

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 56th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB2820
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Impact:	Agency Savings from Elimination of Travel Reimbursements

Research Analysis

HB 2820 makes the Commissioner of Agriculture an appointee of the Governor with the consent of the Senate and provides that the State Board of Agriculture will serve in an advisory capacity to the Commissioner. The bill also repeals the statutory authorization for the board to receive travel reimbursement.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 2822 in its current form, converts the State Board of Agriculture to an advisor body and shifts powers and duties to the Commissioner of Agriculture. The measure also eliminates travel reimbursement for board members. Agency savings will occur as a result of the eliminated travel reimbursements.

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Other Considerations

None.