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Economic Affairs Interim Committee August 19, 2010, Room 137, State Capitol

DRAFT Agenda - All times are tentative. An issue may be discussed earlier or later than listed.
Questions from the Committee are included in the timeframes provided.

- 8:00 a.m. Convene, Roll Call, **Committee Action** on Minutes
- 8:05 a.m. Review Agenda - Staff
- COMMITTEE STUDIES - SJR 30 and SJR 14**
- 8:10 a.m. -- Labor-Management Advisory Council (LMAC) proposed legislative package
Jerry Keck, Department of Labor and Industry, LMAC members Jason Miller and Bob Worthington
- Review of Fiscal Analysis of LMAC package - Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Fiscal Division
- Public Comment on LMAC proposals
- Committee Discussion. **Committee Action**
- 9:15 a.m. -- Update on SJR 14 Study - Reports on stakeholder meetings. Recommendation review
Hope Stockwell, staff for SJR 14 Study
- Public Comment on SJR 14 Study
- Committee Action on Recommendations
- 10:15 a.m. **AGENCY BILL DRAFT REVIEW**
Public comment after each agency's proposals, followed by Committee discussion & action
- Department of Agriculture - Director Ron de Yong (invited)
- Department of Commerce - Director Dore Schwinden (invited)
- Department of Labor and Industry - Commissioner Keith Kelly (invited)
- State Auditor's Office - Jesse Laslovich on behalf of State Auditor Monica Lindeen
- 11:30 a.m. Review of Montana Heritage Preservation and Development Commission indirect administrative rate
- 11:45 a.m. Update on Distressed Wood Products Revolving Loan Program (HB 669)
--Department of Commerce
- Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. -- Review of Medical Impairment Subcommittee Proposals
-- Public comment

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- 2:00 p.m. Review of SJR 30 Committee Bills, Study Report and Recommendations
Overview of Issues - Pat Murdo, Bart Campbell, and Kris Wilkinson, staff
- Rep. Reinhart's proposals on Montana State Fund regulation
 - Rep. Hunter's proposal to consider state choice of insurance plans
 - Rep. Hunter's proposal to revise Montana State Fund board composition
 - HIPAA Subcommittee Report (if necessary)
 - Information on cancellation of policies and retroactive payments
 - Proposal to address work comp coverage affecting limited liability companies, sleeping volunteer firefighters, and occasional speakers.
 - Update on brand inspector coverage
 - Review of SJR 30 Report - Pat Murdo
- 3:10 p.m. Fiscal analysis of other SJR 30 Committee bills - Kris Wilkinson and Matt Stayner, LFD
- 3:20 p.m. Public Comment on SJR 30 bills, Study Report
- 3:30 p.m. Other Committee Bill Draft Proposals and Public Comment
- Rep. Vance's request on definition of "order"
- 3:40 p.m. Public Comment on any other topic on or off the agenda.
- 3:50 p.m. **Committee Action** on SJR 30 and Other Bill Draft Proposals
- 4:00 p.m. Rule Review - Bart Campbell
- 4:15 p.m. Staff briefing on Legislative Orientation, End of Interim Information.
Adjourn.

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