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### **Legislative Oversight Committee**

March 2, 2022 8:45 a.m. Blatt Room 110

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#### Attendance

I. Pursuant to Committee Rule 3.1, the meeting of the House Legislative Oversight Committee was called to order by Chairman Wm. Weston J. Newton. All members of the Committee were present for all or a portion of the meeting, except Vice-Chair Joseph H. Jefferson, Jr., and Representative Marvin R. Pendarvis.

#### **Minutes**

I. Representative Rosalyn D. Henderson-Myers, moved to approve the minutes from the meeting on April 8, 2021. A roll call vote was held, and the motion passed.

Rep. Henderson-Myers's motion to approve the April 8, 2021 meeting	Yea	Nay	Not Voting
minutes.		,	
Rep. Garvin	<b>✓</b>		
Rep. Gatch	✓		
Rep. Henderson-Meyers	<b>✓</b>		
Rep. Hixon	✓		
Rep. Jefferson			Not Present
Rep. J. Johnson			Not Present
Rep. K.O. Johnson			Not Present
Rep. Magnuson			Not Present
Rep. McCravy	✓		
Rep. McGinnis	✓		
Rep. Morgan			Not Present
Rep. Moore			Not Present
Rep. Newton	✓		
Rep. Oremus	<b>✓</b>		
Rep. Ott	✓		
Rep. Pendarvis			Not Present
Rep. Rivers			Not Present
Rep. West	✓		
Rep. Wooten	✓		

### Discussion of the Study of the Department of Health and Human Services

- I. Subcommittee Chair Jay West presents an overview of the study of the Department of Health and Human Services.
- II. Subcommittee Chair West states that the subcommittee makes 10 findings as to Medicaid beneficiaries, Medicaid Providers, and agency resources. Subcommittee Chair West also states that the subcommittee makes 26 recommendations to the General Assembly, the Department of Health and Human Services, and the Department of Administration addressing the following categories:
  - i. Accountability;
  - ii. Effectiveness;
  - iii. Efficiency;
  - iv. Transparency;

- v. Interagency collaboration; and
- vi. Modernization of laws
- III. Agency Director Robert Kerr responds to questions from Committee members.
- IV. During discussion of Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee report, various members (i.e., Subcommittee Chair West, Representative Josiah Magnuson, and Representative Russell L. Ott) expressed desire to make various motions at the appropriate time. Due to time constraints, the meeting adjourned while still discussing the Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee report on Department of Health and Human Services.

## Adjournment

I. The House of Representatives convened at 10:00 a.m., which required the Committee to adjourn pursuant to House Rule 4.4.