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House of Representatives

SELECT SUBCOMMITTEE ON THE CORONAVIRUS CRISIS

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MEMORANDUM

January 14, 2022

To: Members of the Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis

Fr: Committee Staff

Re: Remote Hearing on “A View from the States: Governors Respond to the Omicron Variant”

On **Thursday, January 20, 2022, at 3:00 p.m. E.T.**, the Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis will hold a remote hearing on “A View from the States: Governors Respond to the Omicron Variant.”

This hearing will convene remotely using Zoom, which has been approved by the House.

Members are asked to connect by 2:30 p.m. to ensure their participation and troubleshoot any connectivity issues. The hearing will be recorded and livestreamed for the public.

I. SCOPE AND PURPOSE OF HEARING

This hearing will examine how the governments of states and territories are responding the spread of the highly transmissible Omicron variant. It will also highlight what actions can be taken by federal, state, and local governments to slow the spread of the virus, save lives, and how vaccines and boosters remain critical tools to allowing all Americans to live their daily lives with minimal risk to themselves and their communities.

II. WITNESSES

Governor Jay Inslee
State of Washington

Governor Jared Polis
State of Colorado

Governor Pedro Pierluisi
Commonwealth of Puerto Rico

Additional witnesses to be added