FAIR EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING COUNCIL
Meeting Notice and Agenda

State Capitol, Room 127, Sacramento, CA 95814
December 10, 2013, 10:00 am

I. Call to Order and Roll Call
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum

II. Welcome and Introduction of Guests
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum and Councilmembers

III. Review of the Agenda
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum

IV. Approval of the Minutes
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum and Councilmembers

Attachment A: Minutes from the September 16, 2013 Meeting of the Fair Employment and Housing Council

V. Councilmembers’ Reports
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum and Councilmembers

VI. Department of Fair Employment and Housing Report
Phyllis Cheng, Director, Department of Fair Employment and Housing

VII. Presentation of Civil Rights Leadership Award to Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
Acceptance and Address by Appointments Secretary Mona Pasquil
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum

VIII. Guest Speakers

- California Employment Lawyers Association (CELA)
  Noah D. Lebowitz, Partner, Duckworth Peters Lebowitz Oliver LLP, San Francisco
  Board Member, CELA

- Employers Group
  Harold M. Brody, Partner, Proskauer Rose LLP, Los Angeles
  Member, Legal Committee, Employers Group
BREAK - Lunch

IX. Update on Changes without Regulatory Effect  
Brian Sperber, Legislative & Regulatory Counsel  
Department of Fair Employment and Housing

X. Proposed Amendments Requested by the Council in Adopting the Draft Amendments to the California Family Rights Act Regulations  
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum and Councilmember Dale Brodsky

  Attachment B: Revisions to Text of Proposed Amendments to CFRA Updates from the September 16, 2013 Meeting

  Attachment C: Proposed Amendments to the California Family Rights Act Regulations

A. Discussion  
B. Public Comment  
C. Action by Council  
D. Update on Timeline for Rulemaking

XI. Report of the Fair Employment and Housing Act Regulations Subcommittee  
Councilmembers Patricia Perez and Dale Brodsky

XII. Report of the Housing Regulations Subcommittee  
Councilmembers Chanée Franklin Minor and Andrew Schneiderman

XIII. Future Council Projects and Meeting Schedule  
Chair Chaya Mandelbaum and Councilmembers

XIV. Other Public Comment

XV. Adjournment
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