

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Commission's Subcommittee to Study the Integration of State and Local Child Welfare Systems in Nevada (Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 53; File No. 141, *Statutes of Nevada 1999*)

Date and Time of Meeting: Thursday, February 10, 2000
9:30 a.m.

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

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

Legislative Building
Room 3138
401 South Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada

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A G E N D A

- I. Opening Remarks
Assemblywoman Barbara E. Buckley, Chairwoman
- *II. Approval of Minutes of Meetings held on October 28, 1999, and December 8, 1999, in Las Vegas, Nevada
- III. Overview of Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services
 - A. MaryEllen White, Social Welfare Program Analyst, Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS), Nevada's Department of Human Resources
 - B. Dr. Christa Peterson, Deputy Administrator, DCFS
 - C. Dr. James Rast, Psychologist, Consultant to DCFS
- IV. Review of Child Welfare Fiscal and Caseload Information for DCFS and Clark and Washoe Counties
Larry L. Peri, Senior Program Analyst, Fiscal Analysis Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau
- V. Perspectives on Nevada's Child Welfare System
 - A. Frances M. Doherty, Juvenile Court Master, Washoe County
 - B. The Honorable Robert E. Gaston, Eighth Judicial District Court, Family Division, Clark County
 - C. Robert Gagnier, President, State of Nevada Employees Association
 - D. Chris Brooks, Foster Adolescent

E. Kemi Runsewe, Foster Adolescent

VI. Future Meeting Dates and Topics

VII. Public Testimony

VIII. Adjournment

*Denotes item on which the subcommittee may take action.

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