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**APPLICABILITY OF OPEN MEETINGS LAW TO  
QUASI-GOVERNMENTAL BODIES**

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**STUDY ASSIGNMENT:** The committee is directed to: (a) review recent Attorney General opinions regarding the applicability of the Open Meetings Law to “quasi-governmental” bodies, such as economic development corporations, to determine whether the public policy set forth in those opinions is desirable; and (b) develop legislation to clarify the applicability of the Open Meetings Law to quasi-governmental bodies either by codifying those policies or by delineating the specific condition under which quasi-governmental bodies are subject to the Open Meetings Law.

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