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Department of Land and Natural Resources to Update Senate Water and Land Committee

Honolulu- The Senate Committee on Water and Land will be holding an informational briefing to receive updates on several emergent issues being addressed by the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR).

The briefing will be held on **Tuesday, August 27, 2013 beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the State Capitol conference room 229.**

During the briefing the committee and department will discuss:

- **Beginning at 9:30 a.m.:** The effects of the Federal sequester within DLNR.
- **10:30 a.m.:** Concerns raised in the Audit of the Kaho‘olawe Rehabilitation Trust Fund regarding the trust fund itself and restoration plan.
- **1:30 p.m.:** The search for a new Division Administrator for the DLNR State Historic Preservation Division, as well as concerns regarding the National Park Service Corrective Action Plan.

“This informational briefing is an opportunity for us to sit down with Department of Land and Natural Resources and discuss where they are in addressing key items concerning the State,” said Senator Malama Solomon, chair of the Senate Committee on Water and Land. “Through developing a stronger understanding of the organization’s current status we will be better able to plan for the future and prepare for the potential impacts of events such as sequestration.”

Other relevant issues will also be discussed.

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