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LEGISLATIVE BILL 653

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Committee: Executive Board

A BILL

- 1 FOR AN ACT relating to the Legislature; to create the Legislature's
- 2 Planning Committee.
- 3 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. The Legislature's Planning Committee is hereby
2 established as a special legislative committee to exercise the
3 authority and perform the duties provided for in this section. The
4 committee shall be composed of the Speaker of the Legislature, the
5 chairperson of the Executive Board of the Legislative Council, the
6 chairperson of the Appropriations Committee of the Legislature, and
7 other members of the Legislature to be chosen by the Executive
8 Board of the Legislative Council. The executive board shall
9 ensure that the Legislature's Planning Committee includes adequate
10 geographic representation. The chairperson and vice-chairperson of
11 the committee shall be elected by majority vote. The committee
12 shall be subject to all rules prescribed by the Legislature.
13 The committee shall be reconstituted at the beginning of each
14 Legislature and shall meet as needed. The committee shall have
15 staff support from the various legislative divisions and staff
16 and may contract for other assistance with the approval of the
17 executive board.