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Amendments to Senate Joint Resolution No. 35
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Requested by Representative Kathleen Galvin-Halcro

For the House Business and Labor Committee

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1. Page 2.

Following: line 4

Insert: "WHEREAS, the transfer of administrative responsibilities from the Department of Commerce to the Department of Labor and Industry pursuant to Chapter 483, Laws of 2001, resulted in reorganization of the licensing process for the majority of boards with the intent of increasing efficiency and effectiveness, which was reviewed by a legislative audit report in June 2004 that resulted in legislation in the 2005 Legislature regarding differentiation of board and department responsibilities; and
WHEREAS, continued evaluation of the reorganization is desirable, along with analysis of board budgets with direct input from boards and licensees as well as the department; and"

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Following: line 27

Insert: "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the study continue the exploration done by the legislative audit study into fees paid by licensees regarding the purposes of fees, their correlation to program and board costs, the equity of charges against board budgets, the adequacy of board and department services for the fees being paid, and ways for improving the effectiveness of linking fees to services.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the study review past and present board and department licensing procedures to determine what entity provides the best public protection through licensing and verification of licensing documentation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the study include direct board and public input regarding whether the resources provided by the department to which a board is attached are adequate to carry out a board's statutory obligations, whether the support by the department is equitable among boards, and whether statutory policies and possibly further reorganization are necessary to address these concerns."

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