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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

TUESDAY, April 3, 2007

TIME:

5:15 P.M.

PLACE:

Conference Room 308

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA#5

SB 1614

SD1

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Appropriates funds to implement a new human resource management

model for Waianae complex, including Waianae High School and its feeder schools to improve teacher recruitment and licensing.

SB 837

SD2, HD1

(HSCR1331)

(HSCR1352)

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

Authorizes the agribusiness development corporation to issue revenue bonds to purchase agricultural land in Kunia and Ewa from private

entities. Appropriates funds to purchase the lands. Enables the agribusiness development corporation to contract with banks to provide lease management services. Allows corporation to lease

agricultural lands in Kunia and Ewa for up to 55 years.

SB 1412

SD2, HD1

(HSCR1501)

RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD.

Establishes the insurance fraud investigations branch to replace the insurance fraud investigations unit to prevent, investigate, and

prosecute (both civilly and criminally) insurance fraud relating to all lines of insurance, except workers' compensation insurance.

SB 1177

SD2, HD1 (HSCR1430) MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GLOBAL YOUTH

CENTER IN HAWAII.

Appropriates funds to the University of Hawaii to establish a global

vouth center in Hawaii.

SB 1182 SD2

(HSCR1345)

RELATING TO NEEDS ALLOWANCE.

Establishes a needs allowance for residents of care homes and long-

term care facilities.

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