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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Thursday, February 16, 2017

TIME:

9:00 AM

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 1559, HD1

RELATING TO FOOD SAFETY.

EDB, HLT, FIN

(HSCR69) Status

Appropriates funds to DBEDT in each of fiscal years 2017-2018 and

2018-2019 to address the FDA's industry guidance on the use of color

additives in sea salt products. (HB1559 HD1)

HB 749, HD1

RELATING TO SOLID WASTE.

EEP, HLT, FIN

(HSCR10) Status

Requires the Department of Health and the counties to consider waste-

to-energy as part of their solid waste management practices and

processing methods in implementing the Hawaii Integrated Solid

Waste Management Act. (HB749 HD1)

HB 263

RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA.

HLT, FIN

Status

Establishes a tax on all marijuana and marijuana related products sold

by licensed medical marijuana dispensaries.

HB 985

RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA.

HLT, FIN

Specifies that ten per cent of tax revenues collected from medical Status

marijuana dispensaries shall be allocated to the mental health and

substance abuse special fund.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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