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**Governor's Task Force on Independent Investigations of  
Police Use of Force**

Thursday, October 1, 2020  
1:00pm-5:00pm  
Zoom Meeting  
Facilitator: LueRachelle Brim-Atkins

**Meeting Objectives:**

Task Force and Advisory Group members will discuss the questions below posed by Teri Rogers Kemp and other members of the Task Force.

**Welcome and Review Ground Rules (1:00-1:10)**

**Overview of Remaining Meetings (1:10-1:15)**

**Comments and Reflections from the Task Force and Advisory Group (1:15-2:15)**

**Open Group Discussion (2:15-2:50)**

1. What parameters would you put in place to make sure the Director of this new independent office will manage the workplace so that it is anti-racist and anti-oppressive for every investigation?
2. What investigation requirements would you put in place so that the investigators were vigilant about identifying and recognizing any racial bias and motive of the involved officer? To what extent should the criminal investigation include social media and prior bias complaints?
3. If persons with law enforcement background must be involved in the investigation due to their special skills, what are your ideas to select staff and investigators who do not have a bias toward police, including screening out white nationalists and white nationalist sympathizers?
4. How can we recognize and address the interplay of ableism, and the stigma, fear, and pathology of people with mental health differences, and in particular how these are present in uses of deadly force against Black and Brown people?
5. Please identify any laws that must be created, amended, or repealed in order to accomplish the outcomes of #'s 1, 2, 3, and 4.

**BREAK (2:50-3:00)**

**Open Group Discussion Continued (3:00-4:55)**

**Closing Comments and Adjourn (4:55)**