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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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Representative Metz offered the following:

**Amendment**

Remove lines 2302-2337 and insert:

189.068 ~~189.428~~ Special districts; authority for oversight; general oversight review process.-

(1) The Legislature finds it to be in the public interest to establish an oversight review process for special districts wherein each special district in the state may be reviewed by the appropriate oversight entity as provided in this part ~~local general-purpose government in which the district exists~~. The Legislature further finds and determines that such law fulfills an important state interest. It is the intent of the Legislature that the oversight review process shall contribute to informed

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15 decisionmaking. These decisions may involve the continuing  
16 existence or dissolution of a district, the appropriate future  
17 role and focus of a district, improvements in the functioning or  
18 delivery of services by a district, and the need for any  
19 transition, adjustment, or special implementation periods or  
20 provisions. Any final recommendations from the oversight review  
21 process that are adopted and implemented by the appropriate  
22 level of government shall not be implemented in a manner that  
23 would impair the obligation of contracts.

24 (2) Special districts may be reviewed for general  
25 oversight purposes under this section as follows:

26 (a) All special districts created by special act may be  
27 reviewed by the Legislature using the public hearing process  
28 provided in s. 189.034.

29 (b) All special districts created by local ordinance or  
30 resolution may be reviewed by the local general-purpose  
31 government that enacted the ordinance or resolution using the  
32 public hearing process provided in s. 189.035.

33 ~~(2) It is the intent of the Legislature that any oversight~~  
34 ~~review process be conducted in conjunction with special district~~  
35 ~~public facilities reporting and the local government evaluation~~  
36 ~~and appraisal report process described in s. 189.415(2).~~

37 ~~(3) The order in which Special districts may be subject to~~  
38 ~~oversight review shall be determined by the reviewer and shall~~  
39 ~~occur as follows:~~

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40        (c)~~(a)~~ All dependent special districts may be reviewed by  
41 the local general-purpose ~~local~~ government to which they are  
42 dependent.

43        (d) All special districts created or established by rule  
44 of the Governor and Cabinet may be reviewed as directed by the  
45 Governor and

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