THE SENATE THE TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2007**

STATE OF HAWA!

COMMITTEE ON WATER, LAND, AGRICULTURE, AND HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

Senator Russell S. Kokubun, Chair Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Vice Chair

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MEASURES DEFERRED TO MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2007

DATE:

Monday, March 19, 2007

TIME:

2:15 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 414

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

(Deferred from Friday, March 16, 2007)

HB 1639 HD2

RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

WAH, EDT, WAM

Excludes rental income derived from agricultural leases on important agricultural lands from gross and adjusted gross income, and taxable income, under certain conditions, and exempts rental income derived from agricultural leases on important agricultural lands from the general excise tax law, under certain conditions. (HB1639 HD2)

HB 1353 HD1

RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT.

WAH, WAM

1920, AS AMENDED.

Authorizes the transfer of moneys from the Hawaiian home receipts fund to the native Hawaiian rehabilitation fund. (HB1353 HD1)

HB 1948

HD2

RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIANS.

WAH, WAM

Establishes Aha Moku Commission to assist in the formation regional Aha Moku Councils which shall serve in an advisory capacity on all matters regarding the management of the state's natural resources. Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to seek advisory assistance from the Aha Moku Councils in developing a comprehensive set of best practices for natural resource management.

(HB1948 HD2)

HB 1201

HD1

RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.

WAH, WAM

Allows the office of Hawaiian affairs' board of trustees to determine how beneficiaries in every county may participate in the preparation of each biennial and supplemental office of Hawaiian affairs budget.

(HB1201 HD1)

HB 1200 HD1

RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN

WAH, WAM

AFFAIRS.

Appropriates funds for the operating and capital improvement budget of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs for fiscal years 2007-2008 and 2008-2009. Earmarks funds for certain social, educational, and legal services and programs and for OHA's proposed office building and

Hawaiian Cultural Center.

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 808-586-6760.

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