
NOTES

Effective dates

(Sections 812.10 to 812.50)

Article II, Section 1d of the Ohio Constitution states that “appropriations for the current expenses of state government and state institutions” and “[l]aws providing for tax levies” go into immediate effect and are not subject to the referendum. The act includes a default provision stating that, except as otherwise specifically provided, the amendment, enactment, or repeal of a section is subject to the referendum and takes effect on the 91st day after the act is filed with the Secretary of State (barring the filing of a referendum petition). It also includes exceptions to the default provision, some of which provide that specified provisions are not subject to the referendum and go into immediate effect.

Note – effective date of veto override

On December 13, 2023, the House voted to override the Governor's veto of Item #24, which prohibits local governments from adopting regulations related to tobacco and alternative nicotine products (see page 645). The Senate voted to override on January 24, 2024. Presumably, the item is subject to the referendum and therefore takes effect on the 91st day after it is filed with the Secretary of State, which is April 24, 2024.

Expiration

(Section 809.10)

The act includes an expiration clause stating that an item that composes the whole or part of an uncodified section (other than an amending, enacting, or repealing clause) has no effect after June 30, 2025, unless its context clearly indicates otherwise.

HISTORY

Action	Date
Introduced	02-15-23
Reported, H. Finance	04-26-23
Passed House (78-19)	04-26-23
Reported, S. Finance	06-14-23
Passed Senate (24-7)	06-15-23
House refused to concur in Senate amendments (23-71)	06-21-23
Senate requested conference committee	06-21-23
House acceded to request for conference committee	06-21-23

Action	Date
House agreed to conference committee report (67-30)	06-30-23
Senate agreed to conference committee report (25-6)	06-30-23
House voted to override veto item #24 (60-31)	12-13-23
Senate voted to override vetoed item #24 (24-8)	01-24-24