THE SENATE THE TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2008

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Chair Senator J. Kalani English, Vice Chair

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

Senator Ron Menor, Chair Senator Gary L. Hooser, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, April 3, 2008

TIME: 1:15 P.M.

PLACE: Conference Room 414

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

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Testimony
Status

REQUESTING THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRY TO DEVELOP A FRAMEWORK, RECOMMENDATIONS AND POLICIES ON ISSUES RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED AGRICULTURAL CROPS.

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Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

Persons wishing to testify should submit testimony in one of the following ways at least 24 hours prior to the hearing:

- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 218, State Capitol.
- By fax: Testimony may be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. When faxing, please indicate to which committee the testimony is being submitted and the date and time of the hearing.
- By Email: Testimony may be emailed if less than 5 pages in length, to <u>testimony@capitol.hawaii.gov</u>. Please indicate to which committee the testimony is being submitted and the date and time of the hearing. Email sent to individual offices or any other Senate office will not be accepted.

If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids or services to participate in the public hearing process (i.e., sign or foreign language interpreter or wheelchair accessibility), please contact the committee clerk 24 hours prior to the hearing so arrangements can be made.

Please note: Documents made available through the Testimony hyperlink(s) above may not be posted until the start of the hearing.

<u>Public Folder</u>. A folder labeled "Public Folder" containing the measures and testimonies for the hearing will be available for shared use by members of the public.

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