



**Health and Human Services and General Government Joint Appropriations Subcommittees
Information Session – Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, 2010
Monday, January 10, 2010
Room 102 State Capitol Building**

- 8:00 AM Introduction and “Set the Stage” – Chairman Roberts
- 8:05 Laura Tobler, National Conference of State Legislatures
Overview of Major Components of the Act That Affect State Programs or Laws and Timeline for Those Changes
- 8:25 Laura Tobler - Insurance Exchanges
“Market Place for Insurance”
Exchange Functions
Types of Exchanges/Policy Issues
Eligibility Determination for:
Tax Subsidy
Tax Credits for Small Businesses/Possible Duplication of Insure Montana
Medicaid/CHIP
Other Public Benefits such as SNAP (Food Stamps)
- 9:15 Q & A Insurance Exchanges
- 9:30 Break
- 9:40 Laura Tobler - Medicaid Changes
Maintenance of Effort for Current Eligibility Until 2014
Eligibility Changes on 1/1/2014
Services
Federal Financial Participation
- 10:00 Q & A Medicaid Changes
- 10:15 Dick Cauchi, National Conference of State Legislatures
Insurance Changes Applicable to State Employee Group Plan
Grandfathered Plan
- 10:25 Dick Cauchi, State Actions Opposing PPACA
- 10:45 Q & A States Opposing
- 11:15 Laura Tobler, States’ Actions on Implementation of State Policy Matters
- 11:30 Q & A State Implementation
- 11:45 Montana Implementation Actions to Date
Monica Lindeen, State Auditor