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### **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE:

Friday, January 26, 2007

TIME:

2:00 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 309

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

#### AGENDA

HB 20

RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

EDN/LAB, FIN

Repeals section 302a-1115 because it is no longer required based on the implementation of the Reinventing Education Act of 2004 (Act 51,

Session Laws of Hawaii 2004).

**HB 23** 

RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS

EDN/LAB, FIN

Adds providers, subcontractors, and trainees from an institute of higher education to individuals subject to criminal history record check for

employment purposes by department of education.

HB 25

RELATING TO TEACHER LICENSING

EDN/LAB

Authorizes the board of education to issue Hawaii teaching licenses to teachers with licenses from other states whose licensing standards are

equivalent to or higher than Hawaii's.

HB 592

RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANTS-Appropriates funds

EDN/LAB, FIN

to implement a career ladder program to attract, retain, and reward

quality and excellence in educational assistants.

	HB 13	RELATING TO EDUCATION Establishes food distribution program revolving fund to support the administration and operation of the food distribution program. Fund is not to exceed \$2,000,000 from revenues generated.	EDN, FIN
	HB 14	RELATING TO EDUCATION Repeals provisions that transfer functions from the department of budget and finance to the department of education as specified in the Reinventing Education Act of 2004.	EDN, FIN
	НВ 17	RELATING TO EDUCATION Requires the department of education's committee on weights to meet every odd numbered year rather than every year	EDN, FIN
•	HB 21	RELATING TO SCHOOLS Limits asbestos testing at school facilities to suspected asbestos containing materials, as required by the federal Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act of 1986.	EDN
	HB 22	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE ACCOUNTS Repealing the department of education repair and maintenance account for projects on backlogn list as of 6/30/00.	EDN, FIN

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