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H 1955. STUDY/DPI & ST. BD. OF EDUCATION. Filed 5/7/07. *CREATING THE LEGISLATIVE SPECIAL COMMISSION ON THE EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.*

As title indicates. Provides that the Legislative Special Commission (Commission) will consist of five members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker and five members of the Senate appointed by the President Pro Tem. by September 1, 2007. Specifies matters to be considered in the legislative review of the State Board of Education and the Department of Public Instruction. Provides authority for the Commission to exercise its powers and carry out its duties. Requires the Commission to report the study results and its recommendations to the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly upon its convening. Provides that the Commission terminates upon filing its report or the convening of the 2008 Regular Session, whichever comes first. Appropriates \$100,000 for 2007-08 from the General Fund to the General Assembly for the expenses of the Commission. Effective July 1, 2007.

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