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

### **COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

Senator Josh Green, M.D., Chair Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Vice Chair

# **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE: Monday, February 13, 2012

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

# <u>AGENDA</u>

Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PSEUDOEPHEDRINE. Classifies pseudoephedrine as a schedule V drug that may be dispensed only with a prescription.	HTH, CPN
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO HEALTH.  Reclassifies pseudoephedrine as a schedule V drug that may only be dispensed with a prescription; exempts cold products that contain other active ingredients, with certain conditions.	HTH, CPN
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PSEUDOEPHEDRINE. Establishes a tracking system for the sale of products containing pseudoephedrine base.	HTH, CPN
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO HEALTH. Requires all cellular telephones, including refurbished and remanufactured cellular telephones, sold or leased by a retailer in the State to bear a label that warns consumers of the potential dangers of electromagnetic radiation emitted by cellular phones.	HTH, CPN
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO HEALTH.  Adds definition for "aspartame". Requires a caution statement to be placed on a product label for all food products containing aspartame that are offered for sale or distribution in the State.	HTH, CPN
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO HEALTH. Establishes a tax on sugar-sweetened beverages, syrup, and powder with the revenues generated to be deposited into the community health centers special fund and the trauma system special fund.	HTH, WAM
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS. Imposes an excise tax on tobacco products, other than large cigars, that is equal to the greater of 70 percent of the wholesale price of, or \$3.20 for, each article or item of tobacco products. Takes effect 10/1/2012.	HTH, WAM



SB 2569 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO SMOKING. Prohibits smoking within a presumptively reasonable minimum distance of twenty feet from all public bus stops.	HTH, JDL
SB 2426 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS. Prohibits retailers from displaying or storing tobacco products through self-service display or engaging in tobacco product retailing through self-service display.	HTH, CPN
SB 3022 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO HEALTH. Increases the excise tax on cigarettes and small cigars.	HTH, WAM
SB 1022	RELATING TO INVOLUNTARY HOSPITALIZATION.	HTH, JDL

### **Decision Making to follow, if time permits.**

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Senator Josh Green, M.D. Chair

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