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Overview

Establishes a schedule for certain actions relating to the legislative process. Appropriates money for expenses of the governor-elect when a new person is elected as governor.

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1 Schedule for consideration of legislation.

Subd. 1. Agency bills. Requires agency bills to be delivered to the Revisor by November 1, with some exceptions.

Subd. 2. Resolution for structure of budget bills. Requires that by January 15 of each odd-numbered year, the legislature adopt a concurrent resolution designating major budget bills and allocating state program and budget accounts among these bills.

Subd. 3. Deadline resolution. Requires that by January 31 of each odd-numbered year, the legislature adopt a concurrent resolution establishing committee deadlines.

Subd. 4. State of the state. Encourages the Governor to make a state of the state address, in January of odd-numbered years and within the first ten days of the legislative session in an even-numbered year. Encourages the Governor to announce major legislative policy initiatives before or during this address.

Subd. 5. Executive submission of budget bills. Requires the governor to submit bills necessary to implement the operating budget within ten days after the detailed budget

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must be presented to the legislature.

Subd. 6. Price of government. References adoption of the price of government resolution required by current law.

Subd. 7. Individual budget resolutions. Requires that by April 1 of odd-numbered years that house and the senate each adopt a budget resolution establishing overall expenditure targets and separate targets for each major budget bill.

2 Expenses of governor-elect. Provides a statutory appropriation of money for expenses of a governor-elect, when a new person is elected governor.