



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: [Am. Sub. H.B. 377 of the 129th G.A.](#)

Date: June 12, 2012

Status: As Reported by Senate Education

Sponsor: Reps. Duffey and Stinziano

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Contents: Requires university boards of trustees to deny or grant voting powers to student members

State Fiscal Highlights

- No direct fiscal effect on the state.

Local Fiscal Highlights

- No direct fiscal effect on political subdivisions.
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Detailed Fiscal Analysis

The bill requires the Boards of Trustees of Ohio's fourteen state-assisted universities to adopt a resolution denying or granting voting power to student trustees. If a university's Board of Trustees grants voting power to student trustees, those students are also granted the right to attend executive sessions of the Board of Trustees. Boards of Trustees may adopt subsequent resolutions to change student trustee voting powers. The bill specifies that student trustees that are granted voting power may not be made ineligible by receiving financial aid or by working for the university. Adoption of the resolution required by the bill should not have a significant direct fiscal effect.

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