THE SENATE THE TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2013

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

Senator Clayton Hee, Chair Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, February 7, 2013

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AGENDA</u>

SB 316 RELATING TO JUVENILES.

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Permits a court to dispose of a juvenile case by referring the defendant to a restorative justice program when the court deems it would be in the best interest of the child and the child admits

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SB 516 RELATING TO PATERNITY.

Removes time bar on actions to declare existence or nonexistence of father and child relationship for certain

proceedings.

SB 1288 RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE. JDL, WAM

Status & Permits an employee to use family leave time to care for a sibling. Defines "sibling". Effective July 1, 2013.

SB 346 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, JDL

Status & OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE STATE SUPREME COURT TO APPOINT RETIRED JUDGES TO

SERVE AS EMERITUS JUDGES.

Proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to appoint judges who have retired upon attaining the age of seventy years as emeritus judges, permitting the appointed judges to serve as temporary judges in courts no higher than the court level they reached prior to

retirement and for terms not to exceed three months.

<u>SB 509</u> PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF THE JDL

Status & CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO

Testimony RIGHTS OF CRIME VICTIMS.

Proposes an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Hawaii guaranteeing that crime victims and their immediate surviving family members have specific rights related to information pertaining to and participation in the criminal justice

process.

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SB 535

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RELATING TO LABOR.

Establishes rights for domestic workers. Directs DLIR to report on feasibility of allowing domestic workers to organize for the purposes of collective bargaining. **JDL**

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SB 1057

Proposed SD1

Status & Testimony RELATING TO EMPLOYER UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND CONTRIBUTIONS.

Establishes employer contribution amounts for plan years 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 for Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund health benefit plan premiums for the employees of collective bargaining unit (10) and their excluded counterparts. Applies retroactively to 07/01/11. (Proposed SD1)

Copies of the proposed SD1 are available from the Senate Document Center and on the Legislature's website: www.capitol.hawaii.gov.

SB 331

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RELATING TO LABOR.

Increases minimum wage to \$8.25 starting 07/01/13, \$8.75 starting 07/01/14, and \$9.25 starting 07/01/15 and ending 06/30/16. Authorizes the department of labor and industrial relations to adjust the minimum hourly wage thereafter in accord with the consumer priced index. Effective 07/01/13. (Proposed SD1)

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Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Clayton Hee Chair

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