## **MEETING NOTICE**

Senator Judy Lee, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **BUDGET COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE**.

Date, Tuesday, August 24, 2004, 1:00 p.m., Meeting Room, C'Mon Inn, 4338 20th Avenue SW,

Time, and

Fargo

Place:

Wednesday, August 25, 2004, 9:30 a.m., Fort Abercrombie, Abercrombie; and 1:15 p.m.,

Veterans Home, 1400 Rose Street, Lisbon

Agenda:

Presentation by Ms. Patty Kumbera, Outcomes Pharmaceutical Health Care, regarding clinical management and physician incentive programs; Dr. Randy Seifert, PharmD, regarding prescription drugs cost-containment programs; the Department of Human Services regarding the prior authorization program; and various agency representatives regarding the nursing home survey process; and conduct budget tours of Fort Abercrombie and the Veterans Home

**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 Judy Lee, Robert S. Erbele, Tom Fischer, Ralph L. Kilzer, Tim Mathern, Russell T. Thane; Representatives David Drovdal, Joyce Kingsbury, Gary Kreidt, Ralph Metcalf, Carol A. Niemeier, Vonnie Pietsch, Todd Porter, Jo Ann Rodenbiker, Sally M. Sandvig, Gerald Uglem, Don Vigesaa

**Staff Contacts:** Jim W. Smith, Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor Donald J. Wolf, Senior Fiscal Analyst

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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