

FINAL Meeting Minutes
[approved 9/13/08]

Child Support Schedule Workgroup Meeting
August 14, 2008
9:00 am to 3:00 pm
SeaTac Airport, Beijing Room

Attendees: *David Stillman; Comm. Gallaher; David Spring; Kris Amblad; Angela Cuevas; Kristie Dimak; Jason Doudt; ALJ Robert Krabill; Merrie Gough.*

Guests: *Pat Lessard; Mark Mahnkey; Shani Bauer; Trudes Tango; Greg Howe; Rick Jones, Esq.; Kim Tanaka; Paul Anderson; Barry Losh; Michael Hatchett*

Staff: *Ellen Nolan; Nancy Koptur; Mitchelin Wolff; Janet Wallace*

1. The workgroup convened and approved the agenda.¹
2. The workgroup reviewed the draft minutes for July 24, 2008, and approved the draft minutes with one correction.²
3. The discussion of “points of agreement” was deferred until September.
4. David Stillman reviewed a handout showing the status of each of the 14 topics from 2SHB 1009.
5. David Stillman announced a new subcommittee, augmented the membership and task of another subcommittee, and solicited volunteers:
 - The Subcommittee on the Presumptive Minimum Obligation was assigned the additional task of discussing whether the NCP’s child support obligation should be limited to 45% of net income. Chair David Spring and members Kris Amblad, Angela Cuevas, Commissioner Gallaher are joined by Kristie Dimak and Jason Doudt.
 - The Subcommittee on the Basis for the Economic Table was created, with ALJ Krabill as the chair. Members include David Spring, Jason Doudt and Dr. Betson, with a request that any other interested members volunteer by August 21, 2008.
6. The Workgroup discussed the presumptive minimum support obligations after the subcommittee members reported about their meeting.
7. Public Comment: Mark Mahnkey, Greg Howe, Rick Jones, Paul Anderson, Barry Losh
8. Kim Tanaka and Michael Hatchett from the Governor’s Office addressed the Workgroup.
9. The Workgroup discussed the September meetings, which will have expanded time for public comment.
10. The workgroup adjourned the meeting at 3:00 pm.³

¹ Agendas are available at: <http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/Resources/WorkgroupMaterials.asp>

² Minutes are available at: <http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/Resources/WorkgroupMaterials.asp>

³ Video of the three most recent meetings is available at the workgroup website; and meetings not available on the website are available on DVD for the price of \$5.00 per disc. The web address for viewing videos is <http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/resources/workgroup.asp#w6>