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State of Arizona  
House of Representatives  
Fiftieth Legislature  
First Regular Session  
2011

# HOUSE BILL 2710

AN ACT

ESTABLISHING THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON OUTCOME-BASED EDUCATION  
FUNDING.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Joint legislative study committee on outcome-based  
3 education funding; membership; duties; report;  
4 delayed repeal

5 A. The joint legislative study committee on outcome-based education  
6 funding is established consisting of the following members:

7 1. Two members of the senate, neither of whom are members of the same  
8 political party, who are appointed by the president of the senate.

9 2. Two members of the house of representatives, neither of whom are  
10 members of the same political party, who are appointed by the speaker of the  
11 house of representatives.

12 3. The executive director of the state board of education or the  
13 executive director's designee.

14 4. An employee of the department of education who is appointed by the  
15 superintendent of public instruction.

16 5. A representative from a statewide organization of school business  
17 officials who is appointed by the president of the senate.

18 6. A representative from a statewide organization of school district  
19 governing board members who is appointed by the speaker of the house of  
20 representatives.

21 7. A representative from a statewide organization of school  
22 superintendents who is appointed by the president of the senate.

23 8. A representative from a statewide organization of business and  
24 education persons who is appointed by the speaker of the house of  
25 representatives.

26 9. A certificated teacher who currently provides classroom instruction  
27 in kindergarten or grades one through five, and who is a member of a  
28 statewide organization representing teachers and school district employees,  
29 who is appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives.

30 10. A certificated teacher who currently provides classroom instruction  
31 in grades six through eight who is appointed by the president of the senate.

32 11. A certificated teacher who currently provides classroom instruction  
33 in grades nine through twelve who is appointed by the speaker of the house of  
34 representatives.

35 B. The committee shall:

36 1. Develop legislation for consideration during the fiftieth  
37 legislature, second regular session, that will transition public school  
38 funding from a system based on instructional hours to a system based on  
39 student achievement and that includes consideration of:

40 (a) The interaction of current voter-approved revenue sources and  
41 spending requirements with the new proposed system of public school funding.

42 (b) The entities that will be responsible for the determination of  
43 appropriate student outcomes on which the new proposed system of public  
44 school funding will be based.

1           2. Submit a report regarding the committee's activities and  
2 recommendations for legislative action on or before December 31, 2011 to the  
3 governor, the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of  
4 representatives and provide a copy of this report to the secretary of state.

5           C. This section is repealed from and after September 30, 2012.

6           Sec. 2. Emergency

7           This act is an emergency measure that is necessary to preserve the  
8 public peace, health or safety and is operative immediately as provided by  
9 law.