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MEMORANDUM

TO: CGFA Commission Members and Interested Parties
FROM: Dan R. Long, Executive Director
RE: CGFA Hearing: COP for Eastern Illinois University

There will be a meeting of the Illinois Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability to be held on **Monday, August 24, 2009 at 1:30 p.m. The hearing will be held in Room 16-503 at the James R. Thompson Center in Chicago, Illinois.**

P.A. #96-0015 (HB 1200) created the University Certificates of Participation Act. Under the Act, any State University which plans to issue Certificates of Participation (COPs) must appear before the Commission at a public hearing to present details of the proposal. The purpose of this hearing is to act on a request from Eastern Illinois University to issue \$86 million in COPs to build a Renewable Energy Center and to implement 23 other energy conservation measures.

Please confirm your attendance with Donna Belknap at (217) 782-5322.

DRL:dkb

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