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The FS for SB 1602 creates the Law Enforcement Unification Task Force until September 30, 2021. The Task Force is directed to study, evaluate, and make recommendations concerning the possible unification of state public safety agencies within this state. The Task Force shall be comprised of the directors of state law enforcement agencies as well as two members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and two members appointed by the Speaker of the House and 4 members of local law enforcement agencies. The two members of the Legislature appointed by the Speaker and President Pro Tempore shall cochair the Task Force. Members of the Task Force shall receive no travel reimbursements or other forms of compensation. The Task Force must provide a report on its findings no later than August 1, 2021, to the Legislature.

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