# 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

### AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 9, 2010

TIME: 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 225

State Capitol

RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.

415 South Beretania Street

## AMENDED AGENDA

ENE, WAM

Testimony Status	Exempts renewable energy systems of two megawatts or greater from the general excise tax on wholesale and retail transactions from January 1, 2011, to December 31, 2015.	[Measure deleted on 02-08-10]
SB 2684  Testimony  Status	RELATING TO CLEAN ENERGY BONDS. Establishes a Hawaii Clean Energy Investment Bond Program for renewable energy system and energy efficiency improvements on residential and commercial properties, and authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds to finance the program.	ENE, WAM
SB 2815 Testimony Status	RELATING TO CLEAN ENERGY BONDS. Establishes a property assessed clean energy bond financing program for renewable energy system and energy efficiency improvements on residential and commercial properties, and authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds to finance the program.	ENE, WAM
SB 2670 Testimony Status	RELATING TO FOSSIL FUELS. Prohibits the Public Utilities Commission from issuing a certificate of public convenience and necessity for new electrical generation facilities that can only use fossil fuels as their energy source.	ENE, CPN
SB 2558  Testimony  Status	RELATING TO FOSSIL FUELS. Restricts any new construction of or expansion of existing fossil-fueled, electricity-generating facilities unless the electric utility company can demonstrate compliance with the renewable energy portfolio standards.	ENE, CPN

SB 2675

#### **SB 2782**

Testimony
Status

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XI, SECTION 8 OF ENE, JGO

THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROHIBIT THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PETROLEUM, COAL, AND NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS IN THE STATE WITHOUT THE PRIOR APPROVAL OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE.

Proposes a constitutional amendment banning the construction of new petroleum, coal, and nuclear power plants within the State without the approval of two-thirds of each house of the legislature.

## 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 <a href="mailto:ENETestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov">ENETestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov</a>. 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 <a href="http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony">http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony</a>.
- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 201, State Capitol.
- 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 4:00 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 testimonies for the hearing will be available for shared use by members of the public.

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Senator Mike Gabbard	
Chair	