

## **MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA**

Name of Organization: Subcommittee of the Legislative Committee on Health Care (*Nevada Revised Statutes* 439B.200) to Address Insurance Issues Regarding Mental Health

Date and Time of Meeting: Monday, August 17, 1998

9:30 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Legislative Building

Room 4100

401 South Carson Street

Carson City, 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 video conference conducted at the following location:

Grant Sawyer State Office Building

Room 4412A, B, and C

555 East Washington Avenue

Las Vegas, Nevada

## **AGENDA**

### I. Opening Remarks by the Chairman

Assemblywoman Vivian L. Freeman

### II. Presentation Regarding the Need for Mental Health Benefits in Insurance Policies

Rosetta Johnson, President, Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Nevada

### III. Remarks Concerning the Status of Mental Health Benefits in Nevada

Sharen Weaver, Manager, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Office, Division of Insurance, Department of Business and Industry

### IV. Discussion of Impact of Mandated Mental Health Benefits on Health Insurance Policies and Providers in Nevada

A. Marie Soldo, Executive Vice President, Government Affairs, Sierra Health Services, Inc.

B. Jeannette K. Belz, President and Chief Executive Officer, Nevada Association of Hospitals and Health Systems

### V. Public Testimony

### VI. Adjournment

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