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NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE: Tuesday, April 07, 2015
TIME: 2:15 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A #2

The following measure(s) were previously heard in their respective standing committees.

HCR 4, HD1 (HSCR1341) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE TIDE POOL STAIRS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES IN THE MANELE-HULOPOE MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI.	WAL/OMH, FIN
HCR 5, HD1 (HSCR1342) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR PIER PILINGS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AT PULAWAI, ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI.	WAL/OMH, FIN
HCR 10, HD1 (HSCR912) Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO REVIEW AND REPORT ON STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES' LEAVE POLICIES AND CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' LEAVE USAGE RATES.	PBS, FIN
HCR 23 (HSCR1343) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL CONSTRUCTED THEREON.	WAL/OMH, FIN



HCR 34, HD1 (HSCR1347) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS.	WAL/OMH, FIN
HCR 40 (HSCR1323) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO KAHALUU POND, INC., FOR THE USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SEAWALL LOCATED AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, TMK: (1) 4-7-011: SEAWARD OF 001.	WAL, FIN
HCR 42, HD1 / HR 16, HD1 (HSCR612) / (HSCR611) Status / Status	URGING THE DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ESTABLISH THE COMMISSION FOR HAWAII'S FUTURE TO GUIDE AND PREPARE HAWAII FOR REDUCED MILITARY SPENDING.	EDB/VMI, FIN
HCR 48, HD1 / HR 22, HD1 (HSCR1356) / (HSCR1355) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEED FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF TRANSIENT VACATION RENTALS.	TOU, CPC, FIN
HCR 59, HD1 / HR 29, HD1 (HSCR919) / (HSCR918) Status / Status	URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY TO CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR CHINESE VISITORS.	TOU/VMI, FIN
HCR 68 (HSCR1276) Status	REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES.	OMH, FIN
HCR 73 (HSCR1348) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES.	WAL/OMH, FIN
HCR 76 (HSCR1052) Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE HAWAII INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL.	AGR, FIN
HCR 82, HD1 (HSCR1349) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS FRONTING THE PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS TAX MAP KEY: (1) 3-6-001:017, WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU.	WAL/OMH, FIN



HCR 86, HD1 (HSCR1332) Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONSIDER DEVELOPING PERMITTING PROVISIONS TO REQUIRE THAT EMPLOYEES OF WATERSPORT EXCURSION COMPANIES WHO TAKE CUSTOMERS ON WATERSPORT EXCURSIONS ARE TRAINED IN BASIC SAFETY MEASURES.	OMH, FIN
HCR 88 (HSCR1290) Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTIFICATION WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME TO APPLICANTS FOR WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION IF THE APPLICATION IS INCOMPLETE.	HLT, FIN
HCR 95 (HSCR1053) Status	DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER OF EACH YEAR AS "FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH" IN HAWAII TO STRENGTHEN AND SUPPORT FARM TO SCHOOL INITIATIVES IN HAWAII'S SCHOOLS.	AGR, FIN
HCR 97, HD1 (HSCR1327) Status	REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ASSURE THAT ANY SUBSTANTIAL LAND DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER, OCCURRING BY INJECTION WELL OR OTHER MEANS, IS IN ALL CASES, ADEQUATELY REVIEWED AND PERMITTED.	EEP, FIN
HCR 98 / HR 52 (HSCR1305) / (HSCR1304) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE AND ASSESS SAFETY CONCERNS AND POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR QUEEN KAAHUMANU HIGHWAY FROM MAKALA BOULEVARD TO HENRY STREET ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.	TRN, FIN
HCR 99 (HSCR1319) Status	REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HOKKAIDO, JAPAN.	VMI, FIN
HCR 104, HD1 (HSCR1266) Status	REQUESTING AN AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.	HUS, FIN
HCR 108 / HR 61 (HSCR1061) / (HSCR1060) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII'S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE.	HLT, FIN



HCR 112 / HR 65 (HSCR1287) / (HSCR1286) Status / Status	ENCOURAGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO EXPAND THE NUMBER OF REFUSE CONVENIENCE CENTERS AND TRANSFER STATIONS ACCEPTING BULKY ITEMS.	EEP, FIN
HCR 119 (HSCR1277) Status	REQUESTING A STUDY OF LIMU AND REEF FISH DECLINE IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE EWA COAST OF OAHU.	OMH, FIN
HCR 126 / HR 78 (HSCR1285) / (HSCR1284) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO EXTEND THE TASK FORCE STUDYING THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY.	EEP, FIN
HCR 130 / HR 79 (HSCR1326) / (HSCR1325) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO WORK WITH ROYAL HAWAIIAN GOLF CLUB TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF OLD GOVERNMENT ROAD.	WAL, FIN
HCR 131 (HSCR1352) Status	REQUESTING REPORTS REGARDING STATE AGENCY ACTION TO ENSURE ACCESS BY RURAL COMMUNITIES TO CELLULAR AND BROADBAND SERVICES.	CPC, FIN
HCR 134 / HR 82 (HSCR1358) / (HSCR1357) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION.	EDB, CPC, FIN
HCR 141, HD1 / HR 84, HD1 (HSCR1329) / (HSCR1328) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE COUNTIES TO PROVIDE BEACH ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN HAWAII.	OMH/WAL, FIN
HCR 146, HD1 / HR 87, HD1 (HSCR1263) / (HSCR1262) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES.	JUD, FIN
HCR 161 (HSCR1292) Status	REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.	HLT, FIN
HCR 167, HD1 (HSCR1291) Status	REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MENTAL HEALTH WORKFORCE ASSESSMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS AND MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES TO IDENTIFY SHORTAGES AND AID IN PROPOSING SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS THOSE SHORTAGES.	HLT, FIN



HCR 168, HD2 / HR 104, HD2 (HSCR1360) / (HSCR1359) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO STREAMLINE THE STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROCESS.	LAB, CPC, FIN
HCR 181 / HR 119 (HSCR1303) / (HSCR1302) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION.	TRN, FIN
HCR 182 / HR 120 (HSCR1307) / (HSCR1306) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON KAHEKILI HIGHWAY FROM THE LIKELIKE HIGHWAY INTERSECTION TO KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY.	TRN, FIN
HCR 185 (HSCR1350) Status	AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKLESVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS.	WAL/OMH, FIN
HCR 187, HD1 / HR 123, HD1 (HSCR1057) / (HSCR1056) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO CLARIFY AND COORDINATE AGRICULTURAL-BASED COMMERCE SUPPORT OF BONA-FIDE FARMING OPERATIONS ACROSS THE STATE.	AGR/EDB, FIN
HCR 190 / HR 124 (HSCR1301) / (HSCR1300) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE HAWAII HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING BRAZILIAN JIU-JITSU AS A SANCTIONED SPORT.	EDN, FIN
HCR 191 / HR 126 (HSCR1244) / (HSCR1243) Status / Status	COMMENDING THE JAPANESE WOMEN'S SOCIETY FOUNDATION FOR CREATING THE "ADOPT-A-MOM" PROGRAM AND ENCOURAGING ALL FAMILIES AND AGENCIES WORKING WITH THE ELDERLY OF HAWAII TO PLACE "ADOPT-A-MOM" DAY ON THEIR CALENDARS, AS THE THIRD SUNDAY OF MAY, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE ELDERLY WOMEN OF HAWAII WHO DESERVE TO BE CHERISHED AND APPRECIATED FOR THE INVALUABLE ROLE THEY PLAY AS THE MOTHERS OF OUR KEIKI O KA AINA.	VMI, FIN
HCR 192 / HR 127 (HSCR1059) / (HSCR1058) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE CREATION OF A TASK FORCE TO ADDRESS THE PHYSICIAN SHORTAGE IN HAWAII.	HLT, FIN



HCR 193, HD1 / HR 128, HD1 (HSCR1339) / (HSCR1338) Status / Status	URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO INCREASE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IN THE AREA SURROUNDING HONOWAI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, MAUKA LANI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND KALEI'OPU`U ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DISTRICT 39.	TRN, FIN
HCR 203 / HR 139 (HSCR1354) / (HSCR1353) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A REVIEW ON THE EFFECT OF THE TRANSFER FROM MEDICAID TO PLANS ON THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR FOR NON-ELIGIBLE MEDICAID COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION RESIDENTS.	HUS/HLT, CPC, FIN
HCR 205 / HR 141 (HSCR1259) / (HSCR1258) Status / Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE EXISTING AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND FAIRLY AND EQUALLY ENFORCE APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL COMPANIES.	EEP, JUD, FIN
HCR 208, HD1 (HSCR1310) Status	STRONGLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR TO RESTORE FEDERAL HEALTHCARE FUNDING FOR U.S. RESIDENTS PRESENT UNDER THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION, IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND TO THE WORLD.	HUS, FIN
HCR 212 (HSCR1055) Status	REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT.	AGR/EDB, FIN
HCR 213, HD1 (HSCR1331) Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY AND COST STUDY RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BOAT RAMP IN EAST MOLOKA'I BETWEEN MILE MARKERS TEN AND SIXTEEN.	OMH/WAL, FIN
HCR 215 (HSCR1270) Status	REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO EQUALIZE TRANSIT BENEFITS AND SUBSIDIES FOR ALL STATE EMPLOYEES REGARDLESS OF MODE OF TRANSPORTATION.	LAB, FIN
HCR 226 (HSCR1274) Status	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO EVALUATE THE IMPACTS THAT THE NEXTERA ENERGY MERGER MAY HAVE ON HAWAII WORKERS IN THE ENERGY INDUSTRIES.	LAB, FIN



[HR 6](#)
[\(HSCR1351\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING REPORTS REGARDING STATE AGENCY
ACTION TO ENSURE ACCESS BY RURAL COMMUNITIES TO
CELLULAR AND BROADBAND SERVICES.

CPC, FIN

[HR 35, HD1](#)
[\(HSCR920\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING A PROGRESS REPORT AND PLAN FOR
IMPLEMENTATION OF U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE ANIMAL QUARANTINE STATION.

AGR, FIN

[HR 118](#)
[\(HSCR1309\)](#)
[Status](#)

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
SERVICES AND DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CONDUCT A
STUDY OF THE INTERSECTION OF MANAGERS DRIVE AND
HIAPO STREET IN WAIPAHU AND RECOMMEND SAFETY
MEASURES FOR THIS INTERSECTION AND THE
SURROUNDING SURFACE STREETS.

TRN, FIN

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Rep. Sylvia Luke
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