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NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE:

Tuesday, February 5, 2008

TIME:

9:05 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 309

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

The following measure(s) were previously heard on Friday, February 01, 2008.

HB 2896

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATEWIDE

LAB, HSH, FIN

LANGUAGE ACCESS BANK.

Establishes a statewide language access bank in the department of labor and industrial relations to centralize interpretation and translation

services for state agencies and covered entities. Makes an

appropriation.

HB 2446

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF

A STATEWIDE LANGUAGE ACCESS BANK.

Appropriates funds to establish a statewide language access bank to help state agencies and other covered entities provide meaningful access to essential government services to limited English proficient

persons.

HB 2575

RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS.

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Clarifies definitions related to language access. Requires certain entities to file a language access plan and appoint a language access coordinator. Expands the language access advisory council from 11 to

15 members.

As this is a decision making meeting only, no public testimony will be accepted.

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