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## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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### AGENDA

#### **SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE AND RECUSAL**

**(Rep. Gary Hebl, Chair  
Sen. Glenn Grothman, Vice-Chair)**

**August 5, 2010**

**Room 328 Northwest, State Capitol**

10:00 a.m.\* CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL.

10:05 a.m. OPENING REMARKS:

- Terry C. Anderson, Director, Wisconsin Legislative Council.
- Senator Fred A. Risser and Representative Marlin Schneider, Co-Chairs, Joint Legislative Council.

10:20 a.m. CHAIRPERSON'S REMARKS.

10:30 a.m. INTRODUCTION OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

10:35 a.m. PRESENTATIONS BY INVITED SPEAKERS:

- Patience Roggensack, Justice, Wisconsin Supreme Court.
- N. Patrick Crooks, Justice, Wisconsin Supreme Court.
- James Alexander, Executive Director, Wisconsin Judicial Commission.
- Mike McCabe, Wisconsin Democracy Campaign.

12:05 p.m. DISCUSSION OF COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT:

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\*All of the times listed in the agenda are approximations.

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- Memo No. 1, *Legislative and Judicial Authority* (July 28, 2010).
- Memo No. 2, *Discipline and Removal of Justices and Judges under Wisconsin Law* (July 28, 2010).
- Memo No. 3, *Overview of Judicial Discipline Procedures and Available Sanctions in the 50 States and the Surrounding States; and An Overview of Federal Law Regarding Judicial Discipline of Federal Judges* (July 28, 2010).
- Report, *State of Wisconsin 2009 Judicial Commission Annual Report, 2009 Calendar Year*.

1:55 p.m.                    OTHER BUSINESS.

2:00 p.m.                    ADJOURNMENT.

Other committee members: Reps. Kessler and LeMahieu; and Public Members Basting, Cross, Davis, Diel, Hurley, Kaminski, Laufenberg, and Schultz.