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CRIMINAL JUSTICE FUNDING AND STRATEGIES

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STUDY ASSIGNMENT: The Special Committee is directed to study funding of the criminal justice system and strategies to adequately and sustainably fund the criminal justice system. The study shall include consideration of funding for prosecutors, defense attorneys, and courts and collection of fees and surcharges imposed on criminal defendants.

17 MEMBERS: 1 Senator; 3 Representatives; and 13 Public Members.

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