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Version: As Reported by House Criminal Justice

Primary Sponsors: Reps. Swearingen and Seitz

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

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The bill has no direct fiscal effect on the state or political subdivisions. It codifies Criminal Rule 46 of the Ohio Rules of Criminal Procedure (CR 46). The Ohio Rules of Criminal Procedure establish the procedures to be followed in all courts of this state in the exercise of criminal jurisdiction. CR 46 specifically concerns pretrial release and detention. The Supreme Court has notified the General Assembly of its intention to repeal CR 46 and, barring a resolution of disapproval by the General Assembly, the repeal will be effective July 1, 2023. With adoption of the bill, the state's criminal courts will continue to abide by the current rules governing pretrial release and detention under the Revised Code rather than the Rules of Criminal Procedure (presumably if enacted before the repeal takes effect). See LSC's [bill analysis](#) for a detailed discussion of the bill.