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## SENATE BILL No. 52

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**Synopsis:** Grandparent visitation.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning family law and juvenile law.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1       SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026] (a) **The legislative**  
2 **council is urged to assign to an appropriate study committee**  
3 **during the 2026 interim the task of studying the following:**  
4       (1) **Whether grandparent visitation rights should be**  
5 **expanded to include a grandparent who has a demonstrable**  
6 **history of meaningful contact with a child.**  
7       (2) **The petition and civil procedure requirements for**  
8 **expanding grandparent visitation rights.**  
9       (b) **This SECTION expires July 1, 2027.**

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