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## - Bill Summary :

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## Overview

This bill requires the commissioner of health to submit a summary of a proposed federal funds request to the legislature for review, and requires the Legislative Advisory Commission to give the summary a positive recommendation or no recommendation for the commissioner to be authorized to submit the federal funds request.

## **Section**

Funds received from other sources. Amends § 144.074. Before submitting a request for federal funds, requires the commissioner of health to submit a summary of the proposed request to the legislature, and specifies information that must be included in the summary. Directs the Legislative Advisory Commission (LAC) to review and make a recommendation on the federal funds request summary. Provides that if the LAC makes a negative recommendation or a request for more information within 20 days after the request is submitted, the commissioner cannot submit the federal funds request. If the LAC makes a positive recommendation or no recommendation within 20 days after the request is submitted, the commissioner may submit the federal funds request. Specifies procedures the LAC must use to make a recommendation. Provides that a federal funds request approved under this section is also subject to federal funds expenditure review by the legislature under section 3.3005.