Minutes
GCESG: Labor and Employment Subcommittee Meeting
April 30th, 2020 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

1. Attendees:

2. Meeting Minutes

   Education
   - Discussion on cutting down the policy and prioritization
   - Noting why certain policies were placed into particular implementation buckets
   - Overview to the labor and workforce subcommittee on reasoning behind recommendations
     - Focus on social support services
     - Engaging students in higher education with new altered situations
     - Encouraging institutions to keep and utilize the tools they have learned over this process with at home learning

   Labor
   - Expansion of paid leave already provided
   - Presumptive coverage and reasoning for public health motives
   - The importance of protections for workers against retaliation and reasoning behind implementation of ensuring businesses are following

   Employer
   - How to keep businesses viable
   - Liability protections
   - Certain sector strategies (working with Workforce Development Council specifically)
   - Assisting low wage workers who will not have a reopened employers soon
   - How to intertwine work with higher education in tackling this
   - Encouraging employers of all kind to focus on skill based hiring

3. Action Items:
   - Will submit the report noting this group did not come to consensus and
   - Staff to look at other recommendations from committee members on where to designate how action should be taken.