

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

COMMERCE COMMITTEE

Thursday, July 12, 2001
Roughrider Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

- 1:30 p.m. Call to order
Roll call
Review of Legislative Council supplementary rules of operation and procedure
- 1:35 p.m. Comments by the committee chairman on studies assigned to the committee
- OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL BOARDS STUDY**
- 1:40 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum relating to the committee's study, as directed by Section 2 of House Bill No. 1377, to study the ability of occupational and professional boards with fewer than 100 licensees to process disciplinary complaints and carry out other statutory responsibilities
- 1:50 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study of occupational and professional boards
- 2:05 p.m. Comments by committee members regarding the study of occupational and professional boards
- 2:15 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives
- BUSINESS PROGRAMS STUDY**
- 2:20 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum relating to the committee's study, as directed by Section 16 of Senate Bill No. 2019, to study the availability of venture capital, tax credits, and other financing and research and development programs for new or expanding businesses
- 2:30 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study of business programs
- 2:50 p.m. Comments by committee members regarding the study of business programs
- 3:00 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives
- 3:05 p.m. Coffee break
- INTERNATIONAL MARKETING STUDY**
- 3:20 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum relating to the committee's study, as directed by Section 17 of Senate Bill No. 2019, to study the feasibility and desirability of expanding North Dakota's economic development marketing to include international markets and establishing a global marketing division within the Department of Commerce
- 3:30 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study of international marketing
- 3:40 p.m. Comments by committee members regarding the study of international marketing
- 3:50 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives

WORKFORCE TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS STUDY

- 3:55 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum relating to the committee's study, as directed by Section 4 of Senate Bill No. 2020, to study workforce training and development programs in North Dakota
- 4:05 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study of workforce training and development programs
- 4:25 p.m. Comments by committee members regarding the study of workforce training and development programs
- 4:35 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives
- 4:45 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Senators John M. Andrist (Chairman), Duaine C. Espgaard, Tony Grindberg, Joel C. Heitkamp, Karen K. Krebsbach, Deb Mathern, Carolyn Nelson, Rich Wardner
Representatives Rick Berg, Byron Clark, Mark A. Dosch, Glen Froseth, Pat Galvin, Scot Kelsh, Doug Lemieux, Bob Martinson, Bill Pietsch, Dale C. Severson, Blair Thoreson, Lonny Winrich