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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, January 31, 2018

TIME:

9:30 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 856 Status RELATING TO HEALTH.

HHS, JUD

Establishes additional mandatory elements to Hawaii's existing sexuality health education law to include general knowledge about sexual abuse and sexual assault, and the prevention, identification, safety resources, and health resources for victims of sexual abuse and sexual assault.

HB 1716

Status

RELATING TO A YOUTH COMMISSION.

HHS, FIN

Establishes a youth commission within the Office of Youth Services to advise the Governor and Legislature on the effects of legislative policies, needs, assessments, priorities, programs, and budgets relating to youth. Appropriates funds.

HB 1923 Status RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.

HHS, CPC

Requires operators of child care facilities, including family child care homes, group child care centers, and group child care homes, and infant and toddler child care centers that care for children less than 1 year of age to comply with additional requirements for safe sleep policies to prevent sudden unexpected infant deaths and sudden infant death syndrome in accordance with rules adopted by DHS.

HB 1764 Status RELATING TO HEALTH.

HHS, CPC, FIN

Requires the Department of Health to consolidate all inspection and licensing activities for certain state-licensed or state-certified facilities into a single office. Requires employees performing surveys or inspections for licensing or certification to be trained and accredited to inspect and certify all facilities within the office's jurisdiction.

HB 1916 Status RELATING TO HEALTH.

HHS, FIN

Requires the executive office on aging to annually update the state plan on Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. Appropriates funds.

HB 1921

RELATING TO HEALTH.

Status

HHS, FIN

HHS, CPC, JUD

Exempts gross receipts from the sale of diabetic supplies, medical oxygen, human blood and its derivatives, durable medical equipment, and mobility enhancing equipment from the general excise tax. Expands the scope of prosthetic devices exempted from the general

excise tax to include devices worn on the body.

HB 1857 <u>Status</u>

RELATING TO GESTATIONAL SURROGACY.

Provides that gestational surrogacy is permitted only when a contract containing certain terms has been executed between a gestational

surrogate and a commissioning couple.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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

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- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;
- The date and time of the hearing; and
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Rep. John M. Mizuno

Chair

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