MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization:	Legislative Committee on Education (Nevada Revised Statutes [NRS] 218.5352)
Date and Time of Meeting:	Thursday, January 10, 2008 9:30 a.m.
Place of Meeting:	Legislative Building Room 2135 401 South Carson Street Carson City, Nevada

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AGENDA

- I. Opening Remarks Assemblywoman Bonnie Parnell, Chairwoman
- *II. Approval of Minutes of the December 13, 2007, Meeting
- *III. Report on the Projected Impact of Reductions in Appropriations on the Budgets of the School Districts and Programs of the Department of Education

Keith W. Rheault, Ph.D., Superintendent of Public Instruction, Department of Education (DOE)

Representatives of Nevada School Districts

*IV. Presentation on the TeacherSolutions Model of Performance-Pay Systems for Teacher Compensation

Barnett Berry, Founder and President, Center for Teaching Quality

Valdine McLean, Teacher, Pershing County High School, and Member of the TeacherSolutions Team

*V. Programs of Performance Pay and Enhanced Compensation for Licensed Teachers Funded by Grant Applications

A. Report on the Evaluation of the Effectiveness of School District Pilot Programs for the 2005-2007 Biennium (Assembly Bill 580, Chapter 482, *Statutes of Nevada 2005*)
 Gloria Dopf, Deputy Superintendent, Office of Instruction, Research and Evaluative Services, DOE

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B. Presentation on the Request for Applications for School District Pilot Programs for the 2007-2009 Biennium (Assembly Bill 3, Chapter 10, Statutes of Nevada 2007, 23rd Special Session)

Gloria Dopf, Deputy Superintendent, Office of Instruction, Research and Evaluative Services, DOE

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- C. Presentation on School District Performance-Pay Plan Designs

 Karlene McCormick-Lee, Associate Superintendent of Schools, Clark County School District
 Hugh Anderson, Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce
 Richard Stokes, Associate Superintendent of Human Resources, Carson City School District
 Gaylea Manning, Ormsby County Education Association
- *VI. Report on Results of Teacher Working Conditions Survey in Clark County School District Barnett Berry, Center for Teaching Quality Vikki Courtney, Project Facilitator, Clark County School District/Clark County Education Association Teaching and Learning Conditions Team John Jasonek, Executive Director, Clark County Education Association
- *VII. Reports on School District Methods of Teacher Recruitment
 - A. Results of Legislative Counsel Bureau Quick Poll of School Districts Melinda Martini, Senior Research Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau
 - B. Report of Year 3 Nevada Educator Recruitment Initiative: Teachers-Teachers.com Gloria Dopf, Deputy Superintendent, Office of Instruction, Research and Evaluative Services, DOE
 - C. Report on Alternative Methods Used in the Clark County School District John Jasonek, Executive Director, Clark County Education Association Michelle Panik, Student to Teacher Enlistment Project-Undergraduate Program
- *VIII. Report on Teacher Signing Bonuses Provided Pursuant to State Appropriations (2001-2007) Keith W. Rheault, Ph.D., Superintendent of Public Instruction, DOE Martha Tittle, Chief Human Resources Officer, Clark County School District
 - *IX. Report on Grant Applications of School Districts for Programs of Incentive Pay for Certain Licensed Educational Personnel (Assembly Bill 1, Chapter 8, *Statutes of Nevada 2007, 23rd Special Session*)

Keith W. Rheault, Ph.D., Superintendent of Public Instruction, DOE

- X. Public Comment
- XI. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the committee may take action.

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