OFFICE OF THE SPEAKER TWENTY-EIGHTH STATE LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

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Committee Abbreviations:

AGR - Agriculture LAB - Labor & Public Employment CPC - Consumer Protection & Commerce LMG - Legislative Management

EDB - Economic Development & Business OMH - Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian EDN - Education **Affairs**

EEP - Energy & Environmental Protection PBS - Public Safety FIN - Finance TOU - Tourism

HED - Higher Education TRN - Transportation

HLT - Health VMI - Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & HSG - Housing Culture and the Arts

HUS - Human Services WAL - Water & Land JUD - Judiciary

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REFERRAL

JUD

RELATING TO ANIMALS. HB1779

Increases the enumerated offenses relating to animals for which

an agent of a society formed to prevent cruelty to animals may make arrests.

RELATING TO EDUCATION. HB1780

HUS, EDN, FIN

Requires the executive office on early learning to establish language developmental milestones for the purpose of developing a resource for use by parents of deaf and hearingimpaired children to track the children's language acquisition and developmental stages for children from birth to five years of age. Establishes criteria for the parent resource. Requires the executive office on early learning to select tools or assessments for educators to assess the language and literacy development of deaf and hearing-impaired children from birth to five years of age. Requires the superintendent to establish an advisory committee to solicit input from experts on the selection of language developmental milestones. Makes an appropriation for the establishment of language developmental milestones and the corresponding parent resource and educator tools and assessments.

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1781</u>	RELATING TO BEVERAGES. Restricts the types of beverages that public schools and private schools with state funding may sell to preschool students.	HLT, EDN, FIN
<u>HB1782</u>	RELATING TO EDUCATION. Establishes a sexual abuse prevention instructional program for public schools. Sets out guidelines of instruction. Modeled after Erin's law.	HUS, EDN, FIN
<u>HB1783</u>	RELATING TO YOUTH. Allows minors who are twelve years of age or older to consent to outpatient mental health services if, in the opinion of a professional person, the minor is mature enough to participate intelligently in the mental health or counseling services.	HLT, JUD
<u>HB1784</u>	RELATED TO CAMPAIGN FUNDS. Adds donations to private schools to the list of acceptable uses for campaign funds.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1785</u>	RELATING TO PAID LEAVE. Requires twelve weeks of partially paid leave at a maximum rate of sixty-six and two-thirds per cent of an employee's monthly wage. Establishes the partial wage replacement for paid leave trust fund to be funded by employee contributions from payroll deductions. Makes an appropriation to the DLIR for administrative expenses and new positions.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB1786</u>	RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. Makes an appropriation for subsidies for the preschool open doors program.	EDN, FIN
<u>HB1787</u>	RELATING TO EDUCATION. Creates and appropriates funds for the Erin's Law task force to guide the establishment of a program to educate public school students on sexual abuse prevention through use of age appropriate curricula; provide relevant training to school teachers and staff; and inform parents about important child sexual abuse topics.	HUS, LMG, FIN
<u>HB1788</u>	RELATING TO CHILD AND MATERNAL DEATH REVIEWS. Appropriates funds to the department of health to conduct child death reviews and implement a program to perform maternal death reviews. Requires the department of health to submit an annual report to the legislature relating to child and maternal deaths and death reviews in the State.	HLT, FIN

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1789</u>	RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS. Establishes the R.E.A.C.H (resources for enrichment, athletics, culture, and health) program in the office of youth services to provide a standardized framework and funding for after-school programs in public middle and intermediate schools. Authorizes participating schools to collect fees.	EDN, FIN
<u>HB1790</u>	RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR. Expands the powers of the liquor commission to include alcohol abuse treatment and prevention. Converts the 10% ceiling on the use of fines for certain programs to a 10% floor. Requires the commission to use fine moneys to provide grants to the counties for alcohol abuse programs.	HLT, CPC, FIN
<u>HB1791</u>	RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. Authorizes the department of transportation to include information about a person's disability on the person's driver's license or civil identification card.	HLT, TRN, JUD
<u>HB1792</u>	RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES. Makes it unlawful for a person to sell aquatic life acquired through spearfishing.	OMH, JUD
<u>HB1793</u>	RELATING TO SMOKING. Prohibits smoking in motor vehicles occupied by minors under eighteen years of age.	HLT, TRN, JUD
<u>HB1794</u>	RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT. Makes eligible for membership on a county arborist advisory committee certified arborists, horticulturists with specialization in trees, and persons who have received a master's degree in botany.	EEP, JUD
<u>HB1795</u>	RELATING TO PROPERTY INSURANCE. Excludes certain lava zone property insurance policies from those that may be non-renewed during a state of emergency. Prospectively removes the authority of the HPIA to impose a waiting period following its lifting of a moratorium on the issuance of new residential property insurance policies.	WAL, CPC, FIN
<u>HB1796</u>	RELATING TO ELECTIONS. Establishes a process, to increase voter participation, to include an initiative issue question on a general election ballot. Provides that the outcome of an initiative issue question shall not have the force and effect of law.	JUD, FIN

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1797</u>	RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS. Creates an alternative dispute resolution process in the event that mediation fails to resolve the dispute. Allows the Office of the Ombudsman to determine the liability of legal fees.	CPC, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1798</u>	RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS. Requires state agencies, upon request, to provide certified copies of documents available under the Uniform Information Practices Act. Requires the office of information practices to adopt rules that set forth fees and other charges for certifying disclosable records.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1799</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Provides that a student in the University of Hawaii system pursuing an undergraduate degree may only be eligible for resident tuition fees for up to one hundred forty credit hours.	HED, FIN
<u>HB1800</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Requires funds appropriated to the University of Hawaii for a specific purpose to be expended for that specific purpose. Requires a report that explains to the legislature any nonconformity with the previous requirement. Requires unexpended funds to be returned to the general fund.	HED, FIN
<u>HB1801</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Reduces executive and managerial salaries at the University of Hawaii for fiscal year 2016-2017 to the extent necessary to provide \$4,000,000 in the same fiscal year for graduate assistant salaries.	LAB, HED, FIN
<u>HB1802</u>	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. Establishes the office of the condominium ombudsman, to be headed by the condominium ombudsman, within the department of commerce and consumer affairs. Appropriates funds for administrative costs associated with the establishment of the office of the condominium ombudsman.	CPC, FIN
<u>HB1803</u>	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE LIGHTS. Requires motor vehicles to be operated on public highways during daylight hours with the daytime running lights on. Requires motor vehicles not equipped with daytime running lights to be operated on public highways during daylight hours with the headlights on.	TRN, JUD

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB1804</u>	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS. Requires a two-year motor vehicle inspection safety check for vehicles nine years of age or newer. Doubles the inspection fee for the two-year motor vehicle inspection safety check.	TRN, CPC
<u>HB1805</u>	RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS. Prohibits the use of unmanned aircraft systems by law enforcement to gather evidence. Restricts the uses of unmanned aircraft systems by private entities.	TRN, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1806</u>	RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS. Revises language pertaining to penal responsibility and mental health. Provides courts with discretion to appoint one mental health examiner, rather than three, to evaluate a felony defendant's mental fitness to proceed.	HLT, JUD
<u>HB1807</u>	RELATING TO MILITARY SERVICE. Authorizes reserve and national guard members to receive paid military leave while on inactive-duty training.	VMI, LAB, FIN
<u>HB1808</u>	RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA. Allows medical marijuana production centers to be greenhouses, shade houses, and open-air growing operations, provided that they are not visible from any thoroughfare.	HLT, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1809</u>	RELATING TO DRUG PARAPHERNALIA. Changes drug paraphernalia possession and delivery offenses from felonies to civil violations.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1810</u>	RELATING TO MEDICAID PROVIDERS. Authorizes health care providers under the state medicaid program to ask about supplemental nutrition assistance program (food stamp) participation on medicaid certification and recertification forms.	HUS/HLT, CPC
<u>HB1811</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH. Establishes an Elderly Working Group to recommend a strategic plan to address health care concerns and needs for Hawaii's seniors.	HUS/HLT, FIN
<u>HB1812</u>	RELATING TO COUNTY SURCHARGE ON STATE TAX. Provides to the counties up to \$5,000,000 annually from the money retained by the State from the county surcharge on state tax for improvements to formerly privately-owned highways and trails that are now voluntarily owned by the county and are within 10 miles of a rail transit station or a planned rail transit station.	TRN, FIN

HB1813 RELATING TO FIREARMS. JUD

Prohibits a person listed in the federal Terrorist Screening Database from owning, possessing, or controlling a firearm or ammunition. Requires surrender or disposal of firearms and ammunition. Establishes a class C felony for a violation.

RELATING TO EDUCATION. HB1814

EDN, FIN

Appropriates funds to provide training and track data on public school pupil punishment and use of restraints restrictions established by Act 206, Session Laws of Hawaii 2014. Requires report. Appropriates funds.

RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION. HB1815

LAB, CPC, FIN

Repeals the requirement that the director of labor and industrial relations issue guidelines on frequency of treatment and reasonable utilization of health care and services, and adopt updated medical fee schedules, pertaining to workers' compensation.

HB1816 RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. HUS, FIN

Requires the department of human services to disregard subsidies received directly by an applicant or recipient or payments made on behalf of or directly to an applicant or recipient of public assistance from the section 8 housing voucher program of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for purposes of qualifying for the supplemental nutrition assistance program.

RELATING TO DELINQUENT ASSESSMENTS. HB1817

CPC, JUD

Permits owners in a planned community association or condominium to submit a payment plan within thirty days after receiving notice from an association regarding any delinquent assessments and provides owners with time to cure delinquent assessments. Permits a right to judicially foreclose a lien against any unit or apartment that arises solely from delinquent assessments, including fines, penalties, legal fees, or late fees, to be removed or amended from governing documents by a vote of at least sixty-seven per cent of owners.

HB1818 RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. HLT, HED, FIN

Authorizes the University of Hawaii to enroll a student who fails to provide documentation of immunization for measles, mumps, and rubella if the student graduated from a high school within the

State.

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1819</u>	RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING. Short form bill relating to professional and vocational licensing.	CPC
<u>HB1820</u>	RELATING TO REGULATED INDUSTRIES. Short form bill relating to regulated industries.	CPC
<u>HB1821</u>	RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION. Short form bill relating to consumer protection.	CPC
<u>HB1822</u>	RELATING TO INSURANCE. Short form bill relating to insurance.	CPC
<u>HB1823</u>	RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING. Increases capacity limits on net energy metering and establishes excess energy volumes for systems installed after June 30, 2016.	EEP, CPC
<u>HB1824</u>	RELATING TO PRESERVATION. Appropriates moneys to the University of Hawaii college of tropical agriculture and human resources for the restoration and preservation of historic relief maps of the Hawaiian islands.	HED, FIN
<u>HB1825</u>	RELATING TO THE WEST MAUI OCEAN RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA. Requires Department of Land and Natural Resources to establish a west Maui ocean recreation management area advisory committee to advise Department of Land and Natural Resources on issues relating to the state waters within the west Maui ocean recreation management area, particularly with respect to the waters adjacent to Kaanapali on the island of Maui.	OMH, FIN
<u>HB1826</u>	RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT. Appropriates funds for capital improvement projects for the benefit of the 38th representative district.	FIN
<u>HB1827</u>	RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. Provides exemptions from vehicle registration, safety inspection, and driver licensure requirements for marine terminal equipment. Allows the operation of marine terminal equipment on a highway in certain conditions.	TRN, JUD, FIN

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<u>HB1828</u>	RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES. Establishes motor vehicle insurance requirements for transportation network companies and persons who operate or serve as drivers for transportation network companies.	TRN, CPC, FIN
<u>HB1829</u>	RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA. Amends penalties pertaining to certain medical marijuana prohibitions. Repeals certain medical marijuana prohibitions.	HLT, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1830</u>	RELATING TO A LOTTERY. Authorizes DCCA to license a single operator for a lottery, including keno, in the State.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1831</u>	RELATING TO TESTING FOR INTOXICANTS. Repeals section 291E-68, Hawaii Revised Statutes, regarding refusing to submit to a breath, blood, or urine test for those arrested for the use of intoxicants while operating a vehicle. Makes conforming amendments to section 291E-15, Hawaii Revised Statutes.	TRN, JUD
<u>HB1832</u>	RELATING TO JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION. Allows the dissemination of information from the juvenile justice information system to law enforcement agencies for purposes of the administration of law enforcement and law enforcement agency employment.	HUS, JUD
<u>HB1833</u>	RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES. Excludes hashish, tetrahydrocannabinol (THC), and THC derivatives from the definition of "marijuana" as used in the Uniform Controlled Substances Act and from the definitions of "marijuana" and "usable marijuana" as used in the medical marijuana law. Defines "hashish" and "marijuana concentrate" in the Uniform Controlled Substances Act. Defines "hashish" for purposes of offenses related to drugs and intoxicating compounds.	HLT, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1834</u>	RELATING TO INFORMATION CHARGING. Authorizes all class B and C felony charges to be instituted by written information subject to specified exceptions.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1835</u>	RELATING TO DRIVING WITHOUT A LICENSE. Provides that a driver's inability to produce an appropriate driver's license or permit upon request by a law enforcement officer shall be prima facie evidence of a violation. Provides that holding an appropriate license or permit shall be an affirmative defense.	TRN, JUD

		<u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1836</u>	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO REQUIRE THE GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE OF EACH POLITICAL PARTY TO SELECT THE PARTY'S LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR NOMINEE. Proposes an amendment to article V, section 2, of the Hawaii State Constitution to require that each gubernatorial nominee appoint a person from the same political party as a running mate for lieutenant governor in the general election.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1837</u>	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO ELECT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL. Proposes amendment to article V, section 6, of the state constitution to provide that the Attorney General shall be elected by voters from among nonpartisan candidates, rather than appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1838</u>	RELATING TO FANTASY CONTESTS. Provides for the authorization and regulation of fantasy contests. Establishes consumer protections for participants. Clarifies that fantasy contests shall not be considered gambling or games of chance.	CPC, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1839</u>	RELATING TO THE DIAMOND HEAD STATE MONUMENT. Expands the sources of funds for the Diamond Head State Monument sub-account of the state parks special fund. Authorizes additional uses of moneys from the sub-account. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds for the planning, design, and construction of a visitor and interpretive center.	WAL, FIN
<u>HB1840</u>	RELATING TO SUNSET MEMORIAL PARK. Requires the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs in consultation with the Comptroller to develop strategies for the upkeep, repair, and maintenance of Sunset Memorial Park in Pearl City, Oahu. Requires a report to the legislature.	WAL, FIN
<u>HB1841</u>	RELATING TO YOUTH SPORTS. Regulates youth sports coaches by requiring an annual permit from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs.	HUS, CPC, FIN
HB1842	RELATING TO COMMUTER AVIATION EXEMPTIONS. Amends the general excise tax exemption for aircraft service and maintenance to apply only to certain airlines.	TRN, FIN

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HB1843 RELATING TO FRESHWATER RESERVOIRS.

WAL, FIN

Requires the department of land and natural resources, with the collaboration of the department of agriculture, to identify, purchase, and rehabilitate freshwater reservoirs in central Maui suitable for fishing, agriculture, and aquaponics. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds to fund the purposes of this Act.

HB1844 RELATING TO KALO.

OMH, WAL, FIN

Supports kalo (taro) farming by designating the protection of kalo farming as a state objective and provides zoning, income tax, and general excise tax exemptions for kalo farming activities.

HB1845 RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

EDN, FIN

Allows outside food to be served in Department of Education

cafeterias on special occasions.

<u>HB1846</u> RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED MARINE

WAL, FIN

RESOURCES STEWARDSHIP.

Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for positions and programs in support of community-based co-management of nearshore marine resources.

<u>HB1847</u> RELATING TO THE SPORTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

WAL, FIN

AUTHORITY.

Establishes the sports and entertainment authority to coordinate and develop a thriving entertainment and sports industry in the State, including oversight of the stadium and attracting local, national and international events, as well as developing state-of-the-art facilities for the benefit of professional, amateur and youth athletes. Establishes the sports and entertainment authority special fund. Repeals the stadium authority and transfers jurisdiction over stadiums and related facilities and the Kapolei recreational sports complex to the sports and entertainment authority. Makes an appropriation.

HB1848 RELATING TO MOPEDS.

TRN, CPC, FIN

Requires registration, inspections, and number plates for mopeds.

Increases or imposes fines related to mopeds.

HB1849 RELATING TO HIRING.

LAB, FIN

Creates a pilot program to streamline the recruitment and hiring process for vacancies within state departments. Makes an

appropriation.

HB1850 RELATING TO TAXATION.

FIN

Allows transient accommodations brokers to register as tax collection agents to collect and remit general excise and transient accommodations taxes on behalf of operators and plan managers using their services.

HB1851 RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

CPC, FIN

Requires at least one of the three members of the public utilities commission to be a resident of a county other than the city and county of Honolulu and receive per diem compensation. Allows a commissioner to attend by teleconference or videoconference a public hearing of the commission, including allowing a commissioner who resides on an island other than Oahu to attend a public hearing of the commission held on Oahu and a commissioner residing on the island of Oahu to attend a public hearing of the commission held on an island other than Oahu, by teleconference or videoconference.

HB1852 RELATING TO WATER POLLUTION.

HLT, FIN

Clarifies that nonprofit organizations may receive a loan from the water pollution control revolving fund to enable the planning, designing, and construction of wastewater treatment works. Establishes certain terms for these loans.

HB1853 RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO

EEP, FIN

ASSIST BIOENERGY HAWAII, LLC.

Extends the authorization of the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to BioEnergy Hawaii, LLC, for the purpose of establishing a cogeneration facility and related energy production facilities, for an additional five years.

HB1854 RELATING TO CANCER.

HLT, FIN

Creates the colorectal cancer screening and awareness program within the department of health and appropriates funds for the program.

<u>HB1855</u> RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING

CPC, FIN

AGENCIES.

Requires a consumer credit reporting agency to create a protective record for protected consumers, including minors under the age of eighteen and incapacitated persons, who do not have an existing credit report. Permits a representative of a protected person to place a security freeze on a protected consumer's credit report or protective record.

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB1856</u>	RELATING TO BEHAVIOR ANALYSTS. Reduces the surcharge on the license and renewal fee for behavior analysts from \$100 to \$50.	CPC, FIN
<u>HB1857</u>	RELATING TO RESPIRATORY THERAPISTS. Makes permanent the regulation of respiratory therapists under chapter 466D, Hawaii Revised Statutes.	CPC, FIN
<u>HB1858</u>	RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION. Requires DOH to examine activities of the Prevent Suicide Hawaii Task Force and evaluate the potential to establish a training program for professionals. Requires reports to the Legislature.	HLT, FIN
<u>HB1859</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH. Requires health benefit plans to provide coverage for eating disorders.	HLT, CPC
<u>HB1860</u>	RELATING TO COUNTIES. Allows county lifeguards to enforce state laws, rules, and regulations in the near shore zone.	LAB, JUD
<u>HB1861</u>	RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS. Creates the board of dental hygienist examiners to oversee dental hygienists separate and apart from the board of dental examiners who oversee dentists.	CPC, FIN
<u>HB1862</u>	RELATING TO CHILDREN AND ANIMALS LEFT UNATTENDED IN MOTOR VEHICLES. Amends the violation of leaving a child unattended in a motor vehicle to (1) include domestic animals left unattended in motor vehicles; and (2) expand the immunity from civil liability for first responders who remove unattended children from motor vehicles, to include any person who, after summoning first responders, removes an unattended child or domestic animal from a motor vehicle to address an imminent danger requiring immediate action.	TRN, JUD
<u>HB1863</u>	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. Ensures that any surplus proceeds from an association foreclosure be paid to junior creditors and the former owner of the condominium instead of first being paid to the first mortgage holder.	CPC, FIN
<u>HB1864</u>	RELATING TO PROCUREMENT. Short form bill relating to procurement.	EDB

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<u>HB1865</u>	RELATING TO TAX CREDITS. Short form bill relating to tax credits.	EDB
<u>HB1866</u>	RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESSES. Short form bill relating to small businesses.	EDB
<u>HB1867</u>	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM. Short form bill relating to the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.	EDB
<u>HB1868</u>	RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET. Amends Act 119, SLH 2015, to clarify the CIP appropriation for Moloaa well and post-harvest facility project qualifies as a grant, pursuant to chapter 42F, HRS.	FIN
<u>HB1869</u>	RELATING TO THE ROSE-RINGED PARAKEET. Appropriates funds to the Department of Agriculture to assist and fund the National Wildlife Research Center to research the negative impacts of the rose-ringed parakeet on Kauai and develop and implement a control plan to reduce the negative impacts.	AGR, FIN
<u>HB1870</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Provides a taxpayer who hires an individual with a disability a nonrefundable tax credit for the six-month period after the individual is initially hired by the taxpayer.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB1871</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Provides a taxpayer who hires an elderly individual a nonrefundable tax credit for the six-month period after the individual is initially hired by the taxpayer.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB1872</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Appropriates funds for the operation, repair, maintenance, and improvement of the East Kauai irrigation system by the East Kauai Water Users' Cooperative.	FIN
<u>HB1873</u>	RELATING TO FIRE SPRINKLERS. Establishes a tax credit of 25 percent of the total cost, including installation, of an automatic fire sprinkler or automatic fire sprinkler system in any new detached one- or two-family dwelling unit in a structure used only for residential purposes. Sunsets on June 30, 2026.	HSG, FIN

Committee REFERRAL HB1874 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY HLT. FIN MEDICAL SERVICES. Appropriates moneys for FY 2016-2017 for a 24-hour, 7-days-aweek, rapid response emergency medical services unit for the county of Kauai. MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY HB1875 HLT, FIN MEDICAL SERVICES. Appropriates moneys to the Department of Health for FY 2016-2017 for a 24-hour, 7-days-a-week, ambulance unit for the County of Kauai. HB1876 RELATING TO HEALTH. HLT, FIN Requires the department of health to require dementia training for caregivers. Requires the department to establish training criteria and annually review the training program. Takes effect on 6/1/2017. RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. HUS, FIN HB1877 Appropriates funds to the department of human services to create one full-time program specialist position for Maui county within the adult protective and community services branch to oversee the foster grandparent program and senior companion programs on Maui, Molokai, and Lanai. RELATING TO AGING. HLT, FIN HB1878 Part I: Appropriates \$5,100,000 for the kupuna care program. Part II: Appropriates \$1,710,000 for the aging and disability resource center. Part III: Appropriates \$32,000 for fall prevention and early detection services for the elderly. Part IV: Appropriates \$485,880 for the healthy aging partnership program. Part V: Appropriates \$70,000 for an Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator position and appropriates \$200,000 for an Alzheimer's disease and related dementia public awareness program. RELATING TO CAREGIVING. HB1879 HLT, FIN Requires hospitals to provide patients the opportunity to designate a caregiver upon entry to a hospital. Establishes hospital requirements regarding caregivers, including designation of a caregiver, notification to a caregiver, and a discharge plan for patients. Provides hospitals, hospital employees, and consultants or contractors that have a contractual relationship with a hospital with immunity regarding caregiving.

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SENIOR CENTERS.

Makes appropriations for grants to various senior centers.

FIN

HB1880

REFERRAL HB1881 RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES. HLT, FIN Appropriates funds to restore staff and long-term care services at Leahi and Maluhia hospitals within the Hawaii health systems corporation. HB1882 RELATING TO COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAM TAX HED. FIN DEDUCTION. Provides an annual maximum deduction of \$5,000 per individual or \$10,000 for a married couple filing jointly for contributions made to the Hawaii college savings program. RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CENTER HB1883 HED, FIN ON AGING. Appropriates funds for a permanent full-time associate professor and permanent full-time assistant specialist position within the University of Hawaii center on aging. MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE HB1884 HUS, FIN LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM. Appropriates \$300,000 to the office of the long-term care ombudsman for three full-time (3.0 FTE) ombudsman specialist positions; one each on Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii. RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE. FIN HB1885 Establishes a long-term care surcharge on state tax beginning on 1/1/2018 to pay for claims for defined benefits under the longterm care financing program. Makes an appropriation to the department of taxation for costs of implementation and collection. RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. HB1886 LAB, JUD, FIN Establishes the Public Employees' Collective Bargaining Fund. Requires the deposit of not less than the amount equal to an undisclosed percentage of the total compensation provided to all public employees during the previous fiscal year. Amends the rights of public employee elective representation and deductions for nonmembers. Repeals the religious exemption from support of employee organization. Takes effect upon ratification of

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constitutional amendment.

HB1887 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XIII, OF THE LAB, JUD, FIN HAWAII CONSTITUTION. TO ESTABLISH A COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FUND FOR THE REPRESENTATION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING NEGOTIATIONS. Proposes a Constitutional Amendment to establish a public employee collective bargaining fund. Requires an annual deposit of a minimum percent of the total compensation provided by the State to every person employed by the State during the previous fiscal year. RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL FUNDING. FIN HB1888 Repeals Act 84, SLH 2015, which established maximum dollar amounts to be distributed among certain non-general funds from the conveyance tax and amended the list of non-general funds that receive distributions from the conveyance tax. HB1889 RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES. EDB, JUD, FIN Provides that the sale or production of medical marijuana and manufacturing of manufactured marijuana products are not eligible business activities for state enterprise zone purposes. HB1890 RELATING TO WAIPIO VALLEY. WAL, FIN Authorizes the issuance of \$10 million in GO bonds for the purchase of Waipio valley on the island of Hawaii. FIN RELATING TO TAXATION. HB1891 Makes permanent increases made to the refundable food/excise tax credit by Act 223, SLH 2015. RELATING TO RECYCLING. HB1892 EEP, FIN Requires all State agencies to reasonably provide and maintain onsite collection methods at buildings and facilities under an agency's jurisdiction for the collection of recyclable materials. Appropriates funds. RELATING TO PLASTIC. HB1893 EEP, CPC, FIN Bans businesses from providing single-use plastic checkout bags and non-recyclable paper bags to customers. Assesses a fee that businesses shall charge for allowable bags provided to

customers. Allows for penalties from the Department of Health.

HB1894 RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION.

HED, FIN

Clarifies that under the Hawaii Post-Secondary Education Authorization Program, when an institution ceases to operate, the student transcripts will be kept permanently in a form prescribed by the director and other records requested and obtained by DCCA may be disposed of at the director's discretion.

HB1895 RELATING TO INSURANCE.

HLT, CPC, FIN

Requires insurers to cover a three-month period for the first dispensing of prescription contraceptive supplies to an insured. Requires insurers to cover a twelve-month period for the subsequent dispensing of the same contraceptive supply to the insured.

HB1896 RELATING TO CONTRACEPTIVE SUPPLIES.

HLT, CPC, FIN

Authorizes pharmacists to prescribe and dispense contraceptive supplies to persons eighteen years of age or older. Specifies requirements pharmacists must meet prior to prescribing and dispensing contraceptive supplies. Requires all insurers in the State, including health benefits plans under chapter 87A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and medicaid managed care programs, to reimburse pharmacists who prescribe and dispense contraceptive supplies.

HB1897 RELATING TO INSURANCE COVERAGE OF HEALTH

HLT, CPC, FIN

SCREENINGS.

Ensures insurance coverage for sexually transmitted disease screenings, including screenings for human immunodeficiency virus and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome, during a female insured's annual pelvic exam.

HB1898 RELATING TO HEALTH.

HLT, FIN

Establishes the Hawaii maternal mortality review panel within the department of health to conduct a comprehensive review of maternal deaths that have occurred in the State. Makes an appropriation.

HB1899 RELATING TO LICENSURE OF CERTIFIED

HLT, CPC, JUD

PROFESSIONAL MIDWIVES.

Establishes licensure requirements for the practice of midwifery. Requires the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to adopt rules regulating the practice of midwifery.

HB1900 RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY.

HUS, JUD, FIN

Establishes the address confidentiality program to help survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking to relocate and keep their addresses confidential. Appropriates funds.

<u>HB1901</u> RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

HUS, JUD, FIN

Requires any state or county agency who employs personnel whose job duties require or may require intervention in a domestic violence situation to provide such employees with a minimum of 15 hours of domestic violence intervention training.

HB1902 RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING.

JUD, FIN

Replaces the offense of Promoting Prostitution in the First Degree with Sex Trafficking to be classified as a violent crime. Makes Sex Trafficking a class A felony and a strict liability offense if a minor is the victim of sex trafficking. Provides that the offense of prostitution for a person younger than eighteen years of age is a violation. Expands the Department of the Attorney General's Statewide Witness Program to include sex trafficking; provides victims with access to criminal injury compensation; and amends laws relating to civil liability for cases of coercion into prostitution. Makes amendments to strengthen enforcement of laws and increase penalties against the sex trafficker.

<u>HB1903</u> RELATING TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS

JUD, FIN

BOARD.

Establishes a law enforcement standards board for the certification of county police officers, state public safety officers, and employees of the departments of transportation and land and natural resources with police powers. Establishes a special fund. Appropriates funds.

<u>HB1904</u> RELATING TO POLICE COMMISSIONS.

JUD, FIN

Amends the composition of the county police commissions to require that there are commissioners on each police commission that have experience or backgrounds in women's issues, civil rights, and law enforcement.

HB1905 RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE PROTECTIVE ORDERS. HUS, JUD

Prohibits the court from granting mutual protective orders unless

separate petitions are filed.

HB1906 RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. HUS, JUD

Removes certain unnecessary and redundant reporting responsibilities of the family courts and the department of human services in cases where temporary restraining orders are sought for alleged domestic abuse involving a family or household

member who is a minor or incapacitated person.

<u>HB1907</u> RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT.

HUS, JUD

Establishes the sexual assault kit tracking program. Requires a law enforcement agency to submit sexual assault kits obtained in connection to a criminal investigation to an authorized laboratory within 10 days, the laboratory to complete analysis within 6 months, and results to be uploaded to the state DNA database and data bank identification program and the Federal Bureau of Investigation Combined DNA Index System. Requires each law enforcement agency that obtains a sexual assault kit in connection to a criminal investigation to report to the department of the attorney general annually on the number of sexual assault kits in its possession. Requires the police department of each county, the department of public safety, and the division of conservation and resources enforcement to submit a report to the legislature prior to the convening of the regular session 2017 on the number of kits in its possession and progress on any backlog. Requires the legislative reports to be made available to the public.

HB1908 RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE.

JUD

Redefines "sexual conduct" as that term is used in the offense of promotion of child abuse in the first, second, and third degrees.

HB1909 RELATING TO EQUAL PAY.

LAB, JUD

Amends the provisions for equal pay and sex discrimination for substantially similar work. Clarifies the employer defenses. Prohibits employer actions regarding wage disclosure.

HB1910 RELATING TO HEALTH.

HLT, EDN, FIN

Requires a child to receive at least one dosage of the human papillomavirus vaccine prior to attending seventh grade, beginning with the 2017-2018 school year. Authorizes pharmacists to prescribe and administer the human papillomavirus vaccine to persons between eleven and seventeen years of age. Specifies requirements pharmacists must meet prior to administering the human papillomavirus vaccine. Requires all insurers in the State, including health benefits plans under chapter 87A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and medicaid managed care programs, to reimburse the costs of human papillomavirus vaccination services.

HB1911 RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT.

LAB, FIN

Establishes a family leave insurance program, which requires employees to make contributions into a trust fund to be used to provide employees with family leave insurance benefits.

Appropriates funds to DLIR to implement the program.

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1912</u>	RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES. Establishes a task force to review administrative rules and recommend the repeal of rules that are no longer statutorily authorized.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1913</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Exempts qualified small businesses from the general excise tax.	EDB, FIN
<u>HB1914</u>	RELATING TO WATER RESCUES. Authorizes the counties to utilize unmanned aerial vehicles or drones in water rescue operations, provided that all necessary clearances have been obtained from the federal government.	TRN, CPC, JUD
<u>HB1915</u>	RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX. Repeals the GET on all intermediary business transactions.	FIN
<u>HB1916</u>	RELATING TO REPEAL OF THE CORPORATE INCOME TAX. A bill to encourage economic growth by repealing the corporate income tax.	FIN
<u>HB1917</u>	RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING REVOLVING FUND. Removes the cap and creates a base minimum for moneys deposited into the rental housing revolving fund to provide access to funds for the development and rehabilitation of rental housing units.	HSG, FIN
<u>HB1918</u>	RELATING TO TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME RENTERS. Amends income tax credit for low-income household renters to adjust for inflation.	FIN
<u>HB1919</u>	RELATING TO INCOME TAX REDUCTION. Decreases the income tax by twenty-five per cent for all but top income earners.	FIN
<u>HB1920</u>	RELATING TO THE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT. Establishes a state earned income tax credit.	FIN
<u>HB1921</u>	RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING. Requires the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to establish affordable micro-unit housing and congregate housing residences throughout the State. Allows the private sector to develop micro-unit housing and congregate housing residences. Makes an appropriation.	HSG, FIN

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB1922</u>	RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS. Provides a general excise tax exemption for food after December 31, 2020, for medical services after December 31, 2018, and rental subsidy payments for Section 8, Housing First, and other related low-income housing programs after December 31, 2018.	FIN
<u>HB1923</u>	RELATING TO STATE BUILDINGS. Requires the office of the governor to identify State buildings at "high risk" for terrorism, develop and implement a master security plan, and determine a timeline for completion. Requires a report to the legislature.	PBS, FIN
<u>HB1924</u>	RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES SAFETY. Allows reemployment of retired police officers, National Guard veterans, and other state and city public safety workers like firefighters to work as safety and security officers at state schools and buildings while continuing to collect retirement benefits.	LAB, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1925</u>	RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FUNDS. Improves flexibility for public school principals by increasing the cap on money that principals can carry over from year to year.	EDN, FIN
<u>HB1926</u>	RELATING TO SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS. Provides authority to school principals to oversee and maintain capital improvement and repair and maintenance programs at their schools, including installation of solar energy infrastructure. Clarifies the department of education's responsibility for oversight and fiscal accountability of such programs.	EDN, FIN
<u>HB1927</u>	RELATING TO SOLAR TAX CREDITS. Allows a tax credit for individual and corporate taxpayers that provide either solar-powered air conditioning units or solar energy systems specifically designed to provide electricity for air conditioning units for schools.	EEP, EDN, FIN
<u>HB1928</u>	RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL. Requires the department of health and Hawaii state hospital to implement certain recommendations made by the Senate special investigative committee on the Hawaii state hospital. Requires reports to the legislature. Makes appropriation for the demolition and construction of a new mental health hospital.	HLT, FIN
<u>HB1929</u>	RELATING TO FORENSIC HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS. Authorizes the director of health to recruit board-certified forensic health care professionals, including those from other states. Appropriates funds.	HLT, LAB, FIN

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB1930</u>	RELATING TO ASSISTANCE FOR DISPLACED WORKERS. Re-establishes the State's displaced worker education and training program, to assist displaced workers who have been terminated as a result of a mass layoff or plant closure.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB1931</u>	RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT. Reduces the minimum Hawaiian blood quantum requirement of certain transferees and successors to lessees of Hawaiian home lands from one-quarter to one thirty-second.	OMH, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1932</u>	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. Ensures the legislature fulfills its responsibility under article XII, section 1, of the state constitution by appropriating sufficient general funds for the administration and operating expenses of the department of Hawaiian home lands for fiscal year 2016–2017.	OMH, FIN
<u>HB1933</u>	RELATING TO SERVICE OF PROCESS. Allows notice of a land use violation to be given via a posting on a searchable government website when attempts to serve the notice in person and by mail have been unsuccessful.	WAL, JUD
<u>HB1934</u>	RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. Prohibits motorcycle, motor scooter, and moped mufflers that emit a noise level above a certain decibel level. Provides a graduated schedule of fines for first, second, and subsequent violations.	TRN, CPC
<u>HB1935</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Bases the annual county vehicle tax on the assessed value of a vehicle rather than a vehicle's weight.	TRN, FIN
<u>HB1936</u>	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES. Assesses a fee on a person who attends the Judiciary's driver education and training program as a requirement pursuant to a conviction under federal law or the laws of another state.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1937</u>	RELATING TO SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS. Requires the licensure of school psychologists in both the public and private sectors of employment.	HLT, EDN, CPC

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB1938</u>	RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT. Appropriates funds for capital improvement projects for the benefit of the 29th Representative District.	FIN
<u>HB1939</u>	RELATING TO THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Requires all state agencies to obtain the governor's written approval on a request for, amendment to, or supplement to research corporation services for a project.	HED, FIN
<u>HB1940</u>	RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING. Establishes a collective bargaining unit for graduate student assistants employed at the University of Hawaii.	LAB, HED, FIN
<u>HB1941</u>	RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM. Continues the hospital sustainability program for one year. Appropriates funds out of the hospital sustainability program special fund for fiscal year 2016-2017. Amends various reimbursement rates under the program to certain private hospitals through medicaid managed care health plans, and uncompensated care and disproportionate share hospital payments.	HLT, FIN
<u>HB1942</u>	RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM. Continues the nursing facility sustainability program for one additional year. Appropriates funds out of the nursing facility sustainability program special fund for fiscal year 2016-2017.	HLT, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1943</u>	RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES. Provides an inflationary adjustment to the methodology used to reimburse facilities for the long-term care of medicaid recipients for fiscal year 2016-2017.	HUS, FIN

HB1944 RELATING TO TELEHEALTH.

HLT, CPC, FIN

Requires the State's medicaid managed care and fee-for-service programs to cover services provided through telehealth. Specifies medical professional liability insurance policy requirements with regard to telehealth coverage. Clarifies requirements for establishing provider-patient relationships for telehealth for purposes of reimbursement. Specifies reimbursement requirements for distant site and originating site providers. Requires written disclosure of coverages and benefits associated with telehealth services. Ensures telehealth encompasses store and forward technologies, remote monitoring, live consultation, and mobile health. Ensures telehealth is covered when originating in a patient's home and other nonmedical environments. Clarifies requirements for physicians and out-of-state physicians to establish a physician-patient relationship via telehealth. Ensures reimbursement requirements for telehealth services apply to all health benefits plans under chapter 87A, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Makes other conforming amendments related to telehealth.

HB1945 RELATING TO INFLUENZA IMMUNIZATION.

HLT, FIN

Requires annual influenza vaccinations for health care workers. Establishes exemptions for influenza vaccination requirement under certain conditions.

HB1946 RELATING TO IMMUNIZATION PRACTICES.

HLT, JUD, FIN

Exempts the department of health from the rulemaking process pursuant to chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, when adopting recommendations from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices. Requires the department to adopt rules within 90 days.

<u>HB1947</u> RELATING TO HEALTH SCREENINGS.

HLT, FIN

Appropriates funds for one full-time equivalent position within the department of health to implement a systematic vision and hearing program and other operating expenses of the program.

HB1948 RELATING TO PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS.

HLT, EDN

Beginning with the 2017-2018 school year, requires a child to provide written documentation of a physical examination performed within twelve months prior to attending seventh grade at a public school. Provides for provisional attendance if an exam is scheduled.

HB1949 RELATING TO THE JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE SPECIAL FUND.

HED, FIN

Permits moneys in the John A. Burns school of medicine special fund to be used for loan repayment for certain health care professionals. Removes the cap on expenditures from the special fund. Removes the sunset date from the physician workforce assessment fee and related requirements for use of moneys in the John A. Burns school of medicine special fund.

<u>HB1950</u> RELATING TO THE SALE OF E-LIQUID.

HLT, CPC, JUD

Beginning January 1, 2017, prohibits the sale of an e-liquid container for an electronic smoking device unless the container is packaged in child-resistant packaging and labeled with warning language, if applicable. Establishes penalties.

HB1951 RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.

HLT, CPC, FIN

Defines disposable electronic smoking device, electronic smoking device, e-liquid, and reusable electronic smoking device in the State's cigarette tax and tobacco tax law. Imposes an excise tax on an e-liquid sold by a wholesaler or dealer on or after 1/1/2017, whether or not sold at wholesale, or if not sold then at the same rate upon the use by the wholesaler or dealer. Requires any increase in the excise tax rate imposed on cigarettes or little cigars on or after 1/1/2017 to trigger an automatic excise tax increase on e-liquid on or after 1/1/2017. Imposes an excise tax on the wholesale price of disposable electronic smoking devices and reusable electronic smoking devices sold by a wholesaler or dealer on or after January 1, 2017, whether or not sold at wholesale, or if not sold then at the same rate upon the use by the wholesaler or dealer.

HB1952 RELATING TO INSURANCE.

HLT, CPC/JUD,

FIN

Establishes a dispute resolution process by which a dispute for a bill for emergency services or a surprise bill may be resolved. Specifies disclosure requirements for health care professionals and health care facilities, including estimated costs for health care services and information on participating provider networks. Specifies that an insured shall not be liable to a health care provider for any sums owed by an insurer. Specifies that an insurer who receives emergency services from a nonparticipating provider shall not incur greater out-of-pocket costs for the emergency services than the insured would have incurred with a participating provider. Specifies additional disclosure requirements for health insurance plans, including payment methodologies and updated participating provider directories. Requires health insurance plans to provide at least one option for coverage for at least eighty per cent of the usual and customary cost of each out-of-network health care service in inadequate network situations.

HB1953 RELATING TO HEALTH.

HLT, JUD

Authorizes public sector employees and volunteers who may have been exposed to a communicable disease through contact with bodily fluids in the course of their duties to petition a court for an order requiring testing of the person or decedent who is the source of the possible exposure. Limits disclosure of test results.

HB1954 RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.

JUD, FIN

Repeals exemption for calabash style anonymous campaign contributions – amounts that aggregate to less than \$100 that are received from ten or more persons at the same political function.

HB1955 RELATING TO VETERINARY TECHNICIANS.

CPC, FIN

Establishes a framework for the regulation of veterinary

technicians.

HB1956 RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS.

CPC, FIN

Exempts nonprofit organizations and their employees from the

licensing and regulations of mortgage servicers.

HB1957 RELATING TO STATE REAL PROPERTY.

WAL, CPC, FIN

Establishes the Common Elements Maintenance Fee and Rent Pilot Project in conjunction with the State's acquisition of Alii

Place.

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HB1958 RELATING TO A GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTION

FOR LOW INCOME RENTAL SUBSIDIES.

Exempts rental subsidy payments for Section 8 and Housing First

Programs from the state general excise tax.

HB1959 RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT.

Permits developers of low-income housing to apply Hawaii low-

income housing tax credits in four years instead of ten years.

<u>HB1960</u> RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE.

Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources and the Hawaii Community Development Authority to negotiate and execute ninety-nine year leases on the Department's and Authority's lands located within one-half mile of the City and County of Honolulu's planned rail transit stations, provided that affordable housing is included in the development plan for the

lands to be leased.

HB1961 RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY

DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.

Establishes the Oahu Rail Station Development District, which includes all state property within one-half mile from any rail station constructed as part of the high-capacity transit corridor project in the City and County of Honolulu, to be placed under the jurisdiction of the Hawaii Community Development Authority. Requires that any state development in the district

requires a permit from the Authority.

HB1962 RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF THE CONVEYANCE HSG, WAL, FIN

TAX COLLECTIONS TO THE RENTAL HOUSING

REVOLVING FUND.

Restores the allocation of conveyance tax collections to the rental

housing revolving fund to 50%.

HB1963 RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY

DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.

Allows the Hawaii community development authority to designate transit-oriented development community districts around certain transit stations to support planned growth and density. Authorizes the Hawaii community development authority to enter into partnerships with private investors for the leasing of public infrastructure to the investors under certain

conditions.

<u>HB1964</u> RELATING TO HOUSING.

Short form bill relating to housing.

HSG

WAL, FIN

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB1965</u>	RELATING TO HOUSING. Short form bill relating to housing.	HSG
<u>HB1966</u>	RELATING TO COUNTY SURCHARGE TAX. Deletes the state tax of ten per cent on county surcharge to realign with more accurate sum as determined by department of taxation audit.	FIN
<u>HB1967</u>	RELATING TO ELECTRONIC VERIFICATION OF INSURANCE MOTOR VEHICLES. Guarantees motorists the right to display evidence of current motor vehicle insurance by electronic mobile device.	TRN, CPC, JUD
<u>HB1968</u>	RELATING TO STUDENT INFORMED CONSENT. Allows public school students in grades K through 12 to decline participation in dissection, vivisection and other procedures harmful to animals. Prompts schools to make alternative educational projects available, and the board of education to develop rules and give notice to all schools.	EDN, JUD
<u>HB1969</u>	RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP. Defines industrial hemp, authorizes the growth of industrial hemp as an agricultural product licensed by the department of agriculture, removes criminal and civil penalties.	AGR, JUD
<u>HB1970</u>	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR RECALL. Amends article II of the state constitution to provide for recall.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1971</u>	RELATING TO SAFETY. Creates and implements a silver alert program to alert the public of any missing senior citizen with an impaired mental condition, to be operated concurrently with the Maile Amber Alert program.	HUS, JUD
<u>HB1972</u>	RELATING TO TAXABLE INCOME EXCLUSION. Provides taxable income exclusion for military on active duty who are serving outside the State pursuant to orders.	VMI, FIN
<u>HB1973</u>	RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX. Repeals the GET on all intermediary business transactions.	FIN
<u>HB1974</u>	RELATING TO CONFORMANCE OF STATE PERSONAL EXEMPTION TO FEDERAL PERSONAL EXEMPTION. Conforms the State personal exemption amount to the federal personal exemption amount.	FIN

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB1975</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Requires the Auditor to perform a comprehensive management, financial, and program audit of the University of Hawaii.	HED, FIN
<u>HB1976</u>	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII FOR REFERENDUM. Amends article XVII of the State Constitution to provide for Referendum.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB1977</u>	RELATING TO REPEAL OF THE CORPORATE INCOME TAX. A bill to encourage economic growth by repealing the corporate income tax.	FIN
<u>HB1978</u>	RELATING TO REPEAL OF THE INHERITANCE AND ESTATE TAX. A bill to repeal inheritance and estate taxes that act as a form of double taxation on individual tax payers.	FIN
<u>HB1979</u>	RELATING TO PRIVACY. An act prohibiting a law enforcement agency, person, entity, state or local public agency from using an unmanned aircraft system to gather evidence or other information; providing exceptions; authorizing an aggrieved party to initiate a civil action in order to prevent or remedy a violation of the act.	TRN, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1980</u>	RELATING TO ACCESS TO TREATMENT FOR TERMINALLY ILL PATIENTS. Grants terminally ill patients access to potentially life-saving investigational drugs, biological products, and devices that are only accessible through clinical trials.	HLT, CPC, JUD
<u>HB1981</u>	RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENTS. Requires a fiscal impact statement for any proposed legislation that calls for an appropriation or results in significant fiscal changes for the State. Prohibits hearing on bills and resolutions without a fiscal impact statement prepared by the Office of the Legislative Analyst.	LMG, FIN
<u>HB1982</u>	RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST BIG ISLAND DAIRY, LLC. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Big Island Dairy, LLC, with the operation of its dairy farm in Ookala.	AGR, FIN

REFERRAL HB1983 RELATING TO CESSPOOLS. EEP, HLT, FIN Authorizes that department of health to establish a cesspool upgrade, conversion, or connection rebate program. Disallows the tax credit for cesspool upgrade, conversion, or connection for taxpayers whose adjusted gross income exceeds certain amounts. Applies tax credit to all cesspools, regardless of location. Provides that cesspools found to be illegal, as a result of an inspection conducted due to a person applying for a rebate or taxpayer claiming a credit, shall not be subject to penalty. RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. HB1984 AGR, HSG, FIN Authorizes affordable employee housing for employees in the agricultural district. HB1985 RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL BUILDINGS. AGR, CPC, JUD Voids any planned community association restriction on the construction of agricultural buildings on agricultural classified land. HB1986 RELATING TO YOUTH GANG PREVENTION AND HUS, FIN INTERVENTION. Appropriates funds to the department of human services to target youths who live in public housing who are at risk of engaging in gang activities or joining gangs. RELATING TO YOUTH GANGS. HUS, JUD, FIN HB1987 Appropriates funds for a coordinated gang response system to include the police departments, the office of youth services, the department of education, and the department of the attorney general. Appropriates funds to the University of Hawaii to conduct an evaluation of the youth gang response system created by this Act. HB1988 RELATING TO TOURISM. WAL, LMG, FIN Appropriates money to install water fountains in the State Capitol reflecting pools to reduce cleaning costs and add a choreographed water fountain show with light displays and Hawaiian music to increase tourism. HB1989 RELATING TO INSURANCE. CPC, JUD, FIN Amends certain provisions relating to unfair or deceptive acts in the business of insurance. Repeals certain provisions relating to insurance contracts. HB1990 RELATING TO INSURANCE. CPC, JUD Amends definitions of "adjuster" and "public adjuster". Adds definitions for "insurance appraiser" and "insurance umpire".

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<u>HB1991</u>	RELATING TO INSURANCE. Regulates the selection, inspection, and settlement offer process for claim adjusters of homeowners insurance claims.	CPC, JUD
<u>HB1992</u>	RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA. Requires the Department of Health to conduct annual reviews of the medical marijuana dispensary system.	HLT, CPC, FIN
<u>HB1993</u>	RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT. Appropriates funds for capital improvement projects for the benefit of the 2nd representative district.	FIN
<u>HB1994</u>	RELATING TO THE MACADAMIA FELTED COCCID. Appropriates funds to DOA to research and develop methods for the prevention and treatment of macadamia felted coccid. Effective 7/1/2016.	AGR, FIN
<u>HB1995</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES. Requires the PUC to establish preferential rates for the purchase of energy that is used or consumed for agricultural activities. Requires the PUC to require electric and gas utilities to develop energy storage technology incentive programs to provide incentives to agricultural customers to acquire energy storage technology for use at the agricultural customers' sites.	AGR, EEP, FIN
<u>HB1996</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Establishes a two-year Agricultural Theft Pilot Project in the Department of Agriculture to focus on investigating and prosecuting agricultural theft and agricultural vandalism in the County of Hawaii. Appropriates funds.	AGR, JUD, FIN
<u>HB1997</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Implements the recommendation of the Hawaii agriculture workforce advisory board to create an agriculture workforce development pipeline initiative to conduct training on all islands for teachers and school administrators in agricultural self-sufficiency.	AGR, LAB, FIN
<u>HB1998</u>	RELATING TO BIOSECURITY. Requires the Department of Agriculture to establish or participate in public-private partnerships to enhance the biosecurity program and quarantine inspection process. Appropriates funds for specified projects.	AGR, TRN, FIN

Committee REFERRAL HB1999 RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. AGR, FIN Establishes within the Livestock Revitalization Program a grant program for qualified feed developers. Appropriates funds for the Feed Developer Grant Program, reimbursements to Qualified Producers for feed costs, and a survey of local feed ingredient sources. RELATING TO INCOME TAX. HB2000 HSG, FIN Increases the maximum state income tax check off amount for certain social-service funds from \$5 to \$10 per individual. Adds the Housing First Special Fund to the list of social service funds to which a taxpayer may designate a portion of the taxpayer's state income tax refund. HB2001 RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. PBS, JUD, FIN Establishes a Commission on Criminal Justice and Sentencing Reform in the Governor's Office. Requires the Commission to develop a statewide framework of sentencing and corrections policies to further reduce the State's incarcerated population by 25% by year 2025. The Commission shall also develop a plan to reduce spending on corrections and reinvest in strategies to increase public safety and reduce recidivism. RELATING TO HEALTH. HLT, FIN HB2002 Establishes a suicide prevention task force to develop a strategic plan to reduce suicide in Hawaii by 25% by 2025. RELATING TO HEALTH. HLT, FIN HB2003 Requires the Department of Health to: (1) Charge and collect fees for the licensing, relicensing, certification, and recertification of community care facilities; and (2) Submit a report to the Legislature prior to the 2017 Regular Session on implementation of the fees. HB2004 RELATING TO EDUCATION. EDN, FIN Requires the Department of Education to provide sex trafficking prevention education. RELATING TO HEALTH. HB2005 HUS, HLT, FIN Amends provisions relating to the care of the elderly and disabled in state-licensed care facilities. RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. LAB, FIN HB2006 Classifies as hybrid members under the ERS, persons serving as judges on or after 7/1/2016.

		Committee REFERRAL
<u>HB2007</u>	RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS. Establishes a lean government advisory board to make recommendations for improving state government efficiency.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2008</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT. Prohibits the State from hiring persons for more than one 89-day term for a fully or partially general-funded position per lifetime of the person. Provides for limited exceptions.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2009</u>	RELATING TO HOISTING MACHINE OPERATORS. Repeals the Hoisting Machine Operators' Certification Revolving Fund and the position of the executive director. Tasks the DLIR with the responsibility of administrative duties for the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board. Allows the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board to establish fees for the issuance of permits or certificates by administrative rule.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2010</u>	RELATING TO SPECIAL MINIMUM WAGES. Requires, rather than authorizes, the Director of Labor and Industrial Relations to adopt rules establishing special minimum wages and related standards and requirements for the employment of learners; apprentices; part-time employees who are full-time public or private school students, but not post-secondary school students; paroled wards of Hawaii Youth Correctional Facility; and handicapped workers.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2011</u>	RELATING TO SICK LEAVE. Establishes a payroll assessment to fund sick leave in the private sector.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2012</u>	RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING. Specifies that the benefits of the Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund are subject to negotiation. Clarifies that a decision of an arbitration panel shall be final.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2013</u>	MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS. Provides fund authorizations and appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for bargaining unit (8) and their excluded counterparts for fiscal biennium 2015-2017.	LAB, FIN
<u>HB2014</u>	RELATING TO LABOR. Requires employers to keep a record of the former physical addresses and current physical address of the employer and the North American Industry Classification System code applicable to the employer.	LAB, FIN

HB2015 RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH LAB, JUD, FIN BENEFITS TRUST FUND.

Exempts certain procurements of the EUTF from the procurement code. Specifies the fiduciary duties of EUTF trustees. Amends the composition, appointing authorities, vacancy-filling procedure, and quorum requirements of the EUTF board of trustees. Authorizes the establishment of subboards of the EUTF board for the negotiation of contributions that apply only to particular bargaining units. Authorizes the EUTF board to appoint attorneys independent of the attorney general. Amends the administration of EUTF moneys and transfers control of EUTF to the department of human resources development.

RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES.

LAB. FIN

Requires public retiree contributions to the EUTF to be paid through withholdings of retirement benefit amounts from the

ERS.

HB2016

HB2017 RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION

LAB, CPC

TREATMENT PLANS.

Allows physicians to submit workers' compensation treatment plans to employers by facsimile, the Internet, or secure electronic mail. Requires employers to accept electronically submitted treatment plans and provide an electronic receipt of the submission.

<u>HB2018</u> RELATING TO GOVERNMENT PROCESSES AND

LAB, FIN

SERVICES.

Establishes guidelines for the management of capital

improvement projects.

HB2019 RELATING TO ELECTIONS. JUD, FIN

Establishes instant runoff voting procedures for elections in which no primary election is held and for special elections.

HB2020 RELATING TO THE CAUSES OF DECLINE IN LIMU AND OMH, FIN

REEF FISH.

Appropriates general funds for the department of land and natural resources to conduct and contract for studies to identify the causes of decline in limu and reef fish along the Ewa coast.

Committee REFERRAL HB2021 RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS. TRN, JUD, FIN Increases the fine for conviction of certain offenses when an unmanned aerial system is used as a means of committing the offense. Provides that the offense of simple trespass can be committed when a person knowingly enters or remains unlawfully in the airspace directly above premises up to two hundred feet above ground level. HB2022 RELATING TO AQUATIC LIFE. OMH, JUD Establishes an aquatic life conservation program in the Division of Aquatic Resources to implement conservation measures, including limited entry areas and certification requirements, to regulate the collection of fish and other aquatic life for aquarium purposes. RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED SUBSISTENCE HB2023 OMH. FIN FISHING AREAS. Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to designate and adopt rules for the management of no fewer than five community-based subsistence fishing areas by December 31, 2020. Establishes designation process and rule requirements. HB2024 RELATING TO PROPELLER GUARDS. OMH, JUD Requires all motorized recreational vessels operating in nearshore waters to have properly functioning propeller guards. HB2025 RELATING TO MARINE SPECIES. OMH, FIN Establishes a marine species task force to identify ten vital marine species vulnerable to extinction if take levels of those species increases and recommend actions to ensure the sustainability of those species. HB2026 RELATING TO DRIVER EDUCATION. TRN, FIN Requires information on organ and tissue donation to be included in the curriculum for the Statewide Driver Education Program and Behind-the-wheel Driver Training Program. RELATING TO STATEWIDE INFRASTRUCTURE HB2027 WAL, FIN CAPACITY BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FINANCING. Establishes the Infrastructure Capacity Construction Loan Revolving Fund to provide loans to counties, state agencies, or private developers for infrastructure improvements. Appropriates funds.

REFERRAL HB2028 RELATING TO TAXATION. WAL/EEP, FIN Exempts personal income tax income, general excise tax income, and use tax income in an amount up to an unspecified percentage of the costs of construction and operation of projects entered into under a public-private partnership with the ERS to improve water infrastructure or water supply, or to promote clean energy. Authorizes ERS investments in such public-private partnerships. HB2029 RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE LOANS. WAL, FIN Establishes a water infrastructure loan program under the Hawaii water infrastructure authority within DLNR. Allows authority to make loans for water infrastructure development, repair, and maintenance. Makes appropriation. HB2030 RELATING TO POLLUTION. WAL/EEP, FIN Prohibits the discharge of treated wastewater into state waters after 12/31/2049 except when used to create clean energy. RELATING TO WATER. HB2031 WAL/EEP, FIN Mandates that only nonpotable recycled wastewater shall be used for certain purposes by 1/1/2025. HB2032 RELATING TO WATER. WAL/EEP, FIN Provides that the Commission on Water Resource Management shall require an owner or prior owner of an abandoned well to repair or seal the well at the owner's or prior owner's expense. RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON WATER WAL, FIN HB2033 RESOURCE MANAGEMENT. Clarifies that the director of the department of health or the director's designee shall serve as an ex officio voting member on the commission on water resource management. HB2034 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE KAHO'OLAWE OMH/WAL, FIN ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION. Appropriates funds to the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission for restoration and preservation projects. Requires submission of a financial self-sufficiency and sustainability plan to the legislature no later than twenty days prior to the 2017 Regular Session. RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY. HB2035 OMH/WAL, FIN Establishes a three-year pilot project to promote photovoltaic powered desalinization on the island of Kaho'olawe and to study the benefits of the technology's use.

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		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB2036</u>	RELATING TO CONSERVATION DISTRICTS. Requires a ninety day extension of the conservation district permit decision deadline beyond the time necessary to complete an environmental impact statement or contested case hearing.	WAL, JUD, FIN
<u>HB2037</u>	RELATING TO THE WORLD CONSERVATION CONGRESS. Appropriates moneys to the DLNR to host the International Union for Conservation of Nature World Conservation Congress meeting at the Hawaii Convention Center on September 1-10, 2016.	WAL, TOU, FIN
<u>HB2038</u>	RELATING TO THE ALOHA+ CHALLENGE. Appropriates funds for the natural resource, clean energy, and green workforce goals of the Aloha+ Challenge.	EEP, OMH/WAL, FIN
<u>HB2039</u>	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Establishes the community-based marine resources grant program. Appropriates funds to DLNR for positions and programs in support of community based co-management of near shore marine resources.	EEP, OMH/WAL, FIN
<u>HB2040</u>	RELATING TO WATER SECURITY. Establishes a two-year pilot program in the Department of Land and Natural Resources that enables public-private partnerships to provide funds for projects that increase water security.	WAL/EEP, FIN
<u>HB2041</u>	RELATING TO WATER AUDITS. Establishes a program to implement standardized water audits of public water systems. Appropriation.	WAL/EEP, FIN
HB2042	RELATING TO WATER CONSERVATION. Creates a refundable residential water conservation system cost tax credit for newly constructed systems beginning January 1, 2017.	EEP, FIN
<u>HB2043</u>	RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION. Requires the land use commission to process the reversion of land use district boundary reclassifications and revoke approvals for special use permits in cases where the pertinent county has violated or failed to enforce land use conditions or restrictions imposed by the commission for the subject property.	WAL, JUD

HB2044 RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION.

WAL, JUD

Establishes penalties for any petitioner for an amendment to a district boundary that violates, neglects or fails to conform to or comply with chapter 205, HRS, (land use commission) or any lawful order of the land use commission. Authorizes the land use commission to record a notice of noncompliance, modify existing conditions, or impose new conditions on land that has been petitioned for a boundary amendment fails to adhere to or comply with the petitioner's representations or the land use commission's conditions. Clarifies who may motion for an order show cause based on an alleged failure to perform a condition, representation, or commitment. Extends incremental districting to urban districts to twenty years.

HB2045 RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

AGR, WAL, JUD

Limits subdivisions of agricultural district lands to no more than five lots if the fee simple interest in any of the lots is being sold or otherwise transferred to anyone within the second degree of consanguinity of the landowner.

HB2046 RELATING TO MILITARY LAND.

VMI, WAL, FIN

Transfers all state land leased by the United States Army to state DOD by June 30, 2017. Requires DOD to submit a report to the legislature.

HB2047 RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY

WAL, CPC, FIN

WAL, TRN, JUD

DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.

Requires HCDA to undertake and complete the Kalaeloa energy

corridor project.

HB2048 RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY

DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.

Prohibits the HCDA from approving a developer's community development plan, updated, amended, modified, or revised community development plan, or permit application unless the HCDA and the owner and developer of the affected land enters into a memorandum of understanding in which parties to the memorandum acknowledge the ownership of each public street or highway that is adjacent to the land that is the subject of the community development plan or permit. Provides that the authority accepts ownership of any public street or highway for which ownership is disputed.

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HB2049 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. TRN, JUD, FIN

Requires the counties to accept the surrender of a private road if there has been no act of private ownership for five years. Exempts the State and counties from maintaining surrendered roads and from liability for lack of maintenance or for maintenance performed prior to assuming ownership.

HB2050 RELATING TO PRIVATE ROADS. TRN, JUD, FIN

WAL, FIN

Requires the counties to accept the surrender of a private road in cases where there has been an absence of any act of private ownership over the road for five years. Exempts the State and counties from performing any maintenance on a surrendered road and from liability arising from use of the road until the State or county performs maintenance work on the road. Deems a highway, road, alley, street, way, lane, bikeway, bridge, or trail that has been commonly used by residents of a particular area for emergency access purposes or for health and safety reasons to be publicly accessible for those reasons, without regard to actual

ownership or responsibility for maintenance.

RELATING TO THE STATE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL. HB2051

Appropriates money to the state building code council.

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT. HB2052 EDB, FIN

> Provides for the establishment of a special innovative procurement process when it is advantageous to the State to use the process to procure new or unique requirements of the State or

new technologies, or to achieve best value.

HB2053 RELATING TO PROCUREMENT. EDB, FIN

> Provides for the establishment of a special procurement process for the procurement of goods and services. Requires the establishment of procedures by the procurement policy board for

use of the special procurement process.

HB2054 RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE. WAL, FIN

> Establishes a Dam and Reservoir Working Group to ensure and enhance the continued availability and operation of dams and

reservoirs in the State of Hawaii.

RELATING TO A WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY HB2055 EDB, WAL, FIN

FOR THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII

AUTHORITY.

Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and appropriates funds for a wastewater treatment facility for the

natural energy laboratory of Hawaii authority.

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB2056</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY. Extends the conclusive presumption of signage as legally adequate warning of dangerous conditions to "non-natural" conditions on unimproved public land.	WAL, JUD
<u>HB2057</u>	RELATING TO MINERAL RESOURCES. Revises statutory provisions relating to the regulation of mineral resources under chapters 171 and 182, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to provide clarity and consistency.	WAL, JUD
<u>HB2058</u>	RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds for certain dam and reservoir projects that improve facilities to protect public safety and provide significant benefits to the general public as important water resources.	WAL, FIN
<u>HB2059</u>	RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KEHALANI OFFSITE RETENTION BASIN. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to provide financing to assist RCFC Kehalani, LLC, with Kehalani offsite retention basin improvement work.	WAL, FIN
<u>HB2060</u>	RELATING TO PROCUREMENT. Requires all Chief Procurement Officers to assist and cooperate with any compliance review by the State Procurement Administrator. Clarifies that the Administrator has the authority to perform periodic compliance reviews of all governmental bodies.	EDB, FIN
<u>HB2061</u>	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REESTABLISH A VECTOR CONTROL BRANCH. Makes an appropriation to the department of health to hire more vector control employees and reestablish a vector control branch.	HLT, FIN
<u>HB2062</u>	RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS BY PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS. Allows for an exemption to public charter schools and their governing boards from the statutory prohibition on retaining outside counsel.	EDN, JUD, FIN

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB2063</u>	RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST KEAHOLE MANAGEMENT GROUP LLC. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Keahole Management Group LLC with planning, designing, constructing, and equipping facilities for the manufacturing and processing of products.	EDB, FIN
<u>HB2064</u>	RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. Allows each county to enter into agreements with private entities to build, operate, own, or finance newly constructed transportation facilities including toll highways.	TRN, FIN
HB2065	PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO IMPOSE A SURCHARGE ON REAL PROPERTY TAXES TO FUND PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS. Proposes amendments to the Hawaii Constitution to authorize the board of education to impose a surcharge on real property taxes to fund public school capital improvement projects.	EDN, JUD, FIN
<u>HB2066</u>	RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FUNDS. Limits the amount of campaign funds that may be spent by an elected official on memberships in civic or community groups or on protocol gifts to twice the allowable individual contribution amount.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2067</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL AUTHORIZERS. Requires the Board of Education to establish, by December 1, 2016, policies, criteria, or guidelines for evaluating applications for chartering authority to allow additional public charter school authorizers in Hawaii.	EDN, JUD
<u>HB2068</u>	RELATING TO ELECTIONS. Establishes an elections by mail process for all elections, to be phased-in by county starting with the 2018 primary and fully implemented by the 2022 primary. Provides for in-person ballot deposit and voting assistance. Appropriation.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2069</u>	RELATING TO COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS. Establishes a community improvement districts program with a revolving fund, and a pilot project in Kapalama.	WAL, FIN
<u>HB2070</u>	RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION. Grants tuition waivers to students at the community colleges who meet certain criteria.	HED, FIN

		<u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB2071</u>	PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO TAX INCREMENT BONDS. Proposes amendments to the Constitution of the State of Hawaii to expressly provide that the legislature may authorize political subdivisions, such as counties, to issue tax increment bonds and to exclude tax increment bonds in calculating the debt limit of the political subdivisions.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2072</u>	RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING REVOLVING FUND. Raises the cap on moneys deposited into the rental housing revolving fund to provide access to more funds for the development and rehabilitation of rental housing units.	HSG, FIN
<u>HB2073</u>	RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS. Temporarily disallows the deduction for dividends paid by real estate investment trusts for a period of 15 years, but with an exception for dividends generated from trust-owned housing that is affordable to households with incomes at or below 200% of the median family income.	CPC/JUD, FIN
<u>HB2074</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LEASING. Requires the extension of public land leases to seventy-five years for affordable housing projects when Federal Housing Administration requirements need to be met for project funding.	HSG, WAL, FIN
<u>HB2075</u>	RELATING TO TAX INCREMENT BONDS. Conforms county debt limit statements laws to include tax increment bonds if a constitutional amendment allowing the State to authorize the use of such bonds by the counties is ratified.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2076</u>	RELATING TO WHEELING. Requires the Public Utilities Commission to establish policies and rules for the implementation of retail wheeling. Requires the Commission to report on the status of the implementation of retail wheeling annually until the implementation is complete.	EEP, CPC, FIN
<u>HB2077</u>	RELATING TO HYDROELECTRIC POWER. Permits hydroelectric facilities on Agricultural District lands that are considered small hydropower facilities under federal law.	AGR, EEP/WAL, CPC

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REFERRAL HB2078 RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES PENALTIES. OMH, JUD Authorizes the court to require a person who violates certain laws pertaining to aquatic resources to complete an aquatic resources educational class administered by DLNR in lieu of or in addition to paying a monetary fine. Authorizes the court to require a person who violates certain laws pertaining to aquatic resources to perform community service administered by DLNR in lieu of paying a monetary fine. HB2079 RELATING TO SEARCH WARRANTS. JUD Requires government entities to obtain a search warrant in order to obtain the location information of an electronic device. RELATING TO FUEL CELL ELECTRIC VEHICLES. HB2080 TRN, EEP, FIN Includes fuel cell electric vehicles in the definition of electric vehicles for purposes of parking exemptions, HOV lane use, registration, and required parking spaces in places of public accommodation. Grants procurement priority for fuel cell electric vehicles for state and county vehicle purchases. RELATING TO ENERGY. HB2081 EEP, CPC Authorizes public agencies to initiate public purpose projects through which a public utility will purchase fuel or electricity. Establishes procedures for the public utilities commission. RELATING TO ADOPTION RECORDS. HB2082 HLT, JUD Amends requirements relating to adoption records and the secrecy of proceedings and records. Allows access to adoption records by parties to the proceedings under certain circumstances. RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES. HB2083 TRN, FIN Amends the sunset date for electric vehicle incentives from June 30, 2020, to whenever electric vehicles account for twenty-five per cent of passenger vehicles registration as determined by the DOT. RELATING TO INSURANCE. CPC, JUD HB2084 Prohibits health insurers, mutual benefit societies, and health maintenance organizations from discriminating with respect to participation and coverage under a policy, contract, plan, or agreement against any person on the basis of actual gender identity or perceived gender identity.

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Committee REFERRAL HB2085 RELATING TO ENERGY. EEP, FIN Aims to reduce Hawaii's dependence on imported fossil fuels for electrical generation and ground transportation by 2045 and creates goals and targets in Hawaii's Clean Energy Initiative and State Planning Act. RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. HB2086 TRN, FIN Amends the statewide transportation plan to include bicycle facilities as part of the transportation system components. Requires the Department of Transportation to develop a survey on travel behavior. Requires each county to develop transportation mode sharing plans and to update these plans every five years beginning in 2025. HB2087 RELATING TO TAXATION. **FIN** Establishes a refundable state earned income tax credit. Requires DOTAX to prepare an annual report on the tax credit's usage for the previous year. Applies to taxable years beginning after 12/31/2016. RELATING TO FILM AND DIGITAL MEDIA INDUSTRY HB2088 EDB, FIN DEVELOPMENT. Extends the sunset date of the motion picture, digital media, and film production income tax credit for an additional five years. HB2089 RELATING TO FAMILY COURT PROTECTIVE ORDERS. JUD, FIN Requires family court forms for protective orders to define "perjury" and specify criminal penalties. Authorizes family court to award respondent reasonable attorneys' fees and costs if court finds petitioner made any materially false statement of fact at the time of signing the petition. HB2090 RELATING TO LAND COURT. WAL, FIN Streamlines the operations of the office of the assistant registrar of the land court by removing the requirement that the assistant registrar certify pending certificates of title for fee time share interests. HB2091 RELATING TO LAND USE. AGR/TOU, FIN Permits agricultural tourism uses and activities, including overnight accommodations, in conjunction with bona fide farming operations on agricultural district lands statewide and establishes operational and income requirements.

Committee REFERRAL HB2092 RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. TRN, WAL, JUD Authorizes the authority to prohibit or restrict the stopping, standing, or parking of vehicles on sidewalks on private streets in the Kakaako community development district. HB2093 RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE HUS. FIN REVENUE BONDS FOR GOODWILL INDUSTRIES OF HAWAII. INC. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds for projects of Goodwill Industries of Hawaii and its affiliates. RELATING TO STATE FINANCES. FIN HB2094 Requires the comptroller to include recommendations from Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 77 in the State comprehensive annual financial report. HB2095 RELATING TO CHAPTER 846E, HAWAII REVISED JUD, FIN STATUTES. Prohibits anyone other than a covered offender, the attorney general, or one acting pursuant to section 846E-3 from publishing or republishing the public information of a covered offender after the offender's registration requirements have been terminated. HB2096 RELATING TO ATTORNEYS. JUD Establishes an attorney's duty to report the unauthorized practice of law despite any applicable privilege. WAL, HSG, FIN RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. HB2097 Requires the Hawaii Public Housing Authority to coordinate with the Office of Planning and work in conjunction with the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation when developing a public housing project on property within one-half mile of a transit station.

<u>HB2098</u> RELATING TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY TRN, CPC

LICENSING ACT.

Clarifies the definitions of "attachment hardware", "dealer", "manufacturer", and "motor vehicle" in the motor vehicle industry licensing act.

HB2099 RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT. PBS, JUD

Defines "person in custody" as used in the offense of sexual assault in the second degree and third degree to mean a person who is stopped by or under the control of a law enforcement officer for official purposes. Effective 01/01/2017.

<u>HB2100</u> RELATING TO LASER DEVICES.

TRN, JUD

Makes it a criminal offense to intentionally or knowingly direct the beam from a laser device at an occupied aircraft under certain circumstances.

HB2101 RELATING TO POLICE.

HLT, JUD

Requires that all police officers receive crisis intervention training related to interaction with persons with mental disabilities.

HB2102 RELATING TO TRAINING.

PBS, JUD

Requires police commissions to establish and police officers to complete training programs on cultural competency and implicit bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity. Requires DPS to establish and public safety officers to complete training programs on cultural competency and implicit bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity.

HB2103 RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS.

JUD

Requires a preliminary hearing for a case in which a law enforcement officer is charged with a felony offense.

HB2104 RELATING TO POLICE.

LAB, JUD

Requires that each county police department establish a protocol for the investigation of officer-involved shootings.

HB2105 RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.

CPC, JUD, FIN

Establishes exceptions to the offense of obstructing government operations and the offense of violation of privacy in the second degree for a person making a video or audio recording or photograph of a law enforcement officer while the officer is in the performance of duties in a public place or under circumstances in which the officer has no reasonable expectation of privacy; provided that the officer may take reasonable action to maintain safety and control, secure crime scenes and accident sites, protect the integrity and confidentiality of investigations, and protect the public safety and order. Establishes one-party consent exception for a person who intercepts a wire, oral, or electronic communication that involves a law enforcement officer when the person is not a party to the communication.

<u>HB2106</u>	RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT. Requires each police commission to develop basic guidelines for the use of body cameras by police officers to be adopted as written policies for each county police department. Requires police departments using police officer worn body cameras to submit written annual reports regarding the body camera program to the police commission and requires the police commission to submit annual reports to the department of the attorney general and legislature. Requires the police departments using police officer worn body cameras to explore and apply for any available federal funding and grant moneys to assist in covering the operational costs of employing a police officer worn body camera program.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2107</u>	RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT. Prohibits law enforcement officers from using chokeholds unless the use of deadly force is justifiable.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2108</u>	RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT CAMERAS. Establishes requirements for body-worn cameras and vehicle cameras for county police departments. Appropriates funds as a grant-in-aid to each county for the purchase of body-worn video cameras and law enforcement vehicle cameras; provided that no funds appropriated to a county shall be expended unless matched dollar-for-dollar by the county.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2109</u>	RELATING TO CHAPTER 183, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES. Clarifies that any person that violates: (1) section 183-17, HRS, (timber trespass in forest reserves) shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; or (2) a provision of part II of chapter 183, HRS, (forest reserves) or any rule adopted pursuant thereto, other than section 183-17, HRS, shall be guilty of a petty misdemeanor. Repeals the general penalty provision of chapter 183, HRS.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2110</u>	RELATING TO RESPIRATORY THERAPISTS. Makes permanent the regulation of respiratory therapists.	HLT, CPC, FIN
<u>HB2111</u>	RELATING TO FANTASY COMPETITIONS. Establishes fantasy competition as a violation of the gambling laws. Provides an affirmative defense under limited situations.	CPC, JUD, FIN
<u>HB2112</u>	RELATING TO NOTARY PUBLIC FEES. Increases notary public fees.	JUD, FIN

<u>HB2113</u> RELATING TO GRIEVANCES.

LAB, FIN

Requires DHRD to submit an annual report to the legislature on the number of grievances filed by public employees.

HB2114 RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER.

TRN, JUD, FIN

Makes it a violation of privacy in the first degree for a person to knowingly install or use outside a private place any device for observing, recording, amplifying, or broadcasting another person in a stage of undress or sexual activity without consent of the person therein. Clarifies that lack of consent of the person entitled to privacy is required to violate privacy in the second degree when installing or using in a private place a device for observing, recording, amplifying, or broadcasting another person in a stage of undress or sexual activity. Makes it a violation of privacy in the second degree for a person to install or use outside a private place any device for observing, hearing, recording, amplifying, or broadcasting sounds or events occurring in that place which would not ordinarily be visible, audible, or comprehensible outside, without the consent of the person entitled to privacy therein. Defines "device".

HB2115 RELATING TO THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO

CPC, JUD, FIN

DIGITAL ASSETS ACT.

Provides authority to plan for the management and disposition of

digital assets.

HB2116 RELATING TO URBAN AGRICULTURE.

WAL, AGR, FIN

Requires the counties to incorporate urban agriculture principles and policies in land use planning and to allow urban agriculture as a residential use in a residentially designated zone.

HB2117 RELATING TO FARMS.

AGR, FIN

Creates an exclusion from income tax for the first \$50,000 of income earned by farmers whose annual gross income is

\$200,000 or less.

HB2118 RELATING TO PREDATORS.

WAL, JUD

JUD, FIN

Prohibits individuals from releasing, feeding, watering, or otherwise caring for unrestrained predators on state lands. Establishes administrative fines for individuals that violate this prohibition. Exempts hunters that deploy, feed, or water

unrestrained dogs in the course of hunting.

HB2119 RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME.

Clarifies that reimbursement to crime victims includes lost wages, mental health treatment, counseling, and therapy.

Committee REFERRAL HB2120 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF JUD, FIN CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ESTABLISH RIGHTS FOR VICTIMS OF CRIMES. Proposes a constitutional amendment to guarantee rights to victims of crimes and their surviving family members. HB2121 RELATING TO LEGAL SERVICES. HUS, JUD, FIN Appropriates moneys from the general fund for civil legal services for low- and moderate-income persons to be purchased by the judiciary. RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY. LAB, FIN HB2122 Doubles maximum potential unemployment benefits for employees separated from service commencing on an unspecified date. HB2123 RELATING TO RETIREMENT. LAB, JUD, FIN Provides that a member of the employees' retirement system who first earned credited service as a judge after June 30, 2016, and has at least twelve years of credited service and attained the normal retirement age, or has at least twenty-five years of credited service and has attained age fifty-five are eligible to receive pension after retirement. Reduces the retirement allowance for a member who first earned credited service as a judge after June 30, 2016, to two per cent of the member's average final compensation, reduced for each month the member's age at the date of retirement is below the normal retirement age. Defines "normal retirement age". RELATING TO INVESTMENT PERSONNEL OF THE HB2124 LAB, FIN EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. Authorizes the board of trustees of the employees' retirement system to appoint investment professionals and support staff. Exempts appointed investment officers and investment professionals, including investment specialists, from chapters 76 and 89, HRS. Provides the board with discretion to exempt any appointed investment support staff from chapters 76 and 89, HRS. Authorizes incumbent investment specialists, as of the effective date of this Act, the option to remain subject to chapter 76, HRS, so long as the person remains an investment specialist. RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. LAB, JUD, FIN HB2125 Expands the types of investment personnel that may be appointed by the ERS. Requires ERS to make direct payments to a spouse of a system member or retirant pursuant to a qualified domestic

relations order.

Committee REFERRAL HB2126 RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT. LAB, JUD, FIN Requires certain employers with an unspecified number of employees to provide sick leave to service workers for specified purposes under certain conditions. Defines the terms "service worker" and "employer". Effective 1/1/17. HB2127 RELATING TO LABOR. LAB, JUD, FIN Requires certain employers with fifty or more employees to provide sick leave to service workers for specified purposes under certain conditions. Defines the terms "service worker" and "employer". Effective 1/1/17. HB2128 RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE. LAB, CPC, FIN Establishes a family leave insurance program, which requires employees to make contributions into a trust fund to be used to provide employees with family leave insurance benefits in order to care for a designated person. Appropriates funds to DLIR to implement the program. HB2129 RELATING TO EDUCATION. EDN, JUD, FIN Establishes a sexual abuse prevention instructional program for public schools. Sets out guidelines of instruction. Modeled after Erin's Law. HB2130 RELATING TO CHILDREN. HUS, JUD Provides that informal adjustment shall be prioritized over formal action for a child under family court jurisdiction solely as a result of truancy. RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION. HB2131 HUS, JUD Deletes duplicative provision of awarding grandparents reasonable visitation rights. Adds as prerequisites to awarding visitation that the court find that awarding custody to a grandparent is in the best interest of the child and that denial of reasonable grandparent visitation rights would cause actual or potential harm to the child. Clarifies procedures for awarding visitation. HB2132 RELATING TO STUDENT MEALS. EDN, FIN Prohibits denying a student a meal for the first: (1) thirty days of a semester while the student's application for free or reduced lunch is being processed; or (2) week the student's meal fund balance is zero or negative. Authorizes DOE to adopt rules or policies on the collection of funds for negative student meal

balances.

Committee REFERRAL HB2133 RELATING TO HEALTH. HLT, CPC, FIN Requires insurance coverage for a member obtaining a threemonth amount of contraceptive supplies upon the first dispensing of a prescription for the supplies, and a twelve-month amount of contraceptive supplies upon any subsequent dispensing. RELATING TO HEALTH. HB2134 HUS/HLT, JUD Moves section 709-908, Hawaii Revised Statutes, pertaining to furnishing tobacco products and electronic smoking devices to minors from the chapter on offenses against the family and against incompetents to the chapter on offenses against public health and morals. RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES. HB2135 EDN, JUD, FIN Allows home schooled students to participate on an equal basis in extracurricular activities offered at the public school they would otherwise be required to attend. RELATING TO ELECTRIC UTILITIES. HB2136 EEP, CPC/JUD, Gives counties the power to manage property required to operate FIN electric utilities and to acquire property necessary to operate electric utilities through eminent domain or other means allowed by law. Excludes electric utilities owned and operated by a county from the definition of "public utility" and regulation by the PUC. FIN RELATING TO TAXATION. HB2137 Changes income tax rates after 12/31/2015. HB2138 RELATING TO JUDICIAL ELECTIONS. JUD, FIN Makes conforming amendments to implement a constitutional amendment that establishes judicial elections. Requires the judiciary, office of elections, and campaign spending commission to study appropriate methods of implementing a judicial election system in the State and submit a written report, including proposed legislation, to the legislature.

HB2139 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO THE SELECTION AND RETENTION OF JUSTICES AND

JUD. FIN

JUDGES.

Proposes a constitutional amendment to require justices and judges be elected to serve six-year terms and be subject to the consent of the senate for subsequent judicial terms, authorize the governor and chief justice be authorized to make interim appointments for vacancies in the offices of the chief justice, supreme court, intermediate appellate court, and circuit courts, or district courts, respectively, and repeal the judicial selection commission. Ratification upon general election of 2018.

HB2140 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION JUD, FIN

3. OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO AMEND THE TIMEFRAME TO RENEW THE TERM OF OFFICE OF A JUSTICE OR JUDGE AND REQUIRE CONSENT OF THE SENATE FOR A JUSTICE OR JUDGE TO RENEW A TERM OF OFFICE.

Proposing a constitutional amendment to amend the timeframe to renew the term of office of a justice or judge and require consent of the senate for a justice or judge to renew a term of office.

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION HB2141

JUD, FIN

6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII. Proposes an amendment to article V, section 6, of the Hawaii State Constitution to provide that the attorney general be elected as a nonpartisan elected official rather than appointed by the governor.

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION HB2142 JUD, FIN

> 2, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII. Proposes a constitutional amendment to allow each gubernatorial nominee to appoint a person from the same political party as a running mate for lieutenant governor in the general election.

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. HB2143

AGR, JUD

Authorizes HISC to adopt rules to change its invasive species list. Authorizes an agent of HISC to enter private property, under specific conditions, to control or eradicate invasive

species.

		REFERRAL
<u>HB2144</u>	RELATING TO COUNTIES. Allows the counties to make short term investments with similar authority as the state director of finance. Requires counties' investments in bonds of any improvement district to be of investment grade or supported by the general obligation pledge of the county in which the improvement district is located.	FIN
<u>HB2145</u>	RELATING TO BEACHES. Amends the definition of "water pollutant" as used in chapter 342D, HRS, to exclude locally sourced beach sand.	OMH, EEP, JUD
<u>HB2146</u>	RELATING TO WAILUKU PROPERTIES. Requires the department of accounting and general services to develop a Wailuku state office master plan to address the shortage of space in the Wailuku state office building and old courthouse building. Makes an appropriation for the master plan. Makes an appropriation for the purchase of certain other properties in Wailuku.	WAL, FIN
<u>HB2147</u>	RELATING TO THE HISTORIC PLACES REVIEW BOARD. Authorizes members of the historic places review board to visit sites without regard to open meetings requirements.	WAL, JUD
<u>HB2148</u>	RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT. Removes the sunset date on new approvals and issuances of safe harbor agreements, habitat conservation plans, and incidental take licenses as recovery options for conserving and protecting the State's threatened and endangered species.	EEP/WAL, JUD
<u>HB2149</u>	RELATING TO LAND COURT REGISTRATION. Requires condominium leasehold interests and leasehold time share interests to be recorded only in the Bureau of Conveyances. Deletes the requirement for registration in the Land Court.	WAL, CPC, FIN
<u>HB2150</u>	RELATING TO VOTING. Specifies that an affidavit on application for voter registration shall be a part of the application associated with the issuance of a civil identification card and driver's license. Requires each county examiner of drivers to electronically store the contents of the affidavit on application for voter registration provided by applicants in conjunction with their driver's license and civil identification card applications and provide electronic accessibility of this information.	JUD, FIN

Committee

HB2151 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

JUD

Prohibits any person from wilfully exhibiting another person's ballot or another person's unvoted ballots in a special primary or primary election, except as provided in sections 11-132 and 11-139, HRS, after the ballot has been marked. Preserves the right for any voter to exhibit the voter's own marked ballot electronically or digitally to other persons, subject to sections 11-132 and 11-139, HRS.

<u>HB2152</u> RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

JUD, FIN

Beginning with the primary election in an unspecified year, requires the office of elections to implement elections by mail. Thereafter requires all federal, state, and county primary, special primary, general, special general, and special elections to be conducted by mail. Beginning on an unspecified date, establishes a minimum number of voter service centers per county and island, in lieu of traditional polling places. Requires voter service centers to provide services such as voter registration at least ten working days through the day before election day. Repeals election day voter registration at polling places, which was to take effect on January 1, 2018. Appropriates funds.

HB2153 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

JUD, FIN

Requires recounts of election votes when the margin of victory is less than two hundred fifty votes or less than one percent of the votes cast, whichever is less.

<u>HB2154</u> RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

JUD, FIN

Changes the name of the Hawaii election campaign fund to the

Hawaii citizens' election fund.

HB2155 RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE

JUD, FIN

Establishes an exemption from the prohibition against using election campaign funds to make charitable donations or to award scholarships during the period from the filing of nomination papers to the date of the general election, for candidates who are already declared elected to office after running unopposed in an election.

HB2156 RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.

JUD, FIN

Replaces the Hawaii election campaign fund with the general revenues of the State as the funding source for the operating expenses of the campaign spending commission. Appropriates moneys to the commission for operating expenses.

		Committee <u>REFERRAL</u>
<u>HB2157</u>	RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT. Allows the electronic mailing and posting of meeting notices; requires the posting of the notice on the state or appropriate county websites; and increases public access to information before a public hearing by a board.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2158</u>	RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS. Requires agencies to exercise reasonable care in the maintenance of all government records under its control that are required to be made available for public inspection.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB2159</u>	RELATING TO ETHICS. Exempts teachers involved in educational trips from certain ethics code provisions.	EDN, JUD, FIN
<u>HB2160</u>	RELATING TO LIGHT POLLUTION. Establishes a dark night skies protection advisory committee to assist DBEDT in the development of a statewide dark night skies protection strategy to preserve dark night skies and reduce light pollution.	EDB, FIN
<u>HB2161</u>	RELATING TO THE DISABILITY COMPENSATION DIVISION. Appropriates funds for the hiring of six hearing officer positions and support staff within the department of labor and industrial relations' disability compensation division and to provide the officers and staff with legal and medical training.	LAB, FIN
		Committee RE-REFERRAL
<u>HB1614</u>	RELATING TO PREMIUM CIGARS. Adds a new definition of premium cigar. Exempts premium cigars from the self-service display ban.	CPC/HLT, FIN
<u>HB1702</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Amends the income tax credit for expenses for household and dependent care services necessary for gainful employment by changing the manner for determining the taxpayer's applicable percentage of employment-related expenses that constitutes the tax credit.	FIN