## THE SENATE THE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2012**

## COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Vice-Chair

## **MEASURES DEFERRED TO WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2012**

DATE: Wednesday, February 29, 2012

TIME: 10:30 AM

PLACE: Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

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

RELATING TO THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE BOARD. CPN **SB236** 

Status and Testimony Reconfigures the composition of the contractors licensing board to

include exclusive representatives of collective bargaining units, and reduce from 5 to 3 members representatives of both general

and speciality contractors.

SB2395 RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL **CPN** 

Status and Testimony LICENSING.

> Requires licensing boards to: (1) allow applicants to demonstrate competency in lieu of work experience required; and (2) establish procedures to expedite the issuance of licenses, certifications, or

permits to military spouses.

SB2398 SD1 RELATING TO TATTOO ARTISTS. PGM/HTH, CPN

(SSCR2318) Restricts the sale of tattoo supplies. Requires blood borne Status and Testimony pathogen test as a prerequisite for licensure beginning 1/1/2013

and every four years after initial test to continue to hold a license. Prohibits body piercing or body modifications at tattoo trade shows. Creates a tattoo artist task force. Reports to legislature.

(SD1)

SB2945 RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES. PGM, CPN

Authorizes the revocation or suspension of a liquor license for a (SSCR2272)

Status and Testimony continuing pattern of noise, disturbance, misconduct, or disorder.

SB2247 SD1 (SSCR2005) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.  Requires commercial mobile radio service providers to provide call location information upon request by public safety agencies responding to emergencies. Provides immunity from liability for commercial mobile radio service providers, its representatives, and public safety answering points for providing call information in good faith. (SD1)	PGM, CPN
SB2394 SD1 (SSCR2054) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION.  Authorizes the director of commerce and consumer affairs to enforce certain federal laws to protect military members and their families from abusive lending practices. (SD1)	PGM, CPN
SB2108 SD1 (SSCR2163) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS. Limits to retail basic exchange services the services for which a telecommunications carrier must obtain approval from the PUC to charge a rate higher than the filed tariff rate. (SD1)	EDT, CPN
SB2296 (SSCR2084) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY LICENSING ACT.  Requires motor vehicles to be insured prior to release from auction. Amends requirements to obtain a dealer license.  Amends bond requirements in lieu of a flooring line of credit.	TIA, CPN
SB2968 SD1 (SSCR2011) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE. Allows motor vehicle insurers to offer insurance premium discounts for completion of a driver safety course or driver improvement course. (SD1)	TIA, CPN
SB2089 (SSCR2043) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS. Requires any nonresident owner who operates a transient accommodation located in the nonresident owner's private residence, including an apartment, unit, or townhouse, to employ a property manager approved by the real estate commission.	TSM, CPN
SB2966 SD1 (SSCR2018) Status and Testimony	RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY. Increases maximum allowable customer-generator capacity for net energy metering systems to two megawatts if the generating facility is sited on property owned or controlled by the State of Hawaii. Increases maximum allowable customer-generator capacity for net energy metering systems to one megawatt for all other systems. Takes effect on 7/4/2050. (SD4)	ENE, CPN

other systems. Takes effect on 7/1/2050. (SD1)

SB2106 SD1 (SSCR2185) Status and Testimony

RELATING TO HEALTH.

HTH, CPN

Requires health insurers to provide outpatient prescription drug coverage. Prohibits health insurers, other than mutual benefit societies, from requiring coinsurance as a basis for cost sharing with the insured for outpatient prescription drug benefits and limits the amount of copayments an insured must pay for prescription drugs. (SD1)

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR AMENDED NOTICES: Measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are underscored. If a measure is both underscored and stricken through, that measure has been deleted from the agenda.

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