

(1) APPOINT EXPERT REVIEW PANELS TO EVALUATE LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS OR STATUTES REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE FOR REVIEW; AND

(2) DESIGNATE THE CHAIR OF EACH PANEL; ~~AND~~

~~(3) WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE, ESTABLISH A TIME SCHEDULE FOR THE REVIEW OF EXISTING STATUTES ON MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS AND NONDISCRIMINATION PROVISIONS.~~

(E) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL:

(1) IDENTIFY EXPERT MEMBERS FOR THE VARIOUS PANELS TO BE APPOINTED BY THE COMMITTEE;

(2) SUPERVISE AND NEGOTIATE THE CONSULTANT CONTRACTS AND THE DAY-TO-DAY OPERATIONS OF THE PANELS;

(3) GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE:

(I) OF THE APPOINTMENT OF THE PANELS;

(II) THAT THE RECORDS OF THE PANELS ARE OPEN TO PUBLIC INPUT AND REVIEW; AND

(III) OF THE DATES AND LOCATION OF THE PANELS' MEETINGS AND HEARINGS;

(4) ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 10, TRANSMIT ~~THE PANELS' REPORTS~~ EACH PANEL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR AND THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE TO ALLOW TIME FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE PANEL'S REPORT AND ACTIONS AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY;

(5) TRANSMIT THE PANELS' REPORTS TO ANY STATE AGENCY THAT IS IDENTIFIED AS BEING AFFECTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL OR STATUTE UNDER REVIEW; AND

(6) ADMINISTER THE BUSINESS OF THE COMMITTEE AND THE PANELS.

(F) (1) (I) THE PANEL SHALL CONSIST OF OBJECTIVE EXPERT PERSONNEL SELECTED FROM AMONG PERSONS WHO ARE SKILLED IN HEALTH RESEARCH, ECONOMICS, STATISTICS, OR ACTUARIAL SCIENCE, AND MAY INCLUDE HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS OR PRACTITIONERS.

~~(II) THE PANELS MAY CONSIST OF EXISTING LEGISLATIVE, EXECUTIVE, OR INSTITUTIONAL STAFF OR, WHEN APPROPRIATE, OUTSIDE EXPERTS.~~

(II) THE PANELS SHALL CONSIST OF: