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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, March 5, 2015  
TIME: 10:30 A.M.  
PLACE: Conference Room 308  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 1

<u>HB 1051, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR490)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Authorizes the Department of Agriculture to adopt rules relating to the declaration of Hawaii origin for agricultural commodities. Effective 7/1/2112.	AGR, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 1482, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR547)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CROWDFUNDING. Establishes a crowdfunding exemption for limited intrastate investments between Hawaii residents and Hawaii businesses, limited to no more than \$1,000,000 raised over a twelve month period, and no more than \$5,000 per investor. Includes disclaimer requirements.	EDB, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 493, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR308)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Appropriates funds for a permanent full-time director (1.0 FTE) and permanent full-time faculty specialist position (1.0 FTE) within the University of Hawaii Center on Aging.	HED, FIN
<u>HB 174, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR540)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH. Requires health insurance coverage of orthodontic treatment for orofacial anomalies.	HLT, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 1147, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR542)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH. Establishes a two-year pilot emergency services failsafe program to assist physicians and patients in obtaining a second medical opinion regarding diagnosis and treatment. Authorizes the Department of Health to convene a committee to create a forum related to patient advocacy in the emergency department setting. Appropriates funds for the pilot program.	HLT, FIN



HB 966, HD1  
(HSCR267)  
Status

RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES. JUD, FIN  
Corrects the inadvertent repeal of wording from section 237-23,  
Hawaii Revised Statutes and provides a retroactive effective date.

HB 746, HD1  
(HSCR330)  
Status

RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY. LAB/PBS, FIN  
Exempts the Hawaii cybersecurity, economic, education, and  
infrastructure security coordinator from civil service. Establishes one  
secretary position to assist the coordinator. Appropriates moneys.

HB 894, HD1  
(HSCR91)  
Status

RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD. LAB, FIN  
Provides the Enhanced 911 Board with the authority to hire employees.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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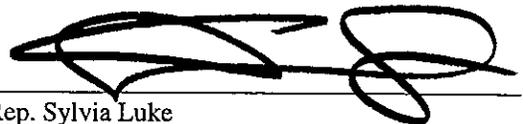
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