

Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: S.B. 21 of the 129th G.A. **Date**: April 15, 2011

Status: As Passed by the Senate **Sponsor**: Sen. Wagoner

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Contents: Requests a statue of Thomas Edison to represent Ohio in the National Statuary Hall Collection

State Fiscal Highlights

No direct fiscal effect on the state.

Local Fiscal Highlights

No direct fiscal effect on political subdivisions.

Detailed Fiscal Analysis

The bill requests that the Congressional Joint Committee on the Library of Congress approve the replacement of Ohio's current statue of Governor William Allen with a new statue of Thomas Edison in the National Statuary Hall Collection at the United States Capitol. The Architect of the Capitol requires states to pay the cost of removing and replacing a statue, whether through public or private sources of funding. Currently, the Ohio Statuary Hall Commission is raising private funds to support these costs. No state funds will be used for the project.

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