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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** All presenters

**FROM:** Senator John Goedde, (208) 660-7663  
Representative Cliff Bayer (208) 362-5058

**SUBJECT:** Providing testimony to the Economic Outlook and Revenue Assessment Committee

Thank you for agreeing to appear before the committee to share your knowledge and expertise with us. Enclosed with this memorandum is a DRAFT copy of the committee agenda.

Also attached are questions and instructions for your presentation. There are some general questions, that may be overlooked if they are outside your area of expertise, and some questions specific to your area of expertise. *Do not feel a need to limit your testimony to the questions we have listed.* However, please save one-half of your allotted time for additional questions and answers.

For those of you wishing to use a Powerpoint presentation, we will have computers and monitors available. Please have one copy of any Powerpoint material available and provide 30 copies of any handout material. If you plan to make a Powerpoint presentation, please send it to Ray Houston by e-mail no later than Tuesday, January 6 (rhouston@lso.idaho.gov).

The overriding charge of the committee is to evaluate the reasonableness of the Governor's General Fund revenue forecasts for the current and following fiscal years. A key step in making that evaluation is hearing your expert testimony as we assess the state's overall economy and the revenue streams into the General Fund.

Staff will be following with an information packet of statewide economic indicators. If you have questions, you can call legislative staff or either of us.

Respectfully,

Representative Cliff Bayer

Senator John Goedde