THE SENATE THE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2011**

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Chair Senator Michelle Kidani, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, February 2, 2011

TIME: 1:15 PM

PLACE: Conference Room 225

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. EDU, WAM **SB 238**

Allows the University of Hawaii to retain up to five per cent of its **Testimony** appropriated general funds and carry it over to the subsequent fiscal

year.

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RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. **SB 241** EDU, WAM

Establishes the conference center revolving fund within the University **Testimony** of Hawaii at Manoa instead of within the college of continuing **Status** education and community service at the University of Hawaii at

Manoa. Provides flexibility in the use of the revolving funds.

SB 809 RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. EDU, WAM

Increase by \$100,000,000 the University of Hawaii's authorization to **Testimony** issue revenue bonds to a total principal amount not to exceed \$300,000,000 for the purpose of financing the construction and **Status**

maintenance of qualifying capital improvement projects. Appropriates

\$100,000,000 in revenue bond proceeds.

RELATING TO CERTAIN FUNDS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF **SB 814** EDU, WAM

HAWAII.

Testimony Converts certain revolving funds of the University of Hawaii into special funds; repeals certain funds of the University of Hawaii and **Status** transfers the remaining balances to the University of Hawaii auxiliary

enterprises special fund.

SB 242 RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. EDU, WAM

Repeals certain UH reports to the legislature. Makes western regional **Testimony** education compact report to legislature biennial, to be submitted in

each odd-numbered year. Repeals section 2, Act 188, Session Laws of

Hawaii 2008, relating to annual incentive and performance reports.

SB 243 RELATING TO THE WESTERN INTERSTATE COMMISSION EDU, WAM

FOR HIGHER EDUCATION.

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Establishes the Hawaii Western Interstate Commission of Higher

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Education (Hawaii WICHE). Allows Hawaii WICHE to establish a

repayment policy for students who receive financial support from certain funds appropriated for the Hawaii commission. Establishes a

professional student exchange program special fund.

SB 244 RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. EDU

Amends provisions relating to benchmark reporting. Requires the
University of Hawaii to periodically review state needs related to
higher education outcomes and indicators and monitor and report
biennially on its progress toward achieving performance outcomes in a

manner that is transparent and linked to state higher education needs.

SB 1386 RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE EDU

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UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.
Allows for the election of up to two vice-chairpersons of the

Status University of Hawaii board of regents and requires the board to elect

any vice-chairperson and chairperson at a meeting held before July 1. Amends the start date of the term of a board chairperson and vice-

chairperson.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Jill Tokuda Chair

