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# **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE:

Wednesday, March 28, 2007

TIME:

HD1)

2:00 pm

PLACE:

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

#### AGENDA

SB 1287 SD1, HD1 (HSCR1360)	RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.  Clarifies the period of time for safety inspection of motor carrier vehicles. Effective January 1, 2008. (SB1287 HD1)	TRN, CPC
SB 55 SD1, HD1 (HSCR1311)	RELATING TO DENTISTRY. Repeals temporary provisions relating to regional examinations for dentists. (SB55 HD1)	HLT, CPC
SB 1674 SD1, HD1 (HSCR1339)	RELATING TO HEALTH.  Permits a radiologist licensed to practice in another state to provide radiology services by telemedicine while in Hawaii to a patient who is located in the state that the radiologist is licensed to practice radiology. (HD1)	HLT, CPC
SB 667 SD3, HD1 (HSCR1302)	RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS.  Amends the mental health counselor licensure law to allow certain practicum intern and post-graduate experience substitutions for licensure, for applicants who graduated form an accredited program prior to July 1, 2007. Makes the regulation of mental health counselors	HLT, CPC

#### DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

permanent by repealing its sunset date in section 26H-4, HRS. (SB667

### DECISION MAKING ONLY ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURES

(No testimony will be accepted.)

SB 1410 SD1 (SSCR866)	RELATING TO INSURANCE.  Conforms current statutes to recommendations of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) with respect to: (1) long-term care insurance; and (2) the sharing of information with the	CPC
	insurance regulatory agencies of foreign countries. (SD1) (Deferred from 03/19/07 agenda.)	
SB 1010	RELATING TO CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS.	CPC
SD1 (SSCR689)	Removes private or governmental accounting experience as meeting the required professional experience for a license in public	
(5501007)	accountancy. Removes public accountant examination requirement	
	that baccalaureate degree be in accounting. (SD1) (Deferred from	
	03/19/07 agenda.)	

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