

As Reported by the House Education Committee

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A BILL

To enact section 3311.051 of the Revised Code to
authorize the Auditor of State to conduct a
performance audit of an educational service
center and to require a comprehensive
performance audit of all educational service
centers. 1 2 3 4 5 6

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

Section 1. That section 3311.051 of the Revised Code be
enacted to read as follows: 7 8

Sec. 3311.051. The auditor of state, on the auditor of
state's initiative, may conduct a performance audit of an
educational service center. 9 10 11

Section 2. Not later than three years after the effective
date of this section, the Auditor of State shall conduct a
comprehensive performance audit of all educational service
centers in the state. The cost of the comprehensive performance
audit shall be paid to the auditor of state by the educational
service centers in proportion to each educational service
center's student count. 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

The Auditor of State shall submit a report of the 19

performance audit to the Department of Education, the State 20
Board of Education, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, 21
the Governor, the educational service centers, the Speaker and 22
Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, and the 23
President and Minority Leader of the Senate. 24

The State Board of Education may consider the Auditor of 25
State's report of the performance audit in its formulation of 26
performance standards for educational service centers, if any, 27
and in its determination of high-performing educational service 28
centers under Section 263.390 of Am. Sub. H.B. 64 of the 131st 29
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