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Subject Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity

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Overview

This bill establishes a Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity. The commission consists of eight legislators: four each from the house and senate, with the appointment powers balanced equally between the majority and minority caucuses in each body.

The commission is required to provide oversight related to the state's cybersecurity measures, including review of the policies and practices of state agencies, and recommending changes to protect against cyber threats. The commission is also permitted to develop recommendations and draft legislation to support and strengthen the state's cybersecurity infrastructure.

Meetings of the commission are subject to the legislative open meetings law, but may be closed as needed to discuss details of the state's cybersecurity measures.

Summary

Section Description

1 Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity.

Establishes the Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity, as described above. This section provides specific details regarding the commission's membership, duties, meeting requirements, and other details necessary for the commission to function. This section also provides that the commission expires December 31, 2028.

2 First appointments and first meeting of Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity.

Directs procedures for making initial appointments and convening the first meeting of the commission. The commission is required to meet at least twice in 2021.

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