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Virtual Meeting

REGULATORY FRAMEWORK (B) TASK FORCE

Monday, August 31, 2026

2:00 – 3:30 p.m. ET / 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. CT / 12:00 – 1:30 p.m. MT / 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. PT

ROLL CALL

NAIC Member	Representative	State/Territory
Marie Grant, Chair	Marie Grant	Maryland
Erin K. Hunter, Vice Chair	Joylynn Fix	West Virginia
Mark Fowler	Sanjeev Chaudhuri	Alabama
Heather Carpenter	Jeanne Murray	Alaska
Peter M. Fuimaono	Elizabeth Perri	American Samoa
Charles Bassett	Fausto Burruel	Arizona
Michael Conway	Debra Judy/Lila Cummings	Colorado
Joshua Hershman	Tricia Davé	Connecticut
Trinidad Navarro	Jessica R. Luff	Delaware
Karima M. Woods	Howard Liebers	District of Columbia
Michael Yaworsky	Alexis Bakofsky	Florida
John F. King	John F. King	Georgia
Dean L. Cameron	Dean L. Cameron	Idaho
Ann Gillespie	Ann Gillespie	Illinois
Holly W. Lambert	Alex Peck	Indiana
Doug Ommen	Andria Seip	Iowa
Vicki Schmidt	Julie Holmes	Kansas
Sharon P. Clark	Shaun Orme	Kentucky
Michael T. Caljouw	Christopher Joyce	Massachusetts
Julia Dreier	Julia Dreier	Minnesota
Angela L. Nelson	Melissa Panettiere	Missouri
Eric Dunning	Martin Swanson	Nebraska
Ned Gaines	Ned Gaines	Nevada
Susan Ochs	Susan Ochs	New Jersey
Remedio C. Mafnas	Remedio C. Mafnas	Northern Mariana Islands
Judith L. French	Laura Miller	Ohio
Glen Mulready	Mike Rhoads	Oklahoma
TK Keen	TK Keen	Oregon
Michael Humphreys	Richard L. Hendrickson	Pennsylvania
Larry D. Deiter	Jill Kruger	South Dakota
Amanda Crawford	Rachel Bowden	Texas
Jon Pike	Tanji J. Northrup	Utah
Scott A. White	Julie Blauvelt	Virginia
Patty Kuderer	Ingrid Ulrey/Todd Lovshin	Washington

Nathan Houdek

Coral Manning

Wisconsin

NAIC Committee Support: Jolie H. Matthews/Jennifer R. Cook/Joe Tuschner

AGENDA

1. Question and Answer (Q&A) Session for June 29 Speakers and Panelists
—*Commissioner Marie Grant (MD) (30-35 minutes)*
 - *David Merritt (Senior Vice President (SVP), External Affairs, Blue Cross Blue Shield Association (BCBSA))*
 - *Jeanette Thornton (Executive Vice President (EVP), Policy & Strategy, AHIP)*
 - *Ravi Kavasery, MD (SVP, Chief Medical Officer (CMO), Blue Shield of California)*
 - *Katerina Guerraz (EVP, CVS Health, and Chief Operating Officer (COO) and President of Medicaid, Aetna)*
 - *Dr. Tim Law, MD (CMO, Highmark)*
2. Hear Presentations on Prior Authorization (PA) Reform—*Commissioner Marie Grant (MD) (35-40 minutes)*
 - *NAIC Consumer Representatives—Carl Schmid (HIV and Hepatitis Policy Institute), Wayne Turner (National Health Law Program—NHLP), and Harry Ting (Consumer Advocate)*
 - *American Hospital Association (AHA)—Terrance Cunningham (AHA)*
 - *American Medical Association (AMA)—Emily Carroll (AMA) and Heather McComas (AMA)*
3. Q&A Session—*Commissioner Marie Grant (MD) (10-12 minutes)*
4. Discuss Any Other Matters Brought Before the Task Force—*Commissioner Marie Grant (MD)*
5. Adjournment