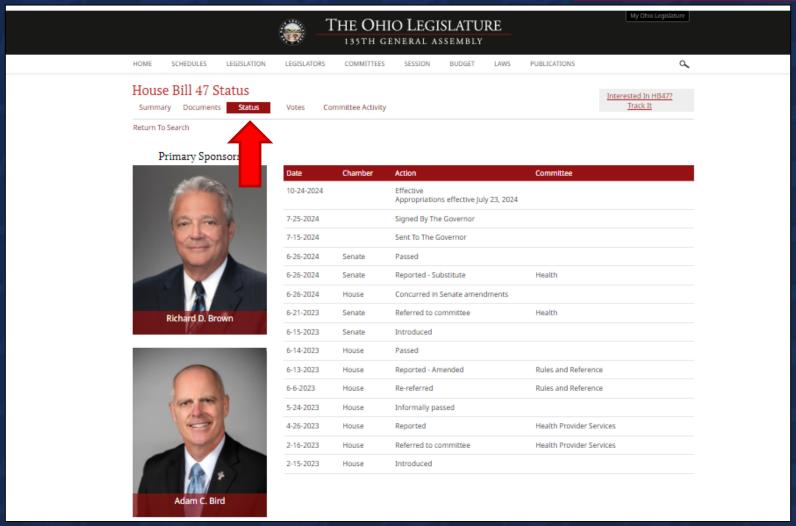
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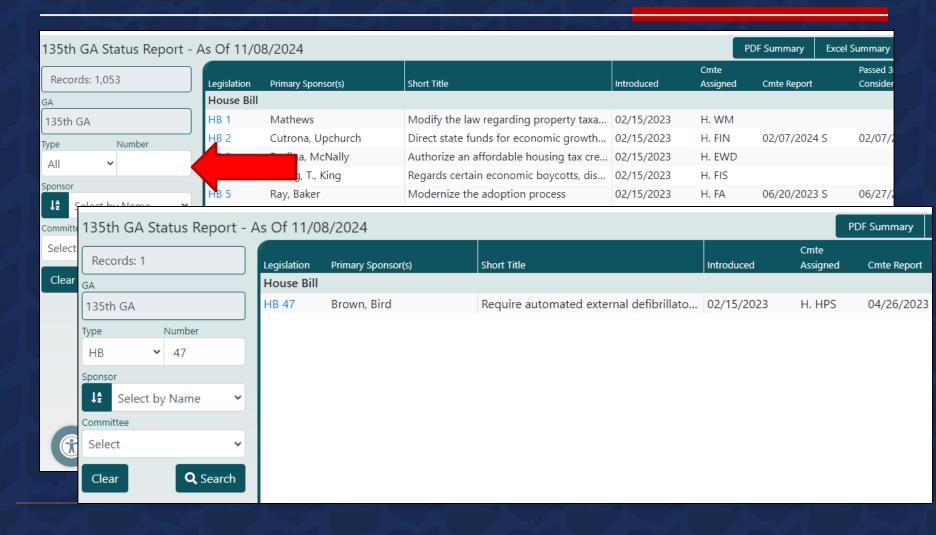
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# STATUS REPORT OF LEGISLATION



# STATUS REPORT OF LEGISLATION



# FLOOR VOTE



## SECOND HOUSE

Process is repeated

If reported, a synopsis of committee amendments is produced for concurrence



## Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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## **Synopsis of Senate Committee Amendments**

(This synopsis does not address amendments that may have been adopted on the Senate Floor.)

H.B. 47 of the 135th General Assembly

Senate Health

Audra Tidball, Attorney

The committee adopted two amendments:

- A technical amendment to update sections to reflect recent unrelated enactments;
- An amendment to create Fund 5CV3 line item 042510, Hospital Provider Relief Payment, with an appropriation of \$5,453,600 in FY 2025 and to require those funds to be distributed to certain hospitals in a county with a population between 350,000 and 380,000 (Stark County).

# QUESTIONS?

