
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2020 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 251
by Representative HilfertyAMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 5, after "is" and before "members" delete "comprised in part of thirty-six voting" and insert "composed of forty"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

"(jj) One member of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, appointed by the president of the board.

(kk) One early childhood development and education specialist, appointed by the president of the Center for Development and Learning."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"(7) Gather and analyze data, laws, and policy in Louisiana and other states where children are in the care of family child care providers and consider and make recommendations relative to the incorporation of such providers into the early childhood care and education network.

(8) Establish and appoint members to a task force to identify and recommend alternative state and local funding strategies for quality early childhood care and education. The commission shall incorporate the task force's findings and recommendations into the report that the commission produces pursuant to Subsection F of this Section.

(a) The state Department of Education shall provide staff support for the task force.

(b) The task force shall have the following nine members:

(i) The two co-chairs of the commission, each of whom may designate someone to serve in his place.

(ii) One representative of the business community.

(iii) One person with significant experience in the generation and administration of local government revenue.

(iv) One representative of a statewide public policy organization involved in early childhood issues.

(v) One representative of a statewide foundation or nonprofit organization involved in early childhood issues.

(vi) One representative of a child advocacy or community organization.

(vii) One representative of a public postsecondary education institution in Louisiana representing the discipline of economics with experience in the study of local, state, and regional fiscal policy.

(viii) One parent of a child in a publicly funded childcare center, Early Head Start Center, Head Start Center, or stand-alone prekindergarten program."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 6, at the beginning of line 26, after "F." and before "the 2021" delete "Before" and insert "Not later than fourteen days prior to the beginning of"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 5

2 On page 6, line 27, after "recommendations." and before "the" delete "Before" and insert
3 "Not later than fourteen days prior to the beginning of"

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