



Economic Affairs Interim Committee

60th Montana Legislature

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<DRAFT> Economic Affairs Interim Committee Agenda

(as of June 1, 2007 -- all agenda times are approximate))

June 15, 2007 1:00 p.m.
Room 137, State Capitol

- 1:00 p.m. --Call to order
--Introduction of members and staff
Sen. Frank Smith (senior senator)
--Review agenda, meeting format
--Review statutory duties, budget, and compensation/travel expenses
Committee Staff (Andrew Geiger, Karen Berger, Bart Campbell)
--Election of committee's presiding officer and vice-presiding officer
- 1:30 --Appointment by the presiding officer of two members to the Rail Service Competition Council (2-15-246 as amended by HB 26), and two members to be legislative liaisons to the Board of Directors of the State Compensation Insurance Fund.
- 1:45 p.m. --Update on Rules Procedures
Bart Campbell, Staff Attorney
- 2:00 --Review of Legislative Council assigned studies:
HJ 48, SJ 13, HJ 28, HJ 39 (**Murdo, Geiger**)
--Public Comment
--Directions to staff regarding work plans
- Short Break*
- 3:15 --Areas of interest to the committee (handout).
- 3:30 --Agency presentations:
Evan Barrett, Chief Business Officer, Gov. Office of Eco. Opportunity
Tony Preite, Director, Montana Department of Commerce
Christian Mackay, Executive Officer, Department of Livestock
- 4:15 -- Public Comment
4:30 -- Adjourn

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