MEETING NOTICE

Representative Al Carlson, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **BUDGET COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT SERVICES**.

Date: Tuesday, May 16, 2006

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Roughrider Room, State Capitol, Bismarck

Agenda: Presentations by representatives of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation regarding an update on the number of state inmates, on the status of development of the department's 2007-09 biennium budget request with detailed information on facility needs and related costs, and on requirements by inmate classification related to the care and custody of inmates which would be required of a private correction facility; by representatives of the Dakota Women's Correctional and Rehabilitation Center regarding housing state inmates, including population and capacity statistics; by representatives of the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees Corrections United Local 2857 regarding the use of the private sector for the state's incarceration and facility needs; by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the substance abuse treatment pilot project established by 2005 Senate Bill No. 2373; and by representatives of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and the Department of Human Services on the 90-day limitation on mental health assistance to inmates; and other presentations relating to the committee's studies

Special Note: Anyone who plans to attend the meeting and needs assistance because of a disability should contact the Legislative Council staff as soon as possible.

Committee Members: Representatives Al Carlson, Randy Boehning, Ron Carlisle, Kari Conrad, Duane DeKrey, Jeff Delzer, Glen Froseth, Eliot Glassheim, Bette B. Grande, James Kerzman, Joe Kroeber, Ralph Metcalf, Darrell D. Nottestad, Ken Svedjan, Blair Thoreson, Dave Weiler, Alon C. Wieland; Senators Duaine C. Espegard, Aaron Krauter, Ed Kringstad, Elroy N. Lindaas, Stanley W. Lyson, Dave Nething

Staff Contacts: Becky Keller, Fiscal Analyst

Jim W. Smith, Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor

Any member who is unable to attend this meeting is asked to please notify this office as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

John D. Olsrud Director

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