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#### NOTICE OF HEARING

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Friday, January 31, 2014
9:15am
Conference Room 325
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

# AGENDA

<u>HB 1911</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES. Establishes the aquatic resources special fund. Requires the DLNR to establish a nonresident fishing permit program.	WAL/OMH, FIN
HB 588 Status	RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY. Makes permanent the limitations of liability for public entities based on the duty to warn of dangers on public lands.	WAL, JUD
<u>HB 2234</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY. Repeals the sunset date and makes permanent the law shielding county lifeguards from liability.	WAL, JUD
<u>HB 1765</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO SANDALWOOD. Establishes penalties for the destruction or harvesting of native sandalwood trees. Requires replanting for trees harvested. Bans the export of raw or unprocessed sandalwood timber. Establishes DLNR policies regarding sandalwood.	WAL, JUD

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<u>HB 1920</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Requires each division or office of the Department of Land and Natural Resources to publish annual reports on the department's official website. Requires the Department to account for past reports required of the Department and its predecessor agency.	WAL, FIN
HB 2161 Status	RELATING TO WATER. Requires the water resources research center at the University of Hawaii at Manoa to conduct a study on the impact of the increased safety standards for dams and reservoirs that were adopted by the department of land and natural resources. Requires a report to the legislature. Make an appropriation. Effective 07/01/2015.	WAL, HED, FIN

The following bill(s) is for decision-making purposes only to insert substantive provisions into the short form bill. A public hearing will be scheduled at a later date, at which time testimony will be accepted.

<u>HB 2639</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT. Amends the Hawaii Revised Statutes relating to geothermal resource development.	WAL
<u>HB 2640</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO LAND USE COMMISSION. Amends the Hawaii Revised Statutes relating to land use commission.	WAL

### DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least <u>24 hours</u> prior to the hearing. Testimony should indicate:

- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;
- The date and time of the hearing; and
- Measure number.

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Submit testimony in ONE of the following ways:

PAPER: 10 copies (including an original) to Room 328 in the State Capitol; or

WEB: For testimony less than 10MB in size, transmit from http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/submittestimony.aspx.

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