MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Nevada Mental Health Plan Implementation Commission

(Senate Bill 301 [Chapter 445, Statutes of Nevada 2003])

Date and Time of Meeting: Thursday, December 18, 2003

8 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Legislative Building

Room 2135

401 South Carson Street Carson City, Nevada

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Opening Remarks
 Senator Randolph J. Townsend, Chairman
- *II. Approval of Minutes of the November 20, 2003, Meeting
- III. Public Comment on Proposed Agenda Items for the January 6, 2004, Commission Meeting

Suggested Agenda Items:

- Potential Technical Assistance Available From the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
- Budget Work Session
- *IV. Presentation on Mental Health Care for Children

Jane Adams, Ph.D.

Executive Director, Keys for Networking, Inc.

Commissioner, President's New Freedom Commission on Mental Health

*V. Presentation on Mental Health and Corrections

Bill Emmet, Project Director

National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors

*VI. Report on Millennium Scholarship Law and Disabled Students

Richard Curry, Vice Chancellor, Academic and Student Affairs

University and Community College System of Nevada

Susan K. Moore, Executive Director, Millenium Scholarship Program Office of the Nevada State Treasurer

*VII. Presentation on Behavioral Health Plan System Redesign 2003

Charles Duarte, Administrator

Mary Wherry, Deputy Administrator

Division of Health Care Financing and Policy

Nevada's Department of Human Resources

*VIII. Report of Division of Insurance Regarding Senate Bill 557 (Chapter 576, *Statutes of Nevada 1999*), Which Requires Certain Policies of Health Insurance to Include Coverage for Treatment of Conditions Relating to Severe Mental Illness

Kim Everett, Actuary I

Life and Health Section, Division of Insurance

Nevada's Department of Business and Industry

*IX. Report of Department of Taxation Regarding Senate Bill 8 (Chapter 5, *Statutes of Nevada 2003, 20th Special Session*), Which Makes Various Changes Concerning State Financial Administration

Dino DiCianno, Deputy Executive Director

Nevada's Department of Taxation

*X. Presentation on Mental Health Block Grant and State Mental Health Plan

Andrew Zeiser, Administrative Consultant

Nevada's Mental Health Planning Advisory Council

*XI. Presentation on Mental Health Service Systems Integration

Rosetta Johnson, President and Chief Executive Officer

Human Potential Development

*XII. Report on Strategic Plan and Goals of the Commission on Mental Health and Developmental Services

Rena Nora, M.D.

Member, Commission on Mental Health and Developmental Services

Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, University of Nevada School of Medicine

Medical Advisor, Nevada Chapter, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention

*XIII. Review of Recommendations From Prior Commission Meetings

*XIV. Final Discussion of Agenda Items for the January 6, 2004, Commission Meeting

XV. Public Comment

XVI. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the Commission may take action.

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