HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2017**

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Rep. Richard P. Creagan, Chair Rep. Lynn DeCoite, Vice Chair

Rep. Cedric Asuega Gates Rep. Gregg Takayama

Rep. Kaniela Ing

Rep. Matthew S. LoPresti

RECEIVED

2017 FEB 13 P 1: 46

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AGR/EEP, FIN

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Rep. Chris Lee, Chair Rep. Nicole E. Lowen, Vice Chair

Rep. Ty J.K. Cullen

Rep. Calvin K.Y. Say

Rep. Cynthia Thielen

Rep. Cindy Evans Rep. Linda Ichiyama Rep. Ryan I. Yamane Rep. Beth Fukumoto

Rep. Sam Satoru Kong

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Thursday, February 16, 2017

TIME:

10:45 AM

PLACE:

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 1339 Status

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES PROGRAM

ADMINISTRATION.

Restructures the Hawaii Invasive Species Council as the Hawaii Invasive Species Authority to coordinate implementation of the Hawaii Interagency Biosecurity Plan and related duties. Appropriates funds.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. Testimony should indicate:

- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;
- The date and time of the hearing; and
- Measure number.

While every effort will be made to incorporate all testimony received, materials received on the day of the hearing or improperly identified or directed, may be distributed to the Committee after the hearing.

Submit testimony in ONE of the following ways:

PAPER: 8 copies (including an original) to Room 324 in the State Capitol;

For testimony less than 5 pages in length, transmit to 808-586-6779 (Oahu) or 1-800-535-3859 (for Neighbor FAX: Islander without a computer to submit testimony through the website); or

Hearing AGR-EEP 02-16-17

WEB: For testimony less than 10MB in size, transmit from http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/submittestimony.aspx.

Testimony submitted will be placed on the legislative website. This public posting of testimony on the website should be considered when including personal information in your testimony.

If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids and/or services to participate in the House public hearing process (i.e., sign or foreign language interpreter or wheelchair accessibility), please contact the Committee Clerk at 586-9605 or email your request for an interpreter to HouseInterpreter@Capitol.hawaii.gov at least 24 hours prior to the hearing for arrangements. Prompt requests submitted help to ensure the availability of qualified individuals and appropriate accommodations.

Selected meetings are broadcast live. Check the current legislative broadcast schedule on the "Capitol TV" website at www.capitoltv.org or call 536-2100.

Rep. Chris Lee

Chair