

HOUSE BILL No. 1300

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 5-14-3.4.

Synopsis: State grants data base. Requires the Indiana department of administration (department) and the office of technology to create a state grants website to serve as a central location for information on grants administered by executive branch state agencies. Requires an executive branch state agency to provide grant information to the department before commencing a grant solicitation or award process.

Effective: July 1, 2023.

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First Regular Session of the 123rd General Assembly (2023)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 5-14-3.4 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2023]:

4 **Chapter 3.4. State Grants Data Base**
5 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "executive state agency" has the**
6 **meaning set forth in IC 5-14-3.3-2.**

7 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "grant" means the allocation of**
8 **financial assistance funds by an executive state agency through a**
9 **competitive or first-come, first-served award process, including**
10 **allocation of federal financial assistance funds administered by an**
11 **executive state agency. The term does not include:**

12 (1) the procurement of goods or services for an executive state
13 agency; or

14 (2) the acquisition, construction, alteration, improvement, or
15 repair of real property for an executive state agency.

16 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "website" means the state grants**
17 **website created and administered under section 4 of this chapter.**



1 **Sec. 4. Not later than January 1, 2024, the Indiana department**
 2 **of administration and the office of technology established by**
 3 **IC 4-13.1-2-1 shall create and administer a website that:**

- 4 **(1) provides a central location for grant information;**
 5 **(2) is accessible through the department's website; and**
 6 **(3) meets the standards set forth in IC 5-14-3.3.**

7 **Sec. 5. After December 31, 2023, an executive state agency may**
 8 **not commence a grant solicitation or grant award process until the**
 9 **executive state agency provides the department with the following**
 10 **information:**

- 11 **(1) The grant:**
 12 **(A) title; and**
 13 **(B) identification number.**
 14 **(2) The grant's revenue source.**
 15 **(3) The grant's purpose.**
 16 **(4) A brief description of the grant.**
 17 **(5) Any eligibility requirements, including required matching**
 18 **funds.**
 19 **(6) Any geographic limitations on the grant.**
 20 **(7) A description of the:**
 21 **(A) total available grant funding;**
 22 **(B) number of grant awards; and**
 23 **(C) amount per grant award.**
 24 **(8) The period of time covered by the grant.**
 25 **(9) The date the grant will be issued.**
 26 **(10) The deadline for submission of grant applications.**
 27 **(11) The Internet address for electronic submission of grant**
 28 **applications, if applicable.**
 29 **(12) The contact information for the executive state agency**
 30 **employee responsible for communicating grant requirements.**

31 **Sec. 6. Not later than five (5) business days after receipt of the**
 32 **information under section 5 of this chapter, the department shall**
 33 **post information on the website. An executive state agency shall**
 34 **immediately notify the department of any subsequent changes in**
 35 **grant information. The department shall regularly update the**
 36 **website to maintain the accuracy of the grant information.**

37 **Sec. 7. An executive state agency shall provide a link on the**
 38 **executive state agency's website to the state grants website.**
 39 **Nothing in this chapter prohibits an executive state agency from**
 40 **maintaining grant information on the executive state agency's own**
 41 **website.**

