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COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

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

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Saturday, February 24, 2007

TIME:

10:30 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 1053

RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN.

IGM, JDL

SD1 (SSCR274) Prohibits use of power of eminent domain to take and transfer private property to a private entity that had expressed interest in purchasing

property to a private entity that had expressed interest in purchasing the same property for development purposes or other private use.

(SD1)

SB 1279

RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN.

WAH, JDL

SD1 (SSCR194) Allows plaintiff to seek a judicial review of the taking prior to a

condemnation action. Requires plaintiff to offer to resell property to defendant for current appraised value or condemnation price plus and cost of environmental remediation or cleanup or other improvements if property taken in eminent domain is not used for the purpose for which

it was condemned. (SD1)

SB 1603

RELATING TO LIABILITY.

WAH/IGM, JDL

SD1 (SSCR420)

Extend certain sunset dates of provisions that provide state and county

governments liability protection for public use of certain state or

county recreational areas. (SD1)

SB 1641 (SSCR276) RELATING TO COUNTIES.

IGM, JDL

Extends statute of limitation for actions against a county for damage or injury from 6 months to 2 years. Permits the counties to identify, by charter, the person to whom claimant should give notice of claim for injuries or damage sustained on public property or as a result of the

negligence of county official or employee.

SB 1392

RELATING TO ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR SECURITIES VIOLATIONS COMMITTED AGAINST ELDERS.

CPH, JDL

SD1 (SSCR345)

Adds enhanced civil and administrative penalties for securities

violations committed against elders. (SD1)

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| SB 1422 (SSCR292) | RELATING SANCTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS BY MORTGAGE BROKERS AND SOLICITORS COMMITTED AGAINST ELDERS. Provides additional sanctions for violations by mortgage brokers and solicitors committed against elders. | CPH, JDL |
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| SB 1723 (SSCR309) | RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. Makes a technical amendment to the scope of relief provided to native Hawaiians under Hawaiian home lands individual trust claims law. | WAH, JDL |
| SB 1636 SD1 (SSCR534) | RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE. Amends definition of "substance abuse on-site screening test" to include tests used for forensic testing as a workplace testing device. Requires that substance abuse testing be conducted according to the manufacturer's package insert, as an alternative to the Food and Drug Administration insert if there is no FDA insert. (SD1) | HTH, JDL |

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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