THE SENATE THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2010

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

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

MEASURES DEFERRED TO MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2010

DATE: Monday, February 8, 2010

TIME: 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

SB 2290 RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. EDT. WAM

Testimony Amends the State private investment fund to direct its investment capital to venture capital funds that commit to equity investments in

businesses located within the state and demonstrate ability to mentor entrepreneurs; Authorizes \$\infty\$ in tax credits to be used by the fund as

collateral.

SB 2291 RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. EDT, JGO

<u>Testimony</u> Expands the procurement preference for high technology goods or <u>Status</u> services provided by Hawaii businesses; specifies a five per cent

preference; requires the state procurement office to report to the 2012 legislature on implementation of the preference; requires the state procurement office to authorize reseller agreements in multi-state

contracting agreements.

SB 2543 RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY. EDT, WAM

Testimony Establishes an office of telework promotion and broadband assistance and a broadband advisory council; establishes a work group to develop

procedures for streamlined permitting functions applicable to development of broadband services or technology; requires all state agencies to report annually to the legislature on expenditures of federal

moneys for broadband facilities, services, equipment, or contracts.

SB 2658 RELATING TO THE ACCESS HAWAII COMMITTEE. EDT, WAM

<u>Testimony</u> Establishes the Access Hawaii Committee Special Fund.

<u>Status</u>

SB 2478 RELATING TO TAXATION. EDT, WAM

<u>Testimony</u> Provides tax credits for the investment, transportation expenditures, and certain payroll costs associated with a qualified live musical or

theatrical production or qualified musical or theatrical facility

infrastructure project.

<u>SB 2355</u>	RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA.	EDT/HRE, WAM
<u>Testimony</u>	Establishes digital media enterprise subzones as unspecified	[Measure added 02-
<u>Status</u>	geographic areas surrounding University of Hawaii campuses that are	<u>05-10]</u>
	also designated as enterprise zones; establishes tax benefits for digital	
	media infrastructure development and operation and local workforce	
	employment; authorizes insurance companies to invest in qualified	
	digital media infrastructure projects in lieu of pay certain state taxes;	
	renames and amends the Hawaii television and film development	
	special fund to the Hawaii film office special fund; sunsets on	
	<u>6/30/2020.</u>	
<u>SB 2829</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION.	EDT, WAM
<u>Testimony</u>	Establishes a new markets tax credit for a taxpayer that holds a	[Measure added 02-
<u>Status</u>	qualified equity investment on a credit allowance date. Provides an	<u>05-10]</u>
	exemption for the new markets tax credit from the requirements of	
	section 704(b)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.	
<u>SB 2710</u>	RELATING TO BOARD MEETINGS.	EDT, JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Expands the ability of a board or commission to facilitate public	[Measure added 02-
<u>Status</u>	meetings through available interactive conferencing technology.	<u>05-10]</u>

No testimony will be accepted.

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.

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