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House Committee on Health Care

AGENDA

Room 45

February 12, 2013 - February 15, 2013

Tuesday, February 12, 2013

10:00 AM

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H. 418 - An act relating to establishing premium and cost-sharing assistance, a sugar-sweetened beverage tax, and a health care claims tax

Premium and Cost Sharing Subsidy Revised Proposal

Robin Lunge, Director of Health Care Reform, Agency of Administration

Mark Larson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

1:00 PM

Caucus

2:15 PM

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H.234 language walk through

Rep. Dave Sharpe, Sponsor, House Committee on Ways and Means

Peter Griffin, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Council

3:00 PM

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Alternative Proposal, Claims Assessment

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Wednesday, February 13, 2013

- 9:00 AM **H. 418 - An act relating to establishing premium and cost-sharing assistance, a sugar-sweetened beverage tax, and a health care claims tax**
Fiscal note on Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Tax
 Sara Teachout, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
- 1:30 PM **FLOOR**
- 15 Min Aft floor **H. 418 - An act relating to establishing premium and cost-sharing assistance, a sugar-sweetened beverage tax, and a health care claims tax**
Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Tax
 Mike Hammond, Distributor, Pepsi Bottling Ventures, South Burlington
- After **H. 418 - An act relating to establishing premium and cost-sharing assistance, a sugar-sweetened beverage tax, and a health care claims tax**
Committee Discussion on State Premium and Cost-Sharing Subsidy; Poirier Proposal; Woodward Proposal
 Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
 Katie McLinn, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Council

Thursday, February 14, 2013

- 9:00 AM **Meet and Greet with Bi-State**
Bi-State Membership
 Susan Barrett, Director of Public Policy, Bi-State Primary Care Association
 Grant Whitmer, Executive Director, Community Health Centers of Rutland
 Josh Plavin MD, Medical Director, Gifford Health Care
 Thomas Moseley MD, Newport Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine
 Wilda Pelton, Executive Director, Valley Health Connections (Springfield)

10:00 AM

Vermont Association of Hospitals and Health Systems

Dr. Philip Brown, Central Vermont Medical Center

Stephen Leffler M.D., Chief Medical Officer, Fletcher Allen Health Care

Catherine Schneider, Mount Ascutney Hospital

Josh Plavin MD, Medical Director, Gifford Medical Center

Dr. Robert Tremblay, North Country Medical Center

Dr. Carl "Trey" Dobson, Chair of the Emergency Department, Southwestern Vermont Medical Center

Anne R.N. Ireland, Director of Clinical Practice and Innovation, Fletcher Allen Health Care

Dr. Joel Silverstein, Copley Hospital

After

Medicaid Beneficiary Addison County Parent Child Center

Donna Bailey, Co-Director, Addison County Parent Child Center

11:30 AM

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William Sorrell, Vermont Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

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Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Tax

Stephen Leffler M.D., Chief Medical Officer, Fletcher Allen Health Care

Brandi Jagemann, Cancer Survivor, Montpelier

Pam Trag, Owner, Quality Market, Barre (3 pm)

Roberta Friedman, Director of Public Policy, Rudd Center for Food Policy and Obesity (by phone)

Dave Larose, Distributor, Coca Cola

Dave Simondinger, Owner, Champlain Farms

Friday, February 15, 2013

8:00 AM

OneCare Vermont*In Room 10*

John Brumsted, President and CEO, Fletcher Allen Health Care

Jim Weinstein, CEO and President, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center

Todd Moore, CEO, OneCare Vermont

9:30 AM

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John Cole, Pediatric Resident, Fletcher Allen Health Care

Frank Chaloupka, Professor of Economics, University of Chicago
(by phone)

Michael Jacobsen, Executive Director, Center for Science in the Public Interest (by phone)

Karen Lafayette, Vermont Low Income Advocacy Council

1:30 PM

VHAP/CHC Financing Perspective

John Franco, Burlington

1:45 PM

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Robin Lunge, Director of Health Care Reform, Agency of Administration

Peter Sterling, Executive Director, Vermont Campaign for Health Care Security

After

Committee Discussion