<u>THE SENATE</u> THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2009

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COMMITTEE ON WATER, LAND, AGRICULTURE, AND HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:	Friday, February 6, 2009	
TIME:	4:00 p.m.	
PLACE:	Conference Room 229	
	State Capitol	
	415 South Beretania Street	

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<u>SB 1311</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES. Exempts UH from any permitting or application requirements when carrying out any function or duty relating to the Hawaii marine laboratory refuge.	WTL/HRE, JGO
<u>SB 502</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Authorizes the board of regents to adopt rules to manage activities of Mauna Kea lands; establishes a special fund for the University of Hawaii to manage Mauna Kea lands.	HRE/WTL, WAM
<u>SB 1179</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO EDUCATION. Directs the University of Hawaii, in cooperation with other public and private entities, to study the feasibility of introducing the farm to school program in Hawaii's public schools.	HRE/WTL, WAM

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

FOR AMENDED HEARING NOTICES: If the notice is an amended notice, measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are underscored. If there is a measure that is both underscored and stricken through, that measure has been deleted from the agenda.

Persons wishing to testify should submit testimony in one of the following ways by 4:00 p.m. the day prior to the hearing:

- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 218, State Capitol.
- By fax: Testimony may be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. When faxing, please indicate to which committee the testimony is being submitted and the date and time of the hearing.

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- By Email: Testimony may be emailed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Committee at <u>HRETestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov</u>. Please indicate the measure, date and time of the hearing. Email sent to individual offices or any other Senate office will not be accepted.

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If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids or services to participate in the public hearing process (i.e., sign or foreign language interpreter or wheelchair accessibility), please contact the committee clerk 24 hours prior to the hearing so arrangements can be made.

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Senator Clayton Hee Chair

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