



OHIO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE COMMISSION

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: H.B. 442 of the 132nd G.A.

Status: As Introduced

Sponsor: Rep. Antani

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Subject: Participation in interscholastic athletics for international students

The bill has no direct fiscal effect on state or local political subdivisions. The bill permits any international student who attends an elementary or secondary school in Ohio to participate in interscholastic athletics at that school on the same basis as students who are residents of this state, so long as the student holds an F-1 U.S. visa. Current law specifically permits international students with an F-1 visa to participate in interscholastic athletics only if the student attends a school that began operating a dormitory on its campus prior to 2014. The bill removes this condition and expands permission to all properly credentialed international students to participate in interscholastic athletics.

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