



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: H.B. 25 of the 131st G.A.

Date: April 10, 2015

Status: As Introduced

Sponsor: Rep. Kunze

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Contents: Sales of beverages and food during the school day

State Fiscal Highlights

- The bill requires the State Board of Education to adopt rules regarding the sale of beverages and food during the regular school day, which will have a negligible effect on the Board's administrative burden.

Local Fiscal Highlights

- The bill requires that the rules adopted by the State Board exempt the sale of beverages and food for certain fundraisers from current law restrictions on such sales. This will increase the flexibility of schools in conducting these fundraisers.

Detailed Fiscal Analysis

The bill requires the State Board to adopt rules, not later than 90 days after the bill's effective date, regarding the sale of beverages and food during the regular school day in connection with a school-sponsored fundraiser. The rules must exempt, from a la carte nutritional guidelines, any food or beverage item sold during a fundraiser so long as the fundraiser does not exceed thirty school days in a school year and items are not sold during the time of a meal service in the food service area. This requirement will have a negligible impact on the Board's administrative costs. The rules will increase the flexibility of schools in conducting qualifying fundraisers.

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