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INTERIM JOINT COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET

PIERRE – The Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations will hold their second meeting of the 2017 interim on Thursday, June 8, 2017. The meeting will begin approximately at 1:00 p.m. in room 145 of the University Center located in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

The Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations, co-chaired by Senator Larry Tidemann (R-Brookings) and Representative David Anderson (R-Hudson), will discuss Lean management reviews and implementation in state government. Lean is the concept of continuous improvement to accomplish incremental changes in processes to gain efficiency and quality. The discussion will include an update on past, present, and future Lean projects. The Committee will also receive a workforce development and recruitment report from the Department of Labor and Regulation, the Governor's Office of Economic Development, and the Bureau of Human Resources. Additionally, the Committee will revisit a letter of intent regarding funding for a math program at the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology. The meeting is open to the public and the agenda is available on the Legislative Research Council's website: <http://www.sdlegislature.gov/>.

In addition to Lead Co-Chair Tidemann and Co-Chair Anderson, committee members include, 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), and John Wiik (R-Big Stone City); and 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).

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