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

#### COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

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## COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

Senator David Y. Ige, Chair Senator Michelle N. Kidani, Vice Chair

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, February 27, 2012

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

## AGENDA

**SB 2783** 

RELATING TO THE PUBLIC TRUST LANDS.

HWN/WLH, JDL/WAM

EDU, JDL/WAM

Status & **Testimony** 

(SSCR2380)

Conveys Kakaako Makai lands to Office of Hawaiian Affairs, and resolves all disputes and controversies, and extinguishes, discharges and bars all claims, suits, and actions relating to OHA's portion of income and proceeds from the public trust lands for the period November 7, 1978 through June 30, 2012

**SB 2349** 

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO THE STATE

(SSCR2327)

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT SPECIAL FUND. Proposes an amendment to the Hawaii state constitution that

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would repeal the state educational facilities improvement special fund's exemption from the requirement the appropriated moneys

be lapsed after 3 years.

HB 2437, HD1

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

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(HSCR297-12)

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HB 2438, HD2

**Testimony** 

(HSCR296-12)

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the 2012 elections and ensure compliance with federal law. (HB2437 HD1) MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS

Makes an emergency appropriation of \$1,725,000 for fiscal year

2011-2012 to fund the voting system contract for conducting of

AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES. Makes emergency appropriations for claims against the State or its officers or employees that were submitted during the Regular Session of 2011 but for which funds were not appropriated.

(HB2438 HD2)

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### HB 2096, HD1

(HSCR298-12)

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### RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY.

Sets the maximum weekly benefit amount at seventy-five per cent of the average weekly wage from April 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012. Sets, for calendar year 2012, the employer contribution rate at schedule F. Authorizes the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations director to accept loans from the State Director of Finance or from the federal government under Title XII of the Social Security Act. Authorizes the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations director to increase the employment and training assessment in increments of .01 per cent retroactive to January 1, 2012, for payment of interest on federal loans for unemployment insurance benefits. Requires the Act to apply retroactively to January 1, 2012. (HB2096 HB1)

**SB 2057** 

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#### RELATING TO SALARIES.

Clarifies Act 57, Session Laws of Hawaii 2011, with regard to salary rates for executive, judicial, and legislative officials, to give effect to the recommendations of the commission on salaries.

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# Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator David Y. Ige	Senator Clayton Hee
Chair	Chair

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