MEETING NOTICE

Representative Jeff Delzer, Chairman, has called a meeting of the HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE.

Date: Tuesday, November 6, 2007

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Roughrider Room, State Capitol, Bismarck

Agenda:

Presentations by the Legislative Council staff with statutory provisions relating to the division of responsibility between the state and counties in the delivery and financing of economic assistance programs; by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the department's unspent general fund appropriation authority for the 2005-07 biennium and actual Medicaid expenditures compared to appropriated amounts for the 2005-07 biennium, the status of the Medicaid management information system computer project, grant cost changes and county administrative costs for economic assistance programs resulting from the "swap" agreement since 1997, the temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) program, and the state children's health insurance program annual report; by representatives of the Drug Utilization Review Board regarding the board's progress in managing the utilization of certain drugs; by representatives at the University of North Dakota College of Nursing regarding the status of activities of the Nursing Education Consortium; by representatives of the State Department of Health regarding the immunization program transition on local public health units and on the estimated fiscal impact of the transition; and other presentations, including a presentation by representatives of Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Dakota on the immunization program transition

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 Jeff Delzer, Patrick R. Hatlestad, Curt Hofstad, Lee Kaldor, James Kerzman, Gary Kreidt, Jon Nelson, Vonnie Pietsch, Chet Pollert, Clara Sue Price, Ken Svedjan, Robin Weisz; Senators JoNell A. Bakke, Dick Dever, Robert S. Erbele, Aaron Krauter, Judy Lee, Jim Pomeroy, John M. Warner

Staff Contacts: Allen H. Knudson, Assistant Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor 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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