BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

The SA expands the size of the Dyslexia and Education Task Force from 19 to 20 and modifies the makeup and duties of the task force. It includes an emergency.

The bill creates the Dyslexia and Education Task Force with the purpose of creating a dyslexia handbook that will provide guidance for schools, students, and parents in identification, intervention, and support of students with dyslexia. Appointments to the task force must be made by September 1, 2017, and final report must be presented to the Legislature and Governor by December 1, 2018.

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Fiscal Analysis

ESA to EHB 2008 provides for the creation of a Dyslexia and Education Task Force until December 31, 2018. The purpose of the 20 member task force will be to create a specified dyslexia handbook. Members of the task force will not be reimbursed for travel expenses. The task force will issue a report of its findings, and staff assistance will be provided by the House of Representatives and the State Senate. There is no anticipated fiscal impact other than incidental related work.

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Other Considerations

None.

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