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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Thursday, January 28, 2010

TIME:

9:30 AM

PLACE:

Conference Room 312

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 2351

RELATING TO VETERANS.

EBM, TRN

Status

Requires an applicant for a veteran's license plate to include a copy of the applicant's most recent discharge paper or separation document that

indicates an honorable discharge or general (under honorable

conditions) discharge from active duty.

HB 2344

RELATING TO UNIFORM MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE.

Status Repeals the uniform maintenance allowance for enlisted personnel. EBM, FIN

HB 2381

RELATING TO TAXATION.

EBM, FIN

Status

Provides a temporary tax credit for residential construction and

remodeling projects.

HB 2383

RELATING TO FLAGS.

EBM, JUD

Status

Recognizes and requires the prisoner of war/missing in action flag to

be flown with the U.S. and Hawaiian flags.

HB 2447

RELATING TO OUT-OF-STATE OFFICES.

EBM, LMG, FIN

Status

Beginning July 1, 2010, requires the auditor to conduct at least every

two years a management and financial audit of the department of business, economic development, and tourism out-of-state offices; requires reports to the legislature; repeals exemption from audit and

accounting requirements for out-of-state offices.

HB 2289

RELATING TO GIFT CERTIFICATES.

EBM, CPC

Status

Extends the minimum expiration period for gift certificates from two to

five years and requires issuers to honor gift certificates during this

period. Defines "service fee".

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Repeals the prohibition on providing a premium or free goods of intoxicating liquor or other merchandise in connection with the sale of intoxicating liquor.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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