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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 28**

"THE COMPREHENSIVE PUBLIC EDUCATION REORGANIZATION ACT."

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**Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill No. 28.**

Amend Senate Bill No. 28 as engrossed, S12/16/03 (version: 12-16-2003 14:52):

Page 17, delete line 11, and substitute:

"affected districts to effectuate the requirements of this act.

(i) No school district may refuse to be consolidated with or to annex any school district on the Department of Education's consolidation list if the State Board of Education orders such consolidation or annexation under this section.

(ii) To the extent possible, the State Board of Education shall cause districts that are the nearest geographically to join in consolidation or annexation so as to reduce students' travel distance and time."

