REVISED MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Health Care

(Nevada Revised Statutes 439B. 200)

Date and Time of Meeting: Wednesday, February 17, 2010

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. Introduction, Opening Remarks, and Committee Schedule Senator Valerie Wiener, Chair
- *II. Approval of Minutes of the Meeting Held on December 9, 2009, in Las Vegas, Nevada
- *III. Discussion Concerning Proposed Budget Cuts to the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)
- *IV. Status Report Regarding Emergency Mental Health Services in Nevada and the Impact of the Budget Reductions on Certain Mental Health Programs in the State

Harold Cook, Ph.D., Administrator, Division of Mental Health and Developmental Services, DHHS

*V. Update of the Study Conducted Pursuant to Senate Bill 307 (Chapter 88, *Statutes of Nevada 2009*) Concerning Issues Relating to Medicaid

Charles Duarte, Administrator, Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, DHHS

*VI. Presentation Concerning the Status of the J-1 Physician Visa Waiver Program
Richard Whitley, M.S., Administrator, Health Division, DHHS
Christine Roden, R.N., M.P.H., Manager, Primary Care Office, Health Division,
DHHS

*VII. Update Regarding the H1N1 Flu Virus in Nevada and Presentation Concerning the Management of the H1N1 Flu Virus in Nevada

Tracey D. Green, M.D., State Health Officer, Health Division, DHHS

*VIII. Presentation Concerning the Study of the Abuse of Prescription Narcotic Drugs and the Manner of Monitoring and Addressing the Abuse of Prescription Narcotic Drugs in Nevada Pursuant to Assembly Bill 326 (Chapter 301, *Statutes of Nevada 2009*)

Larry L. Pinson, Executive Secretary, State Board of Pharmacy

Douglas C. Cooper, C.M.B.I., Interim Executive Director, Board of Medical Examiners

Dianna Hegeduis, Esq., Executive Director/Board Counsel, State Board of Osteopathic Medicine

*IX. Overview of Options for the Regulation of Medical Assistants in Nevada

Tracey D. Green, M.D., State Health Officer, Health Division, DHHS

Lawrence P. Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association

*X. Presentation Concerning the Collaboration of Licensing Boards in the Investigation and Oversight of Providers of Health Care

Richard Whitley, M.S., Administrator, Health Division, DHHS

Marla McDade Williams, Chief, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance, Health Division, DHHS

Douglas C. Cooper, C.M.B.I., Interim Executive Director, Board of Medical Examiners

Dianna Hegeduis, Esq., Executive Director/Board Counsel, State Board of Osteopathic Medicine

Larry L. Pinson, Executive Secretary, State Board of Pharmacy

Debra Scott, M.S.N., R.N., A.P.N., F.R.E., Executive Director, State Board of Nursing

*XI. Presentation Concerning the History of Legislation from Previous Sessions of the Nevada Legislature Which Proposed to Consolidate or Restructure Certain Professional and Occupational Licensing Boards

> Marsheilah D. Lyons, Principal Research Analyst, Research Division Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)

*XII. Discussion Regarding the Consolidation of Administrative Services for Health Professional and Occupational Licensing Boards

Lawrence P. Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association

- *XIII. Consideration of Regulations Proposed or Adopted by Certain Licensing Boards Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 439B. 225
 - A. LCB File No. 154-09, State Board of Osteopathic Medicine
 - B. LCB File No. 200-09, Board of Dental Examiners of Nevada
 - C. LCB File No. 203-09, State Board of Health
 - D. LCB File No. 002-10, State Board of Nursing

Sara L. Partida, Principal Deputy Legislative Counsel, Legal Division, LCB

- XIV. Public Comment
- XV. Adjournment

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