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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, March 18, 2008  
TIME: 3:45pm  
PLACE: Conference Room 325  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

AMENDED AGENDA

<u>SB 2202</u> (SSCR2625) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING OF ELECTIONS. Qualifies a candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney to qualify for partial public campaign financing if the candidate does not exceed the respective campaign expenditure limit.	JUD, FIN
<u>SB 3019, SD1</u> (SSCR2641) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO INSURANCE. Amends current provisions of the insurance investment statutes allowing insurers more investment flexibility without significantly lessening protection to insurance policyholders and to reflect more current regulatory standards. (SD1)	JUD, FIN
<u>SB 2150, SD2</u> (HSCR1084-08) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ADULT PROTECTION. Expands the adult protective services law by extending protections to vulnerable adults. Appropriates funds to the department of human services. (SB2150 SD2)	HSH, JUD, FIN
<u>SB 3051, SD2, HD1</u> (HSCR1109-08) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR SOCIAL SERVICES PROGRAMS. Authorizes the Department of Human Services or its designee to conduct criminal history record checks for those providing services to vulnerable adults and children. Effective 7/1/2050. (SB3051 HD1)	HSH, JUD, FIN
<u>SB 1343, SD1, HD1</u> (HSCR1085-08) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE. Amends the offenses of assault in the second degree and terroristic threatening in the first degree to include conduct committed against victims who the courts and police are attempting to keep safe with protective orders. (SB1343 HD1)	HSH, JUD, FIN

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THE AGENDA BECAUSE IT WILL NOT BE REFERRED TO  
THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE BY THE TIME OF HEARING.  
THIS MEASURE WILL BE RESCHEDULED AT A LATER  
DATE.**

SB 2730, SD2  
(SSCR2869)  
Status

RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION.

Establishes a grandparent, or other appropriate relative, preference for out-of-home placement of children needing child protective services. (SD2)

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SB 2004, SD2, HD1  
(HSCR1090-08)  
Status

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Extends from 90 days to one year of a unilateral special education placement, the time allowed for parents, guardians, or the Department of Education to request an impartial hearing regarding reimbursement for the costs of a child's placement. Requires that the rules include provisions for the reimbursement of expert witness and other relevant fees and expenses associated with a hearing, limited to the prevailing party. Requires DOE to submit an annual report to the Legislature on the total number of requests for such due process hearings. (SB2004 HD1)

EDN, JUD, FIN

SB 2196, SD2  
(HSCR1087-08)  
Status

RELATING TO COMMERCIAL ACTIVITIES ON OCEAN WATERS.

Adds regulatory function over commercially permitted use of government and private boating facilities and commercial activities in private marinas. (SB2196 SD2)

WLH, JUD, FIN

**DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW**

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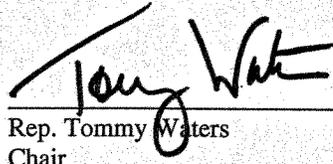
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