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2 Representatives Cina of Burlington, Chesnut-Tangerman of Middletown  
3 Springs, Colburn of Burlington, Buckholz of Hartford, Donahue of Northfield,  
4 Dunn of Essex, Gonzalez of Winooski, Morris of Bennington, Pugh of South  
5 Burlington, and Weed of Enosburgh move that the bill be amended as follows:

6 First: In Sec. 9, by striking out subsection (b) in its entirety and inserting in  
7 lieu thereof a new subsection (b) to read:

8 (b) Membership. The Advisory Group shall be composed of the following  
9 18 members:

10 (1) the Executive Director of the Vermont Superintendents Association  
11 or designee;

12 (2) the Executive Director of the Vermont School Boards Association or  
13 designee;

14 (3) the Executive Director of the Vermont Council of Special Education  
15 Administrators or designee;

16 (4) the Executive Director of the Vermont Principals' Association or  
17 designee;

18 (5) the Executive Director of the Vermont-National Education  
19 Association or designee;

20 (6) the Executive Director of the Vermont Independent Schools  
21 Association or designee;

1           (7) three representatives of the Agency of Education selected by the  
2           Secretary, one with management responsibility for special education practices,  
3           one with financial responsibility, and one with special education program  
4           responsibility;

5           (8) one member selected by the Vermont Superintendents Association;

6           (9) one member selected by the Vermont Principals' Association;

7           (10) two members selected by the Vermont Council of Special  
8           Education Administrators;

9           (11) one member selected by the Vermont-National Education  
10          Association who is a special education teacher;

11          (12) two members selected by the Vermont Association of School  
12          Business Officials;

13          (13) one member selected by the Vermont Legal Aid Disability Law  
14          Project; and

15          (14) one member who is either a family member guardian or education  
16          surrogate of a student requiring special education services or a person who has  
17          received special education services directly, selected by the Vermont Coalition  
18          for Disability Rights.

19          Second: In Sec. 9, Census-based Funding Advisory Group, by striking out  
20          subsection (h) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subsection (h)  
21          to read:

1        (h) Appropriation. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in  
2        16 V.S.A. § 4025, the sum of \$7,200.00 is appropriated for fiscal year 2018  
3        from the Education Fund to the Agency of Education to provide funding for the  
4        purposes set forth in this section.