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Thirty-Eighth	Henry J.C. Aquino (D)	Waipahu
Thirty-Ninth	Ty J.K. Cullen (D)	Royal Kunia, Village Park, Waipahu, Makakilo, West Loch
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Forty-Second	Sharon E. Har (D)	Kapolei, Makakilo
Forty-Third	Andria P.L. Tupola (R)	Ewa Villages, Kalaeloa, Honokai Hale, Nanakai Gardens, Ko Olina, Kahe Point, Nanakuli, Lualualei, Maili
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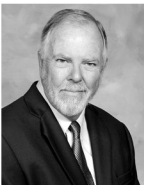
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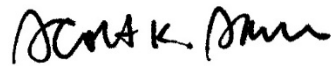
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Note: 2018 Standing Committee Assignments pursuant to
H.R. No. 4, Regular Session of 2017, which was adopted on January 18, 2017;
as amended by H.R. No. 138, Regular Session of 2017, which was adopted on March 13, 2017;
as amended by H.R. No. 4, Special Session of 2017, which was adopted on August 29, 2017;
as amended by H.R. No. 3, Regular Session of 2018, which was adopted on January 18, 2018;
as amended by H.R. No. 9, Regular Session of 2018, which was adopted on January 24, 2018.

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2018 LEGISLATIVE TIMETABLE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Leg. Day</u>	<u>Deadline or Event</u>
January 17th (Wednesday)	1st	Opening Day.
January 19th (Friday)	3rd	Last day to introduce all packages of bills except for the administration's (State Executive Branch). Last day for organizations to submit grant and subsidy requests to the Legislature.
January 22nd (Monday)	4th	State of the State Address. Last day to introduce the administration's package of bills (State Executive Branch).
January 23rd (Tuesday)	---	One-day recess.
January 24th (Wednesday)	5th	Last day for bill introductions.
January 25th (Thursday)	---	One-day recess.
February 7th (Wednesday)	---	One-day recess.
February 22nd (Thursday) through February 28th (Wednesday)	---	Mandatory 5-day recess.
March 2nd (Friday)	24th	Filing deadline for First Decking. Last day to deck non-budget bills for Third Reading in the originating body.
March 5th (Monday)	---	One-day recess.
March 7th (Wednesday)	---	One-day recess.
March 8th (Thursday)	26th	First Crossover. Last day for Third Reading of bills in the originating body.
March 9th (Friday)	27th	Last day to introduce substantive resolutions.
March 12th (Monday)	28th	Filing deadline for budget bills.
March 14th (Wednesday)	30th	Last day for Third Reading of budget bills in the originating body.
April 5th (Thursday)	44th	First Crossover for concurrent resolutions. Last day to pass concurrent resolutions to the non-originating body.
April 6th (Friday)	45th	Filing deadline for Second Decking. Last day to deck bills that were amended by the receiving (non-originating) body.
April 9th (Monday)	---	One-day recess.
April 11th (Wednesday)	---	One-day recess.
April 12th (Thursday)	47th	Second Crossover. Last day for Third Reading of bills that were amended by the receiving (non-originating) body. Disagree. Last day to disagree with the other body's drafts of bills.
April 20th (Friday)	53rd	Deadline for transmittal of final form of Constitutional Amendments to Governor.
April 23rd (Monday)	54th	Second Crossover for concurrent resolutions. Last day to pass concurrent resolutions that were amended by the receiving (non-originating) body.
April 26th (Thursday)	57th	Last day to file non-fiscal bills to deck for Final Reading.
April 27th (Friday)	58th	Last day to file fiscal bills to deck for Final Reading.
April 30th (Monday)	---	One-day recess.
May 2nd (Wednesday)	---	One-day recess.
May 3rd (Thursday)	60th	Adjournment Sine Die.

/s/ *Ronald D. Kouchi*
Ronald D. Kouchi
Senate President

12/5/17
Date

/s/ *Scott K. Saiki*
Scott K. Saiki
Speaker of the House

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Date