# REVISED MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Education

(Nevada Revised Statutes 218.5352)

Date and Time of Meeting: Thursday, December 17, 2009

9 a.m.

Place of Meeting: 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.

\*Denotes items on which the Committee may take action.

I. Opening Remarks

Senator Joyce L. Woodhouse, Chairwoman

\*II. Presentation on the Governor's Position on Nevada's Proposed Application for the Race to the Top Fund (Section 14006, Title XIV, American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Public Law No. 111-5)

Stacy Woodbury, Deputy Chief of Staff, Office of the Governor

\*III. Presentation of the Nevada Parent Teacher Association's Position on Nevada's Proposed Application for the Race to the Top Fund

Representative of the Nevada Parent Teacher Association

\*IV. Proposal to Establish the Race to the Top Education Task Force Senator Steven A. Horsford, Senate Majority Leader

- \*V. Presentations on Teacher Evaluation Systems
  - A. Evaluation Systems Used in Certain Nevada School Districts
    Representatives of Nevada School Districts
  - B. Evaluation Systems Used in Empowerment Schools, Clark County School District Representatives of the Clark County School District
  - C. Evaluation Systems Used in Certain States that Link Student Achievement Data to Teacher Evaluation

Committee Staff, Legislative Counsel Bureau

#### VI Public Comment

(Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker may be limited, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers).

\*VII. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Recommendations for Nevada's Proposed Application for the Race to the Top Fund and Other Actions of the Committee Related to Nevada's Eligibility for the Race to the Top Fund

Topics for consideration include, without limitation, proposals regarding:

- Race to the Top Fund application;
- Common core assessments;
- Student information system data; and
- Evaluation of educational personnel and other staff in public schools

### VIII. Public Comment

(Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker may be limited, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers).

## IX. Adjournment

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