

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 255

**By Representatives Mike Turner, Borchert, Tidwell, Odom, West, Sherry  
Jones, Moore, Rinks**

A RESOLUTION to create a special House committee to study commercial fishing and musseling in Tennessee.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that there is hereby created a special House committee to study commercial fishing and commercial musseling in Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the committee shall consist of five (5) members of the House of Representatives, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all appropriate state agencies shall provide assistance to the special House committee upon request of the chair.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all legislative members of the special House committee who are duly elected members of the General Assembly shall remain members of such committee until the committee reports its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the special House committee shall be convened by the member with the most years of continuous service in the General Assembly, and at its first meeting shall elect a chair, vice-chair, and such other officers the committee deems necessary.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the special House committee shall only meet on days when the House of Representatives is otherwise meeting in session or committee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the special House committee shall timely report its findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly no later than May 1, 2009, at which time the committee shall cease to exist.

**ADOPTED: May 20, 2008**

  
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JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES