HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Notice of Committee Meeting

Committee on Health and Welfare

Will meet at: 9:00 A.M.  Date: May 11, 2005

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

HCR 17 SCHNEIDER  ELDERLY  Urges and requests the Office of Elderly Affairs to develop a comprehensive Internet site with information and resources for the elderly

HB 125 TOOMY  DENTISTRY  Amends the Dental Practice Act

HB 146 POWELL, M.  FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS  Phases out the Medicaid provider fee on nursing home beds

HB 242 CROWE  ABORTION  Provides for mandatory professional counseling in all cases when an abortion is sought

HB 299 WINSTON  CHILDREN/FOSTER CARE  Increases the maximum age that a child can remain in foster care

HB 369 DURAND  MEDICAID  Removes the exemption of hepatitis C and antipsychotic drugs from the Louisiana prior authorization process with preferred drug list

HB 440 FAUCHEUX  HEALTH/DHH  Provides for the imposition and collection of certain fees relative to the office of addictive disorders

HB 445 WINSTON  SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT  Provides for the implementation of "No Wrong Door"

HB 526 WINSTON  HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES  Provides relative to licensing adult brain injury facilities

HB 538 MCVEA  HEALTH/DHH  Provides for the development and implementation of a statewide human services and accountability framework

HB 644 BARROW  CHILDREN/ABUSE  Repeals certain provisions relative to the disposition of reports and investigations of child abuse

HB 675 BEARD  HEALTH/DEATH-DYING  Creates the Human Dignity Act which places restrictions to death by starvation and dehydration

HB 740 HEBERT  HEALTH CARE/PROVIDERS  Exempts polysomnographic health professionals from respiratory therapist licensure requirements and recognizes polysomnography as a separate and distinct profession

HB 784 SALTER  JUVENILES  Provides for an exception from confidentiality requirements as to the identity of juvenile crime victims

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Chairman