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MEMORANDUM

To:

Committee on K-12 Education Budget

From:

Nick Myers, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date:

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Subject:

Bill Brief - HB 2594

House Bill 2594 would establish the education funding task force. The education task force would consist of 11 voting members and three ex-officio nonvoting members.

The 11 voting members would consist of:

- Two members of the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house;
- One member of the house of representatives appointed by the house minority leader;
- Two members of the senate appointed by the senate president;
- One member of the senate appointed by the senate minority leader;
- One member of the state board of education appointed by the state board of education;
- One member, who shall be a parent of a K-12 student who attends a school of a school district, appointed by the speaker of the house;
- One member, who shall be a parent of a K-12 student who attends a school of a school district, appointed by the senate president; and
- Two superintendents, one from a rural school district and one from an urban school district, appointed by the state board of education.

The three ex-officio nonvoting members would consist of:

- The commissioner of education or the commissioner's designee;
- The chairperson for the Kansas children's cabinet or the chairperson's designee; and
- The director of the division of the budget or the director's designee.