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## ***Bill Analysis***

*Legislative Service Commission*

### **H.B. 302**

123rd General Assembly  
(As Introduced)

**Reps. Britton, Allen, Boyd, Ford, Mottley, Patton, Smith, Taylor**

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#### **BILL SUMMARY**

- Allows a nonprofit job training organization to obtain a charitable bingo license.

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#### **CONTENT AND OPERATION**

Under existing law, a "charitable organization" recognized in the Charitable Bingo Law qualifies to be issued a license by the Attorney General to conduct charitable bingo games. The charitable organizations currently recognized are federally tax exempt religious, educational, veteran's, fraternal, service, nonprofit medical, volunteer rescue service, volunteer firefighter's, senior citizen's, youth athletic, amateur athletic, and youth athletic park organizations (sec. 2915.01(H)). In addition, certain charitable organizations, if they are described in subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, are authorized to conduct certain games of chance at festivals and schemes of chance such as instant bingo and raffles (sec. 2915.02(D), not in the bill).

The bill adds a new organization, called a job training organization, to the list of charitable organizations that qualify to be issued a charitable bingo license by the Attorney General. The bill defines a "job training organization" as any organization within Ohio that is not organized for profit and whose primary purpose is to educate and develop the capabilities and employability of individuals through job training programs. (Sec. 2915.01(EE).)

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#### **HISTORY**

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