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U.S. CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION TO HOLD PUBLIC BUSINESS MEETING
ON NOVEMBER 20, 2009

Washington, D.C.—The U.S. Commission on Civil Rights has announced that it will hold a business meeting on November 20, 2009 at its offices in Washington, DC. The meeting is open to the public and the media.

DATE AND TIME:  Friday, November 20, 2009; 9:30 a.m. EST
PLACE:  624 9th St., N.W.
          Room 540
          Washington, DC 20425

MEETING AGENDA

I. Approval of Agenda

II. Program Planning
   • Approval of MEPA Briefing Report
   • Update on Status of 2010 Enforcement Report
   • National Conference Update
   • Approval of Concept Papers for FY 2010 Briefing Topics
   • Amendments to Title IX Briefing Report
   • Update on Status of Title IX Project

III. Management & Operations
   • Motion Regarding Special Assistant GS Level
   • Motion to Permit Commissioners’ Special Assistants to Join Commissioners’ Line for Telephonic Meetings

III. State Advisory Committee Issues
   • Iowa SAC
   • Massachusetts SAC

III. Approval of September 24, October 8, October 15 and October 30 Meeting Minutes

IV. Staff Director’s Report

V. Adjourn

Persons with a disability requiring special services, such as an interpreter for the hearing impaired, should contact Pamela Dunston at least seven days prior to the meeting at 202-376-8105. TDD: (202) 376-8116.

The U.S. Commission on Civil Rights is an independent, bipartisan agency charged with monitoring federal civil rights enforcement. Members include Chairman Gerald A. Reynolds, Vice Chair Abigail Thernstrom, Commissioners Todd Gaziano, Gail Heriot, Peter N. Kirsanow, Arlan D. Melendez, Ashley L. Taylor, Jr., and Michael Yaki. Martin Dannenfelser is the Staff Director. Commission meetings are open to the general public. The Commission’s website is http://www.usccr.gov.