

# NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

## Tentative Agenda

### **TAXATION COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, February 8, 2000  
Roughrider Room, State Capitol  
Bismarck, North Dakota

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order  
Roll call  
Consideration of minutes of previous meeting
- 9:05 a.m. Comments by Mr. John Dwyer, President, North Dakota Lignite Energy Council, relating to the committee's study of taxation and regulatory incentives affecting the lignite industry
- 9:30 a.m. Committee discussion and directives relating to the lignite industry study
- 9:45 a.m. Coffee break
- 10:00 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the North Dakota Petroleum Marketers Association relating to compliance costs under the motor fuels tax laws
- 10:45 a.m. Presentation by Ms. Joan Galster, Motor Fuels Tax Section Supervisor, State Tax Department, relating to fuels tax law administration and enforcement efforts
- 11:15 a.m. Committee discussion and directives relating to the fuels tax laws study
- 11:45 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of two resolutions urging Congress to adopt legislation to assist retiring farmers
- 12:00 noon Luncheon recess
- 1:00 p.m. Presentations by Mr. Bill Patrie, Rural Development Director, North Dakota Association of Rural Electric Cooperatives, Mandan, Mr. Warren Enyart, Chief Executive Officer, Renewal Resources Research Institute, and Mr. Steven E. Noack, Attorney, Fargo, relating to encouraging investment in value-added agricultural enterprises
- 1:45 p.m. Committee discussion and directives
- 2:30 p.m. Adjourn

#### **Committee Members**

Senators Randel Christmann (Chairman), Meyer Kinnoin, Kenneth Kroeplin, Randy A. Schobinger, Bob Stenehjem, Vern Thompson, Steve Tomac, Herb Urlacher  
Representatives Wesley R. Belter, Mick Grosz, Pam Gulleason, C. B. Haas, Gil Herbel, Stacey L. Mickelson, Ronald Nichols, Dennis J. Renner, Earl Rennerfeldt, Arlo E. Schmidt, Ben Tollefson, John M. Warner, Ray H. Wikenheiser