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DATE OF MEETING: 9/25/08

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AGENDA ITEM: Commissioner Question and Answer Period

- ENCLOSURES:**
- Legislative Summary
 - MHSA Plan Review Tracking Tool
 - MHSOAC Communications Report
 - Draft Minutes from July 2008 Committee Meetings
 - California Council of Community Mental Health Agencies Report
 - United Advocates for Children and Families Report
 - National Alliance for Mental Illness Report
 - REMHDCO Report
 - California Mental Health Directors Association Report

OTHER MATERIAL RELATED TO ITEM: Other reports may be distributed at the meeting

ISSUE:

The question and answer period will provide time for commissioners to ask questions about any of the enclosed written reports:

1. Legislative Summary – Brief summaries of AB 1887, AB 3083, SB 1218, and SB 1606 are enclosed. Bills are available upon request
2. MHSA Plan Review Tracking Tool (status of all submitted plans by component)
3. Communications Report
4. Draft minutes from the July 2008 Cultural and Linguistic Competency Committee, the Client and Family Leadership Committee, the Co-Occurring Disorders Work Group, and the Mental Health Funding Committee
5. California Council of Community Mental Health Agencies
6. United Advocates for Children and Families Report
7. National Alliance for Mental Illness Report
8. Racial and Ethnic Mental Health Disparities Coalition Report
9. California Mental Health Directors Association

These reports are intended to apprise Commissioners of internal and external activities. The first four reports are internal and were generated by MHSOAC staff. The remaining reports are from MHSA partners, stakeholders, and advocacy organizations.

Commissioners may also request that other reports be included for future meetings.