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A B I L L

To amend sections 2917.46, 2933.41, 3313.206, 1
5502.61, and 5502.62 and to repeal section 2
3301.076 of the Revised Code to abolish the 3
children's safety program known as the Block 4
Parent Program in the State Board of Education, to 5
establish in its place the McGruff House Program 6
in the Division of Criminal Justice Services of 7
the Department of Public Safety, to create the 8
offense of unauthorized use of a McGruff house 9
symbol, and if a citizens' reward program has 10
entered into an agreement of affiliation with a 11
board of county commissioners, to permit instead 12
of require specified law enforcement agencies to 13
pay 25 per cent of the proceeds from the sale of 14
forfeited property to that citizens' reward 15
program. 16

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 2917.46, 2933.41, 3313.206, 5502.61, 17
and 5502.62 of the Revised Code be amended to read as follows: 18

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Sec. 2917.46. (A) No person shall, with intent to identify a 20
building as a block parent home or building, display the block 21
parent symbol adopted by the state board of education pursuant to 22
former section 3301.076 of the Revised Code unless authorized in 23
accordance with that section or section 3313.206 of the Revised 24
Code prior to its repeal on the effective date of this amendment. 25

(B) No person shall, with intent to identify a building as a 26
block parent home or building, display a symbol that falsely gives 27
the appearance of being the block parent symbol adopted by the 28
state board of education pursuant to former section 3301.076 of 29
the Revised Code prior to its repeal on the effective date of this 30
amendment. 31

(C) No person, with intent to identify a home or building as 32
a mcgruff house program home or building, shall display the 33
mcgruff house symbol adopted by the division of criminal justice 34
services in the state department of public safety pursuant to 35
section 5502.62 of the Revised Code unless authorized in 36
accordance with that section, any rule adopted pursuant to that 37
section, or section 3313.206 of the Revised Code. 38

(D) No person, with intent to identify a home or building as 39
a mcgruff house program home or building, shall display a symbol 40
that falsely gives the appearance of being the mcgruff house 41
symbol adopted by the division of criminal justice services in the 42
state department of public safety pursuant to section 5502.62 of 43
the Revised Code or any rule adopted pursuant to that section. 44

(E)(1) Whoever violates division (A) or (B) of this section 45
is guilty of unauthorized use of a block parent symbol, a minor 46

misdemeanor. 47

(2) Whoever violates division (C) or (D) of this section is 48
guilty of unauthorized use of a mcgruff house symbol, a minor 49
misdemeanor. 50

Sec. 2933.41. (A)(1) Any property, other than contraband that 51
is subject to the provisions of section 2913.34 or 2933.43 of the 52
Revised Code, other than property that is subject to section 53
3719.141 of the Revised Code, other than property that is 54
forfeited under sections 2923.44 to 2923.47 or 2925.41 to 2925.45 55
of the Revised Code, other than a vehicle that is criminally 56
forfeited under an order issued under section 4503.233 or 4503.234 57
of the Revised Code and that is to be disposed of under section 58
4503.234 of the Revised Code, other than property that has been 59
lawfully seized under sections 2933.71 to 2933.75 of the Revised 60
Code in relation to a medicaid fraud offense, and other than 61
property that has been lawfully seized in relation to a violation 62
of section 2923.32 of the Revised Code, that has been lost, 63
abandoned, stolen, seized pursuant to a search warrant, or 64
otherwise lawfully seized or forfeited, and that is in the custody 65
of a law enforcement agency shall be kept safely pending the time 66
it no longer is needed as evidence and shall be disposed of 67
pursuant to this section. Each law enforcement agency that has 68
custody of any property that is subject to this section shall 69
adopt a written internal control policy that addresses the keeping 70
of detailed records as to the amount of property taken in by the 71
agency, that addresses the agency's disposition of the property 72
under this section, that provides for the keeping of detailed 73
records of the disposition of the property, and that provides for 74
the keeping of detailed financial records of the amount and 75
disposition of any proceeds of a sale of the property under 76
division (D)(8) of this section and of the general types of 77
expenditures made out of the proceeds retained by the agency and 78

the specific amount expended on each general type of expenditure. 79
The policy shall not provide for or permit the identification of 80
any specific expenditure that is made in an ongoing investigation. 81
The policy is a public record open for inspection under section 82
149.43 of the Revised Code. 83

(2)(a) Every law enforcement agency that has any lost, 84
abandoned, stolen, seized, or forfeited property as described in 85
division (A)(1) of this section in its custody shall comply with 86
its written internal control policy adopted under that division 87
relative to the property. Each agency that has any such property 88
in its custody, except for property to be disposed of under 89
division (D)(4) of this section, shall maintain an accurate 90
record, in accordance with its written internal control policy, of 91
each item of the property. The record shall include the date on 92
which each item of property came into the agency's custody, the 93
manner in which it was disposed of, the date of its disposition, 94
the name of the person who received the property if it was not 95
destroyed, and all other information required by the agency's 96
written internal control policy; however, the record shall not 97
identify or enable the identification of the individual officer 98
who seized any item of property. The record of any property that 99
no longer is needed as evidence, and all financial records of the 100
amount and disposition of any proceeds of a sale under division 101
(D)(8) of this section and of the general types of expenditures 102
made out of the proceeds retained by the agency and the specific 103
amount of each general type of expenditure, shall be open to 104
public inspection during the agency's regular business hours. 105

Each law enforcement agency that, during any calendar year, 106
has any seized or forfeited property as described in division 107
(A)(1) of this section in its custody shall prepare a report 108
covering the calendar year that cumulates all of the information 109
contained in all of the records kept by the agency pursuant to 110

this division for that calendar year and shall send a copy of the
cumulative report, no later than the first day of March in the
calendar year following the calendar year covered by the report,
to the attorney general. Each report received by the attorney
general is a public record open for inspection under section
149.43 of the Revised Code.

(b) Each law enforcement agency that receives in any calendar
year any proceeds of a sale under division (D)(8) of this section
shall prepare a report covering the calendar year that cumulates
all of the information contained in all of the public financial
records kept by the agency pursuant to division (D)(2)(a) of this
section for that calendar year and shall send a copy of the
cumulative report, no later than the first day of March in the
calendar year following the calendar year covered by the report,
to the attorney general. Each report received by the attorney
general is a public record open for inspection under section
149.43 of the Revised Code.

(c) Not later than the fifteenth day of April in the calendar
year in which reports are sent to the attorney general under
divisions (A)(2)(a) and (b) of this section, the attorney general
shall send to the president of the senate and the speaker of the
house of representatives a written notification that does all of
the following:

(i) Indicates that the attorney general has received from law
enforcement agencies reports of the type described in division
(A)(2)(a), (A)(2)(b), or both (A)(2)(a) and (b) of this section,
whichever is applicable, that cover the previous calendar year and
indicates that the reports were received under division (A)(2)(a),
(A)(2)(b), or both (A)(2)(a) and (b) of this section, whichever is
applicable;

(ii) Indicates that the reports are open for inspection under

section 149.43 of the Revised Code; 142

(iii) Indicates that the attorney general will provide a copy 143
of any or all of the reports to the president of the senate or the 144
speaker of the house of representatives upon request. 145

(B) A law enforcement agency that has property in its 146
possession that is required to be disposed of pursuant to this 147
section shall make a reasonable effort to locate the persons 148
entitled to possession of the property in its custody, to notify 149
them of when and where it may be claimed, and to return the 150
property to them at the earliest possible time. In the absence of 151
evidence identifying persons entitled to possession, it is 152
sufficient notice to advertise in a newspaper of general 153
circulation in the county, briefly describing the nature of the 154
property in custody and inviting persons to view and establish 155
their right to it. 156

(C) A person loses any right that the person may have to the 157
possession, or the possession and ownership, of property if any of 158
the following applies: 159

(1) The property was the subject, or was used in a conspiracy 160
or attempt to commit, or in the commission, of an offense other 161
than a traffic offense, and the person is a conspirator, 162
accomplice, or offender with respect to the offense. 163

(2) A court determines that the property should be forfeited 164
because, in light of the nature of the property or the 165
circumstances of the person, it is unlawful for the person to 166
acquire or possess the property. 167

(D) Unclaimed or forfeited property in the custody of a law 168
enforcement agency, other than contraband that is subject to the 169
provisions of section 2913.34 or 2933.43 of the Revised Code, 170
other than property forfeited under sections 2923.44 to 2923.47 or 171
2925.41 to 2925.45 of the Revised Code, and other than property 172

that has been lawfully seized in relation to a violation of 173
section 2923.32 of the Revised Code, shall be disposed of on 174
application to and order of any court of record that has 175
territorial jurisdiction over the political subdivision in which 176
the law enforcement agency has jurisdiction to engage in law 177
enforcement activities, as follows: 178

(1) Drugs shall be disposed of pursuant to section 3719.11 of 179
the Revised Code or placed in the custody of the secretary of the 180
treasury of the United States for disposal or use for medical or 181
scientific purposes under applicable federal law. 182

(2) Firearms and dangerous ordnance suitable for police work 183
may be given to a law enforcement agency for that purpose. 184
Firearms suitable for sporting use or as museum pieces or 185
collectors' items may be sold at public auction pursuant to 186
division (D)(8) of this section. Other firearms and dangerous 187
ordnance shall be destroyed by the agency or shall be sent to the 188
bureau of criminal identification and investigation for 189
destruction by the bureau. 190

(3) Obscene materials shall be destroyed. 191

(4) Except as otherwise provided in division (D)(4) of this 192
section, beer or intoxicating liquor seized by a law enforcement 193
agency shall be destroyed. Intoxicating liquor seized by the 194
investigative unit in the department of public safety may be 195
distributed for training relating to law enforcement activities. 196
Pursuant to rules the department adopts in accordance with Chapter 197
119. of the Revised Code, the department shall provide for the 198
distribution of seized intoxicating liquor that is not distributed 199
for training relating to its law enforcement activities, to state 200
or local law enforcement agencies, upon their request, for 201
training related to their law enforcement activities. 202

(5) Money received by an inmate of a correctional institution 203

from an unauthorized source or in an unauthorized manner shall be 204
returned to the sender, if known, or deposited in the inmates' 205
industrial and entertainment fund if the sender is not known. 206

(6) Vehicles and vehicle parts forfeited under sections 207
4549.61 to 4549.63 of the Revised Code may be given to a law 208
enforcement agency for use in the performance of its duties. Those 209
parts may be incorporated into any other official vehicle. Parts 210
that do not bear vehicle identification numbers or derivatives of 211
them may be sold or disposed of as provided by rules of the 212
director of public safety. Parts from which a vehicle 213
identification number or derivative of it has been removed, 214
defaced, covered, altered, or destroyed and that are not suitable 215
for police work or incorporation into an official vehicle shall be 216
destroyed and sold as junk or scrap. 217

(7)(a) Computers, computer networks, computer systems, and 218
computer software suitable for police work may be given to a law 219
enforcement agency for that purpose. Other computers, computer 220
networks, computer systems, and computer software shall be 221
disposed of pursuant to division (D)(8) of this section. 222

(b) As used in this section, "computers," "computer 223
networks," "computer systems," and "computer software" have the 224
same meanings as in section 2913.01 of the Revised Code. 225

(8) Other unclaimed or forfeited property, including personal 226
property that is abandoned or relinquished by an inmate of a state 227
correctional institution, with the approval of the court, may be 228
used by the law enforcement agency that has possession of it. If 229
the other unclaimed or forfeited property is not used by the law 230
enforcement agency, it may be sold, without appraisal, at a public 231
auction to the highest bidder for cash, or, in the case of other 232
unclaimed or forfeited moneys, disposed of in another manner that 233
the court considers proper in the circumstances. 234

(E)(1)(a) If the property was in the possession of the law enforcement agency in relation to a delinquent child proceeding in a juvenile court, ten per cent of the proceeds from property disposed of pursuant to this section shall be applied to one or more alcohol and drug addiction treatment programs that are certified by the department of alcohol and drug addiction services under section 3793.06 of the Revised Code and that are specified by the court in its order issued under division (D) of this section. A juvenile court shall not specify an alcohol or drug addiction treatment program in the order unless the program is a certified alcohol and drug addiction treatment program and, except as provided in division (E)(1)(a) of this section, unless the program is located in the county in which the court that issues the orders is located or in a contiguous county. If no certified alcohol and drug addiction treatment program is located in any of those counties, the juvenile court may specify in the order a certified alcohol and drug addiction treatment program located anywhere within this state. The remaining ninety per cent of the proceeds shall be applied as provided in division (E)(1)(b) of this section.

If the property was in the possession of the law enforcement agency other than in relation to a delinquent child proceeding in a juvenile court, all of the proceeds from property disposed of pursuant to this section shall be applied as provided in division (E)(1)(b) of this section.

(b) Except as provided in divisions (D)(4), (5), and (E)(2) of this section and after compliance with division (E)(1)(a) of this section when that division is applicable, the proceeds from property disposed of pursuant to this section shall be placed in the general fund of the state, the county, the township, or the municipal corporation, of which the law enforcement agency involved is an agency.

(2) Each board of county commissioners that recognizes a citizens' reward program as provided in section 9.92 of the Revised Code shall notify each law enforcement agency of that county and each law enforcement agency of a township or municipal corporation wholly located in that county of the official recognition of the citizens' reward program by filing a copy of its resolution conferring that recognition with each of those law enforcement agencies. When the board of county commissioners of a county recognizes a citizens' reward program and the county includes a part, but not all, of the territory of a municipal corporation, the board shall so notify the law enforcement agency of that municipal corporation of the official recognition of the citizens' reward program only if the county contains the highest percentage of the municipal corporation's population. ~~Upon~~ Unless a citizens' reward program has entered into an agreement of affiliation with a board of county commissioners pursuant to division (D) of section 9.92 of the Revised Code, upon receipt of a notice described in this division, each law enforcement agency shall pay twenty-five per cent of the proceeds from each sale of property disposed of pursuant to this section to the citizens' reward program for use exclusively for the payment of rewards. If there is an agreement of affiliation between the citizens' reward program and the board of county commissioners under division (D) of section 9.92 of the Revised Code, each law enforcement agency that receives the notice described in this division may pay twenty-five per cent of the proceeds from each sale of property disposed of pursuant to this section to the citizens' reward program for use exclusively for the payment of rewards. No part of those funds may be used to pay for the administrative expenses or any other expenses associated with a citizens' reward program. If a citizens' reward program that operates in more than one county or in another state or states in addition to this state receives funds pursuant to this section, the funds shall be used to pay

rewards only for tips and information to law enforcement agencies 300
concerning felonies, offenses of violence, or misdemeanors that 301
have been committed in the county from which the funds were 302
received. 303

(F) This section does not apply to the collection, storage, 304
or disposal of abandoned junk motor vehicles. This section shall 305
not be construed to rescind or restrict the authority of a 306
municipal law enforcement agency to keep and dispose of lost, 307
abandoned, stolen, seized, or forfeited property under an 308
ordinance of the municipal corporation or under sections 737.29 to 309
737.33 of the Revised Code, provided that, when a municipal 310
corporation that has received notice as provided in division 311
(E)(2) of this section disposes of property under an ordinance, it 312
shall pay twenty-five per cent of the proceeds from any sale or 313
auction to the citizens' reward program as provided under that 314
division. 315

(G) The receipt of funds by a citizens' reward program 316
pursuant to division (E) of this section does not make it a 317
governmental unit for purposes of section 149.43 of the Revised 318
Code and does not subject it to the disclosure provisions of that 319
section. 320

(H) This section does not apply to the disposal of stolen or 321
other property recovered by township law enforcement agencies 322
pursuant to sections 505.105 to 505.109 of the Revised Code. 323

(I)(1) Subject to divisions (D)(1) to (7) of this section, 324
and otherwise notwithstanding the provisions of this section, 325
personal property that is subject to this section and that is 326
abandoned or relinquished by an inmate of a state correctional 327
institution may be destroyed or used by order of the warden of the 328
institution, if either of the following apply: 329

(a) The value of the item is one hundred dollars or less, the 330

state correctional institution has attempted to contact or 331
identify the owner of the personal property, and those attempts 332
have been unsuccessful. 333

(b) The inmate who owns the personal property agrees in 334
writing to the disposal of the personal property in question. 335

(2) The department of rehabilitation and correction shall 336
record the seizure and disposition of any personal property 337
pursuant to division (I)(1) of this section, any attempts to 338
contact or identify the owner of the personal property pursuant to 339
division (I)(1)(a) of this section, and any agreement made 340
pursuant to division (I)(1)(b) of this section. 341

(J) For purposes of this section, "law enforcement agency" 342
includes correctional institutions, and "citizens' reward program" 343
has the same meaning as in section 9.92 of the Revised Code. As 344
used in division (H) of this section, "township law enforcement 345
agencies" means an organized police department of a township, a 346
township police district, a joint township police district, or the 347
office of a township constable. 348

Sec. 3313.206. Each board of education that establishes or 349
maintains a ~~block parent mcgruff house~~ program shall use the ~~block~~ 350
~~parent mcgruff house~~ symbol adopted by the division of criminal 351
justice services in the state ~~board of education~~ department of 352
public safety under section ~~3301.076~~ 5502.62 of the Revised Code 353
and instruct volunteers participating in the program to use only 354
that symbol. Each board of education that establishes a ~~block~~ 355
~~parent mcgruff house~~ program on or after ~~October 17, 1985~~ July 1, 356
2007, shall do so in accordance with the rules adopted under 357
section ~~3301.076~~ 5502.62 of the Revised Code. Any chartered 358
nonpublic school within a school district may participate in that 359
district's ~~block parent mcgruff house~~ program upon furnishing a 360
written statement to the district's board of education and to the 361

~~division of criminal justice services in the state board of~~ 362
~~education department of public safety~~ to the effect that the 363
nonpublic school will abide by the rules of the district's ~~block~~ 364
~~parent mcgruff house~~ program. A chartered nonpublic school that 365
participates in a school district's ~~block-parent mcgruff house~~ 366
program may request technical assistance from the ~~state board~~ 367
division of criminal justice services. 368

At the request of a board of education, law enforcement 369
authorities with jurisdiction in any of the territory of a school 370
district that maintains a ~~block-parent mcgruff house~~ program shall 371
assist the board of education of the district or a participating 372
chartered nonpublic school in checking the criminal records of 373
individuals and families that volunteer to participate in the 374
district's ~~block-parent mcgruff house~~ program. 375

Sec. 5502.61. As used in sections 5502.61 to 5502.66 of the 376
Revised Code: 377

(A) "Federal criminal justice acts" means any federal law 378
that authorizes financial assistance and other forms of assistance 379
to be given by the federal government to the states to be used for 380
the improvement of the criminal and juvenile justice systems of 381
the states. 382

(B)(1) "Criminal justice system" includes all of the 383
functions of the following: 384

(a) The state highway patrol, county sheriff offices, 385
municipal and township police departments, and all other law 386
enforcement agencies; 387

(b) The courts of appeals, courts of common pleas, municipal 388
courts, county courts, and mayor's courts, when dealing with 389
criminal cases; 390

(c) The prosecuting attorneys, city directors of law, village 391

solicitors, and other prosecuting authorities when prosecuting or
otherwise handling criminal cases, and the county and joint county
public defenders and other public defender agencies or offices;

(d) The department of rehabilitation and correction,
probation departments, county and municipal jails and workhouses,
and any other department, agency, or facility that is concerned
with the rehabilitation or correction of criminal offenders;

(e) Any public or private agency whose purposes include the
prevention of crime or the diversion, adjudication, detention, or
rehabilitation of criminal offenders;

(f) Any public or private agency, the purposes of which
include assistance to crime victims or witnesses.

(2) The inclusion of any public or private agency, the
purposes of which include assistance to crime victims or
witnesses, as part of the criminal justice system pursuant to
division (B)(1) of this section does not limit, and shall not be
construed as limiting, the discretion or authority of the attorney
general with respect to crime victim assistance and criminal
justice programs.

(C) "Juvenile justice system" includes all of the functions
of the juvenile courts, the department of youth services, any
public or private agency whose purposes include the prevention of
delinquency or the diversion, adjudication, detention, or
rehabilitation of delinquent children, and any of the functions of
the criminal justice system that are applicable to children.

(D) "Comprehensive plan" means a document that coordinates,
evaluates, and otherwise assists, on an annual or multi-year
basis, any of the functions of the criminal and juvenile justice
systems of the state or a specified area of the state, that
conforms to the priorities of the state with respect to criminal
and juvenile justice systems, and that conforms with the

requirements of all federal criminal justice acts. These functions	423
may include, but are not limited to, any of the following:	424
(1) Crime and delinquency prevention;	425
(2) Identification, detection, apprehension, and detention of	426
persons charged with criminal offenses or delinquent acts;	427
(3) Assistance to crime victims or witnesses, except that the	428
comprehensive plan does not include the functions of the attorney	429
general pursuant to sections 109.91 and 109.92 of the Revised	430
Code;	431
(4) Adjudication or diversion of persons charged with	432
criminal offenses or delinquent acts;	433
(5) Custodial treatment of criminal offenders, delinquent	434
children, or both;	435
(6) Institutional and noninstitutional rehabilitation of	436
criminal offenders, delinquent children, or both.	437
(E) "Metropolitan county criminal justice services agency"	438
means an agency that is established pursuant to division (A) of	439
section 5502.64 of the Revised Code.	440
(F) "Administrative planning district" means a district that	441
is established pursuant to division (A) or (B) of section 5502.66	442
of the Revised Code.	443
(G) "Criminal justice coordinating council" means a criminal	444
justice services agency that is established pursuant to division	445
(D) of section 5502.66 of the Revised Code.	446
(H) "Local elected official" means any person who is a member	447
of a board of county commissioners or township trustees or of a	448
city or village council, judge of the court of common pleas, a	449
municipal court, or a county court, sheriff, county coroner,	450
prosecuting attorney, city director of law, village solicitor, or	451
mayor.	452

(I) "Juvenile justice coordinating council" means a juvenile justice services agency that is established pursuant to division (D) of section 5502.66 of the Revised Code.

(J) "Mcgruff house program" means a program in which individuals or families volunteer to have their homes or other buildings serve as places of temporary refuge for children and to display the mcgruff house symbol identifying the home or building as that type of place.

(K) "Mcgruff house symbol" means the symbol that is characterized by the image of "mcgruff," the crime dog, and the slogan "take a bite out of crime," and that has been adopted by the national crime prevention council as the symbol of its national citizens' crime prevention campaign.

(L) "Sponsoring agency" means any of the following:

(1) The board of education of any city, local, or exempted village school district;

(2) The governing board of any educational service center;

(3) The governing authority of any chartered nonpublic school;

(4) The police department of any municipal corporation, township, township police district, or joint township police district;

(5) The office of any township constable or county sheriff.

Sec. 5502.62. (A) There is hereby created in the department of public safety a division of criminal justice services. The director of public safety, with the concurrence of the governor, shall appoint an executive director of the division of criminal justice services. The executive director shall be the head of the division. The executive director shall serve at the pleasure of

the director of public safety. To carry out the duties assigned 482
under this section and to comply with sections 5502.63 to 5502.66 483
of the Revised Code, the executive director, subject to the 484
direction and control of the director of public safety, may 485
appoint and maintain any necessary staff and may enter into any 486
necessary contracts and other agreements. The executive director 487
of the division, and all professional and technical personnel 488
employed within the division who are not public employees as 489
defined in section 4117.01 of the Revised Code, shall be in the 490
unclassified civil service, and all other persons employed within 491
the division shall be in the classified civil service. 492

(B) Subject to division (F) of this section and subject to 493
divisions (D) to (F) of section 5120.09 of the Revised Code 494
insofar as those divisions relate to federal criminal justice acts 495
that the governor requires the department of rehabilitation and 496
correction to administer, the division of criminal justice 497
services shall do all of the following: 498

(1) Serve as the state criminal justice services agency and 499
perform criminal justice system planning in the state, including 500
any planning that is required by any federal law; 501

(2) Collect, analyze, and correlate information and data 502
concerning the criminal justice system in the state; 503

(3) Cooperate with and provide technical assistance to state 504
departments, administrative planning districts, metropolitan 505
county criminal justice services agencies, criminal justice 506
coordinating councils, agencies, offices, and departments of the 507
criminal justice system in the state, and other appropriate 508
organizations and persons; 509

(4) Encourage and assist agencies, offices, and departments 510
of the criminal justice system in the state and other appropriate 511
organizations and persons to solve problems that relate to the 512

duties of the division;	513
(5) Administer within the state any federal criminal justice acts that the governor requires it to administer;	514 515
(6) Administer funds received under the "Family Violence Prevention and Services Act," 98 Stat. 1757 (1984), 42 U.S.C.A. 10401, as amended, with all powers necessary for the adequate administration of those funds, including the authority to establish a family violence prevention and services program;	516 517 518 519 520
(7) Implement the state comprehensive plans;	521
(8) Audit grant activities of agencies, offices, organizations, and persons that are financed in whole or in part by funds granted through the division;	522 523 524
(9) Monitor or evaluate the performance of criminal justice system projects and programs in the state that are financed in whole or in part by funds granted through the division;	525 526 527
(10) Apply for, allocate, disburse, and account for grants that are made available pursuant to federal criminal justice acts, or made available from other federal, state, or private sources, to improve the criminal justice system in the state. Except as otherwise provided in this division, all money from such federal grants shall, if the terms under which the money is received require that the money be deposited into an interest-bearing fund or account, be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the federal program purposes fund, which is hereby created. All investment earnings of the federal program purposes fund shall be credited to the fund. All money from such federal grants that require that the money be deposited into an interest-bearing fund or account, that are intended to provide funding to local criminal justice programs, and that require that investment earnings be distributed for program purposes shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the federal justice programs fund, which	528 529 530 531 532 533 534 535 536 537 538 539 540 541 542 543

is hereby created. All investment earnings of the federal justice
programs fund shall be credited to the fund and distributed in
accordance with the terms of the grant under which the money is
received.

(11) Contract with federal, state, and local agencies,
foundations, corporations, businesses, and persons when necessary
to carry out the duties of the division;

(12) Oversee the activities of metropolitan county criminal
justice services agencies, administrative planning districts, and
criminal justice coordinating councils in the state;

(13) Advise the director of public safety, general assembly,
and governor on legislation and other significant matters that
pertain to the improvement and reform of criminal and juvenile
justice systems in the state;

(14) Prepare and recommend legislation to the director of
public safety, general assembly, and governor for the improvement
of the criminal and juvenile justice systems in the state;

(15) Assist, advise, and make any reports that are requested
or required by the governor, director of public safety, attorney
general, or general assembly;

(16) Develop and maintain the Ohio incident-based reporting
system in accordance with division (C) of this section;

(17) Subject to the approval of the director of public
safety, adopt rules pursuant to Chapter 119. of the Revised Code;

(18)(a) Not later than June 1, 2007, and subject to the
approval of the director of public safety, adopt rules for the
establishment and maintenance of a mcgruff house program by any
sponsoring agency. The rules shall include the following:

(i) The adoption of the mcgruff house symbol to be used
exclusively in all mcgruff house programs in this state;

(ii) The requirements for any sponsoring agency to establish and maintain a mcgruff house program; 574
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(iii) The criteria for the selection of volunteers to participate in a mcgruff house program that shall include, but not be limited to, criminal background checks of those volunteers; 576
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(iv) Any other matters that the division of criminal justice services considers necessary for the establishment and maintenance of mcgruff house programs by sponsoring agencies and the participation of volunteers in those programs. 579
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(b) The division of criminal justice services shall distribute materials and provide technical assistance to any sponsoring agency that establishes and maintains a mcgruff house program, any volunteer group or organization that provides assistance to that sponsoring agency, or any volunteer who participates in a mcgruff house program. 583
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(C) The ~~office~~ division of criminal justice services shall develop and maintain the Ohio incident-based reporting system to facilitate the sharing of information with the federal bureau of investigation and participating law enforcement agencies in Ohio. The Ohio incident-based reporting system shall be known as OIBRS. In connection with OIBRS, the ~~office~~ division shall do all of the following: 589
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(1) Collect and organize statistical data for reporting to the national incident-based reporting system operated by the federal bureau of investigation for the purpose of securing federal criminal justice grants; 596
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(2) Analyze and highlight mapping data for participating law enforcement agencies; 600
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(3) Distribute data and analyses to participating law enforcement agencies; 602
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(4) Encourage nonparticipating law enforcement agencies to participate in OIBRS by offering demonstrations, training, and technical assistance;

(5) Provide assistance, advice, and reports requested by the governor, the general assembly, or the federal bureau of investigation;

(6) Require every law enforcement agency that receives federal criminal justice grants or state criminal justice information system general revenue funds through the ~~office~~ division to participate in OIBRS or in the uniform crime reporting program of the federal bureau of investigation. An agency that submits OIBRS data to the Ohio local law enforcement information sharing network shall be considered to be in compliance with division (C)(6) of this section if both of the following apply:

(a) The Ohio local law enforcement information sharing network is capable of collecting OIBRS data.

(b) The ~~office~~ division of criminal justice services has the ability to extract the OIBRS data for reporting to the national incident-based reporting system in the manner required by the federal bureau of investigation.

(D) Upon the request of the director of public safety or governor, the division of criminal justice services may do any of the following:

(1) Collect, analyze, or correlate information and data concerning the juvenile justice system in the state;

(2) Cooperate with and provide technical assistance to state departments, administrative planning districts, metropolitan county criminal justice service agencies, criminal justice coordinating councils, agency offices, and the departments of the juvenile justice system in the state and other appropriate

organizations and persons; 634

(3) Encourage and assist agencies, offices, and departments 635
of the juvenile justice system in the state and other appropriate 636
organizations and persons to solve problems that relate to the 637
duties of the division. 638

(E) Divisions (B), (C), and (D) of this section do not limit 639
the discretion or authority of the attorney general with respect 640
to crime victim assistance and criminal justice programs. 641

(F) Nothing in this section is intended to diminish or alter 642
the status of the office of the attorney general as a criminal 643
justice services agency or to diminish or alter the status or 644
discourage the development and use of other law enforcement 645
information systems in Ohio. 646

Section 2. That existing sections 2917.46, 2933.41, 3313.206, 647
5502.61, and 5502.62 and section 3301.076 of the Revised Code are 648
hereby repealed. 649

Section 3. (A) Sections 1 and 2 of this act, except for 650
sections 2933.41, 5502.61, and 5502.62 of the Revised Code, shall 651
take effect July 1, 2007. 652

(B) Section 2933.41 of the Revised Code, as amended by this 653
act, shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law. 654

(C) Sections 5502.61 and 5502.62 of the Revised Code, as 655
amended by this act, shall take effect April 1, 2007. 656

Section 4. (A) On July 1, 2007, the duty of the State Board 657
of Education to adopt rules for the establishment and maintenance 658
of a Block Parent Program and any other responsibilities of the 659
State Board of Education relating to that Program as provided in 660
section 3301.076 of the Revised Code shall cease to exist. 661

(B) On or after April 1, 2007, but not later than June 1, 2007, the Division of Criminal Justice Services in the Department of Public Safety shall adopt rules for the establishment and maintenance of a McGruff House Program pursuant to sections 5502.61 and 5502.62 of the Revised Code, as amended by this act. The rules adopted by the Division of Criminal Justice Services under this division shall take effect July 1, 2007.

(C)(1) Any Block Parent Program that is established, sponsored, or maintained prior to July 1, 2007, under section 3301.076 or 3313.206 of the Revised Code or any rule adopted by the State Board of Education pursuant to section 3301.076 of the Revised Code and that is in existence on June 30, 2007, shall cease to exist on July 1, 2007. Any chartered nonpublic school, volunteer, agency, or entity that participates in that Block Parent Program under section 3313.206 of the Revised Code or any rule adopted by the State Board of Education pursuant to section 3301.076 of the Revised Code shall cease to participate in that Program on July 1, 2007.

(2) Not later than June 30, 2007, any municipal or township police department, township police district, county sheriff's department, other law enforcement agency, chartered nonpublic school, volunteer, or entity that is using the Block Parent symbol established by the State Board of Education pursuant to section 3301.076 of the Revised Code or any rule adopted by the State Board of Education pursuant to that section, shall cease to use that symbol and shall remove the symbol or cause its removal from any house or building in which it is displayed by that department, district, agency, school, volunteer, or entity. Except as provided in division (C)(3) of this section, the appropriate department, district, agency, school, volunteer, or entity immediately shall return all of the Block Parent symbols used, displayed, or possessed by it to the appropriate board of education or other

entity that under section 3313.206 of the Revised Code or any rule 694
adopted pursuant to section 3301.076 of the Revised Code 695
established, sponsored, or maintained the Block Parent Program in 696
which the symbol was used. 697

(3) A board of education or other entity to which the Block 698
Parent symbols are returned as provided in division (C)(2) of this 699
section shall destroy all of those returned symbols and any other 700
Block Parent symbols possessed by that board or entity. If a 701
municipal or township police department, township police district, 702
county sheriff's department, other law enforcement agency, 703
chartered nonpublic school, or other entity that is using the 704
Block Parent symbol as provided in division (C)(2) of this section 705
also established or is sponsoring or maintaining the Block Parent 706
Program in which the symbol is used, that department, district, 707
agency, school, or entity shall destroy all of the Block Parent 708
symbols that are used, displayed, or possessed by it. The 709
destruction of all Block Parent symbols pursuant to this division 710
shall be made not later than July 10, 2007. 711

Section 5. Section 181.52 (5502.62) of the Revised Code is 712
presented in this act as a composite of the section as amended by 713
both Sub. H.B. 4 and Am. Sub. H.B. 66 of the 126th General 714
Assembly. The General Assembly, applying the principle stated in 715
division (B) of section 1.52 of the Revised Code that amendments 716
are to be harmonized if reasonably capable of simultaneous 717
operation, finds that the composite is the resulting version of 718
the section in effect prior to the effective date of the section 719
as presented in this act. 720