



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Bill Analysis

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(As Introduced)

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BILL SUMMARY

The bill designates the following roadway and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the roadway:

Designated Name	Roadway
The "Lt. Col. Albert L. Allen, Jr. Memorial Highway" ¹	A portion of Interstate Route 71, commencing at the southwest border of Ashland County and proceeding in a southwesterly direction to the interchange of that Interstate and State Route 39 in Richland County.

COMMENT

Lt. Col. Albert L. Allen, Jr. was deployed in WWII to the Philippines in November of 1941. Surviving the infamous Bataan Death March, Albert spent more than three years as a POW. He was liberated in August of 1945, honorably discharged in April of 1946, and subsequently served in the Army Reserves for 24 years. Lt. Col. Allen was awarded the Silver Star, three Bronze Stars, three Purple Hearts, three Presidential Citations, and numerous campaign medals.

HISTORY

ACTION

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¹ R.C. 5534.29.