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MEMORANDUM

TO: Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Commerce & Human Resources Committee and the House Commerce & Human Resources Committee
FROM: Division Manager - Mike Nugent
DATE: September 20, 2013
SUBJECT: Department of Commerce

IDAPA 28.02.07 - Rules Pertaining To The Rules Governing the Administration of the IGEM Grant Program (New Chapter) (Docket No. 28-0207-1301)

In 2012 the Legislature enacted House Bill No. 546 which transformed the Idaho Innovation Council at the Department of Commerce to the Idaho Global Entrepreneurial Mission (IGEM) Council which provided definitions, membership and grant distribution. The bill defined the responsibilities and focus of the IGEM Council and the distribution of commercialization of revenue generated by IGEM research. These proposed rules establish procedures for the administering of the IGEM Grant Program. It appears the proposed rules have been promulgated within the scope of the statutory authority conferred on the Department of Commerce by HB 546 of 2012.

cc: Department of Commerce
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