THE SENATE THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2016

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran, Chair Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, March 21, 2016

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AGENDA</u>

HB 2121, HD3

RELATING TO LEGAL SERVICES.

JDL, WAM

(HSCR919-16)

Appropriates moneys from the general fund for civil legal services for low- and moderate-income persons to be purchased

Increases penalties for animal desertion. (HB2245 HD1)

by the Judiciary. (HB2121 HD3)

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HB 2245, HD1 RI

RELATING TO ANIMALS.

JDL, WAM

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HB 1590, HD2

(HSCR866-16)

Status & Testimony

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

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alphabet by lot and arrange candidate names on ballots in alphabetical order by last name, beginning with the randomly selected letter. Requires notice to voters and candidates of the order that candidates will be listed on the ballot by a method suited for the voting systems. Directs the Chief Election Officer to establish procedures to implement this new procedure for

Requires the Chief Election Officer to select a letter of the

elections beginning January 1, 2018. (HB1590 HD2)

HB 1653, HD1

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

JDL, WAM

(HSCR761-16)

Status & Testimony

Incrementally phases in statewide elections by mail by the 2022 primary election. Assigns responsibilities between the State and counties for expenses related to mail elections for federal, state, and county offices. Requires clerks to send qualified voters their ballots forty-five days before an election. Establishes standards regarding hours of operation for absentee polling places. Specifies procedures for the counting of ballots. Repeals

Specifies procedures for the counting of ballots. Repeals Election Day state holiday. Makes an appropriation. (HB1653

HD1)

HB 2010, HD1

Testimony

RELATING TO SPECIAL MINIMUM WAGES.

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(HSCR680-16)

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Requires the Director of Labor and Industrial Relations to approve First Job Training Programs. (HB2010 HD1)

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HB 1683, HD1

(HSCR811-16)

Status & Testimony

RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE.

Permits an employee to use leave under the Hawaii Family Leave Law to care for a sibling. (HB1683 HD1)

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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

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Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran Chair

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