
STATE LIBRARY BOARD

- Revises the manner that the State Library Board may forward legislative documents to depository libraries, by permitting the documents to be sent in a paper or electronic format.

Forwarding of legislative documents by the State Library Board

(R.C. 149.12)

The bill revises the manner in which the State Library Board must forward certain legislative documents to depository libraries, by permitting the documents to be sent in a paper or electronic format. The legislative documents thus forwarded are the Legislative Bulletin, the House and Senate journals, pamphlet laws, and the Summary of Enactments. Continuing law requires the State Library Board to forward these legislative documents to libraries that have been designated as depositories for state documents and to other designated libraries in counties that do not have depository libraries. The House and Senate journals must be forwarded on a weekly basis, and bulletins, pamphlet laws, and the Summary of Enactments must be forwarded as they are published.

Current law does not specify the manner in which the documents must be forwarded. Since the documents traditionally are published in paper form, they have been forwarded as paper documents. Under the bill, the documents may be forwarded either in a paper or electronic format.

