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fiscal year ending September 30, 2026 and creates the  
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Rural Health  
Transformation Program Funds.

Replace line 18 on page 1 with the following:

September 30, 2026; and to create the Joint  
Legislative Oversight Committee on Rural Health  
Transformation Program Funds.

Replace line 26 on page 1 with the following:

September 30, 2026 for the following:

Replace lines 80 through 81 on page 3 with the following:

available.

Section 5. (a) There is hereby created a Joint  
Legislative Oversight Committee on Rural Health  
Transformation Program Funds, hereinafter referred to as  
the committee. The committee shall consist of the Chair  
of the House Ways and Means - General Fund Committee;



25 the Chair of the Senate Finance and Taxation - General  
26 Fund Committee; three members of the House Ways and Means  
27 - General Fund Committee appointed by the chair of the  
28 committee, including the ranking minority member of the  
29 committee, or his or her designee; and three members of  
30 the Senate Finance and Taxation - General Fund Committee  
31 appointed by the chair of the committee, including the  
32 ranking minority member of the committee, or his or her  
33 designee; the Minority Leader of the House of  
34 Representatives; the Minority Leader of the Senate; the  
35 Speaker of the House of Representatives, or his or her  
36 other designee; the President Pro Tempore of the Senate,  
37 or his or her designee; a member of the House of  
38 Representatives appointed by the Speaker; and a member of  
39 the Senate, appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the  
40 Senate. The Chair of the House Ways and Means - General  
41 Fund Committee and the Chair of the Senate Finance and  
42 Taxation - General Fund Committee shall be co-chairs of  
43 the oversight committee. The committee shall hold its  
44 organizational meeting within 30 days following the  
45 effective date of this act and shall meet at the call of  
46 the co-chairs thereafter.

47 (b) The co-chairs of the oversight committee, on  
48 behalf of the oversight committee, shall have authority



49           to request and receive reports, supplemental information,  
50           or data from the Department of Economic and Community  
51           Affairs or the administering entity related to the  
52           implementation of the programs funded in this act and any  
53           other act appropriating Rural Health Transformation  
54           Program Funds and to conduct hearings and receive  
55           testimony therein related to the implementation of the  
56           aforesaid programs.

57                     Section 6. This act shall become effective  
58           immediately