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Committee**

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**A B I L L**

To enact section 5.091 of the Revised Code to adopt 1  
the children's book *Lentil* as the official 2  
children's book of the state and to designate its 3  
author, Robert McCloskey, as the official 4  
children's book author of the state. 5

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

**Section 1.** That section 5.091 of the Revised Code be enacted 6  
to read as follows: 7

**Sec. 5.091.** The children's book, *Lentil*, is the official 8  
children's book of the state. The author of *Lentil*, Robert 9  
McCloskey, born in Hamilton, Ohio, is the official children's book 10  
author of the state. 11