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Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

**'Resolve, Directing the State Planning
Office To Prepare a Reorganization Plan'**

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1 State Planning Office to prepare plan. Resolved: That the Executive Department, State Planning Office shall prepare a reorganization plan for the State Planning Office in which the office is nonregulatory in nature, performs planning services for agencies and is the agency responsible for the state-owned landfill; and be it further

Sec. 2 State Planning Office to conduct review. Resolved: That the Executive Department, State Planning Office shall review the powers and duties of the State Planning Office and the statutory provisions relating to the State Planning Office and prepare proposed legislation to transfer certain powers and duties of the State Planning Office to other agencies in anticipation of the reorganization of the State Planning Office in section 1 of this resolve; and be it further

Sec. 3 Report. Resolved: That the Executive Department, State Planning Office shall submit its plan under section 1 and report under section 2 to the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government by February 1, 2010. The joint standing committee may submit legislation related to this plan and report to the Second Regular Session of the 124th Legislature.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill with a resolve directing the Executive Department, State Planning Office to prepare a proposed reorganization plan that includes the office remaining responsible for the state-owned landfill.