

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

**CHILD SUPPORT COMMITTEE**

Monday, September 28, 1998  
Roughrider Room, State Capitol  
Bismarck, North Dakota

9:00 a.m. Roll call  
Call to order  
Consideration of minutes of previous meeting  
Comments by Chairman Glasheim

**STATUS OF THE CHILD SUPPORT GUIDELINES DRAFTING ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

9:05 a.m. Comments by Mr. Blaine Nordwall, Child Support Guidelines Drafting Advisory  
Committee, regarding the committee's activities  
  
Comments by interested persons  
  
Committee discussion and directives

**STUDY OF THE PROVISION OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES AND CHILD CARE  
LICENSING IN THIS STATE**

**Child Care Licensing**

9:40 a.m. Comments by Ms. Corinne Bennett, Administrator, Early Childhood Services,  
Department of Human Services, regarding the status of the provision of child care  
licensing  
  
Comments by interested persons  
  
Committee discussion and directives

**Child Support Enforcement Services**

10:10 a.m. Comments by a representative of the Child Support Enforcement Unit, Department  
of Human Services, regarding the status of the central disbursement unit  
  
Comments by interested persons  
  
Committee discussion and directives

10:45 a.m. Coffee break

**STUDY OF THE ISSUES OF FAIRNESS AND EQUITY AS THEY RELATE TO THE  
CHILD SUPPORT GUIDELINES AND THE ISSUANCE AND ENFORCEMENT OF  
CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION ORDERS**

**Child Support Guidelines**

11:00 a.m. Review a bill draft regarding the definition of gross income as it applies to child  
support  
  
Comments by interested persons  
  
Committee discussion and directives

11:20 a.m. Review a bill draft regarding child support trusts  
  
Comments by interested persons  
  
Committee discussion and directives

- 11:30 a.m. Review a bill draft regarding consideration, for purposes of child support, of income from overtime and second jobs  
Comments by interested persons  
Committee discussion and directives
- 11:50 a.m. Luncheon recess
- Child Custody and Visitation Orders**
- 1:00 p.m. Presentation by committee counsel of a concurrent resolution draft regarding the work of the North Dakota Supreme Court Joint Task Force on Family Law  
Comments by interested persons  
Committee discussion and directives
- 1:10 p.m. Presentation by committee counsel of a concurrent resolution draft regarding the study of pro se representation in family law matters  
Comments by interested persons  
Committee discussion and directives
- 1:20 p.m. Presentation by committee counsel of a bill draft regarding parental rights and duties and visitation enforcement remedies  
Comments by interested persons  
Committee discussion and directives
- 1:30 p.m. Review a bill draft regarding consideration of extended visitation in determining child support  
Comments by interested persons  
Committee discussion and directives
- COMMITTEE BUSINESS**
- 1:45 p.m. Committee discussion and directives
- 2:00 p.m. Adjourn

**Committee Members**

Representatives Eliot Glassheim (Chairman), Wesley R. Belter, Linda Christenson, William R. Devlin, April Fairfield, Dale L. Henegar, George Keiser, Amy N. Kliniske, Sally Sandvig, Jim Torgerson  
Senators Dwight C. Cook, Joel C. Heitkamp, Donna L. Nalewaja, John T. Traynor