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# NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, March 13, 2018

TIME:

10:30 AM

PLACE:

Conference Room 309

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

#### AGENDA

SB 2494, SD2 (SSCR2679) Status

RELATING TO ELEVATOR MECHANICS.

LAB, CPC, FIN

Updates requirements for apprenticeship and licensure of elevator mechanics, including examination, license renewal, continuing education, scope of work, exemptions, remote interaction, and qualifications for licensure. Clarifies powers and duties of the elevator mechanics licensing board and requirements for temporary permits. Effective 7/1/2020: license renewal, continuing education, and qualifications for licensure. (SD2)

SB 2585, SD2 (SSCR2725) <u>Status</u>

RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.

LAB, HED, FIN

Establishes a collective bargaining unit for graduate student assistants employed by the University of Hawaii. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)

SB 2297 (SSCR2575) Status

RELATING TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS.

LAB, IAC, CPC

Extends the sunset date of Act 65, SLH 2013, which provides a limited exemption to the licensing requirements for certain individuals in situations when an electric utility must retain qualified individuals to work with high voltage (six hundred volts or higher) who are not licensed in the State but are otherwise deemed qualified by the electric utility.

SB 2228, SD1 (SSCR2923) Status

RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

LAB, JUD, FIN

Authorizes a court to decree the forfeiture of all or any portion of the Employees' Retirement System benefits to which a member, former member, or retirant of state or county employment would otherwise have been entitled if the member, former member, or retirant is convicted of a felony that the court finds to be related to the employment of the member, former member, or retirant. Requires the employees' retirement system to comply with the court. Takes effect 1/1/2065. (SD1)

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SB 2427, SD2 (SSCR2750) Status

## RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.

LAB, JUD, FIN

Creates a temporary law enforcement working group to make recommendations to the legislature on establishing professional recruitment, hiring, and training standards for all state and county law enforcement officers who carry firearms and badges and who have arrest authority. Prohibits a law enforcement officer who has been terminated for misconduct by a state or county department, agency, or office in the capacity of law enforcement from being hired by another state or county law enforcement department, agency, or office. Effective 7/1/2035. (SD2)

SB 2563, SD1 (SSCR2689)

<u>Status</u>

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

LAB, EDN, FIN

Appropriates funds to the department of labor and industrial relations for the K-12 agriculture workforce development pipeline initiative.

Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)

### **DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW**

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least <u>24 hours</u> 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.

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Submit testimony in ONE of the following ways:

PAPER: 2 copies (including an original) to Room 319 in the State Capitol;

FAX: For testimony less than 5 pages in length, transmit to 808-586-6189 (Oahu) or 1-800-535-3859 (for Neighbor

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WEB: For testimony less than 20MB in size, transmit from <a href="http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/submittestimony.aspx">http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/submittestimony.aspx</a>.

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.

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