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**Senate Committee on Health
Informational Hearing
Health Care Market Consolidations: Impacts on Cost, Quality and Access
March 16, 2016
1:30 p.m., Room 4203**

- I. Welcome and Opening Comments
 - a. Chairman Hernandez

- II. Consolidated Markets and Strategies for Lower Prices
 - a. Paul B. Ginsburg, Professor, USC Price School of Public Policy, Director of Public Policy, USC Schaeffer Center for Health Policy and Economics and Schaeffer Chair, Brookings Institution

- III. Lessons and Recommendations from Massachusetts
 - a. David Seltz, Executive Directive of the Massachusetts Health Policy Commission

- IV. Existing Agencies Authority
 - a. Robert Sumner, Special Counsel for Legislation, and Kathleen Foote, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Section, Department of Justice

 - b. Shelley Rouillard, Director, Department of Managed Health Care

 - c. Janice Rocco, Deputy Commissioner, Health Policy and Reform, Department of Insurance

- V. Public Comment