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

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

Senator Clayton Hee, Chair Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, April 4, 2011

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

RELATING TO PROSTITUTION. JDL HB 44, HD1 Makes it a misdemeanor to offer or agree to pay a fee to engage in (HSCR622) sexual conduct within seven hundred fifty feet of a school or public park. Effective January 7, 2059. (HB44 HD1) **Testimony Status HB 240** RELATING TO PROMOTING PROSTITUTION. JDL Amends section 28-101, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to give the "greatest (HSCR614) priority" to cases involving promoting prostitution, when the attorney general is determining whether to fund or provide for witness security <u>Testimony</u> and protection. **Status** RELATING TO PROMOTING PROSTITUTION. JDL HB 241, HD1 Increases the grade of offense for promoting prostitution in the first (HSCR631) and second degree to a class A and B felony, respectively. Effective **Testimony** January 7, 2059. (HB241 HD1) **Status** RELATING TO PROMOTING PROSTITUTION. JDL HB 242, HD1 Expands the offenses of prostitution and solicitation of prostitution to (HSCR628) cover patrons of prostitutes. Makes the offense of habitual solicitation of prostitution a class C felony, and applies the law to those who **Testimony** habitually patronize prostitutes. Removes the sunset date of Act 192, **Status** Session Laws of Hawaii 2008. Effective January 7, 2059. (HB242 HD1) RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER. JDL HB 254, HD1 Prohibits urination and defecation in public places in the Waikiki area. (HSCR685) Act to sunset December 31, 2014. Effective January 1, 2059. (HB254 HD1) **Testimony**

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Status

<u>HB 299, HD1</u> (HSCR604)	RELATING TO COURTS OF APPEAL. Shortens the time period for filing an application for writ of certiorari	JDL
Testimony	with the supreme court from 90 to 30 days, but permits an extension upon written request of up to 30 additional days. Effective January 1, 2012. (HB299 HD1)	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>HB 381, HD1</u> (HSCR633)	RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS. Amends various provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes for the purpose of correcting errors and references, clarifying language, and deleting unnecessary provisions. (HB381 HD1)	JDL
Testimony Status		
HB 461, HD1 (HSCR764) Testimony Status	RELATING TO THE UNIFORM MILITARY AND OVERSEAS VOTERS ACT. Enacts Uniform Military and Overseas Voters Act to ensure ability of members of the military and others eligible voters who are overseas to participate in all elections for federal, state, and local offices. Authorizes ballots and balloting materials to be transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail. Effective July 1, 2020. (HB461 HD1)	JDL
HB 439, HD1 (HSCR629) Testimony Status	RELATING TO EVIDENCE. Extends evidentiary presumptions regarding publications and legal opinions to those posted to government websites. Effective July 1, 2011. (HB439 HD1)	JDL
HB 546 (HSCR639) Testimony Status	RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS. Prohibits discrimination on the basis of gender identity and expression as a public policy matter and specifically with regard to employment.	JDL
HB 638, HD1 (HSCR855) Testimony Status	RELATING TO ELECTIONS. Provides for instant runoff voting for all elections in which no primary election is held; authorizes the chief election officer or the county clerk to use the instant runoff voting method in special elections that would normally require a separate runoff election if no candidate received a majority of votes. Effective January 7, 2059. (HB638 HD1)	JDL
HB 968, HD1 (HSCR640) Testimony Status	RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE PROTECTIVE ORDERS. Allows a temporary restraining order to remain in effect for up to 180 days or until the protective order's effective date, whichever occurs first. Provides when protective orders orally stated by the court shall be effective. Effective July 1, 2050. (HB968 HD1)	JDL

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.



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Persons wishing to testify should submit testimony in one of the following ways by 10:00 a.m. the day prior to the hearing:

- By Email: Testimony may be emailed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Committee at
 <u>JDLTestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov</u>. 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 http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony.
- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 002, 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 10:00 a.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.

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Senator Clayton Hee Chair