

Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Synopsis of House Committee Amendments*

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Adds all of the following to the Senate-passed version:

- Increases the compensation of General Assembly members by 4% in 2019, 4% in 2020, 3% in 2021, and 1.75% in 2022 through 2028 and also increases the supplements provided to General Assembly members who serve certain roles on committees.
- Increases the Lieutenant Governor's statutory salary to match the salaries of the Secretary of State, Auditor of State, Treasurer of State, and Attorney General and allows the Lieutenant Governor to accept the salary of the head of an office within the Governor's office in lieu of the Lieutenant Governor's statutory salary.
- Increases the compensation of statewide executive officers (Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor of State, Treasurer of State, and Attorney General) by 4% in 2019, 4% in 2020, 3% in 2021, and 1.75% in 2022 through 2028.
- Increases the compensation of judges by 1.75% in 2020 through 2028.
- Increases the compensation of county commissioners, county auditors, county treasurers, county recorders, county engineers, coroners, and clerks of courts of common pleas by 5% in 2019, 5% in 2020, and 1.75% in 2021 through 2028.
- Increases the compensation of county sheriffs and county prosecuting attorneys by 1.75% in 2020 through 2028.
- Increases the compensation of township trustees, township fiscal officers, and members of boards of elections by 1.75% in 2019 through 2028.
- Creates the Public Office Compensation Advisory Commission and requires the Commission annually to submit a compensation plan and report to the General Assembly regarding the Commission's recommended compensation amounts for the public officers listed above.
- * This synopsis does not address amendments that may have been adopted on the House Floor.

- Creates the Office of InnovateOhio within the Office of the Governor and requires the Governor to appoint the Director and necessary personnel and to set the Office's duties.
- Declares an emergency.

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