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Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee Meeting Tuesday, July 28, 2020, at 10:30 am Microsoft Teams (Virtual Meeting)

## Archived Video Available

I. Pursuant to House Legislative Oversight Committee Rule 6.8, South Carolina ETV was allowed access for streaming the meeting. You may access an archived video of this meeting by visiting the South Carolina General Assembly's website (http://www.scstatehouse.gov) and clicking on *Committee Postings and Reports*, then under *House Standing Committees* click on *Legislative Oversight*. Then, click on *Video Archives* for a listing of archived videos for the Committee.

## Attendance

I. Chair Jay West calls the Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee meeting on Tuesday, July 28, 2020, via Microsoft Teams conference call due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. The following members of the Subcommittee were present for either all or a portion of the meeting: Representative Robert "Bobby" Ridgeway and Representative Bill Taylor.

#### Minutes

- I. House Rule 4.5 requires standing committees to prepare and make available to the public the minutes of committee meetings, but the minutes do not have to be verbatim accounts of meetings. It is the practice of the Legislative Oversight Committee to provide minutes for its subcommittee meetings.
- II. Representative Taylor makes a motion to approve the meeting minutes from the prior Subcommittee meeting.

Rep. Taylor's motion to approve the minutes from the January 15, 2020 meeting:	Yea	Nay	Not Voting
Rep. Ridgeway	✓		
Rep. Taylor	✓		
Rep. Wooten	✓		
Rep. West	✓		

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

- I. Chair West explains the purpose of the meeting is to discuss the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) agency. He further explains that the process will be intensive and take place over the next few months, including multiple subcommittee meetings.
- II. Chair West swears in Director Joshua D. Baker.
- III. Director Baker provides the Subcommittee information on the following topics:
  - a. Agency goals and budget;
  - b. Medicaid financing;
  - c. Medicaid eligibility;
  - d. Program integrity;
  - e. Health improvement programs;
  - f. Medicaid managed care;
  - g. Medicaid waiver programs; and

- h. Replacement Medicaid management information system.
- IV. Subcommittee members ask questions which Director Baker answers. Chair West notes members may have additional questions about the information presented at the next Subcommittee meeting.
- V. The meeting is adjourned.