July 13, 2005

MEETING NOTICE

Senator Karen K. Krebsbach, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **INDUSTRY, BUSINESS, AND LABOR COMMITTEE**.

Date: Wednesday, August 24, 2005

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Roughrider Room, State Capitol, Bismarck

Agenda: Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of background memorandums and comments by interested persons regarding the committee's studies of the reemployment processes and costs and an appropriate method for providing a limitation on the total average number of job-attached unemployment insurance claimants; the implementation by Job Service North Dakota of a shared work demonstration project; the unemployment insurance tax rate structure and the impact of the current tax structure on new businesses; the feasibility and desirability of requiring professional employer organizations operating in North Dakota to register with the state, including consideration of how other states address the issue of registration of professional employer organizations; the appropriate minimum standard of loss ratio for accident and health insurers and whether that loss ratio is more appropriately set by statute or by rule; and public improvement contracts and issues relating to use of multiple bids versus single prime bids, construction management, professional liability and indemnification, and the design-build delivery systems

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: Senators Karen K. Krebsbach, Duaine C. Espegard, Tony Grindberg, Joel C. Heitkamp, Duane Mutch, Dave Nething; Representatives Bill Amerman, Tracy Boe, Donald L. Clark, Donald D. Dietrich, Mark A. Dosch, Glen Froseth, Pat Galvin, Nancy Johnson, Jim Kasper, George J. Keiser, Scot Kelsh, Dan J. Ruby, Don Vigesaa

Staff Contact: John Bjornson, Counsel

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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