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## **COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**

### **Agenda and Notice of Public Meeting of the South Dakota Advisory Committee**

AGENCY: Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Announcement of meetings.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), that a planning meeting of the South Dakota Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene at 12:00 p.m. (MDT) on Wednesday, July 6, 2016, via teleconference. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss planning progress made towards conducting a briefing meeting on Examining the Subtle Effects of Racism in South Dakota.

Members of the public may listen to the discussion by dialing the following Conference Call Toll-Free Number: 1-888-427-9411; Conference ID: 6491624. Please be advised that before being placed into the conference call, the operator will ask callers to provide their names, their organizational affiliations (if any), and an e-mail address (if available) prior to placing callers into the conference room. Callers can expect to incur charges for calls they initiate over wireless lines, and the Commission will not refund any incurred charges. Callers will incur no charge for calls they initiate over land-line connections to the toll-free phone number.

Persons with hearing impairments may also follow the discussion by first calling the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1-800-977-8339 and provide the FRS operator with the Conference Call Toll-Free Number: 1-888-427-9411, Conference ID: 6491624. Members of the public are invited to submit written comments; the comments must be received in the regional office by Thursday, May 5, 2016. Written comments may be mailed to the Rocky Mountain Regional Office, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1961 Stout Street, Suite 13-201, Denver, CO 80294,

faxed to (303) 866-1050, or e-mailed to Evelyn Bohor at ebohor@usccr.gov. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Rocky Mountain Regional Office at (303) 866-1040.

Records and documents discussed during the meeting will be available for public viewing as they become available at <http://www.facadatabase.gov/committee/meetings.aspx?cid=274> and clicking on the “Meeting Details” and “Documents” links. Records generated from this meeting may also be inspected and reproduced at the Rocky Mountain Regional Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Persons interested in the work of this advisory committee are advised to go to the Commission’s website, [www.usccr.gov](http://www.usccr.gov), or to contact the Rocky Mountain Regional Office at the above phone number, e-mail or street address.

**AGENDA:**

- Welcome and Roll Call
  - Richard Braunstein, Chair, South Dakota Advisory Committee
  - Malee V. Craft, Regional Director, Rocky Mountain Regional Office (RMRO)
- Update on Progress of Planning Briefing Meeting on Examining the Subtle Effects of Racism in South Dakota
- Continue planning for future briefing
- Next Steps

**DATE:** Wednesday, July 6, 2016, at 12:00 p.m. (MDT)

**ADDRESS:** To be held via teleconference:

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**TDD:** Dial Federal Relay Service 1-800-977-8339 and give the operator the above conference call number and conference ID.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCE: Pursuant to 41 C.F.R. § 102-3.150, the notice for this meeting is given less than 15 calendar days prior to the meeting because of the exceptional circumstances of technical difficulties. Given the exceptional urgency of the events, the agency and advisory committee deem it important for the advisory committee to meet on the date given.

Dated: June 23, 2016

**David Mussatt,**

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