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Agenda approved

Legislative Update - Sue Rob
Chair Report
No Child Left Behind (NCLB)
Chair indicated and discussed several CCTC and CSU campus issues. Many as yet to be resolved. Very fluid and complicated situation. Perspectives change daily.

Rob. SB 81
integrated programs with combination with in four years of pedagogy and BA/BS degrees. Task force concerning these matters including articulation between CCC and CSU and CSU in same region being discussed and formulated. Unit distribution also being determined between CCC, lower and upper division regional CSU’s.

SB 242
Concern between provision for compensation of temporary faculty performing TT assignments, e.g. advising. Need to watch.

SB 187
Passed. Allow intern to obtain certificate leading to credential with student teaching occurring within district. Thus practical professional preparation could occur entirely outside of the CSU or other college setting.

Subject Competency Exams
Course work in mult subject areas no longer can replace subject matter state exams (CSET)

JPL Collaborative.
Continuing. Emphasizing service learning with interaction between students scientist, and teachers. Focus on updating teachers competency. Develop materials that can be made available to teachers in a variety of formats e.g. electronic, manuals.