

July 18, 2003

MEETING NOTICE

Representative George Keiser, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **COMMERCE COMMITTEE**.

Date, Monday, August 11, 2003, 9:00 a.m., Dr. Jerry C. Olson Auditorium, Skills and Technology
Time, and Training Center, 1305 19th Avenue North, Fargo
Place: Tuesday, August 12, 2003, 9:00 a.m., Room 211, Rural Technology Center,
4300 Dartmouth Drive, Grand Forks

Agenda: Presentation of a background memorandum, presentations by representatives of Job Service North Dakota, committee discussion, and comments by interested persons regarding the committee's study of the state's unemployment compensation system, including reserve guidelines for the unemployment trust fund, the system for ratesetting, treatment of positive balance and negative balance employers, and the feasibility and desirability of creating an unemployment compensation board

Special Note: Anyone who plans to attend the meeting and needs assistance because of a disability should contact the Legislative Council staff as soon as possible.

Committee Members: Representatives George Keiser, Mark A. Dosch, Mary Ekstrom, Pat Galvin, Eliot Glassheim, Ron Iverson, Kim Koppelman, Dan J. Ruby, Arlo E. Schmidt, Dale C. Severson; Senators Dick Dever, April Fairfield, Tim Flakoll, Karen K. Krebsbach

Staff Contact: John Bjornson, Counsel

Any member who is unable to attend this meeting is asked to please notify this office as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

John D. Olsrud
Director

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