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Speaker Rebecca D. Lockhart, Chair
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Dear Chairs and Committee Members:

During the 2012 interim, the Judiciary Interim Committee would like, time permitting, to study judiciary issues on the Master Study Resolution with particular emphasis on following issues:

1. **Product Liability** - to study and review Utah's product liability law.
2. **Asset Protection Trusts** - to study, review, and compare Utah asset protection trust laws to other states.
3. **Offer of Judgement in Civil Cases** - to study a process for offers of judgment in civil cases.
4. **Follow Up on Child and Family Services Audit** - to study and make recommendations regarding the rights of parents and children as required by H.B. 161 (L. Christensen).
5. **Alimony** - to study fault as a basis to award or deny alimony in cases of divorce.
6. **Under Age Drinking** - to study penalties for underage drinking.
7. **Enticement of a Minor** - to study issues related to enticing a minor to engage in illegal activities.

Sincerely,

Mark Madsen / plf

Senator Mark Madsen
Senate Chair

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Representative Kay McCliff
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