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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Monday, January 30, 2012

TIME:

9:15 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 2358

RELATING TO THE BUILDING CODE.

WLO, PBM, FIN

Status

Establishes the Hawaii State Building Code, Hawaii State Building

Code Council, and Natural Disaster Preparedness Commission.

Effective July 1, 2012.

HB 2434

RELATING TO THE STATE BUILDING CODE.

WLO, FIN

Status

Abolishes the State Building Code Council, provides for a transition

from the current to the new proposed law, and requires the counties to adopt building codes with their revisions or opt out of adoption.

HB 2587

RELATING TO SAILING SCHOOL VESSELS.

WLO, JUD

Status

Amends the definition of "sailing school vessel" to mean, among other

things, a vessel that is in compliance with the Federal Code of

Regulations, Title 46, Part 169.

HB 2589 Status

RELATING TO VESSELS.

WLO, JUD, FIN

Clarifies responsibility for disposing of vessels and amends the

description of an abandoned vessel.

HB 2588

RELATING TO GROUNDED VESSELS.

WLO, FIN

Status

Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources to assume

control of and remove a vessel grounded on a coral reef or in imminent danger of breaking up if the vessel cannot be removed by the owner

within twenty-four hours of the grounding.

HB 2590 Status

RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCE VIOLATIONS.

WLO, JUD, FIN

Provides for transformative administrative penalty alternatives and an enhanced collection mechanism for outstanding fines and penalties

resulting from aquatic resource violations.

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HB 1946 Status	RELATING TO WATER. Makes the public trust doctrine the guide for the actions of the commission. Defines "augmenting" and "augment". Allows the commission to consider an objection filed by anyone directly and immediately affected by an application for a water use permit.	WLO, JUD, FIN
HB 2594 Status	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 12, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO ASSIST DAM AND RESERVOIR OWNERS. Proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the State to issue special purpose revenue bonds and use the proceeds from the bonds to assist dam and reservoir owners.	WLO, JUD, FIN
HB 2595 Status	RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST DAM AND RESERVOIR OWNERS. Allows the authorization of special purpose revenue bonds to assist dam and reservoir owners.	WLO, FIN
HB 2482 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. Extends the Hawaii Community Development Authority's authority to sell or lease all or a portion of the real or personal property constituting a redevelopment project to all projects.	WLO, FIN
HB 2480 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. Amends section 206E-191, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to permit the Hawaii Community Development Authority's Kalaeloa Community Development District ex-officio members to designate a representative with voting powers in the event they are unable to attend an authority meeting.	WLO, FIN
HB 2339 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. Clarifies residency requirements for community representatives of the Kalaeloa Community Development District to the Hawaii Community Development Authority. Makes conforming amendments.	WLO, FIN
HB 2481 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. Clarifies notice requirements for the Hawaii Community Development Authority's public hearings.	WLO, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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