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Speaker Rebecca D. Lockhart, Chair
President Michael G. Waddoups, Vice Chair
Legislative Management Committee
State Capitol Complex
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Subject: 2012 Study Items for the Public Utilities and Technology Interim Committee

Dear Speaker Lockhart and President Waddoups:

The Public Utilities and Technology Interim Committee has completed prioritizing its study items for the 2012 Interim. The committee will plan to review the following general study items:

- Energy infrastructure, including efficiency, coal to gas conversion, energy sources, energy generation, and cost recovery
- Information Technology including network and data security, encryption, VOIP phone systems, and procurement
- Utilities and utility regulation issues including Integrated Resource Plans, Universal Service Fund allocations, and underground power lines

As time permits and the need arises, additional items may be added as part of the committee's general oversight responsibilities to "investigate and study possibilities for improvement in government services within its subject area" (See IR2-1-101(3)).

Sincerely,

J. Stuart Adams, Senate Chair
Public Utilities and Technology Interim Committee

Michael E. Noel, House Chair
Public Utilities and Technology Interim Committee