

Executive

As Passed by the House

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JCOCD1 State Council of Uniform State Laws

Section: 309.10

Earmarks up to \$88,300 in FY 2016 and up to \$91,832 in FY 2017 of GRF appropriation item 018321, Operating Expenses, to pay the expenses of the State Council of Uniform State Laws, including membership dues to the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws

Section: 309.10

Same as the Executive.

No provision.

JCOCD2 Ohio Jury Instructions Fund

Section: 309.10

- (1) Requires grants, royalties, dues, conference fees, bequests, devises, and other gifts received for the purpose of supporting the Judicial Conference's activities be deposited in the Ohio Jury Instructions Fund (Fund 4030).
- (2) Requires money in the fund be used to pay expenses incurred by the Judicial Conference in performing activities as determined by its Executive Committee.
- (3) Appropriates, in each of FYs 2016 and 2017, any money accruing to the fund in excess of \$337,000.
- 4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring money from the fund to any other fund.

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JCOCD4 Ohio Judicial Conference advisory committee

No provision.

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Section: 701.100

Requires the Ohio Judicial Conference to form an advisory committee consisting of five members of the Conference who are not Supreme Court justices. Requires the advisory committee to submit a report to the General Assembly not later than October 31, 2015. Requires the report to describe the committee's recommendations concerning the manner in which the current functions of the Conference should be performed: by an independent association that does not receive public funds, by the staff of the Supreme Court in the manner directed by the Chief Justice, or by any other method the advisory committee considers to be appropriate.

Fiscal effect: Minimal.

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JSCCD15 Transfer of funding for the duties and responsibilities of the Ohio Judicial Conference to the Supreme Court

Section: 311.10

(1) No provision.

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(1) Permits the Supreme Court to use GRF appropriation item 005321, Operating Expenses - Judiciary/Supreme Court, to support functions of the Judicial Conference of Ohio.

(2) No provision.

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(2) Requires the Director of Budget and Management (OBM), on October 1, 2015, or as soon as possible thereafter, to cancel any existing encumbrances against GRF appropriation item 018321, Operating Expenses, and reestablish them against GRF appropriation item 005321, Operating Expenses - Judiciary/Supreme Court, and appropriates the reestablished encumbrance amounts.

(3) No provision.

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(3) Creates the Ohio Jury Instructions Fund (DPF Fund 5RJ0) consisting, effective October 1, 2015, of grants, royalties, dues, conference fees, bequests, devises, and other gifts received by the Judicial Conference of Ohio. Appropriates \$168,500 in FY 2016 and \$337,000 in FY 2017 from the fund to appropriation item 005625, Ohio Jury Instructions. Permits the Supreme Court to use those appropriations to fund activities considered appropriate by the Court, including supporting functions of the Judicial Conference of Ohio.

(4) No provision.

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(4) Requires the Director of OBM, on October 1, 2015, or as soon as possible thereafter, to transfer the cash balance in the Ohio Jury Instructions Fund (DPF Fund 4030), used by the Ohio Judicial Conference, to the Ohio Jury Instructions Fund (DPF Fund 5RJ0), to be used by the Supreme Court, and abolishes Fund 4030 upon completion of the transfer.

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(5) No provision.

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(5) Requires the Director of OBM, on October 1, 2015, or as soon as possible thereafter, to cancel any existing encumbrances against DPF Fund 4030 appropriation item 018601, Ohio Jury Instructions, and reestablish them against DPF Fund 5RJ0 appropriation item 005625, Ohio Jury Instructions, and appropriates the reestablished encumbrance amounts.