FIRST REGULAR SESSION HOUSE BILL NO. 1363

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 21, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the Missouri youth funds legislative oversight committee.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 21, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be 2 known as section 21.1060, to read as follows:

21.1060. There is hereby created the "Missouri Youth Funds Legislative Oversight Committee". The committee shall consist of three members of the house of representatives 2 appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives and three members of the senate 3 4 appointed by the president pro tempore of the senate. No more than two of the house of representatives members and no more than two of the senate members shall be from the 5 same political party. The committee shall ensure that each agency contracted by the board 6 is in compliance with its action plan to give priority to providing services to low-income 7 8 populations and communities in the greatest need of services, and that all youth funds in the state are audited annually and such audits are submitted to the committee. Members 9 10 of the committee shall report to the governor, president pro tempore of the senate, and speaker of the house of representatives on the activities of all youth funds in the state and 11 12 compliance with the required action plans during the preceding fiscal year no later than 13 October first of each year. The boards of directors of all youth funds in this state shall 14 report to the committee such information as the committee may deem necessary for its annual report. The committee shall determine best practices for youth programs and 15 16 services and analyze further needs from the state perspective. Members of the committee shall receive no compensation in addition to their salary as members of the general 17 assembly but may receive their necessary expenses while attending meetings of the 18 committee. 19

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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