Education & Workforce Development Committee  
Saturday, September 15, 2018  
9:00-11:45 a.m.  
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Senator Bill Soules, New Mexico, Chair  
Representative Brad Last, Utah, Vice Chair  

AGENDA

9:00 a.m.  Welcome and Opening Remarks  

9:10 a.m.  Meeting Long-Term Services & Supports Workforce Demands Now and in the Future  
Dr. Robyn Stone, Senior Vice President of Research, LeadingAge  
The U.S. is experiencing a significant shortage of qualified workers who are capable of managing, supervising and providing high-quality services and supports for older adults. Dr. Stone will describe the reasons for this shortage and offer some possible solutions to the problem.

9:55 a.m.  Bringing Together Employers and Workers with Disabilities  
Katia Albanese, Consultant, Concepts Communications  
Robert Silverstein, Principal, Powers Pyles Sutter & Verville PC  
Ms. Albanese and Mr. Silverstein will discuss the State Exchange on Employment and Disability, a partnership between CSG, the U.S. Department of Labor and other national organizations working together to help state legislators ensure their state policies facilitate increased employment of people with disabilities.

10:35 a.m.  Community Schools: Engineering Equity and Impact  
José Muñoz, Executive Director, Coalition for Community Schools  
Mr. Muñoz will explain how community schools serve as neighborhood hubs, uniting families, educators and community partners to provide all students with top-quality academics, enrichment, health and social services, and opportunities to succeed in school and in life.

11:15 a.m.  Committee Business & State Reports  
Committee members are invited to share education and workforce development news, legislative activities and anticipated challenges in their states.

11:45 a.m.  Adjourn