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A BILL

To enact section 5104.043 of the Revised Code	1
regarding parental notice of serious risks to	2
the health or safety of children receiving child	3
care.	4

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

Section 1. That section 5104.043 of the Revised Code be	5
enacted to read as follows:	6
Sec. 5104.043. (A) If the department of job and family	7
services determines that a child day-care center, type A family	8
day-care home, or licensed type B family day-care home has	9
created a serious risk to the health or safety of a child	10
receiving care in the center or home, the licensee shall notify	11
the caretaker parent of each child receiving care in the center	12
or home of the department's determination.	13
(B) With respect to the notice required by division (A) of	14
this section, all of the following apply:	15
(1) The licensee shall notify caretaker parents not later	16

than thirty days after the department informs the licensee of   17
the department's determination.   18

   (2) The notice shall include a statement encouraging each   19
caretaker parent to visit the web site maintained by the   20
department for further information regarding the determination.   21

   (3) The licensee may provide written or electronic notice   22
to caretaker parents.   23

   (4) The licensee shall provide a copy of the notice to the   24
department.   25

   (C) The director of job and family services shall adopt   26
rules to enforce this section.   27

   (D) The requirements of this section do not apply if the   28
department suspends the license of a child day-care center, type   29
A family day-care home, or licensed type B family day-care home   30
pursuant to section 5104.042 of the Revised Code.   31