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# **Bill Analysis**

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Primary Sponsors: Reps. White and Humphrey

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#### **SUMMARY**

- Expresses the General Assembly's intent to support strong foundations for mothers and babies in order to address maternal and infant mortality and improve health and developmental outcomes.
- Designates the legislation as the "Strong Foundations Act."

#### **DETAILED ANALYSIS**

## Strong foundations for mothers and babies

The bill enacts the "Strong Foundations Act." The bill states that it is the intent of the 135<sup>th</sup> General Assembly to do the following:<sup>1</sup>

- Support strong foundations for Ohio mothers and babies in their first 1,000 days to address maternal and infant mortality; and
- Improve health and developmental outcomes for babies, mothers, and families by expanding prenatal, postnatal, and infant and toddler services and supports.

### **HISTORY**

Action	Date
Introduced	02-15-23
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> R.C. 3701.616.