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INFORMATIONAL HEARING Making Health Care Affordable: What's Driving Costs? February 4, 2015 -- 1:30 p.m. State Capitol, Room 4203

1. Welcome and Introductions

Senator Ed Hernandez, O.D.
Chair, Senate Committee on Health

2. PAYER PERSPECTIVES

Mari Cantwell, Chief Deputy Director, DHCS Health Care Programs

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3. BIOMEDICAL INDUSTRY PERSPECTIVE

Gregg Alton, Executive Vice President, Corporate and Medical Affairs, Gilead

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Dr. Geoffrey Joyce, Associate Professor, Clinical Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Economics & Policy, USC

4. PROVIDER PERSPECTIVE

Anne McLeod, Senior Vice President, Health Policy and Innovation, California Hospital Association

Jeffrey Burnich, M.D., Senior Vice President, Market and Medical Networks, Sutter Health

5. POTENTIAL REMEDIES

Jaime S. King, JD, PhD, Professor of Law, UC Hastings College of the Law
Associate Director, UCSF/UC Hastings Consortium on Law, Science and Health Policy

6. Public Comment