



# Ohio Legislative Service Commission

## Bill Analysis

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### S.B. 225

131st General Assembly  
(As Reported by S. Health and Human Services)

**Sens.** Bacon, Yuko, Hughes, Gardner, Beagle, Tavares, Brown

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## BILL SUMMARY

- Designates June 1 as "Hypoparathyroidism Awareness Day."

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## CONTENT AND OPERATION

### Hypoparathyroidism Awareness Day

The bill designates the first day of June as "Hypoparathyroidism Awareness Day."<sup>1</sup>

Hypoparathyroidism is a rare condition that occurs when the parathyroid glands in the neck do not produce enough parathyroid hormone (PTH). Having too little PTH causes low levels of calcium and high levels of phosphorus in the body. This condition may not cause any serious medical problems when it is detected early, but it does require lifelong monitoring and treatment.<sup>2</sup>

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## HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
Introduced	10-13-15
Reported, S. Health & Human Services	04-20-16

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<sup>1</sup> R.C. 5.232.

<sup>2</sup> Janelle Martel, Healthline, *Hypoparathyroidism*, available at <http://www.healthline.com/health/hypoparathyroidism#Overview1>.