

Legislative Update

To: State Board of Education

Re: Legislative Update Date: June 29, 2012

State Activity

Bills Signed by the Governor

Governor Kasich signed the following bills this week.

- <u>Senate Bill 316</u> (Lehner, R-Kettering), the Education MBR
- House Bill 437 (Roegner, R-Hudson and Patmon, D-Cleveland), to increase the maximum distance that school board-owned motor vehicles may travel on out-of-state trips from 240 miles to 1,000 miles

This Week's Committees

Extended Subcommittee on Primary and Secondary Education

The Extended Subcommittee on Primary and Secondary Education met on Thursday and heard testimony on funding equity and funding following the child from the following individuals:

- Russ Harris, Ohio Education Association
- Jason Warner, School Choice Ohio
- Chris Pfister, Superintendent of the Waynesfield-Goshen Local School District
- Rhonda Hills, Parent
- Bill Sims, Ohio Alliance of Public Charter Schools
- Barbara Shaner, Ohio Association of School Business Officials
- Damon Asbury, Ohio School Boards Association
- Tom Ash, Buckeye Association of School Administrators
- Howard Fleeter, Education Tax Policy Institute

Next Week's Committees

There will be no committee meetings next week.

Federal Activity

There is no federal activity to report for the week.