THE SENATE THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2009**

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

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COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

Wednesday February 11, 2009 DATE:

TIME: 2:45 PM

Conference Room 016 PLACE:

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

| SB 436 | RELATING TO LIFE SCIENCES. | HTH/EDT. WAM |
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Provides for an income tax credit amounting to 15% of qualified **Testimony** clinical trial costs incurred, in any county with a population over Status 700,000, and 20% in any county with a population of 700,000 or less. Establishes criteria to qualify for the tax credit. Caps credit at

\$8,000,000 per clinical trial.

SB 1266 RELATING TO SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES.

HTH/EDT, WAM

On 1/1/2010, treats each new skilled nursing facility or facility **Testimony** expanding its operations outside an enterprise zone as operating within an enterprise zone for purposes of eligibility to receive all benefits **Status**

provided in enterprise zones. Adds definition of skilled nursing facility. Amends definition of medical and health care services.

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:

- By Email: Testimony may be emailed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Committee at HTHTestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov . Please indicate the measure, date and time of the hearing. Email sent to individual offices or any other Senate office will not be accepted.
- By Web: Testimony may be submitted online if less than 4MB in size, at http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony.
- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 215, State Capitol.

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• 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.

Please note: If you submit your written testimony after 4:30 p.m. the day prior to the hearing, please sign-in at the staff table to testify orally. A copy of your testimony may not be available during the hearing but will be posted online for the public after the hearing.

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.

Please note: All testimony received by the Hawaii Senate will be posted on the Hawaii Legislature's Website. Documents made available through the Testimony hyperlink(s) above may not be posted until the start of the hearing.

<u>Public Folder</u>. A folder labeled "Public Folder" containing the measures and testimonies for the hearing will be available for shared use by members of the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 586-6363.

| Senator Carol Fukunaga | Senator David Y. Ige |
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| Chair | Chair |