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COMMITTEE ON TOURISM AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Chair Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, January 31, 2007

TIME:

2:45 pm

PLACE:

Conference Room 414

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 715

RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE.

WAH/TSG, WAM

Amends the procurement code to establish a preference for the purchase of agricultural products raised or grown in Hawaii.

SB 718

RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE.

WAH/TSG, WAM

Amends the procurement code to establish a preference for the purchase of flower lei made only with flowers grown in Hawaii.

SB 1052

RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE.

TSG/WAH, WAM

Requires that all new and replaced letterheads and documents of the State include both state languages, with the Hawaiian language placed above English translation. Establishes a Hawaiian language interim

task force. Appropriates funds.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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