*2024 Spring National Meeting*

*Phoenix, Arizona*

**SENIOR ISSUES (B) TASK FORCE**

Saturday, March 16, 2024

9:00 – 10:15 a.m.

**Meeting Summary Report**

The Senior Issues (B) Task Force met March 16, 2024. During this meeting, the Task Force:

1. Adopted its Feb. 29 minutes. During this meeting, the Task Force took the following action:
2. Discussed access to Medigap coverage and challenges for those under and over the age of 65.

2. Heard an update from the federal Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on the status of the provisions of the new prescription drug law in the federal Inflation Reduction Act (IRA).

3. Heard an update on the status of California’s Long-Term Care Insurance Task Force.

4. Heard an update on the status of Washington state’s WA Cares Fund.

5. Heard a request from NAIC consumer representatives, who asked the NAIC to explore proposals to create state programs to finance long-term care (LTC).