

# **Draft Work Plan - Legislative Commission on Surrogacy**

## **Meeting 1 (June 28, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.)**

- Introductions
- Election of Chair
- Overview of Taskforce Charge and future meetings

## **Meeting 2 (July 19, 2016 at 1:00 p.m.)**

- Potential health and psychological effects and benefits on women who serve as surrogates
- Potential health and psychological effects and benefits on children born of surrogacy

## **Meeting 3 (August 16, 2016 @ 10:00 am)**

- Considerations related to different forms of surrogacy
- Considerations related to the potential exploitation of women in surrogacy arrangements

## **Meetings 4 & 5 (August 30, 2016 @ 1:00 pm) & (September 13 @ 10:00 am)**

- Business practices of the fertility industry, including attorneys, brokers and clinics

## **Meetings 6 & 7 (September 27, 2016 @ 1:00pm) & (October 11, 2016 @ 10:00 am)**

- Contract law implications when a surrogacy contract is breached
- Potential conflicts with statutes governing private adoption and termination of parental rights
- Potential for legal conflicts related to third-party reproduction, including conflicts between or amongst the surrogate mother, the intended parents, the child, insurance companies, and medical professionals
- Information to be provided to a child born of a surrogate about the child's biological and gestational parents

## **Meeting 8 (October 25, 2016 @ 1:00 pm)**

- Public policy determinations of other jurisdictions with regard to surrogacy

## **Meeting 9 (November 10, 2016 @ 10:00 am)**

- Determine if there will be a majority and minority report
- Discussion and voting on contents of report
- Final or additional issues that need to be discussed

## **Meeting 10 (December 5, 6 or 7, 2016 – TBD)**

- Review final report and determine if any changes are necessary