

**Deaf Services Commission of Iowa  
Iowa Department of Human Rights**

**Commission Meeting – May 8, 2009  
OLD/NEW BUSINESS**

**Old Business**

**1. Certified Deaf Interpreter Training Proposal –**

At the November, 2008 Commission Meeting the Commission voted to have staff work with ISRID and prepare a CDI training proposal to be considered. That proposal is attached.

**New Business**

**1. Approval of FY07-08 Annual Report –**

Iowa Code 216A.116 requires “the commission shall make a detailed report of its activities, studies, conclusions, and recommendations to the general assembly not later than February 15 of each odd numbered year.” The report for FY07 and FY08 is attached for your consideration and approval.

**2. Performance Planning FY10 and FY11 –**

The Legislature and Governor are still in the process of finalizing the budget for FY10 that begins in July. We will also need to prepare a request for the FY11 budget sometime in August. It has been suggested that we may experience more cuts in funding for FY11. During this agenda item we will discuss priorities for the division, potential alternative funding options, and strategic ideas to serve Deaf and Hard of Hearing Iowans.