By Senator Hill

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 1   A bill to be entitled

 2   An act relating to the Florida Retirement

 3   System; creating a commission to study the

 4   costs and benefits of transferring system

 5   members who are employed in mental health

 6   facilities into the Special Risk Class;

 7   providing for commission membership; providing

 8   for travel and per diem; providing for staff;

 9   requiring a report and recommendations;

10   providing an effective date.

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12   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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14   Section 1. A study commission consisting of the

15   following members is created to study the costs and benefits

16   of including in the Special Risk Class of the Florida

17   Retirement System members of that system whose place of

18   employment is in a mental health facility. The President of

19   the Senate shall appoint three members, the Speaker of the

20   House of Representatives shall appoint three members, and the

21   Governor shall appoint three members. Appointments must be

22   completed no later than 15 days after the effective date of

23   this act. Members shall elect a chair from their number.

24   Members may not receive compensation for their service on the

25   commission but are eligible to be reimbursed for travel and

26   per diem as are public officers and employees under s.

27   112.061, Florida Statutes. The study commission may not employ

28   staff, but the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the

29   House of Representatives may designate legislative staff

30   having relevant expertise to provide staff services for the

31   commission. The commission shall report its findings and

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1 recommendations to the President of the Senate, the Speaker of

2 the House of Representatives, and the Governor no later than

3 January 1, 2008.

4   Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a

5 law.

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8   SENATE SUMMARY

9   Creates a commission to study the costs and benefits of
    transferring members of the Florida Retirement System
10 whose employment is in mental health facilities into the
    system's Special Risk Class.

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