# **Ohio Legislative Service Commission**

# **Bill Analysis**

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## H.B. 374

130th General Assembly (As Introduced)

**Reps.** Patterson and Rogers, Ramos, Barborak, Antonio, Fedor, R. Hagan

#### **BILL SUMMARY**

• To make an appropriation for additional funding for the Straight A Program.

#### **CONTENT AND OPERATION**

## Straight A Program supplemental funding

The bill appropriates from the GRF \$114 million in fiscal year 2014 and \$290 million in fiscal year 2015 to expand the Straight A Program. The bill also permits the Director of Budget and Management, in consultation with the Director of Medicaid, to reduce GRF appropriations to be affected by the Medicaid eligibility expansion by those amounts in each fiscal year.

The Straight A Program provides grants to various educational entities, including school districts, colleges, and universities, for projects that aim to achieve significant advancement in student achievement, spending reductions, or utilization of a greater share of classroom resources.<sup>1</sup>

#### **HISTORY**

ACTION DATE

Introduced 12-04-13

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Section 263.325 of Am. Sub. H.B. 59 of the 130th General Assembly.