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

Tuesday, 19th March, 2013 DATE:

TIME: 10:05 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AGENDA</u>

HB 1481, HD2

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

JDL, WAM

(HSCR763) Status &

Testimony

Creates public funding program of candidates for the offices of state senator and state representative. Exempts the offices of governor, lieutenant governor, state senator, and state representative from the scope of the partial public financing law.

Appropriates funds to the campaign spending commission to prepare for the public financing of elections in 2016. Effective

January 1, 2015. (HB1481 HD2)

HB 1147, HD2

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

JDL, WAM

(HSCR907)

Status & Testimony

Requires noncandidate committees to identify certain top contributors in advertisements. Amends reporting requirements for persons and organizations. Repeals section requiring reporting by corporations. Effective November 5, 2030.

(HB1147 HD2)

HB 201, HD1

(HSCR705)

Status &

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

JDL, WAM

Testimony

Amends the campaign finance law by: Defining "matching payment period"; Correcting statutory references; Changing report filing deadlines; Specifying noncandidate committee reporting requirements for contributions made; Requiring the identification of the candidate supported or opposed by an independent expenditure; and Increasing the amount of allowable expenditures made by a partially publicly financed candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney. (HB201 HD1)

HB 321, HD1

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

JDL, WAM

(HSCR725)

Status & **Testimony**

Provides a process for voter registration on election day at polling places. Effective January 1, 2100. (HB321 HD1)

HB 269, HD1

(HSCR655)

Status & Testimony

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE. Amends the state constitution to require candidates for the state senate or house of representatives to be a resident of the legislative district from which the person is a candidate for not less than twelve consecutive months prior to the next general election. (HB269 HD1)

HB 998

RELATING TO PRIVATE TRANSFER FEES.

CPN.

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CPN, JDL

Makes permanent the prohibition of private fees for a future

(SSCR860) transfer of real property.

Status &

Testimony

Testimony

HB 805, HD1 RELATING TO FEDERAL TAX QUALIFICATION OF THE JDL, WAM

(HSCR898)

EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

Amends the Employees' Retirement System laws to comply with

Status & Internal Revenue Code requirements and vesting rules in order to maintain the system's status as a tax-qualified retirement plan. Effective July 1, 2030. (HB805 HD1)

HB 808, HD1 RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. JDL, WAM

Amends provisions governing the public employee pension and retirement system, to preserve the tax-qualified status of the Employees' Retirement System and to clarify the application of chapter 88 to civil unions. Effective July 1, 2030. (HB808 HD1)

HB 807 RELATING TO RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR JUDGES. JDL, WAM

(HSCR692)
Corrects anomalies of service retirement service eligibility and normal and early retirement allowances for judges who became members of the Employees' Retirement System prior to July 1, 2012, and first earned service credit as a judge after June 30,

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HB 197, HD2 RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY. JDL, WAM
Appropriates funds for the judiciary for the fiscal biennium

(HSCR926)
Status &

Appropriates funds for the judiciary for the fiscal biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015. Effective

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

Click <u>here</u> to submit testimony to the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Testimony may be submitted up to 24 hours prior to the start of the hearing.

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Senator Clayton Hee Chair