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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill creates the Legislative Health Care Workforce Commission with the goal of studying and providing recommendations to strengthen the healthcare workforce.

Section

- 1 Legislative Health Care Workforce Commission.
 - **Subd. 1. Legislative oversight.** Provides that the purpose of the Legislative Health Care Workforce Commission is to study and provide recommendations to the legislature on how to strengthen the healthcare workforce.
 - **Subd. 2. Membership.** Requires five members of the senate and five members of the house to be on the commission with each body's membership having three members of the majority party and two members of the minority party.
 - **Subd. 3. Report to the legislature.** Requires the commission to provide a report to the legislature by December 31, 2014 and states report requirements.
 - **Subd. 4. Assistance to the commission.** Requires the commissioners of health, human services, commerce, and other state agencies to provide assistance and technical support to the commission at the commission's request.
 - **Subd. 5. Expiration.** States the commission expires January 1, 2015.

Effective date. Effective the day following final enactment.