## THE SENATE THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2010

## COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

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

## **MEASURES DEFERRED TO THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2010**

DATE: Thursday, February 4, 2010

TIME: 2:45 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 225

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

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

SB 2357 Testimony Status	RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY. Establishes renewable portfolio standards for natural gas utility companies with oversight by Public Utilities Commission. Defines "natural gas" and "natural gas utility company". Requires DLNR to work with natural gas utility companies on planning and permitting processes to expedite renewable energy resource development.	ENE, CPN
SB 2818 Testimony Status	RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.  Transfers the office of environmental quality control and the environmental council from the department of health to the department of land and natural resources; reduces the membership of the environmental council from 15 to 7; establishes the environmental review special fund; revises the environmental assessment and environmental impact statement process to create a more streamlined, transparent, and consistent process.	ENE/WTL, WAM [Measure added 02- 02-10]
SB 2275 Testimony Status	RELATING TO ARCHITECTURAL PAINT.  Establishes a pilot program to require producers of architectural paint sold in this State to establish or join a stewardship organization to implement an architectural paint stewardship program that provides for the collection, transportation, and processing of post-consumer architectural paint. Provides for oversight by the office of environmental quality control. Establishes the product stewardship fund to offset administrative costs.	ENE, WAM [Measure added 02-02-10]
SB 2356 Testimony Status	RELATING TO LEAF BLOWERS.  Prohibits the use of gas power leaf blowers; prohibits the use of leaf blowers on or near residential zones, except within allowed time periods; prohibits leaf blowing operations from blowing debris onto adjacent property without permission.	ENE, JGO [Measure added 02- 02-10]
SB 2361 Testimony Status	RELATING TO WASTE STREAM REDUCTION.  Requires telephone directories to be distributed only to persons who have signed a written authorization to receive the directory.	ENE, CPN/JGO [Measure added 02- 02-10]

SB 2360	RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER	ENE, WAM
<u>Testimony</u>	PROGRAM.	[Measure added 02-
<u>Status</u>	Amends the definition of "deposit beverage" to include wine and hard	02-10]
	spirits.	
SB 2420	RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER	ENE, WAM
Testimony	PROGRAM.	[Measure added 02-
<u>Status</u>	Removes the exemption for dietary supplements from the deposit	<u>02-10]</u>
	beverage container program.	
SB 2559	RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.	ENE, JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Requires retailers in the State to distribute only recyclable, reusable, or	[Measure added 02-
<u>Status</u>	biodegradable checkout bags.	<u>02-10]</u>

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 808-586-6830.