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## AGENCY MEMORANDUM OF RESPONSE

**TO:** Jacob Ritzenthaler, Regulatory Policy Advocate

**CC:** Sean Mccullough  
Director of the Common Sense Initiative Office Ohio Lieutenant Governor

**FROM:** Amy Koorn *Amy B. Koorn*  
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**RE:** Certificate of Need  
(OAC Chapter Rules 3701-12-05 and 3701-12-23)

**DATE:** January 24, 2022

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Thank you for permission to move forward with Original Filing O.A.C. Rules 3701-12-05 and 3701-12-23 - Certificate of Need. This rule package consists of two amended rules proposed by the Ohio Department of Health (ODH). This rule package was submitted to the CSI Office on October 14, 2021, and the public comment period was held open through November 14, 2021. No comments were received during this time period. The Ohio Department of Health appreciates your time, effort and energy in reviewing this rule package.