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PROPOSED 2006 MEETING AND HEARING CALENDAR

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Commission on State Mandates is required to meet at least once every two months.

The time and place of meetings may be set by resolution of the Commission, by written petition of a majority of the members, or by written call of the Chairperson. The Chairperson may, for good cause, change the starting time or place, reschedule or cancel any meeting.

In addition to six required bimonthly meetings, three tentative hearing dates are also proposed to accommodate additional agenda items, if needed, once two new staff counsel positions are filled.

January 26

March 30

April 27 (tentative)

May 25

July 27

August 31 (tentative)

September 28

October 26 (tentative)

December 7 or 14 (Members' choice)

Recommendation

Staff recommends adoption of the 2006 Meetings/Hearings Calendar as presented above.