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**AGENT ORANGE COMMISSIONERS**

**House Bill 4625**

**Sponsor: Rep. Robert DeMars**

**Committee: Military & Veterans Affairs**

**Complete to 3-22-91**

**A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4625 AS INTRODUCED 3-21-91**

Public Act 49 of 1987 created the Agent Orange Commission within the Department of Public Health and prescribes various duties for the commission such as researching the effects of exposure to Agent Orange and other chemicals by veterans of the Vietnam conflict, and relaying research information to affected persons. The commission is composed of 14 members who serve for two-year terms, 12 of whom are appointed by the governor; these 12 appointees, however, may only be reappointed once. The bill would permit gubernatorially-appointed commissioners to be reappointed more than once.

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