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Bill Analysis

The CS for SB 1663 modifies the duties of the Friends of the Capitol corporation to include maintenance and modification projects. The measure also modifies the membership of the Capitol-Medical Center Improvement and Zoning Commission by removing the Chair of the Long-Range Capital Planning Commission and replacing it with a legislative liaison. Language requiring the appointment of 1 of 2 members to be approved by the Citizens' Advisory Committee. The legislative liaison position in the Service Bureau is modified by providing that the liaison shall be a permanent member of the Capitol Preservation Committee. The legislative liaison shall also be the primary contact for Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliance for the Capitol. All proposals for enhancement, modification, preservation, or restoration of the Capitol and Capitol grounds, and the Governor's Mansion and grounds shall be submitted to the Liaison. The measure strikes language creating the State Capitol Repair Expenditure Oversight Committee. Additionally, the measure modifies the membership of the State Capitol Preservation Commission. The CS directs the Department of Public Safety to create a security plan for the Capitol and Capitol grounds and the Governor's Mansion.

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