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Agenda Item: Legislative Update (informational) **Bureau Chief Approval: ES**

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Background:

Staff will update the Commission about legislative activity since initiation of the 2021 Legislature on January 11, 2021. Weekly legislative conference calls were initiated on February 4 at 8:00 am MST.

Statutory Authority and/or Policy issues:

Informational. Commission has authority to provide legislative policy guidance.

Public Involvement Process:

Legislative discussions by the Commission are conducted in public on a weekly basis during the legislative session.

Staff Recommendation:

Continue implementation of the legislative process directed by the Commission.

Justification:

Legislative process requested by the Commission to stay abreast of legislative matters to provide timely policy direction and position.