State of Arkansas
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SENATE BILL 440

By: Senator Broadway
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For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON
SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN AND PRACTICES; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON
SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN AND
PRACTICES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 22-3-1806 is amended to read as follows:

22-3-1806. Legislative Task Force on Sustainable Building Design and
Practices.

(a) The Legislative Task Force on Sustainable Building Design and
Practices is established to:

(1) Continue to review, discuss, and advise on issues related to
sustainable design and practices for buildings;

(2) Monitor case-study projects and evaluate performance and
outcomes relevant to high-performance building strategies;

(3) Serve as a reference for educational resources;

(4) Ask for a review of sustainable building design and
practices performed by state agencies;

(5) Develop goals and strategies to promote energy efficiency in
state buildings; and

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

Act 1336 of the Regular Session
(6) Identify and promote new and innovative air conditioning and heating products or services that conserve energy and reduce energy usage.

(b)(1) The task force shall be composed of no more than twenty (20) members. The number of members shall be determined by agreement between the Chair of the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the Chair of the House Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor.

(2) The Chair of the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the Chair of the House Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor shall appoint the membership pursuant to procedure agreed upon by the chairs.

(3) The task force shall include members of the General Assembly and members of the public.

(4) The cochairs of the task force shall be members of the General Assembly. One (1) cochair shall be a member of the Senate and one (1) cochair shall be a member of the House of Representatives.

(c) The legislative members of the task force shall be entitled to mileage and per diem at the same rate as for attending other legislative committees.

(d) The task force shall receive staff support from the Bureau of Legislative Research.

(e) The task force shall expire on July 1, 2009, unless continued by an act of the General Assembly.

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