(H) A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION:

- (1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION; BUT
- (2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.
 - (I) (1) THE COMMISSION SHALL STUDY:
- (1) ALL ASPECTS OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT AS CURRENTLY AND HISTORICALLY ADMINISTERED IN THE STATE).
- (II) WHETHER THE DEATH PENALTY RATIONALLY SERVES A LEGITIMATE PENOLOGICAL INTENT, INCLUDING DETERRENCE WITHIN THE PRISON SYSTEM AS IT RELATES TO THE SAFETY OF CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS;
- (III) WHAT DIFFERENCE EXISTS BETWEEN THE COST OF IMPOSITION OF THE DEATH PENALTY FROM INDICTMENT TO EXECUTION AND THE COST OF LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE, FACTORING IN THE COST OF ALL CAPITAL OFFENSE TRIALS THAT HAVE RESULTED IN LIFE SENTENCES AS WELL AS THE DEATH SENTENCES REVERSED ON APPEAL;
- (IV) WHETHER THE DEATH PENALTY IS CONSISTENT WITH EVOLVING STANDARDS OF DECENCY;
- (V) WHETHER THE SELECTION OF CASES IN THE STATE FOR CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IS ARBITRARY, UNFAIR, OR DISCRIMINATORY;
- (VI) WHETHER THERE IS ARBITRARY, UNFAIR, OR DISCRIMINATORY VARIABILITY AT ANY STAGE IN THE PROCESS FOR A CAPITAL CASE:
- (VII) WHETHER THERE IS A DIFFERENCE IN THE CRIMES OR CIRCUMSTANCES OF THOSE SENTENCED TO DEATH AND THOSE SENTENCED TO LIFE IN PRISON; AND
- (VIII) WHETHER ALTERNATIVES TO THE DEATH PENALTY EXIST THAT WOULD SUFFICIENTLY ENSURE PUBLIC SAFETY AND ADDRESS OTHER LEGITIMATE SOCIAL AND PENOLOGICAL INTERESTS, INCLUDING THE INTERESTS OF THE FAMILIES OF VICTIMS.