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[BUDGET AFFECTED]

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Page 1-line 12 After "committee" insert "and a task force".

Page 145-after line 5 Insert the following new section and renumber as necessary:

"[BLOCKCHAIN TASK FORCE]

Section 333.

(a) There is created the blockchain task force. The task force shall be composed of:

(i) Two (2) members of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate, and two (2) members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the house. Not more than three (3) of the legislative members of the task force shall be from the same political party;

ii) Three (3) members appointed by the governor.

(b) The task force shall identify governance issues related to blockchain technology and develop appropriate legislation to be recommended to one (1) or more appropriate legislative committees for consideration.

(c) The task force shall be staffed by the legislative service office. The task force shall terminate on January 1, 2020.

(\$20,000.00) from the general fund to the legislative service office for the period beginning with the effective date of this section and ending June 30, 2020. This appropriation shall only be expended for funding salary, mileage and per diem of legislative members of the task force for attendance at meetings of the task force. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, this appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for any other purpose and any unexpended, unobligated funds remaining

from this appropriation shall revert as provided by law on June 30, 2020.

(e) There is appropriated ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) from the general fund to the governor's office for the period beginning with the effective date of this section and ending June 30, 2020. This appropriation shall only be expended for funding mileage and per diem of members of the task force appointed by the governor for attendance at meetings of the task force. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, this appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for any other purpose and any unexpended, unobligated funds remaining from this appropriation shall revert as provided by law on June 30, 2020.

(f) This section is effective immediately.".

18 To the extent required by this amendment: adjust totals; and renumber as necessary. OLSEN, HARSHMAN, MILLER, NICHOLAS