

Appendix

All House Bills Passed in 2003 that Became Law

House Bill	LIS	Subject
1	Yes	Establishes the Research and Development Loan Fund program, creates nonrefundable and transferable tax credits for payments made on loans from the Program, makes changes to laws governing various programs in the Department of Development, and makes appropriations for the Innovation Ohio Loan Fund in FY 2003, and for the Research and Development Loan Fund in FY 2004 and 2005
3	No	Conforming Ohio's public school accountability system to the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001
6	No	To modify the powers and duties of the Department of Health, Public Health Council, and Boards of Health relative to bioterrorism and other public health matters
7	No	Modifies the Corporation Law, Securities Law, and the Attorney General's enforcement authority
23	No	Allows the Ohio State Board of Optometry to license out-of-state or Canadian optometrists without examination regardless of whether the other state or Canadian province does the same for Ohio and clarifies education requirements in the engineers and surveyors licensing law
24	Yes	Permits dissolution of a village under certain conditions when the Auditor of State makes certain findings for villages with a population of 150 or less, and limits the presence of mayors courts to municipal corporations with a population of over 100 persons
25	No	Permits counties to include regulations in building codes to protect surface and subsurface drainage and eliminates the Residential Construction Advisory Committee
26	Yes	Adds one additional judge for the general division of the Warren County Court of Common Pleas to be elected in 2004 and adds one additional judge to the Henry County Court of Common Pleas to be elected in 2004 as judge of the domestic relations division
40	No	Makes program and budget modifications
43	No	Establishes requirements for the use of credible data in administering the Water Pollution Control Law

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49	Yes	Permits a board of county commissioners to enter into an agreement of affiliation with a citizens' reward program and requires the imposition of one dollar in additional court costs to assist in the funding of affiliated citizens' reward programs
50	No	Increases the penalty for failure to stop after an accident if the violation caused the death of a person and modifies the offenses of aggravated vehicular homicide and aggravated vehicular assault
51	No	Amends sections of the Revised Code relative to the election by a surviving spouse, notice of admission of a will to probate, accounts of administrators and executors, distribution of estate assets, presentation of creditors' claims to distributees, dispute resolution procedures in probate court, and time for presenting claims against an estate
53	No	Permits the maintenance of registered land records by various means
54	No	Provides for a removable sticker or banner to be issued along with a temporary instruction permit that reads "student driver"
70	No	Designates Interstate Route 75 as the "Pearl Harbor Memorial Highway; " designates a portion of State Route 126 as the "Governor William Bebb Bicentennial Roadway; " designates a portion of State Route 744 as the "Governor James M. Cox Bicentennial Roadway;" designates a portion of State Route 4 as the "Governor James E. Campbell Bicentennial Roadway;" designates a portion of U.S. Route 127 as the "Governor Andrew L. Harris Bicentennial Roadway"
72	No	Permits the execution of a Declaration for Mental Health Treatment
75	No	Allows a board of education to grant a high school diploma to veterans of the Korean Conflict, clarifies the educational qualifications for county sheriffs, and declares an emergency
81	No	Gives power to community improvement corporations to serve as an agent for grant applications and for the administration of grants
85	Yes>No	Requires licensure of ambulettes and medical air transport vehicles
86	Yes	Adds one judge to the Erie County Court of Common Pleas for a term to begin on January 2, 2005, reallocates jurisdictional responsibilities of current judges of the Erie County Court of Common Pleas, creates the Domestic Relations-Juvenile-Probate Division of the Logan County Court of Common Pleas, adds a judge to be the judge of that Division of the Logan County Court of Common Pleas for a term to begin on January 2, 2005, specifies that a board of elections may not invalidate a petition on the ground that its form does not satisfy statutory requirements, if the board originally

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		distributed the petition form and, at the time of distribution, it did not satisfy statutory requirements, and declares an emergency
87	No	Transportation Budget Bill
91	No	Workers Compensation Budget Bill
92	No	Industrial Commission Budget Bill
95	No	Main Operating Budget Bill
97	No	Permits lease or lease-to-purchase options by adding this authority to various political subdivisions, including townships, township fire districts, joint fire districts, joint township police districts, and joint fire and ambulance districts for the procurement of police, road, or fire-fighting equipment and for real and personal property; and permits a telegraph or telephone company to construct telegraph or telephone lines upon, along, and beneath public roads, highways, and waters that are in the unincorporated area of a township
108	No	Requires that notice of unclaimed funds be mailed to owners by holders of the funds
127	Yes	Permits municipal corporations and townships to acquire tax-delinquent land for redevelopment free from tax liens, exempts from municipal taxation certain S corporation income, and makes numerous other changes
133	No	Specifies the process by which the Power Siting Board may hold hearings on possible violations of the power siting law, makes changes to the penalties for violations of the power siting law, and makes changes to the Energy Efficiency Revolving Loan Program
137	No	Makes changes relative to the appointment of statutory agents by foreign insurance companies doing business in Ohio and permits organizations of health care providers and organizations of insurance agents to sponsor small employer health care alliance programs
139	No	Specifies that insurance policies under the Financial Responsibility Law remain subject to their terms and conditions
143	No	To revise the law governing the labeling and sale of seed
152	No	To revise the statutes governing animal feeding facilities
159	No	Adds one additional judge for the Fifth District Court of Appeals, creates the separate office of clerk of the Clermont County Municipal Court for a term beginning January 1, 2004, and declares an emergency

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179	No	Permits suspension of the driver's licenses of offenders convicted of thefts by reason of causing a motor vehicle to leave the premises of a retail gasoline establishment without full payment for gasoline dispensed into the motor vehicle's fuel tank or another container, declares that those sections in the Revised Code that regulate theft of gasoline in certain circumstances are general laws, prohibits motion picture piracy; authorizes the detention of individuals suspected of motion picture piracy, and extends from January 1, 2004, to January 1, 2009, the time by which environmental audits must be completed in order to be within the scope of certain privileges and immunities that apply to such audits
311	No	To create Ohio's Best Rx Program

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