

Amendment to SB 310-FN

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 AN ACT establishing a committee to study the feasibility of establishing community-based  
4 services pilot programs.

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6 Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:

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8 1 Committee Established. There is established a committee to study the feasibility of  
9 establishing community-based services pilot programs.

10 2 Membership and Compensation.

11 I. The members of the committee shall be as follows:

12 (a) Two members of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

13 (b) Three members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the  
14 house of representatives.

15 II. Members of the committee shall receive mileage at the legislative rate when attending to  
16 the duties of the committee.

17 3 Duties. The committee shall determine if community-based services pilot programs would be  
18 effective in preventing children from entering the foster care system by addressing potential issues  
19 before they rise to a crisis level that result in children being removed from the home. The  
20 committee may solicit information and testimony from any individual or entity the committee deems  
21 relevant to its study.

22 4 Chairperson; Quorum. The members of the study committee shall elect a chairperson from  
23 among the members. The first meeting of the committee shall be called by the first-named senate  
24 member. The first meeting of the committee shall be held within 45 days of the effective date of this  
25 section. Three members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

26 5 Report. The committee shall report its findings and any recommendations for proposed  
27 legislation to the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of representatives, the senate  
28 clerk, the house clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2018.

29 6 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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**AMENDED ANALYSIS**

This bill establishes a committee to study the feasibility of establishing community-based services pilot programs.