



H.B. 159

124th General Assembly
(As Introduced)

Rep. Flannery

BILL SUMMARY

- Requires the Legislative Office of Education Oversight to review all bills proposing changes in the school funding system that are introduced before March 23, determine which bill best satisfies the order of the Supreme Court of Ohio in *DeRolph II*, and to issue a report to the General Assembly of its findings no later than May 1, 2001.
- Declares an emergency.

CONTENT AND OPERATION

Overview of the bill

This bill requires the Legislative Office of Education Oversight (LOEO) to review all bills proposing changes in the school funding system that are introduced in the General Assembly before March 23. After reviewing the bills, LOEO must recommend which single proposal best satisfies the Supreme Court of Ohio's order in *DeRolph II*.¹ In addition, LOEO must compare and contrast the proposals and describe the best aspects of each proposal. Findings must be issued in a report that LOEO must submit to the Speaker of the House, the President of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the House, the Minority Leader of the Senate, and the Governor no later than May 1, 2001.

HISTORY

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¹ *DeRolph v. State* (2000), 89 Ohio St.3d 1.