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Honorable Kevin Cramer  
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Public Service Commission  
State Capitol  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

## **PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

Dear Mr. Cramer:

Enclosed is the Senate Appropriations Committee, Senator Ray Holmberg, Chairman, January 10-14, 2011, hearing schedule. Please note the bills or presentations relating to your department or institution that are scheduled during this time.

On behalf of the chairman, we ask that a representative of your department or institution testify during the times scheduled. The chairman asks that presentations to the committee be in written form to allow for future reference. Budget presentations should focus on the department's or institution's 2009-11 appropriation, estimated 2009-11 spending and the status of one-time funding items, 2011-13 budget needs, 2011-13 one-time funding needs, and major variances. The chairman asks that any changes your department or institution will be asking the committee to make to the executive recommendation be itemized and presented to the committee in a separate document (one page, if possible) during your budget hearing. Time should be allowed for committee member questions.

The checkmarks on the enclosed schedule indicate the hearings or presentations relating to your department or institution. The hearings will be held in the committee rooms as identified on the hearing schedule. This is the schedule for the committee; however, it is subject to change when the legislative session begins.

Please contact Senator Holmberg or me if you have any questions relating to the enclosed schedule.

Sincerely,

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**62<sup>nd</sup> LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**  
**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HEARINGS**  
**January 10-14, 2011**  
**Harvest Room**  
**Senator Ray Holmberg, Chairman**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Bill No.</b>	<b>Budget No.</b>	<b>Department</b>
<b>Monday, January 10</b>			
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	2013	201/250/ 252/253	Department of Public Instruction, School for the Deaf, School for the Blind - Vision Services, and State Library
2:00 - 4:30 p.m.	2013	201/250 252/253	Continuation of Department of Public Instruction and related entities
<b>Tuesday, January 11</b>			
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	2013	201	Continuation of Department of Public Instruction
2:00 - 2:30 p.m.	2013	201	Continuation of Department of Public Instruction, if necessary
2:30 - 3:30 p.m.	2010	401	Insurance Commissioner
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.	2021	485	Workforce Safety and Insurance
<b>Wednesday, January 12</b>			
8:30 - 10:00 a.m.	2022	190/192	Public Employees Retirement System and Retirement and Investment Office
10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	2001	101	Governor
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	2003	125	Attorney General
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	2002	108	Secretary of State
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.	2004	117	State Auditor
3:00 - 4:00 p.m.	2008	408	✓ Public Service Commission
<b>Thursday, January 13</b>			
8:30 - 10:00 a.m.	2009	602	Agriculture Commissioner
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.	2019	750	Parks and Recreation Department
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	2018	701	State Historical Society
2:00 - 2:30 p.m.	2018	701	Continuation of State Historical Society, if necessary
2:30 - 4:00 p.m.	2020	770	State Water Commission
<b>Friday, January 14</b>			
8:30 - 10:00 a.m.	2016	540	Adjutant General, including Department of Emergency Services
10:00 - 11:30 a.m.	2017	720	Game and Fish Department