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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, April 2, 2008

TIME:

2:30 P.M.

PLACE:

Conference Room 308

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA#3

SB 3138, SD1

(HSCR1232-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO THE WAIANAE COAST.

Amends Act 6, SLH Special Session 2005, to require an interim report on the baseline environmental study to be submitted to the 2008

legislature and the final report to the 2009 legislature; appropriates moneys to DLNR for continuing preparation of the study. Eff.

7/1/2050.

SB 2202, HD1

(HSCR1341-08)

Status

RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING OF ELECTIONS. Qualifies a candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney for partial

public campaign financing if the candidate does not exceed the

respective campaign expenditure limit.

(Email Testimony)

SB 3001, SD2, HD1

(HSCR1312-08)

Status

RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY.

Clarifies provisions of chapter 269, part VII, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the administration and use of moneys supporting energy-

efficiency and demand-side management programs and services.

(Email Testimony)

SB 3080, SD1

(HSCR1098-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION BACKGROUND CHECKS.

Authorize the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation to conduct FBI criminal history record checks through the Hawaii Criminal Justice

Data Center on employees, applicants, current or prospective contractors, providers, or volunteers. Effective 7/1/2050.

SB 2785, SD1 (HSCR1169-08)

Status

RELATING TO DISTRICT COURT JURISDICTION.

Increases the amount over which the District Court has jurisdiction in

civil cases from \$20,000 to \$30,000. Effective January 1, 2050.

(Email Testimony)

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SB 2956, SD1

(HSCR1153-08)

RELATING TO MILK.

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Status

Ensures that the remaining Hawaii dairy producers are paid a price commensurate with the quality of the milk they produce. Appropriates

moneys to establish a strategic plan for the milk industry.

(Email Testimony)

SB 2830, SD2, HD1 (HSCR1348-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO CAREGIVING.

Extends the joint legislative committee on family caregiving; changes the committee's name to the joint legislative committee on aging in place; expands the committee's mandate to include aging in place issues related to family caregiving; requires the aging and disability resource center to report to the committee; requires the joint legislative committee to develop a model for a cash and counseling project; appropriates funds to the joint legislative committee; allows kupuna care to include overnight, weekend, and emergency respite, as well as provide grants to caregivers and for home modification; appropriates funds to the kupuna care program; establishes a task force to focus on the needs and issues of grandparents raising grandchildren; appropriates funds to the executive office on aging to continue its respite inventory project in collaboration with the University of Hawaii. Increases payments for level of care for ARCH types I and II, licensed developmental disabilities domiciliary homes, community care foster family homes, and certified adult foster homes by 7% from \$641.90 to \$686.83 for level I and from \$749.90 to \$802.39 for level II

homes.

SB 2218, SD1, HD1 (HSCR1108-08)

Status

RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING.

Requires electronic monitoring of persons convicted of violating a domestic abuse temporary restraining order or protective order.

HSH, FIN Pending Re-referral

(Email Testimony)

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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