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

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TAXATION

Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair Senator Will Espero, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 5, 2008

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 224

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR SB 2959 EDT, WAM ELECTRICITY, SEWER, REFUSE, AND INSURANCE PREMIUM Testimony PAYMENTS. Appropriates \$271,852 from the Stadium Special Fund to pay fiscal year 2007-2008 increases in electricity, sewer, refuse, and insurance premium payments for Aloha Stadium. SB 2197 RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC EDT, WAM DEVELOPMENT. **Testimony** Appropriates \$500,000 to be paid into the Hawaii community-based economic development revolving fund established in section 210D-4, HRS, for low interest loans and grants to qualifying community-based organizations involved in economic development activities under the Hawaii CBED technical and financial assistance program.

RELATING TO A TECHNOLOGY MASTER PLAN. SB 2860 EDT, WAM Creates a high technology industry task force, attached to the high

Testimony technology development corporation, to develop a state master plan for high technology prior to the convening of the 2010 regular session and updated every 2 years thereafter. Changes composition of task force

after 2010 regular session.

SB 2891 RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT. EDT, WAM

Appropriates funds for the continuing operations of the Pacific **Testimony**

international space center for exploration systems.

SB 2303 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PACIFIC AVIATION EDT, WAM

MUSEUM PEARL HARBOR. Testimony

Appropriates \$1,000,000 for the planning, design, and construction of

phase 2 of the Pacific Aviation Museum at Pearl Harbor.

SB 2433 RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE. EDT, WAM

Establishes standards and conditions for the receipt of funds **Testimony**

appropriated to the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History.

<u>SB 2487</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS.	EDT, WTL
<u>Testimony</u>	Specifies permissible activities of groups leasing campsites on state parks or public lands.	
SB 2583 Testimony	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII CAPITAL CULTURAL DISTRICT. Appropriates funds to renovate the Kamamalu Building and renames the No. 1 Capitol District Building the Hawaii State Art Museum to be used exclusively by the museum.	EDT, WAM
SB 2283 Testimony	RELATING TO THE HAWAII CAPITAL CULTURAL HERITAGE AREA. Codifies the designation of the Nu'uanu ahupua'a area in Honolulu respectively between Kalihi and Piikoi streets, and Pali lookout and the Pacific ocean as the Hawaii capital cultural heritage area. Appropriates funds for the arts and culture development branch of the department of business, tourism, and economic development, to plan and implement programs and projects that recognize, preserve, stimulate, and celebrate the significance of the Hawaii capital cultural heritage area.	EDT, WAM
SB 2305 Testimony	RELATING TO STATE HERITAGE. Establishes the Hawaii heritage task force and Hawaii heritage list to recognize and protect the sites and buildings most important to Hawaii's history and rich culture.	EDT, WAM
SB 2983 Testimony	RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. Updates sections of Chapter 210D, Hawaii Revised Statues, which created the Hawaii Community-Based Economic Development (CBED) Program, the Hawaii Community-Based Economic Development Revolving Fund, and the CBED Advisory Council; allows for smaller CBED loans, and reduces the maximum interest rate on these loans.	EDT, WAM
SB 3145 Testimony	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU. Appropriates funds to the city and county of Honolulu for the development of a data encryption system.	EDT, WAM

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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