Law and Justice Interim Committee Work Plan Meeting Chart Prepared by Rachel Weiss

Version 1.0: September 2019

	Sept. 9, 2019	Nov. 18-19, 2019	Jan. 27, 2020	March 30-31, 2020	May 12, 2020	July 13, 2020	Sept. 14, 2020
Specific Statutory Duties							
Monitor agency operations and liaise with Judicial Branch	* Continue agency introductions from Judicial Branch, and DOJ, DOC	* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC * Budget update from LFD staff (tentative)	* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC	* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC			
Administrative rule review	* No rules submitted by agencies	* Rules report from legal staff	* Rules report from legal staff	* Rules report from legal staff	* Rules report from legal staff	* Rules report from legal staff	* Final rules report from legal staff
Review/request agency legislative proposals						* Review of agency legislative proposals; determine whether to request drafts on behalf of agencies	* Final opportunity for agencies to submit proposals for early drafting
Receive/review required reports and review advisory councils	* Receive initial report on councils, commissions, and reports	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member
	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member						

	Sept. 9, 2019	Nov. 18-19, 2019	Jan. 27, 2020	March 30-31, 2020	May 12, 2020	July 13, 2020	Sept. 14, 2020
Interim Study Assignments							
HJ 31: Study MBCC	* Review LSD staff papers *Presentation from MBCC staff and presiding officer	 * Staff information on other state's models * Additional stakeholder panels on Board processes and structure * Receive more in- depth information on grants 	 * Additional stakeholder panels as requested * Additional staff research as needed * Begin to narrow focus, as possible 	* Continue to narrow options *Begin to develop recommendations, if any	* Continue to develop recommendations *Select initial topics for study report	* Revise any recommendations or legislation, as needed *Review draft of study report	*Adopt any recommendations * Finalize study report, any legislation, and assign sponsors
HJ 36: study compensation for wrongfully convicted	 * Panel discussion to review selected topics in work plan * Select additional topics for further information, if any 	* Narrow focus as needed * Begin to develop recommendations, if any	* Options for additional information as needed * Develop recommendations as needed	* Options for additional information as needed * Develop recommendations as needed	* Options for additional information as needed * Develop recommendations as needed	* Revise any recommendations or legislation, as needed	*Review of staff summary * Adopt any recommendations * Finalize any legislation and assign sponsors
HJ 43: study post- conviction appeal process and DNA evidence		* Receive staff paper on processes and procedures *Stakeholder panel(s) on other states' models, Montana system strengths/weakness es and experiences with system	* Options for additional information as needed * Begin to narrow focus, as needed * Develop recommendations as needed	* Options for additional information as needed *Continue to narrow options * Develop recommendations as needed	* Options for additional information as needed * Develop and review recommendations as needed	* Revise any recommendations or legislation as needed	* Adopt any recommendations * Finalize any legislation and assign sponsors

Page 3 of 3

	Sept. 9, 2019	Nov. 18-19, 2019	Jan. 27, 2020	March 30-31, 2020	May 12, 2020	July 13, 2020	Sept. 14, 2020
SJ 19: study of sexual and violent offender registry	* Receive initial staff paper on SVOR background	* Additional staff research and legal analysis of case law *Stakeholder panels on topics. Options include: removal process, assessment, treatment, monitoring, community ed., victim services, other states)	* Additional stakeholder panels as requested * Additional staff research as needed * Begin to narrow focus, as possible	* Continue to narrow options *Begin to develop recommendations, if any	* Continue to develop recommendations *Select initial topics for study report	* Revise any recommendations or legislation, as needed *Review draft of study report	*Adopt any recommendations * Finalize study report, any legislation, and assign sponsors
Member and Emerging Issues							
HB 715: study of long-term state financial stability		*Presentation from LFD staff (tentative)	*Updates as requested, could include update after Legislative Week	*Updates as requested	*Updates as requested	*Updates as requested	*Updates as requested

Acronyms:

BOPP = Board of Pardons and Parole

DOC = Department of Corrections

DOJ = Department of Justice

LJIC = Law and Justice Interim Committee

LSD = Legislative Services Division

MBCC = Montana Board of Crime Control

OPD = Office of State Public Defender

POST = Public Safety Officers Standards and Training Council