

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2–
Committee on Education

FILE NUMBER.....

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Directing the Legislative Commission to conduct an interim study concerning the governance and oversight of the system of K-12 public education in this State.

WHEREAS, An effective system of public education depends upon an effective and efficient system of state governance and oversight; and

WHEREAS, Nevada's current structure of governance and oversight for the system of public education consists of:

1. The Department of Education, which includes the State Board of Education, the State Board for Career and Technical Education and the Superintendent of Public Instruction;
2. The Commission on Professional Standards in Education;
3. The Commission on Educational Technology;
4. The regional training programs for the professional development of teachers and administrators, the Statewide Council for the Coordination of the Regional Training Programs and the governing bodies of the regional training programs;
5. The Council to Establish Academic Standards for Public Schools;
6. The Commission on Educational Excellence; and
7. The Legislative Committee on Education and the Legislative Bureau of Educational Accountability and Program Evaluation; and

WHEREAS, The Nevada Legislature hereby recognizes the need for a review and evaluation of the current structure of governance for the system of K-12 public education to ensure that the structure of governance is organized in a manner which provides for efficient operation and which meets the educational needs of the residents of this State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the Legislative Commission is hereby directed to appoint a committee composed of three members of the Senate and three members of the Assembly, one of whom must be appointed as Chairman of the committee, to conduct an interim study of the system of K-12 public education in this State, including the current governance and oversight structure of the system; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the committee shall recommend such action as may be necessary for the efficient and effective operation of the



governance and oversight structure of the system of K-12 public education in this State to ensure the steady progression of Nevada's public schools and the achievement of Nevada's pupils; and be it further

RESOLVED, That any recommended legislation proposed by the committee must be approved by a majority of the members of the Senate and a majority of the members of the Assembly appointed to the committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Legislative Commission shall submit a report of the results of the study and any recommendations for legislation to the 76th Session of the Nevada Legislature.

