



Washington State Legislature

JOINT LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE on the UNDERGROUND ECONOMY

AGENDA

Friday
November 20, 2009
9:00 a.m. –2:30 p.m.

Senate Conference Rooms ABC
John A. Cherberg Building
Olympia, Washington

Chairing: Representative Steve Conway

Work Session:

- 1. Agency reports on unregistered businesses. *15 minutes* 9:00 - 9:15
- 2. Draft benchmark report. *20 minutes* 9:15 - 9:35
- 3. Update on implementation of E2SSB 5850 - trafficking. *10 minutes* 9:35 - 9:45
- 4. Update on implementation of SB 6173 - resellers' permits. *30 minutes* 9:45 - 10:15
 - a. Department of Revenue
 - b. Stakeholder comment.
- 5. Local government enforcement. *30 minutes* 10:15 - 10:45
- BREAK 15 minutes* 10:45 - 11:00
- 6. Underground economy issues outside construction. *40 minutes* 11:00 - 11:40
 - a. Parcel delivery industry.
 - i. Staff report.
 - ii. Stakeholder comment.
 - b. For hire vehicle industry.
 - i. Staff report.
 - ii. Stakeholder comment.
- 7. Future of Task Force work. *40 minutes* 11:40 - 12:20
 - a. Representative Paul Holvey
 - b. Comparison of Compliance Network with Washington activities
 - c. Peter Bogdonoff - Office of the Governor
- BREAK 30 minutes (to obtain lunch)* 12:20 - 12:50
- 8. Potential recommendations. *90 minutes* 12:50 - 2:20

Task Force Members:

Legislators

Senator Jeanne Kohl-Welles
Senator Janéa Holmquist
Representative Steve Conway
Representative Cary Condotta

Business Representatives

John Bratton
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Rick Slunaker
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Bob Abbott
David Johnson
John Littel
Randy Loomans

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Gary McLean
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Carl Hammersburg, *Department of Labor and Industries*
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