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Economic Affairs Interim Committee Draft Agenda

(as of February 8, 2006)

February 10, 2006, 8:30 A.M., Room 102, State Capitol, Helena MT

(All agenda times are approximate)

- 8:30 a.m. --Call to order, review agenda/meeting format (TVMT broadcast), call roll, approve minutes
Rep. Jim Keane, Chair
- 8:35 a.m. -- SJR 38 Study on ID Theft
- Discussion on Security/Credit Freezes
 - ▶ **Gail Hillebrand**, Senior Attorney, Consumer's Union
 - ▶ **Eric Ellman**, VP and Counsel, Consumer Data Industry Association
 - ▶ **Mike McGrath**, Montana Attorney General
 - Questions from the Committee
 - Public Comment
 - Recommendation by Committee
 - Work Group Recommendations on Social Security Numbers (SSNs) (2 panels)
 - Panel: **Rep. Diane Rice, Lonnie Olson, Greg Noose, Connie Welsh, Tanya Ask**
 - Questions from the Committee
 - Public Comment
 - Action by Committee regarding:
 - ▶ Letter to elected officials requesting inventory of SSN use and compliance with Privacy Information Act references under Section 7(522a)note.
 - ▶ Letter to DPHHS requesting application for exemption to the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 regarding SSNs for hunting/fishing licenses.
 - ▶ Letter to the Department of Administration regarding state use of SSNs on health insurance cards.
 - Committee directions to work group on legislation regarding SJR 38
- 11:15 a.m. -- SJR 35 Study on Boards, Subcommittee Report, including budget and complaint reviews
Sen. Vicki Cocchiarella, Shane Sierer of LFD, and DOLI representative
- Lunch --
- 1:30 p.m. --State Auditor's Office overview
John Morrison, State Auditor
- 2:15 p.m. --Worker's Compensation **Judge Jim Shea**
- 2:30 p.m. --Montana State Fund overview
Laurence Hubbard, State Fund CEO
- 3:15 p.m. Rule on Medical Assistants
Bart Campbell, Committee Staff, overview
Eve Franklin, Montana Nurses Association
Board of Medical Examiners: **Dr. Kurt Kubicka, Dr. Van Kirke Nelson, Jeanne Worsech, Anne O'Leary**, BME Counsel
- 4:00 p.m. Rule Review
Bart Campbell, Committee Staff
- 4:30 p.m. Update on SB 133 and activities regarding equity capital promotion in Montana
Rep. Keane (handout from Governor's Office)
Sen. Jeff Mangan
- 4:45 p.m. -- **Public Comment** on any issue before the EAIC or under its purview
- 5:00 p.m. -- Action on any agenda item, if not already acted upon. Instructions, next meeting, adjourn