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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, February 28, 2012

TIME:

1:00 P.M.

PLACE: Conference Room 308

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA#4

HB 1723 (HSCR336-12)

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RELATING TO THE TRICARE PROGRAM.

HLT, PBM, FIN

Excludes from the general excise tax, amounts received by a managed care support contractor of the TRICARE program for the actual cost or advancement to third party health care providers pursuant to a contract

with the United States. Effective July 1, 2012.

HB 2368, HD1 (HSCR526-12) RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO.

Appropriates funds to establish a medical residency program at the

HLT/HED, FIN

University of Hawaii at Hilo. Effective July 1, 2050.

HB 2567, HD1 (HSCR350-12)

RELATING TO MARRIAGE LICENSE FEES.

HLT, FIN

Raises the marriage license fee from \$60 to \$100. Specifies that \$40 for each marriage license shall be issued to the credit of the Vital Statistics Improvement Special Fund under section 338-14.6, Hawaii

Revised Statutes.

HB 2555, HD1 (HSCR349-12) RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS FEES.

HLT, FIN

Raises the fees associated with vital statistics certified copy and

expedited and correction services.

HB 2023 (HSCR441-12) Status RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING.

HLT, HED, FIN

Makes permanent the assessment and deposit of center for nursing fees into the compliance resolution fund and distribution of those funds to

the credit of the center for nursing special fund.

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HB 1708, HD2 (HSCR379-12) Status	RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH. Authorizes the emergency examination of a patient by telemedicine in geographically remote areas of the State for the purposes of emergency hospitalization in a psychiatric facility. Effective July 1, 2050.	HLT, JUD, FIN
HB 2664 (HSCR219-12) Status	RELATING TO HEALTH CARE COORDINATION. Establishes a public-private partnership in a county with a population between 100,000 and 170,000; partnership to develop an integrated system to deliver health care across the spectrum of care; partnership to work at addressing the current crisis in acute care.	HLT, FIN
HB 1967, HD2 (HSCR579-12) Status	RELATING TO MEDICAL CLAIM CONCILIATION. Amends the medical tort chapter of the Hawaii Revised Statutes, to make the medical claims conciliation process less adversarial and to emphasize inquiry, conciliation, and settlement. Renames the panels to medical inquiry and conciliation panels. Effective January 7, 2059.	HLT, JUD, FIN
HB 2568, HD1 (HSCR451-12) Status	RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS. Permits the Department of Health to allow a designee to conduct criminal history record checks on its behalf on certain healthcare workers, employees, and owners, operators of care homes, or other healthcare organizations. Effective January 7, 2059.	HLT, JUD, FIN
HB 2227. HD1 (HSCR358-12) Status	RELATING TO BIRTH CERTIFICATES. Provides amended birth certificates for persons who have undergone a gender transition. Effective July 1, 2050.	HLT, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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