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INTERIM JOINT COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET

PIERRE – The Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations will meet on Tuesday, June 12, 2018, in Pierre. The meeting will be held in Room 362 of the State Capitol at 8:30 AM.

The Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations, co-chaired by Representative David Anderson (R-Hudson) and Senator Larry Tidemann (R-Brookings), will discuss letters of intent that were deferred from the March meeting. The committee has invited Commissioner Laurie Gill, Bureau of Human Resources, to give an update regarding the state employee health insurance one-time appropriation in FY2018 and employee benefit changes for FY2019. Commissioner Liza Clark, Bureau of Finance and Management, has also been invited to discuss budget transfers and year end general fund revenues and expenditures. Kim Malsam-Rysdon, Secretary of Health, and William Snyder, Director of Medical Services, will give an update on the Medicaid "received-through" policy state general funds savings. The Legislative Research Council fiscal staff will give a brief update on their new role as program evaluators. The meeting is open to the public and the agenda is available on the Legislative Research Council's website.

In addition to Representative Anderson and Senator Tidemann, committee members include, Representatives Dan Ahlers (D-Dell Rapids), Hugh Bartels (R-Watertown), Lance Carson (R-Mitchell), Taffy Howard (R-Rapid City), Jean Hunhoff (R-Yankton), Chris Karr (R-Sioux Falls), John Lake (R-Gettysburg), Sue Peterson (R-Sioux Falls); and Senators Justin Cronin (R-Gettysburg), Terri Haverly (R-Rapid City), Reynold Nesiba (D-Sioux Falls), Jeffrey Partridge (R-Rapid City), Deb Peters (R-Hartford), Billie Sutton (D-Burke), Jim White (R-Huron), John Wiik (R-Big Stone City).

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