NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:  Friday, February 7, 2020
TIME:   2:20 P.M.
PLACE:  Conference Room 309
        State Capitol
        415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 2257  RELATING TO THE CONFERENCE CENTER REVELVING FUND.  LHE, FIN
        Expands the scope of the University of Hawaii at Hilo conference center revolving fund to all programs conducted by the University of Hawaii at Hilo. Requires an annual report to the Legislature regarding the fund. Gives the chancellor of the University of Hawaii at Hilo, rather than the Dean of the college of continuing education and community service, authority to expend moneys from the fund.

HB 2530  RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.  LHE, FIN
        Removes the $3 million cap on the amount the University of Hawaii system can expend from the University of Hawaii tuition and fees special fund for the University of Hawaii Foundation.

HB 2255  RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROMISE PROGRAM.  LHE, FIN
        Expands the Hawaii community college promise program to provide scholarships for the unmet direct cost needs of qualified students at any four-year University of Hawaii campus who meet certain eligibility criteria. Appropriates funds for the program.

HB 2250  RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROMISE PROGRAM PLUS.  LHE, FIN
        Establishes the University of Hawaii Promise Program Plus to provide scholarships for the unmet direct cost needs of qualified students enrolled in bachelor's degree programs in teaching, health care, social work, or engineering at the University of Hawaii who commit to work for at least three years in Hawaii. Appropriates funds to establish, implement, and manage the program.
HB 1994
Proposed HD1
Status
RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.
Proposed HD1: Establishes, and appropriates funds for, a network improvement community task force to develop a K-12 science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) teacher education degree for the University of Hawaii. Appropriates funds for the Office of International and Regional Partnerships of the University of Hawaii Maui College for study abroad programs.

Copies of the proposed HD1 are available in room 405 and on the Legislature's Web site: http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov.

HB 2416
Status
RELATING TO KANEHOHE BAY.
Appropriates funds to create a full-time internship coordinator and cultural resource specialist positions with the Hawaii institute of marine biology at the Heeia estuarine research reserve.

HB 2215
Status
RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.
Establishes within the Department of Agriculture the Workforce Development Coordinator position. Specifies duties of the Coordinator and P-20 Agriculture Education Working Group. Appropriates funds.

HB 2159
Status
RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.
Makes an appropriation to the University of Hawaii College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources for research and prevention of the spread of ornamental ginger pathogens.

HB 2180
Status
RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES.
Makes an appropriation to the University of Hawaii College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources for ornamental and landscaping entomologist specialist, plant pathologist extension agent, and pesticide specialist positions.

HB 2166
Status
RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY LABORATORY SCHOOL.
Makes permanent the law exempting the University Laboratory School from the public charter school enrollment policy so that it may conform its student enrollment profile to the standard prescribed by the University of Hawaii college of education in order to meet college's research requirements.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. Testimony should indicate:
- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;
- The date and time of the hearing; and
- Measure number.

While every effort will be made to incorporate all testimony received, materials received on the day of the hearing or improperly identified or directed, may be distributed to the Committee after the hearing.
Submit testimony in ONE of the following ways:
PAPER: 3 copies (including an original) to Room 304 in the State Capitol;
FAX: For testimony less than 5 pages in length, transmit to 808-586-6381 (Oahu) or 1-800-535-3859 (for Neighbor Islander without a computer to submit testimony through e-mail or the Web); or

Testimony submitted will be placed on the legislative website. This public posting of testimony on the website should be considered when including personal information in your testimony.

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Rep. Justin H. Wilson
Chair