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AGENDA

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Public Hearing

SB 227 ** **Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means
Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Education for Educator Advancement Council to provide professional learning opportunities related to ethnic studies standards adopted by department.

SB 232
Directs Department of Education, in collaboration with Teacher Standards and Practices Commission, to conduct study to identify most effective methods to diversify educator workforce and to report results of study to interim committee of Legislative Assembly related to education.

Work Session

SB 53
Updates terminology and funding provisions related to special education programs provided on local, county or regional basis.

SB 55
Directs Office of School Facilities to administer statewide facilities assessment program.

SB 52
Directs Department of Education to develop and implement statewide education plan for students who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, two-spirit, intersex, asexual, nonbinary or another minority gender identity or gender orientation.

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Possible Work Session

Possible Introduction of Committee Measures

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Note change: A Work Session on SB 52 has been added to the agenda.

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