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Open Meeting Law Advisory Commission
Notice of Meeting

Meeting Date: Thursday, March 7, 2024

Time: 12:00pm

Location: Meeting will be held remotely via Zoom

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Listing of Topics

1. Welcome
2. Introduction of OMLAC members
3. Appointment of new OMLAC chair
4. Review and approval of draft minutes from March 16, 2023
5. 2023 Annual Report from the Division of Open Government, regarding the Open Meeting Law and the activities of the Division of Open Government
6. Open Meeting Law Legislative Updates and Status of Bills Filed
 - a. **H.3110**: *An Act Relative to Remote Participation in State Public Meetings* (Rep. Lindsay Sabadosa)

- b. [H.3014](#): *An Act to Promote Public Participation in Public Meetings* (Rep. Carol Doherty)
- c. [H.3079](#): *An Act Promoting Governmental Efficiency* (Rep. David Paul Linsky)
- d. [H.3025/S.2011](#): *An Act Relative to Remote Access for Public Bodies and Town Meetings* (Rep. William Driscoll/Sen. Anne Gobi)
- e. [H.3040/S.2024](#): *An Act to Modernize Participation in Public Meetings* (Rep. Denise Garlick/Sen. Jason Lewis)
- f. [H.2998](#): *An Act to Modernize Participation in Public Meetings* (Rep. Antonio F.D. Cabral)
- g. [S.2063](#): *An Act Updating the Open Meeting Law to Support Remote Participation* (Sen. Rebecca Rausch)
- h. [S.2043](#): *An Act to Modernize Municipal Meetings, Town Meetings, and Local Elections* (Sen. Jake Oliveira)
- i. [S.2571](#): *An Act Empowering Municipalities and Local Governments* (Governor Maura T. Healey)

7. Adjourn

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