



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Bill Analysis

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Reps. Duffey and C. Hagan, Amstutz, Blair, Henne, Landis, Roegner, Schuring, Stinziano, Terhar, Bishoff

BILL SUMMARY

- Establishes an online catalog of public records and public records data sets, data.Ohio.gov, which is to be established and administered and operated by the Director of Administrative Services.

CONTENT AND OPERATION

Online catalog of public records

The bill requires the Director of Administrative Services to establish and to administer and operate a website, data.Ohio.gov, where public records and data sets of public records created by state government and other public offices may be located and accessed by the public online. The website is to function as a portal and catalog of these public records and data sets. The bill requires the state to consider participation and affiliation of the website with data.gov, the official federal online data catalog. The Director is required to adopt rules under the Administrative Procedure Act that specify policies and procedures for the administration and operation of data.Ohio.gov. The Director must make every effort to ensure the data posted on the website is open format and machine readable.¹

HISTORY

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¹ R.C. 149.65.