# Tentative Agenda ORIENTATION AND TRAINING SESSIONS FOR CERTAIN LEGISLATIVE EMPLOYEES

## Monday, November 17

9:00 a.m. - **Payroll clerk** - Legislative Council office - Training on preparing payroll forms and vouchers - *Karen J. Mund, Legislative Administrator, Legislative Council* 

## Monday-Friday, December 1-5

9:00 a.m. - Leadership staff - Training on Vista, Word, Excel, Outlook, and Publisher - Assistance provided as available - Mary H. Janusz, Information Technology Education Administrator, Legislative Council

## Monday-Friday, December 1-5 and December 8-12

9:00 a.m. - **House and Senate journal reporters** (assistant Chief Clerk and assistant Secretary of the Senate [backup]) - House and Senate chambers - Assistance provided as available - *Karen Hoovestol, 2007 Senate Journal Reporter* 

## Monday, December 15 - House and Senate committee clerks

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Select desks and prepare area - Chief committee clerks	
9:00 -	Tour of committee rooms - Karen J. Mund	

10:15 a.m.

10:30 a.m. - Prairie Room - Orientation by the Legislative Council staff 5:00 p.m.

10:30 a.m. Introduction - Overview of the legislative process - Employee/staff/intern relationships - *Jim W. Smith, Director, Legislative Council* 

11:00 a.m. Distribute packets

11:10 a.m. Overview of committee clerk activities - Jay E. Buringrud, Assistant Director, Legislative Council

11:25 a.m. Overview of North Dakota Century Code - John Walstad, Code Revisor, Legislative Council

11:30 a.m. Fiscal notes - John Walstad

1:00 p.m. Enrolling and engrossing - Amendment approval requirements - John Bjornson, Counsel, Legislative Council

2:00 p.m. **House and Senate Appropriations Committee clerks** - Appropriation bills and budget status reporting - *Allen H. Knudson, Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor, Legislative Council* 

2:30 p.m. Break

2:45 p.m. **House and Senate committee clerks** - Orientation on recording requirements, filing of minutes, digital recorder requirements, deposit of minutes with the Legislative Council, and Appropriations Committee records - *Marilyn Johnson, Research Librarian, Legislative Council* 

4:30 p.m. Committee hearings - Impact of the Americans with Disabilities Act

## Tuesday, December 16 - House and Senate committee clerks

- 9:00 Brynhild Haugland Room Training on use of the computerized bill status 10:30 a.m. system Maryann F. Trauger, Manager, Information Technology Services, Legislative Council
- 10:30 a.m. Brynhild Haugland Room Training on use of the legislative branch 12:00 noon website *Maryann F. Trauger*
- 1:00 Brynhild Haugland Room Training on use of the computerized committee hearing 4:00 p.m. system *Maryann F. Trauger*
- 4:00 Brynhild Haugland Room Training on use of the sponsor notification 5:00 p.m. system *Maryann F. Trauger*

# Wednesday, December 17 - House and Senate committee clerks

- 8:00 a.m. Brynhild Haugland Room Training on use of the computerized committee report 4:00 p.m. system *Maryann F. Trauger*
- 4:00 Brynhild Haugland Room Training on use of digital recorders *Karen J. Mund* 5:00 p.m.

## Thursday, December 18 - House and Senate committee clerks

8:00 a.m. - Brynhild Haugland Room - Training in Microsoft Windows 2007 and word processing - 5:00 p.m. Mary H. Janusz

#### Friday, December 19 - House and Senate committee clerks

8:00 a.m. - Brynhild Haugland Room - Training on preparing minutes and centralized 5:00 p.m. storage - *Mary H. Janusz* 

## Monday, December 15

- 9:00 **House bill clerk** (calendar clerk [backup]) House chamber Training on use of the computerized assignment of bill numbers system *Maryann F. Trauger*
- 10:00 **Senate bill clerk** (calendar clerk [backup]) Senate chamber Training on use of the computerized assignment of bill numbers system *Maryann F. Trauger*

#### Monday, December 15

1:00 - Assistant Chief Clerk and assistant Secretary of the Senate (journal clerks 5:00 p.m. [backup]) - Legislative Council, third floor - Training on use of the computerized message system - Maryann F. Trauger

## Thursday-Friday, December 18-19

9:00 a.m. - House and Senate calendar clerks (assistant Chief Clerk and assistant Secretary of the Senate [backup]) - Legislative Council, third floor - Training on use of the computerized calendar system - *To be determined* (NOTE: Additional day optional)

#### Friday, January 2

9:00 a.m.

- 8:00 **Legislative interns** Prairie Room Assignment of committees *Jim W. Smith* 8:30 a.m.
- 8:30 **Legislative interns** Prairie Room Amendment drafting *John Bjornson*
- 9:00 a.m. **Legislative interns** Brynhild Haugland Room Amendment preparation 4:00 p.m. training *Maryann F. Trauger*

4:00 - **Legislative interns** - Brynhild Haugland Room - Personal computer use - Access instructions for individual online learning in personal computer use via the Internet - *Mary H. Janusz* 

8:00 a.m. - **Secretarial service** - Secretarial service area - Training on use of e-mail and word processing - *Mary H. Janusz* 

# Monday, January 5

1:00 p.m. **House and Senate committee clerks and legislative interns** - Prairie Room - Joint meeting - *Jim W. Smith* 

1:00 - **Secretarial service** - Secretarial service area - Training on use of word 5:00 p.m. processing - *Mary H. Janusz* 

## Tuesday, January 6

9:00 a.m. - **Information kiosk attendants** - Information kiosk - Training on use of the legislative 12:00 noon branch website - *Mary H. Janusz* 

1:00 - **Secretarial service and information kiosk attendants** - Secretarial service area - 5:00 p.m. Training on use of the computerized telephone message system - *Maryann F. Trauger* 

## Wednesday, January 7

9:00 - Chief committee clerks and chief pages - House and Senate committee clerk area/House and Senate page rooms - Training on use of amendment printing for bill books - Maryann F. Trauger