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*Bill Analysis*  
*Legislative Service Commission*

## **H.B. 574**

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(As Introduced)

**Reps. Calvert, Collier, Carmichael, Setzer, McGregor, Husted, Hagan,  
Britton, Allen, Webster**

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### **BILL SUMMARY**

- Exempts a child day-care center or type A family day-care home from the requirement that the report of each state inspection be posted if the inspection is in response to a complaint and the finding is that the center or home is not out of compliance with licensing requirements.

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### **CONTENT AND OPERATION**

#### **Background**

On receipt of any complaint that a child day-care center or type A family day-care home is out of compliance with licensing requirements, the Department of Job and Family Services is required to investigate, and is permitted to inspect, the center or type A home. With certain exceptions, a child day-care center is any place in which child day-care is provided for 13 or more children at one time or any place that is not the permanent residence of the licensee or administrator in which child day-care is provided for seven to 12 children at one time.<sup>1</sup> A type A home is the residence of the administrator in which child day-care is provided for four to 12 children at one time or the residence of the administrator in which child day-care is provided for four to 12 children at one time if four or more of the children at one time are under age two.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> *The exceptions include child day camps and preschool programs and school child programs subject to licensure by the Department of Education. (Revised Code §§ 5104.01(L) and 5104.02(B).)*

<sup>2</sup> *A type A home does not include a residence in which the needs of children are administered to if all of the children are siblings of the same immediate family member and the residence is the home of the siblings. (R.C. 5104.01(QQ).)*

**The bill**

(sec. 5104.04)

Under current law, the Department must provide a written inspection report to the license holder of a child day-care center or type A family day-care home within a reasonable time after each inspection. The license holder must display the reports of inspections conducted during the current licensing period in a conspicuous place in the center or home.

The bill creates an exception to the requirement that each inspection report be displayed. If the inspection is conducted in response to a complaint that a center or home is out of compliance with licensing requirements and the Department determines that it is not out of compliance, the report need not be displayed.

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