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Representatives Cutrona, Swearingen

A BILL

To provide grants to bars and restaurants and the	1
lodging industry and to make an appropriation.	2

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 201.10. All items in the sections of this act	3
numbered in the 200s are hereby appropriated as designated out	4
of any moneys in the state treasury to the credit of the	5
designated fund. For all operating appropriations made in these	6
sections, those in the first column are for fiscal year 2020 and	7
those in the second column are for fiscal year 2021. The	8
operating appropriations made in this act are in addition to any	9
other operating appropriations made for the FY 2020-FY 2021	10
biennium.	11
Section 209.10.	12
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A			DEV DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AGENCY		
B	Dedicated Purpose Fund Group				

C	5CV1	195561	Bar and Restaurant Assistance	$0	$100,000,000
D	5CV1	195562	Lodging Industry Grants	$0	$25,000,000
E			TOTAL DPF Dedicated Purpose Fund Group	$0	$125,000,000
F			TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS	$0	$125,000,000

BAR AND RESTAURANT ASSISTANCE 14

The foregoing appropriation item 195561, Bar and 15
Restaurant Assistance, shall be used by the Development Services 16
Agency to provide grants to bars and restaurants that have been 17
impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Grants shall be awarded in 18
amounts of $10,000, $20,000, and $30,000 and shall be awarded 19
based on factors such as demonstrated loss of revenue and the 20
number of employees eligible bars and restaurants employ. 21

LODGING INDUSTRY GRANTS 22

The foregoing appropriation item 195562, Lodging Industry 23
Grants, shall be used by the Development Services Agency to 24
provide grants for lodging industry businesses impacted by the 25
COVID-19 pandemic. Grants shall be awarded in amounts of 26
$10,000, $20,000, and $30,000 and shall be awarded based on 27
factors such as a demonstrated loss of revenue and occupancy 28
rates. 29

Section 250.10. Within the limits set forth in this act, 30
the Director of Budget and Management shall establish accounts 31
indicating the source and amount of funds for each appropriation 32
made in this act, and shall determine the form and manner in 33
which appropriation accounts shall be maintained. Expenditures 34
from operating appropriations contained in the sections of this 35

act numbered in the 200s shall be accounted for as though made   36

in H.B. 166 of the 133rd General Assembly. The operating   37

appropriations made in these sections are subject to all   38

provisions of H.B. 166 of the 133rd General Assembly that are   39

generally applicable to such appropriations.   40

    Section 812.10. Sections 201.10, 209.10, and 250.10 of   41

this act are exempt from the referendum under Ohio Constitution,   42

Article II, section 1d and therefore take effect immediately   43

when this act becomes law.   44