

November 10, 2017

Representative Andrew Brenner
Chairman Education and Career Readiness
77 S. High St., 13th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Chairman Brenner.

Last spring the Ohio Coalition for Quality Education (OCQE) testified against House Bill 21.

After working with Representative Hambley, a new version of the bill, L-132-0083-6, was created. This version aligns with both the language and the intent of Senate Bill 316 passed five years ago and we believe contains responsible changes while doing no harm to public charter schools and, most importantly, their students.

If L-132-0083-6 is accepted as the new substitute bill and there are no additional changes in the House or Senate, OCQE will not oppose HB 21. We are officially changing our position from 'opponent' to 'interested party'.

Regards,



Ron F. Adler
OCQE President

cc: Representative Hambley

