

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

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Monday and Tuesday, March 22-23, 2004

Roughrider Room, State Capitol

Bismarck, North Dakota

Monday, March 22, 2004

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Consideration of minutes from previous meeting
- 9:05 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff regarding No Child Left Behind cost reports from Ohio and Minnesota and legislative action in other states
- 9:45 a.m. Presentation by Ms. Wendy L. Evans, Deputy Secretary's Regional Representative, United States Department of Education - Region VIII, regarding the history and future of the No Child Left Behind Act
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee break
- 10:45 a.m. Presentation by Dr. Gary Gronberg, Assistant Superintendent, Department of Public Instruction, regarding administration and implementation of the No Child Left Behind Act
- 11:00 a.m. Presentations by Mr. Greg Gallagher, Director of Education Improvement, Department of Public Instruction; Dr. Mark Heidorn, Director of Program Operations, Northern Region, CTB/McGraw-Hill; Dr. James Comerford, Central District Manager, CTB/McGraw-Hill; and Dr. Thomas Fisher, State Assessment Technical Advisor, Fisher Education Consulting, regarding implementation of the No Child Left Behind Act, federal regulatory changes, state assessments, alignment, and accountability
- 12:00 noon Luncheon recess
- 1:00 p.m. Panel presentations continued
Committee discussion
Comments by others
- 4:00 p.m. Recess

Tuesday, March 23, 2004

- 9:00 a.m. Presentation by Dr. Charles DeRemer, Assistant Superintendent, Fargo Public School District, regarding implementation of the No Child Left Behind Act
- 9:15 a.m. Presentation by Ms. Janet Welk, Executive Director, Education Standards and Practices Board, regarding highly qualified teachers
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee break
- 10:15 a.m. Comments by others
Committee discussion
Staff directives

12:00 noon Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives RaeAnn G. Kelsch (Chairman), Bob Hunskor, Lisa Meier, David Monson, Margaret Sitte, Clark Williams
Senators Dwight Cook, Layton Freborg, Gary A. Lee, Ryan M. Taylor, Rich Wardner