COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS

BILL#: <u>CS/HB 717</u>	OTHER COMMITTEE REFERENCE: None
SPONSOR: Rep. Hattaway	SIMIALR/COMPANION BILLS: None

Relating To: Dept. of State

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I. SUMMARY

A. Present Situation

The Division of Administration in the Department of State has the responsibility of providing administrative support to the department. Presently, the division does not have continuing statutory authority and has relied upon the Appropriations Act for its continuation.

B. Probable Effect of Proposed Changes
This bill will establish statutory authority for the Division of Administration thereby ensuring its existence within the Department of State.

II. PRIVATE SECTOR/STATE/LOCAL FISCAL IMPACT

III. COMMENTS

The effect of this bill will have no change on the present structure or duties of the division, but statutory authority will grant full legal status to the division.

IV. AMENDMENTS

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