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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 16, 2016
TIME: 3:00 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 229
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

SB 2535

Status &
Testimony

RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL.

Allows counties to adopt ordinances to regulate geothermal resources exploration conducted less than one mile from a residence if the ordinance is not inconsistent with state law. Prohibits counties from adopting ordinances to regulate geothermal resources exploration conducted one mile or more from a residence. Clarifies that the regulation of geothermal resources development and geothermal resources exploration is reserved to the State unless delegated to the counties by statute. Requires the lessee of a mining lease to comply with all water and air pollution control laws, relating to building, grading, and flood control codes. Requires the rules of the board of land and natural resources regarding mining operations, geothermal resource development, and geothermal resource exploration, including drilling conditions and restrictions, to be uniform throughout the State. Effective retroactive to 12/4/2012.

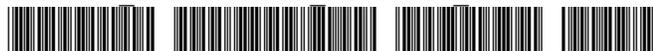
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Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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