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Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs

Senate Chair

Senator Justin L. Alfond

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Representative Patricia B. Sutherland

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Cross State Office Building, Room #202

AGENDA

- 9:00 a.m. **CHAIR’S “CALL TO ORDER”:** Introductions and Agenda Review
- 9:15 a.m. **BRIEFING: Angela Faherty, Acting Commissioner of Education**
Report on the reductions to the 21st Century Community Learning Center grants for 33 programs that provide after school and “extended learning opportunities”
- 10:45 a.m. **BRIEFING: Angela Faherty, Acting Commissioner of Education**
Review the Maine application for federal “Race to the Top” grant funds; and Report on the stakeholder group convened pursuant to LD 1799, “An Act To Encourage the Use of Models in the Collection and Use of Student Achievement Data” and pursuant to Executive Order No. 11
- 11:45 a.m. **BRIEFING: Angela Faherty, Acting Commissioner of Education**
Review of student eligibility for state subsidy under the Postsecondary Enrollment program (see 20-A MRSA, Chapter 208-A, §§ 4771-4776)
- 12:15 p.m. **LUNCH**
- 1:00 p.m. **BRIEFING: Brenda Harvey, Commissioner of Health & Human Services and Angela Faherty, Acting Commissioner of Education (or designee)**
Review the interim report presented pursuant to LD 1804, “An Act Concerning Certain MaineCare Rules Regarding Services Provided through the Child Development Services System and School Administrative Units”
- 2:00 p.m. **BRIEFING: Angela Faherty, Acting Commissioner of Education**
Status report on the implementation of the reorganization of the Child Development Services System
- 2:45 p.m. **BREAK**
- 3:00 p.m. **BRIEFING: Angela Faherty, Acting Commissioner of Education**
Status report on the implementation of the school district reorganization laws
- 4:00 p.m. **ADJOURNMENT:** Announcements and Wrap-up