

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Nevada Sentencing Commission (Senate Bill No. 451 of the 2017 Legislative Session)

Date and Time of Meeting: Friday, February 16, 2018
9:00 A.M.

Place of Meeting: Legislative Building
Room 4100
401 South Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada

Note: Some members of the Nevada Sentencing Commission may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location:

Grant Sawyer State Office Building
Room 4401
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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AGENDA

Note: Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed. Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration. An item may be removed from this agenda or discussion relating to an item on this agenda may be delayed at any time.

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

III. Public Comment

(Because of time considerations, speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers. A person may also have comments added to the minutes of the meeting by submitting them in writing either in addition to testifying or in lieu of testifying. Written comments may be submitted in person or by e-mail, facsimile, or mail before, during, or after the meeting.)

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Action*

IV. Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of the Nevada Sentencing Commission held on November 27, 2017

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V. Introductory Remarks
Justice James W. Hardesty, Chair

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Possible
Action*

VI. Commission Member Remarks Regarding Possible Study Topics

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VII. Presentation by the Virginia Criminal Sentencing Commission
Meredith Farrar-Owens, Director, Virginia Criminal Sentencing Commission

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VIII. Presentation by the North Carolina Sentencing and Policy Advisory Commission
Michelle Hall, Executive Director, NC Sentencing and Policy Advisory Commission
John Madler, Associate Director for Policy/Staff Attorney, NC Sentencing and Policy Advisory Commission
Ginny Hevener, Director of Research, NC Sentencing and Policy Advisory Commission

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IX. Presentation on Specialty Court Funding
Chief Justice Michael L. Douglas, Nevada Supreme Court
John McCormick, Assistant Court Administrator, AOC

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Action*

X. Presentation on the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission's Duties, Sentencing Reforms and Justice Reinvestment Initiatives
Michael Schmidt, Executive Director, Oregon Criminal Justice Commission

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Action*

XI. Overview and History of Nevada's Felony Sentencing Structure
Nicolas Anthony, Commission Counsel, Legislative Counsel Bureau

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Action*

XII. Presentation by the Nevada Department of Corrections Concerning the Status of Inmate Population for Property and Drug Offenses
James Dzurenda, Director, Nevada Department of Corrections

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XIII. Discussion of Potential Topics, Dates and Locations for Future Meetings

XIV. Public Comment

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XV. Adjournment

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