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3 By Representatives Robinson (J), Buskey, McClendon, Irons and
4 Oden
5 RFD: Rules
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8 CREATING THE TWO-YEAR COLLEGE SYSTEM JOINT INTERIM
9 LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

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11 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
12 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the Two-Year College System
13 Joint Interim Legislative Committee is created. The committee
14 shall be composed of five members of each house, to be
15 appointed by the presiding officer of each house. The
16 membership of the committee shall be inclusive and reflect the
17 racial, gender, geographic, urban and rural, and economic
18 diversity of the state. The chair and vice chair of the
19 committee shall be elected at the first meeting by the members
20 of the committee. The committee shall study all facets of the
21 two-year college system and shall adopt the recommendations of
22 the Final Report of the House of Representatives Interim
23 Legislative Study Committee To Assess The Two-year College
24 System, submitted to the Alabama State Legislature on January
25 21, 2010.

26 Upon the request of the chair, the Secretary of the
27 Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall

1 provide necessary clerical assistance for the work of the
2 committee. The committee shall report its findings,
3 conclusions, and recommendations to the Legislature not later
4 than the fifth legislative day of the 2011 Regular Session,
5 whereupon the committee shall stand dissolved and discharged
6 of any further duties and liabilities. Each member of the
7 committee shall be entitled to his or her regular legislative
8 compensation, his or her per diem, and travel expenses for
9 each day he or she attends a meeting of the committee. Upon
10 requisitions signed by the chair of the committee, these
11 payments shall be paid out of any funds appropriated to the
12 use of the Legislature by means of warrants drawn by the
13 Comptroller on the State Treasury. Notwithstanding the
14 foregoing, no member shall receive additional legislative
15 compensation or per diem when the Legislature is in session or
16 if a member is being paid any other payments on the same dates
17 for attendance on other state business. The total expenditures
18 of the committee shall not exceed \$5,000.