

Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Final Analysis

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- Reps. T. Johnson, Grossman, Derickson, Ginter, M. O'Brien, Dever, Huffman, Antonio, Bishoff, Brown, Duffey, Sears, Amstutz, Anielski, Baker, Barnes, Blessing, Boyd, Buchy, Burkley, Celebrezze, DeVitis, Dovilla, Gerberry, Green, Hagan, Hall, Hayes, Kraus, Landis, Leland, Lepore-Hagan, S. O'Brien, Patterson, Phillips, Rogers, Ruhl, Ryan, Slesnick, K. Smith, R. Smith, Sprague, Stinziano, Strahorn, Sweeney, Terhar, Young
- Sens. Tavares, Jones, Bacon, Balderson, Beagle, Coley, Eklund, Hite, Hughes, LaRose, Lehner, Manning, Obhof, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Skindell, Thomas, Uecker, Yuko

Effective date: September 24, 2015

ACT SUMMARY

• Designates November as "Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency Awareness Month."

CONTENT AND OPERATION

The act designates November as "Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency Awareness Month."¹

Alpha-1 antitrypsin deficiency is a condition in which the body does not make enough of a protein that protects the lungs and liver from damage. It is caused by a genetic defect and can lead to emphysema and liver disease.²

¹ R.C. 5.2299.

² U.S. National Library of Medicine, National Institutes of Health, Medline Plus, *Alpha-1 antitrypsin deficiency*, available at <u>www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/ency/article/000120.htm</u>.

HISTORY

ACTION DATE Introduced 02-03-15 Reported, H. Health & Aging 02-18-15 Passed House (94-0) 02-18-15 Reported, S. Health & Human Services 04-22-15 Passed Senate (32-0) 06-03-15

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