



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

AGENDA

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ADOPTION AND TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS LAW (Rep. Suzanne Jeskewitz, Chair)

**August 24, 2004
Room 411 South, State Capitol**

10:00 a.m.* CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL.

10:05 a.m. OPENING REMARKS:

- Terry C. Anderson, Director, Wisconsin Legislative Council.

10:20 a.m. INTRODUCTION OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

10:30 a.m. INVITED SPEAKERS:

- Elizabeth Schaefer, Director of Adoption Services, Lutheran Social Services.
- Department of Health and Family Services panel:
 - Kitty Kocol, Administrator, Division of Children and Family Services.
 - Denise Revels Robinson, Director, Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare.
 - Catherine Swessel, Director of Permanency Planning, Children's Service Society of Wisconsin.
 - Mark Campbell, Director, Bureau of Programs and Policies.
 - Therese Durkin, Legal Counsel.

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12:15 p.m. BREAK FOR LUNCH.

1:00 p.m. DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL DISTRIBUTED:

- Staff Brief 04-1, *Adoption and Termination of Parental Rights Law* (August 17, 2004).

1:15 p.m. DISCUSSION OF COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT.

1:40 p.m. OTHER BUSINESS.

1:45 p.m. PLANS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS.

2:00 p.m. ADJOURNMENT.

Other committee members: Sens. Plale and Reynolds; and Reps. Kestell and Sinicki; and Public Members Dreyfus, Ehmann, Foley, Hayes, Kenney, Proft, and Sampson.