

Dear Honorable Chairman Wiggam, Vice-Chair Stephens,  
Ranking Member Kelly, and Members of the House State and  
Local Government Committee:

Thank you so much for this opportunity to provide written testimony regarding SB 311. I ask all of you to support this piece of legislation that reigns in the Ohio Department of Health Director's apparent authority and implements checks and balances for any ODH order issued by requiring approval from Ohio's General Assembly. The executive branch of our State is currently making decisions that our elected legislators and senators should be making to fairly represent the citizens of Ohio. Ohioans deserve to have their voice back. Our Governor and the Health Director have been running our state without any input from the citizens of Ohio or those elected to represent us at the Statehouse. Please support SB 311 and give us our voice back.

Thank you for your consideration of this written testimony and your service to our state.

Sincerely,  
Krystal Pokorny