

NORTH DAKOTA COMMISSION
ON LEGAL COUNSEL FOR INDIGENTS

June 11, 2024

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

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or Via Microsoft Teams (Call In Number: 701-328-0950; 803489999#)

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Approval of minutes from the previous meeting.
- 3) Old Business:
 - a) Update on Jamestown Office and Public Defender offices
 - b) Update on Contracts and Contractors
 - c) Update on Financial Status and Budget
 - d) Update on Group and Committee Work
 - e) Update on pre-trial service program
 - f) Training
 - g) Interim Legislative Session
 - h) Next Session Potential Legislation
 - i) Recording of Custodial Interrogation
 - ii) Pay Parity between prosecutors and defense
 - iii) Costs of preparing transcripts to be paid by the Court
 - i) Review of comments on Policy of Payment of Extraordinary Attorney Fees
 - j) Review of the Guidelines and Application for Public Defender
- 4) New Business
 - a) Future of the Devils Lake Public Defender Office
 - b) Upcoming Salary increases for state employees
 - i) Salary of the Director
 - c) State Ethics Board Presentation on Conflicts of Interests for Board Members
 - d) Staffing Levels and movement of positions
 - e) Commissioner Terms
 - i) Terms expiring for:
 - (1) Senator Scott Meyer (Has served maximum number of terms on July 31, 2024.)
 - f) Kudos
- 5) Miscellaneous
- 6) Next Meeting Date and Time
- 7) Adjourn