FREEDOM OF INFORMATION, OPEN MEETINGS, AND PUBLIC RECORDS STUDY COMMITTEE

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Tentative Agenda

Friday, November 9, 2007 Room 103, Supreme Court Chamber State Capitol

9:00 a.m. Call to order

Roll call

Approval of minutes of October 19, 2007 meeting

Introductory comments

9:10 -10:30 a.m. Professor Arthur Bonfield, University of Iowa College of Law

Committee discussion of draft language and policy considerations relating to the following open meetings and public records issues including the following:

- Administrative enforcement
- Civil and criminal penalties
- Time limits on responding to records requests
- Undue invasion of privacy
- Privacy and court records
- Tentative, preliminary, and draft material
- Government employee personnel records
- Job applications for government employment
- Open records injunction provisions
- Final settlement agreements
- Application of public records law to non-governmental bodies
- Identical exemptions for open meetings and public records
- Email meetings
- Walking quorums
- Reconvened meetings and notice requirements
- Open records definitions

10:30 - 10:40 a.m. Break

10:40 a.m. - Noon Committee discussion, continued

Noon Lunch (on own)

1:00 p.m. Committee discussion, continued

4:00 p.m. Next steps