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HB 345 Engrossed

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**Abstract:** Authorizes an advisory subcommittee to BESE to advise the board regarding Dept. of Education recommendations.

Present law requires the annual, formal evaluation of every public school teacher and administrator through the professional employee evaluation program.

Present law requires the State Bd. of Elementary and Secondary Education to require the Accountability Commission, which was established by the board, to convene an advisory subcommittee of the commission. Requires the subcommittee to report on and make recommendations regarding the overall effectiveness of the evaluation program, including but not limited to any recommendations for changes to policy or present law relative to the value-added model, growth measures, elements of evaluation, and standards for effectiveness.

Proposed law retains present law and additionally authorizes the advisory subcommittee to consider and advise the board regarding whether adjustments to regulations proposed by the Dept. of Education and referred to the subcommittee by the board should be adopted, rejected, or modified.

(Amends R.S. 17:3883(A)(6)(a)(intro. para.), (b), and (c))