

May 23, 2000

**H 1652. S.A.D. STUDY FUNDS.** *TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AN INDEPENDENT STUDY OF SOCIAL ANXIETY DISORDER.* Creates Joint Legislative Study Committee on Social Anxiety Disorder, composed of 16 members: four Representatives and two public members appointed by the Speaker; four Senators and two public members appointed by President Pro Tempore; four public members appointed by the Governor. Committee is to study prevalence of the disorder, effects of the disorder, costs of treatment, and whether it should be covered under health benefits plans. Appropriates \$25,000 for 2000-2001 from General Fund to General Assembly to implement the act. Effective July 1, 2000.

**Intro. by Edwards.**

Ref. to Rules	APPROP
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