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**Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee Meeting
Tuesday, October 24, 2017, at 10:00 am
Blatt Building Room 321**

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. The Healthcare and Regulatory Subcommittee is called to order by Chair Phyllis J. Henderson on Tuesday, October 24, 2017, in Room 110 of the Blatt Building. All members of the Subcommittee are present for all or a portion of the meeting except.

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 moves to approve the meeting minutes from the September 18, 2017, meeting.

Representative Taylor moves to approve the meeting minutes from the September 18, 2017 meetings	Yea	Nay	Not Voting (Absent)	Not Voting (Present)
Rep. William K. Bowers			✓	
Rep. MaryGail Douglas	✓			
Rep. Henderson	✓			
Rep. Taylor	✓			

Meeting

- I. Chair Henderson explains that this is the third meeting with the Department of Disabilities and Special Need (DDSN).
- II. Chair Henderson explains that the full committee received testimony from the public about the agency in March of this year, and the Subcommittee heard an overview of DDSN finances at the last meeting. She explains that this meeting is a continuation of the previous discussion of finances.
- III. Chair Henderson reminds everyone that has previously been sworn in that they remain under oath for any testimony before this Subcommittee or the full Committee.
- IV. Ms. Eva Ravenel, DDSN Commission Chair, and Mr. Bill Danielson, DDSN Commissioner, testify about the Commission's role.
- V. Dr. Beverly A. H. Buscemi, DDSN State Director, provides testimony. Topics discussed included:
 - a. Agency Finances (historical funding, DDSN provider payment system, and room/board);
 - b. Services (history, Medicaid waivers);
 - c. National Benchmarks; and
 - d. Regional Centers.
- VI. Subcommittee members ask questions, which Commissioners and different agency representative's answer. Topics questioned include:
 - a. Role of Commission;
 - b. Organizational structure;
 - c. Band funding;
 - d. Tri-Development Center (Aiken);
 - e. Blended rates;
 - f. Board use of surplus funds;
 - g. Regional centers; and
 - h. Respite services.
- V. There being no further business, the meeting is adjourned.