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S 1085. LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GASOLINE SHORTAGES. Filed 3/26/09. TO ESTABLISH THE LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON GASOLINE SHORTAGES.

Establishes the *Legislative Study Commission on Gasoline Shortages* (Commission). Provides that the Commission is composed of 15 members: five senators appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, five house members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and five members appointed by the Governor representing specified occupations. Directs the Commission to study the issues of gasoline shortages in the state, particularly those that occurred in western NC after Hurricanes Ike and Gustav. Requires the Commission to submit a final report to the 2010 Regular Session of the 2009 General Assembly on the Commission's findings and recommendations. Provides that the Commission is to terminate upon the filing of its final report or the convening of the 2011 General Assembly, whichever comes first. Appropriates \$50,000 for 2009-10 and \$50,000 for 2010-11 from the General Fund to the General Assembly to fund the work of the Commission.

Intro. by Snow. STUDY