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

#### COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, INTERNATIONAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Senator J. Kalani English, Chair Senator Mike Gabbard, Vice Chair

## AMENDED NOTICE MEASURES DEFERRED TO WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2009

DATE: Wednesday, February 18, 2009

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 224

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

### DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

(Deferred from Wednesday, February 11, 2009)

SB 586 Testimony	RELATING TO HIGHWAYS. Allows medium-speed electric vehicles to be operated on roads with a posted speed limit of 45 miles per hour or less.	TIA
SB 735 Testimony	RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING. Requires the counties to identify and designate affordable housing receiving zones to facilitate the development of affordable housing.	EDH/TIA, WTL
SB 740 Testimony	RELATING TO HOUSING. Directs the department of land and natural resources and Hawaii housing finance and development corporation (HHFDC) to identify public lands within one-half mile of the city's transit corridor and within a one-mile radius of any designated transit station suitable for affordable housing. Requires governor to set aside the identified public lands for housing development. Requires the HHFDC to report to legislature.	TIA/EDH, WTL
	(Measured added were Deferred from Wednesday, February 11, 2009)	
SB 1613 Testimony	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION. Allows the department of transportation to impose upon private parties using state harbors and airports the duty to defend, hold harmless, and indemnify.	TIA, JGO [Measured added 02/12/09]
SB 1224 Testimony	RELATING TO AIRPORT CONCESSIONS. Allows for certain adjustments and modifications to airport concession leases.	TIA, WAM [Measured added 02/12/09]
SB 1064 Testimony	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY. Prohibits the sale of new and unused tires that were manufactured more than six years prior to the date of the sale.	TIA, JGO [Measured added 02/12/09]

**SB** 300 RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR. TIA, CPN Testimony Requires liquor licenses to carry liability insurance as a condition of [Measured added acquiring and renewing a license. Requires liquor liability insurers to 02/12/09] notify the county liquor commissions upon a termination, rejection, or nonrenewal of a licensee's coverage. (Measured added Deferred from Thursday, February 12, 2009) SB 1053 RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW. ENE/TIA, WAM Testimony Allows an agency to transfer the responsibility for preparing and [Measured added funding environmental assessments and environmental impact 02/12/09] statements to the user of the state or county land or new improvements to be constructed with state or county funds necessary to accommodate the user's operations. SB 701 RELATING TO LANDFILLS. ENE/TIA, WTL Places a moratorium on any new municipal solid waste landfill units Testimony [Measured added on the leeward coast on or after 8/1/09. 02/12/09] SB 1635 RELATING TO WASTE MANAGEMENT. ENE/TIA, WAM Testimony Requires all waste facilities to charge commercial haulers operating [Measured added commercial vehicles with a gross vehicle weight of 19,500 pounds or 02/12/09] less, a tipping fee calculated on a pass through basis only. SB 989 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. ENE/TIA. JGO Extends the sunset date of Act 2, Second Special Session Laws of Testimony [Measured added Hawaii 2007, from the forty-fifth day following adjournment sine die 02/12/09] of the Regular Session of 2009 to the forty-fifth day following adjournment sine die of the Regular Session of 2010. SB 1612 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION ENERGY. ENE/TIA, WAM **Testimony** Establishes a comprehensive approach to increasing the use of [Measured added alternative fuel vehicles in the State, including state procurement of 02/12/09] alternative fuel vehicles, tax incentives, and infrastructure requirements RELATING TO TAXATION. SB 719 ENE/TIA, WAM [Measured added Testimony Authorizes an additional general excise tax on sale proceeds of vehicles having a net weight over a specified amount and provides a 02/12/091 general excise tax exemption for the purchase of passenger vehicles or light trucks that operate on clean fuels. Establishes a clean vehicle special fund. RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION ENERGY INITIATIVES. SB 1202 TIA/ENE, WAM Testimony Establishes the development of non-fossil fuel transportation as a state [Measured added policy goal. Provides tax credits for the purchase and installation of 02/12/09] electric vehicle charging infrastructure and alternative fuel refueling infrastructure. Requires the designation of parking spaces for electric vehicles. Requires state and county agencies to follow a priority list when purchasing energy-efficient vehicles, including electric vehicles. Requires the director of transportation to furnish information to the energy resources coordinator on the use of electric vehicles in the State. Requires the department of transportation to develop a plan for electric vehicle infrastructure.

(The committee on EDH previously held its decision making on SB 735 and 740 on Wednesday, February 11, 2009.)

### No testimony will be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 808-587-7225.