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## AGENDA

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### WEDNESDAY

**Date:** February 4, 2026  
**Time:** 1:00 PM  
**Room:** HR E

*This agenda replaces the meeting notice posted on January 30, 2026.*

#### Public Hearing and Work Session

SB 1506

Requires the Legislative Policy and Research Director to conduct a study of the manner in which state labor agencies in other states are funded.

SB 1518

Requires the Bureau of Labor and Industries to study issues relating to worker protections.

SB 1519

Provides that the percentage of a worker's wage paid as compensation during a period of temporary total disability shall be determined by the portion of the worker's wage that is less than or equal to, or greater than, 75 percent of the state average weekly wage.

SB 1520

Authorizes the Director of the Employment Department to adopt rules establishing an accounting system for handling moneys in the Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance Fund.

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