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Senator Clayton Hee, Chair Senator Russell S. Kokubun, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Thursday, March 1, 2007

TIME

3:30 p.m.

PLACE:

Law No. 109-248.

Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 1441

RELATING TO CERTIFICATION OF CHILD PLACING ORGANIZATIONS, CHILD CARING INSTITUTIONS, FOSTER BOARDING HOMES, AND ADOPTIVE HOMES. Clarifies that as a condition of approval, foster and adoptive parents must complete a child abuse and neglect clearance to comply with the federal Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006, Public

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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