NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE

Thursday, September 9, 2004 Harvest Room, State Capitol Bismarck, North Dakota

9:00 a.m.	Call to order Roll call Consideration of minutes of previous meeting
9:10 a.m.	Distribution of information on the number of surety companies in this state
9:15 a.m.	Review by the Legislative Council staff of a bill draft to provide auctioneers and auction clerks the option of providing insurance instead of a bond
9:20 a.m.	Comments by interested persons
9:25 a.m.	Committee discussion on the bill draft
9:30 a.m.	Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a second draft of a bill draft creating an application procedure under the state bonding fund
9:35 a.m.	Comments by interested persons
9:45 a.m.	Committee discussion on the bill draft
9:55 a.m.	Coffee break
10:10 a.m.	Review by the Legislative Council staff of a bill draft transferring the regulation of wholesale potato dealers from the State Seed Department to the Public Service Commission
10:15 a.m.	Testimony by Mr. Ken Bertsch, Seed Commissioner, State Seed Department, on the transfer of the regulation of wholesale potato dealers from the State Seed Department to the Public Service Commission
10:20 a.m.	Comments by interested persons
10:25 a.m.	Committee discussion on the bill draft
10:30 a.m.	Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a second draft of a bill draft clarifying state seed law
10:40 a.m.	Testimony by Mr. Bertsch on the bill draft
10:50 a.m.	Comments by interested persons
10:55 a.m.	Committee discussion on the bill draft
11:00 a.m.	Committee discussion on all studies
11:15 a.m.	Adjourn

Committee Members

Senators Aaron Krauter (Chairman), Jerry Klein Representatives Randy Boehning, Rod Froelich, Chet Pollert, Arlo E. Schmidt, Mike Timm, John Warner