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AGENDA

Behavioral Health Modernization Proposal: Revamp of the Mental Health Services Act

August 16, 2023 – 1:30 p.m.
1021 O Street, Room 1200

I. Welcoming Remarks

- Senator Susan Eggman, Chair of Senate Health Committee

II. Revamp of the MHSA

- Dr. Mark Ghaly, Secretary, California Health and Human Services Agency
- Michelle Baass, Director, Department of Health Care Services

III. Implementation Considerations

- Will Owens, Fiscal and Policy Analyst, and Ryan Miller, Principal Fiscal and Policy Analyst, Legislative Analyst's Office
- Toby Ewing, Ph.D., Executive Director, Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission

IV. Stakeholders

- The Honorable Darrell Steinberg, Mayor of Sacramento and Founder of the Steinberg Institute
- Matt Legé, Government Relations Advocate, SEIU California State Council
- Kim Lewis, Managing Attorney, National Mental Health Law Program
- Le Ondra Clark Harvey, Ph.D., CEO, California Council of Community Behavioral Health Agencies
- Jessica Cruz, MPA/HS, CEO, NAMI California
- Phebe Bell, Behavioral Health Director, Nevada County
- Lishaun Francis, Senior Director of Behavioral Health, Children Now
- Josefina Alvarado Mena, Esq., CEO, Safe Passages
- Dr. Mary Ann Dewan, Superintendent of Schools, Santa Clara County

V. Public Comment