NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

Tentative Agenda

JUDICIAL PROCESS COMMITTEE

Wednesday, February 10, 2010 Roughrider Room, State Capitol Bismarck, North Dakota

9:00 a.m.	Call to order Roll call
	Approval of the minutes of the December 14, 2009, meeting
MENTAL HEALTH AND SEXUALLY DANGEROUS INDIVIDUAL COMMITMENT COSTS STUDY	
9:05 a.m.	Presentation by Mr. Aaron Birst, Legal Counsel, North Dakota Association of Counties, regarding the mental health and sexually dangerous individual commitment costs study
9:30 a.m.	Presentation by Mr. Peter D. Welte, State's Attorney, Grand Forks County, regarding the county costs of mental health and sexually dangerous individual commitments
9:40 a.m.	Testimony and comments from other interested persons regarding the mental health and sexually dangerous individual commitment costs study
INVOLUNTARY MENTAL HEALTH COMMITMENT PROCEDURES STUDY	
9:50 a.m.	Presentation by Ms. Susan Helgeland, Executive Director, Mental Health America of North Dakota, regarding involuntary mental health commitment concerns in the state
10:10 a.m.	Presentation by Mr. Alex Schweitzer, Superintendant, State Hospital, regarding sexual offender commitment costs
10:20 a.m.	Presentation by Ms. Tove Mandigo, Department of Human Services, regarding reimbursement for psychiatric services
10:30 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m.	Presentation by Legislative Council staff of information regarding recommendations made at the December 14, 2009, meeting
10:50 a.m.	Testimony and comments from other interested persons regarding the mental health commitment procedures and availability of psychiatric services study
	CHILD SUPPORT OBLIGATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT STUDY
11:00 a.m.	Presentation by Ms. DeAnn Pladson, Fargo, regarding child support enforcement concerns
11:30 a.m.	Presentation by Mr. Mike Schwindt, Director, Child Support Enforcement, Department of Human Services, regarding the administration fee on non-IV-D cases
11:45 a.m.	Testimony and comments from other interested persons regarding the child support obligations and enforcement study
12:00 noon	Luncheon recess
OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM FOR CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES STUDY	

Presentation by Ms. Sheri McMahon, Fargo, regarding ombudsman programs in other

Testimony and comments from other interested persons regarding the ombudsman

states and a proposal for an ombudsman program in the state

1:00 p.m.

1:30 p.m.

program study

1:45 p.m. Committee discussion

2:15 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives Shirley Meyer (Chairman), Stacey Dahl, Lois Delmore, Chris Griffin, Nancy Johnson, Joyce M. Kingsbury, Lawrence R. Klemin, Kim Koppelman, William E. Kretschmar, Lisa Wolf Senators Arden C. Anderson, Tom Fiebiger, Tom Fischer, Judy Lee, Stanley W. Lyson, Tim Mathern, Curtis Olafson, Jim Pomeroy

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