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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Commission's Subcommittee to Study Issues Relating to Senior Citizens and Veterans (Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 35, File No. 109, *Statutes of Nevada 2007*)

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesday, March 18, 2008
9 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building
Room 4401
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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A G E N D A

- I. Opening Remarks
Assemblywoman Kathy McClain, Chair
- *II. Approval of Minutes of the December 11, 2007, Meeting in Las Vegas
- *III. Overview of Services for Senior Citizens Living Independently in the Community
 - A. *Nevada Revised Statutes* Relating to Activities of Daily Living
Amber J. Joiner, Senior Research Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)
 - B. State Services for Senior Citizens
Carol Sala, Administrator, Aging Services Division, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)
Marilyn Wills, Deputy Administrator, Aging Services Division, DHHS
 - C. In-Home Personal Services for Senior Citizens
 1. Local Government and Nonprofit Services
Annette B. Smith, Social Work Supervisor, Homemaker Home Health Aide Program and Alternative Health Care Program, Clark County Social Service
Grady Tarbutton, Director, Senior Services, Department of Washoe County Social Services
Janice R. Ayres, Executive Director and CEO, Nevada Rural Counties Retired Senior Volunteer Program
Jane E. Fisher, Ph.D., Executive Director, Nevada Caregiver Support Center, University of Nevada, Reno
 2. For-Profit Services
Steve Robbins, President, Visiting Angels
Stephanie Eigenrauch, Administrator, Dynamic Home Healthcare
Tammy Sisson, Administrator, Lend-A-Hand Senior Services
 3. Unpaid Family and Caregiver Services

D. Geriatric Medical and Mental Health Services

Upinder Singh, M.D., F.A.C.P., Chief of Geriatrics, Southwest Medical Association, Clinical Associate Professor, University of Nevada School of Medicine
Laurie Moore, M.S.G., L.A.S.W., Director, Senior Mental Health Outreach Program
Lawrence J. Weiss, Ph.D., Director and Associate Professor, Sanford Center for Aging, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

E. Dental, Vision, and Prescription Drug Services for Senior Citizens

Laurie Olson, Program Manager, Senior Rx and Disability Rx, DHHS
Linda L. Costa, M.B.A., Chief Administrator and Chief Financial Officer, Nevada Health Centers, Inc.

F. Nutrition and Food Services for Senior Citizens

Sandy Martin, Client Services Manager, Catholic Charities
Cherie Jamason, President and Chief Executive Officer, Food Bank of Northern Nevada
Sandra Middleton, Member, Board of Directors, Jude 22/Senior Nutrition Center
Julie Murray, Chief Executive Officer, Three Square

G. Home Maintenance and Modification Services for Senior Citizens

Albert Weiss, Administrator, Weatherization Program, HELP of Southern Nevada
Cynthia Baca, Executive Director, Rebuilding Together

H. Services for Social Interaction, Mobility, and Physical Activity for Senior Citizens

Jeffrey Klein, Executive Director, Adult Day Care Center of Las Vegas
Grady Tarbutton, Director, Senior Services, Department of Washoe County Social Services
Anita Gant, Gerontology Coordinator, Senior Adult Services, City of Henderson Livable Communities for Senior Citizens
Barry Gold, Director of Government Relations, AARP

I. Transportation Options for Senior Citizens

Sandra M. Stanko, Director of Transit Services, Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada
Lea M. Rogers, Paratransit Administrator, Regional Transportation Commission of Washoe County
Jim Mallery, Transportation Planner, Intermodal Division, Nevada's Department of Transportation
Carole L. Turner, Deputy Director, Office of Veterans' Services

J. News Service for Senior Citizens with Visual Impairment

Scott A. White, Director of Sponsored Technology Programs, National Federation of the Blind
Leon Rose, Representative, Newline for the Blind

*IV. Overview of Long-Term Care Facilities for Senior Citizens

A. Review of Definitions and Regulations of Assisted Living, Group Care, and Skilled Nursing Facilities

Paul Shubert, Health Facilities Surveyor IV, Bureau of Licensure and Certification, Health Division, DHHS

B. Payment Options for Long Term Care Facilities

Teresa Etcheberry, Assistant Manager, Quality Assurance Unit, Clark County Social Service

C. Long-Term Care Insurance

Kimberly K. Everett, Assistant Supervisor, Life and Health Section, Division of Insurance, Department of Business and Industry

D. Out-of-State Placements in Long-Term Care Facilities

Connie McMullen, Chair, Strategic Plan Accountability Committee
The Honorable Frances Doherty, Department 12, Family Division, Second Judicial District Court of Nevada

*V. Discussion of Possible Bill Draft Requests Relating to Independent Living and Long-Term Care

VI. Public Comment

VII. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the subcommittee may take action.

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