THE SENATE THE TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2014** COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS Senator David Y. Ige, Chair Senator Michelle N. Kidani, Vice Chair AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING DATE: Wednesday, January 29, 2014 TIME: 9:00 a.m. PLACE: Conference Room 211 State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street <u>AMENDED AGENDA</u> WAM RELATING TO GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY. Requires the department of taxation to provide an annual report Status & on tax expenditures to the legislature on or before September Testimony 15th of each odd-numbered year. Requires legislation establishing new tax expenditures to include certain specified provisions. RELATING TO STATE FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION. WAM Requires that the state financial plan and budget be developed Status & under the assumption that no funds have been authorized and Testimony that each expenditure be justified. Applies to the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium and thereafter. RELATING TO THE COUNCIL ON REVENUES. WAM Establishes an interdepartmental research task force to assist Status & the council on revenues in preparing revenue forecasts for state Testimony government. Makes an appropriation to department of taxation to prepare tax data for use in the development of various economic models. Makes an appropriation to the department of business, economic development, and tourism to assist the council on revenues with the development of various economic models. RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY. WAM Provides for escheat of unclaimed cash in certain amounts for Status & certain periods of time that were deposited into the unclaimed Testimony property trust fund. RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS. WAM Requires DAGS to report the operational costs of capital Status & improvement projects to the governor. Requires all agencies Testimony submitting a capital improvement project proposal to furnish

DAGS with an estimate and documents that support the

estimate of operational costs.



SB 2153

SB 2276

SB 2284

SB <u>2321</u>

SB 2410

<u>SB 2411</u> Status & Testimony	RELATING TO SUBSIDIES. Deletes references to "subsidy" in the chapters establishing standards and criteria for the award of grants to private organizations and individuals. Makes conforming deletions.	WAM
<u>SB 2519</u> Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING. Recalibrates the general fund expenditure ceiling from the fiscal year 2015-2016. Requires the recalibration to be based on the previous fiscal year's general fund appropriation, rather than general fund expenditure ceiling.	WAM
SB 2925 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO BUDGETING. Requires "position ceilings" to be included in the executive budget. Requires a "position ceiling" to separately identify the maximum number of permanent and temporary positions authorized in the executive budget. States intent that the provisions also apply to the judiciary budget by operation of existing law. Deletes statutory authority for certain departments to create positions in excess of the position ceiling.	<u>WAM</u> [Measure added on 01-24-14]

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator David Y. Ige Chair

