# THE SENATE THE TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2008

#### COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES AND PUBLIC HOUSING

Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland, Chair Senator Les Ihara, Jr., Vice Chair

# **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE: Tuesday, March 18, 2008

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

#### AGENDA

HB 473, HD2 RELATING TO TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY HSP, WAM

(HSCR984) FAMILIES.

Appropriates funds to the Bridge to Hope Program to accommodate new federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program first-to-work students to enable them to pursue education activities beyond the new two work federal limit. Makes other elections correctly appropriate to the new two work federal limit.

the new two-year federal limit. Makes other clarifying amendments.

(HB473 HD2)

HB 1475, HD2 RELATING TO SOCIAL SERVICES. HSP, WAM

(HSCR1116) Establishes provisions for a \$50 monthly personal allowance for residents of certain care homes. Appropriates funds. (HB1475 HD2)

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Testimony

Status

HB 2511, HD1 RELATING TO RENTAL ASSISTANCE. HSP, WAM

(HSCR838-08) Provides qualified rental assistance applicants up to 90 days to find a qualified rental dwelling. (HB2511 HD1)

**Testimony** 

**Status** 

HB 2665, HD1 RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. HSP, TSG

(HSCR847-08)
Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to include as part of a request for proposals for the construction or renovation of a public housing project a price preference or scoring bonus for a person who

Status proposes to concurrently redevelop adjacent real property. (HB2665 HD1)

HB 3140 MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HSP, WAM

(HSCR840-08)

PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.

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Emergency appropriation in general funds for fiscal year 2007-2008 to repay the department of budget and finance for a loan made to cover payroll and risk management costs for liability insurance for fiscal year 2006-2007, and to address a critical funding shortfall for operational

costs of its public housing programs for fiscal year 2007-2008.

## HB 2062, HD1

(HSCR836-08)

<u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>

### RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE.

Allows persons eligible to receive Medicaid funds for care at nursing home facilities to remain at home and receive home and community-based long-term care. (HB2062 HD1)

## **Decision Making to follow, if time permits.**

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