



# Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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## Final Analysis

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### **Sub. S.B. 295**

129th General Assembly  
(As Passed by the General Assembly)

**Sens.** Coley, Eklund, Faber, Hite, Jones, Jordan, Niehaus, Obhof, Seitz, Wagoner

**Reps.** Brenner, Huffman, Batchelder

**Effective date:** August 15, 2012

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## **ACT SUMMARY**

- Repeals the provisions of Am. Sub. H.B. 194 of the 129th General Assembly, which had not taken effect because it was pending a referendum vote on November 6, 2012.
- Specifies that it is the intent of the General Assembly to continue in operation the provisions of the Revised Code that were already in effect, including the provisions of Election Law affected by that act.
- Spells out the provisions of that already effective law in full.

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## **CONTENT AND OPERATION**

### **Repeal of H.B. 194 provisions**

The act repeals the versions of sections of the Revised Code amended or enacted by Sections 1 and 3 of Am. Sub. H.B. 194 of the 129th General Assembly, which were scheduled to take effect only if approved by the voters at a referendum to be held on November 6, 2012. The act also repeals the repeal of sections of the Revised Code by Sections 2 and 4 of that act, which provisions were also scheduled to take effect only if approved by the voters at that referendum.

By repealing the versions of Revised Code sections enacted or amended by that act, and by repealing the repeal of Revised Code sections by that act, the act states that it is the intent of the General Assembly to continue in operation the provisions of the

Revised Code that were already in effect, including provisions of the Election Law.<sup>1</sup> The act then spells out that law in full, as it now exists, without Am. Sub. H.B. 194. The act also repeals the remaining uncodified provisions of Am. Sub. H.B. 194.<sup>2</sup> Like the codified provisions, the uncodified sections also were subject to referendum on November 6, 2012.

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## HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
Introduced	02-09-12
Reported, S. Government Oversight & Reform	03-28-12
Passed Senate (23-10)	03-28-12
Reported, H. State Government & Elections	04-24-12
Passed House (54-42)	05-08-12

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<sup>1</sup> Section 1 of the bill.

<sup>2</sup> Section 2 of the bill.

