The original instrument was prepared by Carla S. Roberts. The following digest, which does not constitute a part of the legislative instrument, was prepared by Tim Prather.

DIGEST

Crowe SCR No. 113

Creates the Louisiana Balance of Powers Study Commission to study federally generated laws, regulations, policies, procedures, directives and orders placed upon the state by the federal government and to recommend any action or legislation that the commission deems necessary and appropriate.

Provides that the members of the commission shall be:

- (1) The Senate president or his designee.
- (2) The House speaker or his designee.
- (3) Three Senate members appointed by the president, one of whom shall be a member of the minority party and one of whom shall be designated co-chair.
- (4) Three House members appointed by the speaker, one of whom shall be a member of the minority party and one of whom shall be designated co-chair.

Specifies that the members of the commission serve without compensation, except for such reimbursement or per diem they are individually entitled to as members of the constituent group they represent.

Requires that the commission may make a written report of its recommendations to the legislature, with any recommendations for legislation, not later than 60 days prior to the 2014 RS.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

<u>Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental</u>
Affairs to the original bill

1. Removers language relative to federal and state powers.