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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Joint Interim Standing Committee of the Judiciary

(Nevada Revised Statutes [NRS] 218E.320)

Date and Time of Meeting: Friday, January 19, 2024

10 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building, Room 4401

555 East Washington Avenue

Las Vegas, Nevada

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Legislative Building, Room 3138

401 South Carson Street Carson City, Nevada

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AGENDA

NOTE: Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed. Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration. An item may be removed from this agenda or discussion relating to an item on this agenda may be delayed at any time.

I. Call to Order and Opening Remarks
Assemblywoman Brittney Miller, Chair

II. Public Comment

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For Possible Action

III. Review of Committee's Duties and Responsibilities

Diane C. Thornton, Chief Principal Policy Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)

For Possible Action

IV. Discussion of Possible Topics to be Addressed at Future Meetings

Assemblywoman Brittney Miller, Chair Senator Melanie Scheible, Vice Chair

For Possible Action

V. Presentation Concerning Services Provided to Persons Affected by Domestic Violence, Sexual Abuse and Human Trafficking

Liz Ortenburger, Chief Executive Officer, SafeNest

For Possible Action

VI. Presentations on Psychedelic Science and the Impact of Therapeutic Use on Veterans and Law Enforcement

Rochelle T. Nguyen, Senate District 3

Jon Dalton, President, Nevada Coalition for Psychedelic Medicines, and Retired Navy Seal Officer

Dustin Hines, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, and The Hines Group

Lt. Diane Goldstein (Ret.), Executive Director, Law Enforcement Action Partnership

Burton Tabaac, MD, FAHA, Neurologist, Carson Tahoe Hospital

For Possible Action

VII. Presentation on Law Enforcement's Concerns Regarding the Legalization of Psychedelics

John T. Jones, Jr., Chief Deputy District Attorney, Clark County District Attorney's Office

Joshua Garber, Detective, Narcotics Crimes Section, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (LVMPD)

For Possible Action

VIII. Presentation on Drug Testing Performed by Public Health Programs
Professor Karla Wagner, Ph.D., University of Nevada, Reno School of
Public Health

For Possible Action

IX.

Update from the Department of Public Safety (DPS) Nevada State Police on the State Forensic Crime Laboratory and <u>Senate Bill 412</u> (2023) for the Purpose of Purchasing Machines Capable of Testing Fentanyl and its Derivatives and Measuring the Contents Thereof Sheri Brueggemann, Deputy Director, DPS

For Possible Action

X. Update Concerning Implementation of <u>Senate Bill 35</u> (2023), which Establishes Certain Crimes Relating to Fentanyl and Requires the Joint Interim Standing Committee on the Judiciary to Conduct an Interim Study Concerning Certain Matters Relating to Forensic Laboratories

A. Presentation from the LVMPD

Kimberly Murga, Executive Director, Criminalistics Bureau, LVMPD Cassandra Robertson, Director Laboratory Services, Criminalistics Bureau, LVMPD

David Gouldthorpe, Forensic Lab Manager, Criminalistics Bureau, LVMPD

B. Presentation on the Cost, Benefit, and Impact of <u>Senate Bill 35</u> (2023) by the Washoe County Sheriff's Office (WCSO) Forensic Science Division

Steve Johnson, Forensic Science Division Director, WCSO Brad Taylor, Supervising Criminalist – Chemistry (Breath, Controlled Substances, Toxicology), WCSO

C. Presentation on Quantitative Analysis of Fentanyl/Seized Drugs by the City of Henderson Police Department (HPD) Forensics Laboratory Tanya C. Hiner, Criminalistics Administrator, HPD

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XII. Adjournment

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