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DPSCD77      Single license plate requirement for historical motor vehicles

No provision.

R.C.      *4503.181*

Eliminates the requirement that a historical motor vehicle display a front license plate issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, thus requiring only the display of a rear license plate.

**Fiscal effect: Negligible.**

DPSCD76      Towing Law violations

(1) No provision.

R.C.      *4513.611, 4513.67*

(1) Limits, for purposes of the penalties that may be imposed in a civil action filed by a vehicle owner against a towing service or storage facility, the consideration of prior violations to a one-year look back period.

(2) No provision.

(2) Modifies the prohibition against failure to display the certificate number and business telephone number on the front doors of a towing vehicle to instead prohibit the failure to display that information on the sides of a towing vehicle.

**Fiscal effect: None.**

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DPSCD78 Expedited Veterans Paramedic Certification Program

R.C. 4765.161

(1) No provision.

(1) Requires the State Board of Emergency Medical, Fire, and Transportation Services to establish an Expedited Veterans Paramedic Certification Program whereby a United States armed forces veteran who received training as a paramedic while serving receives credit for such training toward issuance of a certificate to practice as a paramedic.

(2) No provision.

(2) Requires the program to provide for a method or procedure whereby, upon application of such a veteran, the veteran is evaluated to determine the extent of the training received.

(3) No provision.

(3) Requires the Board, upon payment of the appropriate fee, to issue a certificate to practice as a paramedic if the evaluation indicates that the training the veteran received while serving in the United States armed forces was such that the veteran is eligible to be issued a certificate to practice as a paramedic.

(4) No provision.

(4) Specifies that a veteran who received training as a paramedic while serving in the United States armed forces who is not eligible to be issued a certificate to practice as a paramedic needs only to complete the additional training or instruction necessary in order to be issued a certificate to practice as a paramedic.

**Fiscal effect: Negligible.**

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**DPSCD30            Cash transfer - Investigative Unit**

**Section: 361.10**

Permits the Director of Budget and Management, upon written request of the Director of Public Safety, to transfer cash from the Investigative Unit Federal Equitable Sharing Fund (Fund 5CM0) to the Investigative Unit Federal Equitable Sharing Fund (Fund 3GT0).

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Same as the Executive.

**DPSCD31            Cash transfer - Justice program services**

**Section: 361.10**

Permits the Director of Budget and Management, upon written request of the Director of Public Safety, to transfer cash from the Justice Program Services Fund (Fund 4P60) to the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles Fund (Fund 4W40).

**Section: 361.10**

Same as the Executive.

**DPSCD32            State disaster relief**

**Section: 361.10**

Permits the State Disaster Relief Fund (Fund 5330) to be used for the following purposes:

- (1) Accept transfers of cash and appropriations from Controlling Board appropriation items for Ohio Emergency Management Agency (Ohio EMA) disaster response costs and disaster program management costs.
- (2) Accept transfer of cash and appropriations from Controlling Board appropriation items for Ohio EMA public assistance and mitigation program match costs to

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(2) Same as the Executive.

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reimburse eligible local governments and private nonprofit organizations for disaster-related costs.

(3) Accept transfers of cash to reimburse costs associated with Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) deployments.

(3) Same as the Executive.

(4) Accept disaster-related reimbursement from federal, state, and local governments, and permits the Director of Budget and Management to transfer cash from reimbursements received by Fund 5330 to other state funds from which transfers were originally approved by Controlling Board.

(4) Same as the Executive.

(5) Accept transfers of cash and appropriations from Controlling Board appropriation items to fund the State Disaster Relief Program, for disasters qualifying for the program by written authorization of the Governor, and the State Individual Assistance Program for disasters that have been declared by the federal Small Business Administration and that qualify for the program by written authorization of the Governor, and requires the Ohio EMA to publish and make available application packets outlining procedures for these two programs.

(5) Same as the Executive.

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**DPSCD33            Transfer from State Fire Marshal Fund to Emergency Management Agency Service and Reimbursement Fund**

**Section: 361.10**

(1) Requires the Director of Budget and Management, on July 1 of each fiscal year, or as soon as possible thereafter, to transfer \$200,000 from the State Fire Marshal Fund (Fund 5460) used by the Department of Commerce to the Emergency Management Agency Service and Reimbursement Fund (Fund 4V30) used by the Department of Public Safety. Requires the transferred cash to be distributed to the Ohio Task Force One - Urban Search and Rescue Unit and other urban search and rescue programs around the state.

(2) Requires those amounts to be distributed to the Ohio Task Force One - Urban Search and Rescue Unit, other similar urban search and rescue programs around the state, and for maintenance of the statewide fire emergency response by an entity recognized by the Ohio Emergency Management Agency.

**Section: 361.10**

(1) Same as the Executive.

(2) Same as the Executive.

**DPSCD34            SARA Title III HAZMAT planning**

**Section: 361.10**

Authorizes the SARA Title III HAZMAT Planning Fund (Fund 6810) to receive grant funds from the Emergency Response Commission to implement the Emergency Management Agency's responsibilities under R.C. Chapter 3750.

**Section: 361.10**

Same as the Executive.

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**DPSCD35            Investigative Unit - Treasury Contraband Fund**

**Section: 512.60**

- (1) Requires the Director of Budget and Management (OBM), on July 1, 2015, or as soon as possible thereafter, to transfer the cash balance in the Investigative Unit – Treasury Contraband Fund (Fund 5CM0) to the Investigative Unit – Treasury Contraband Fund (Fund 3GT0).
- (2) Abolishes Fund 5CM0 upon completion of the cash balance transfer.
- (3) Requires the OBM Director to cancel any existing encumbrances against DPF Fund 5CM0 appropriation item 767691, Equitable Share Account, and reestablish them against FED Fund 3GT0 appropriation item 767691, Equitable Share Account.
- (4) Appropriates the reestablished encumbrance amounts.

**Section: 512.60**

- (1) Same as the Executive.
- (2) Same as the Executive.
- (3) Same as the Executive.
- (4) Same as the Executive.

**DPSCD36            Fund abolition**

**Section: 512.60**

Abolishes the following seven funds on the effective of their repeal under this bill:

- (1) Justice Assistance Grant - FFY06 Fund (Fund 3CB0)

**Section: 512.60**

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- (1) Same as the Executive.

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(2) Justice Assistance Grant - FFY07 (Fund 3CC0)	(2) Same as the Executive.
(3) Justice Assistance Grant - FFY08 Fund (Fund 3CD0)	(3) Same as the Executive.
(4) Justice Assistance Grant - FFY09 Fund (Fund 3CE0)	(4) Same as the Executive.
(5) Justice Assistance Grant Supplemental FFY08 Fund (Fund 3CV0)	(5) Same as the Executive.
(6) Justice Assistance Grant Fund (Fund 3DE0)	(6) Same as the Executive.
(7) Federal Stimulus Justice Programs Fund (Fund 3DH0).	(7) Same as the Executive.

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**OBMCD20            FY 2015 GRF ending balance**

**Section: 512.30**

Requires the Director of OBM to allocate cash from the FY 2015 surplus GRF revenue that would otherwise be transferred to the Budget Stabilization Fund (Fund 7013) or the Income Tax Reduction Fund (Fund 4R80) as follows:

- (1) Reserve up to \$200,000,000 cash in the GRF to support personal income tax reductions;
- (2) Transfer up to \$375,000,000 cash to the Budget Stabilization Fund to increase the balance of that fund to an amount equal to 5% of estimated FY 2017 GRF revenue;
- (3) No provision.
- (4) Transfer up to \$120,000,000 cash to the Student Debt Reduction Fund (Fund 5QF0);
- (5) Transfer up to \$40,000,000 cash to the Unemployment Compensation Interest Contingency Fund (Fund 5HC0) for payment to the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury of accrued interest costs related to federal unemployment account borrowing;
- (6) Transfer up to \$20,000,000 cash to the Disaster Services Fund (Fund 5E20);
- (7) Transfer up to \$25,000,000 cash to the Systems Transformation Support Fund (Fund 5QM0);

**Section: 512.30**

Same as the Executive, but makes the following changes:

- (1) Same as the Executive, but decreases the amount reserved to up to \$176,000,000.
- (2) Same as the Executive.
- (3) Transfers up to \$100,000,000 cash to the Straight A Fund (Fund 5RB0), which the bill creates.
- (4) Same as the Executive, but decreases the amount of the transfer to up to \$15,000,000.
- (5) Same as the Executive.
- (6) Same as the Executive.
- (7) Same as the Executive, but decreases the amount of the transfer to up to \$9,000,000.

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(8) Transfer up to \$12,000,000 cash to the Natural Resources Special Purposes Fund (Fund 5MW0), which the bill creates;

(9) Transfer up to \$10,000,000 cash to the Local Government Innovation Fund (Fund 5KN0).

(10) No provision.

(11) No provision.

(8) Same as the Executive.

(9) Same as the Executive.

(10) Transfers up to \$15,000,000 cash to the Workforce Grant Program Fund (Fund 5RA0).

(11) Transfers up to \$30,000,000 cash to the School District TPP Supplement Fund (Fund 5RE0).

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PUCCD7      Operational standards for public safety answering points

No provision.

R.C.      *128.021*

Requires the Statewide Emergency Services Internet Protocol Network Steering Committee to update the operational standards for public safety answering points (PSAPs) to contain policies ensuring that PSAP personnel prioritize life-saving questions when responding to 9-1-1 calls and complete proper training, or provide proof of training, to give emergency instructions.

**Fiscal effect: None.**

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**PUCCD1            Utility Radiological Safety Board assessments**

**Section: 506.10**

Specifies, absent contractual agreement, the maximum amounts that may be assessed against each nuclear electric utility under R.C. 4937.05 on behalf of four state agencies and deposited into the specified funds as follows:  
 (1) \$125,000 in each fiscal year to the Utility Radiological Safety Fund (Fund 4E40) used by the Department of Agriculture;  
 (2) \$1,086,098 in each fiscal year to the Radiation Emergency Response Fund (Fund 6100) used by the Department of Health;  
 (3) \$298,304 in FY 2016 and \$303,174 in FY 2017 to the ER Radiological Safety Fund (Fund 6440) used by the Environmental Protection Agency; and  
 (4) \$1,200,000 in each fiscal year to the Emergency Response Plan Fund (Fund 6570) used by the Department of Public Safety.

**Fiscal effect: Up to \$2.8 million in each fiscal year may be assessed against nuclear electric utilities and made available to the four state agencies for their statutory purposes.**

**Section: 506.10**

Same as the Executive.

**Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.**

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**Other Taxation Provisions**

TAXCD42      Tax identity verification: limit verifying information

No provision.

R.C.      *5703.057, 5703.36, 5703.361; Section 757.40*

Limits the information the Tax Commissioner may require a person to verify to confirm the person's identity to information compiled or created by the Bureau of Motor Vehicles less than 15 years before the verification is required and other information compiled or created less than 10 years before the verification is required.

No provision.

Requires the Tax Commissioner to evaluate measures employed by the Commissioner to reduce personal income tax fraud through identity verification and report that evaluation, as well as recommended improvements, to the General Assembly by the end of August 2016.

**Fiscal effect: None.**

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**DOTCD46      Joint Legislative Task Force on Department of Transportation Issues**

No provision.	<p><b>Section: 610.01</b></p> <p>Amends Section 755.40 of H.B. 53 of the 131st General Assembly (which created the Joint Legislative Task Force on Department of Transportation Issues), to require the Task Force to study issues involving the cost and feasibility of establishing a limited driving privilege license, in addition to other areas of study that the Task Force is to examine.</p>
No provision.	<p>Requires the Task Force to issue a report of its findings and recommendations on the issue of limited driving privilege licenses in the report due December 15, 2015.</p>