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**The Senate**

STATE OF IOWA  
*Sixty-Fourth General Assembly*  
STATE HOUSE  
Des Moines, Iowa 50319  
September 3, 1971

To the Legislative Council:

Senate File 575 is on the Senate calendar and would change all government body's years to a fiscal year. Mr. Seldon did most of the drafting and feels it needs some more work especially in conjunction with city and county governments.

I have talked to Mr. Roorda, ranking member of the House ways and means committee and we feel a joint sub-committee authorized to meet about two times would be of value in perfecting this bill, and I so request.

*Roger J. Shaff*

PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE ITINERARY

TO: IOWA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

FROM: Roger J. Shaff, Chairman  
Senate Committee on Ways and Means  
(Indicate House)

Is this a joint proposal with corresponding chairman of other house? \_\_\_\_\_

1. PROPOSED NUMBER OF STANDING COMMITTEE MEETINGS \_\_\_\_\_

2. PROPOSED NUMBER OF SUBCOMMITTEES 1  
PROPOSED NUMBER OF MEETINGS FOR EACH SUBCOMMITTEE 2

3. PROPOSED NUMBER OF JOINT MEETINGS WITH OTHER HOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

4. PROPOSED DAY OF MONTH, TIME OF DAY FOR MEETINGS \_\_\_\_\_

5. PROPOSED FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS \_\_\_\_\_  
(Indicate whether standing, subcommittee, or joint)

6. SIZE OF COMMITTEE, SUBCOMMITTEES, OR JOINT COMMITTEES \_\_\_\_\_

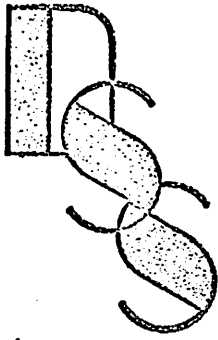
PROPOSED PURPOSE OF MEETINGS:

- a. Study pending legislation Senate File 575
- b. Conduct studies \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Hold hearings \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Investigations \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Draft legislation \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Other \_\_\_\_\_

7. PROPOSED STUDY AREAS \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. STAFF DESIRED \_\_\_\_\_

9. OTHER INFORMATION \_\_\_\_\_  
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STATE OF IOWA

# Department of Social Services

IOWA STATE PENITENTIARY, FORT MADISON, IOWA 52627

August 26, 1971

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WARDEN

Mr. Serge H. Garrison, Director  
Iowa Legislative Service Bureau  
State House  
Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Dear Mr. Garrison:

Please excuse my delay in replying to your letter. We will proceed with the selection of the inmate to serve on the Study Committee and it would be my suggestion that the person selected then be transferred to the Riverview Release Center at Newton if most of the meetings are to be held in Des Moines.

The selection poses some very real problems in that the persons eligible for work release will have to forfeit the income they would otherwise have earned from working while they are participating with the Committee. Further, since most of the men eligible for work release at this institution are those nearing discharge it is going to be virtually impossible to assure any continuity.

I believe the inmates should be reimbursed as most of them are not able to withstand the loss of income that otherwise would be available to them on work release. I attended the session yesterday of the Committee and in relating this problem to them the Committee members did not feel it was their prerogative to authorize reimbursement for the inmates. Until there is some further clarification on this point we will proceed by relating the facts to those eligible for work release and then submit the names of those who express a willingness to serve to the inmates for their selection.

Respectfully,

Lou V. Brewer, Warden

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REPORT OF THE  
LEGISLATIVE PROCEDURES AND FACILITIES COMMITTEE

September 7, 1971

The Legislative Procedures and Facilities Committee met with the following members of the Capitol Planning Commission:

Mr. Amos Emery, Chairman  
Mr. William Gall, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds  
Mrs. Polly Moore  
Senator Wilson Davis  
Representative Don Alt  
Representative Luvern Kehe

Also present were:

Mr. Maurice Baringer, Treasurer of State,  
Space Committee, Executive Council  
Mr. Charles Hoeven, Architectural Services  
Mr. Max Curtis, Arthur H. Neumann & Bros., Inc.

The Committee discussed with the persons present the possible changes in legislative facilities which would increase the amount of space available for legislative use, including the concept of double decking rooms to provide additional space.

The following motions were approved by the Committee:

It was moved that the Capitol Planning Commission be requested to develop detailed plans for optimum use of space currently allocated to the General Assembly.

It was moved that acceptable plans be written and work commenced to remodel Room 22 behind the Senate Chamber, Room 1 behind the House Chamber, and the Legislative Fiscal Director's area with a completion date of January 1, 1972. The Capitol Planning Commission was requested to provide architectural plans for remodeling the three rooms by October 1, 1971.

The Committee received information regarding the following legislative procedures and agreed to defer discussion until the October meeting.

Split sessions  
Deadline procedures  
Meeting of standing committees  
Committees' size, membership, and meeting frequency  
Planning sessions for second regular session  
Staff for leadership and committees