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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 1, 2019
TIME: 8:30 am
PLACE: Conference Room 312
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HB 104</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS. Authorizes recreational athletic venues and cultural activities on existing golf courses within agricultural districts.	AGR, WLH, FIN
<u>HB 1101</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Establishes the agricultural housing task force within the office of planning to study existing county and state laws, rules, and processes for construction of housing units within agricultural districts to identify barriers to construction, make recommendations, and propose one master use application process to be applied throughout the State. Makes an appropriation.	AGR, WLH, FIN
<u>HB 1117</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO STATE LANDS. Requires the Board of Land and Natural Resources, Board of Agriculture, and the Agribusiness Development Corporation to ensure the timely collection of lease payments, track lessees that are in arrears of lease payments, and offer payment plans for lessees in arrears. Prohibits land leased by the Agribusiness Development Corporation from being assigned or subletted without corporation approval.	AGR, JUD, FIN
<u>HB 929</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PESTICIDES. Requires Department of Agriculture to provide annual reports on pesticide inspection and compliance investigations. Increases fines for pesticide use violations.	AGR, JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1575</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PESTICIDES. Prohibits the use of any pesticide use unless the user is certified by the Department of Agriculture. Requires DOA to include an educational component in the pesticide use certification process.	AGR, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 1103</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE PESTICIDE SUBSIDY PROGRAM. Appropriates moneys to the Department of Agriculture for the pesticide subsidy program.	AGR, JUD, FIN



<u>HB 1503</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Requires the Department of Agriculture to establish a 2-year Agricultural Theft and Vandalism Pilot Project to examine the effectiveness of prosecuting agricultural theft and agricultural vandalism in the County of Hawaii. Appropriates funds.	AGR, JUD, FIN
<u>HB 782</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Appropriates funds to establish a foreign agriculture small equipment pilot program to identify efficient agriculture equipment and retrofit engines to meet the United States Environmental Protection Agency's standards.	AGR, EEP, FIN
<u>HB 1507</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Establishes a three-year livestock wastewater treatment pilot program within HDOA for the application of the Ydro Process to livestock wastewater treatment facilities. Requires HDOA to report to the legislature before the regular session of 2022. Appropriates funds.	AGR, EEP, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;
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- Measure number.

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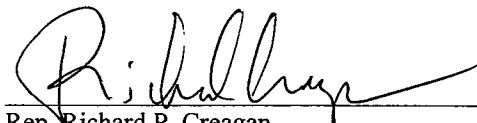
PAPER: 15 copies (including an original) to Room 441 in the State Capitol;

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