THE SENATE THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2018

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, INTERGOVERNMENTAL, AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Chair Senator Glenn Wakai, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 2, 2018

TIME: 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 414

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AGENDA</u>

SB 2137 RELATING TO COUNTY TAXING AUTHORITY. PSM, WAM Expands the taxing authority of the counties.

Status & Testimony

SB 2614 RELATING TO TAXATION. PSM, WAM

Status & Extends the period by one year that a county may adopt a surcharge on state tax, under certain conditions, from March 31,

2018, to March 31, 2019.

SB 2198 RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR PSM, WAM

Status & THE COUNTY OF KAUAI.

Testimony

Authorizes the Director of Finance to issue general obligation bonds to finance the design and construction of a Kauai Fire

bonds to finance the design and construction of a Kauai Fire Department helicopter hangar and the Pua Loke Affordable

Housing projects in the county of Kauai.

SB 2692 RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS. PSM, JDC

Status & Exempts members of a county council from the limitation on the number of members that may attend an informational meeting or

presentation on matters relating to official board business, including a meeting of another entity, legislative hearing, convention, seminar, or community meeting. Clarifies that such meetings shall be meetings that are open to the public for

purposes of permitted interactions.

SB 2167 RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS. PSM, JDC

Status & Amends the Sunshine Law to allow certain government records to be shared among public board members where no

Testimony commitment relating to a vote on the matter is made or sought.

SB 2161 RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS. PSM, JDC

Status & Testimony

Amends the Sunshine Law, part I, chapter 92, HRS, to clarify the ability of board members to attend and speak at community, educational, or informational meetings that are open to the

public; and to provide that the limitation on the number of attendees shall not apply to members of a county council.

SB 2458

RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE.

PSM, CPH

Status & Testimony

Requires state agencies to require climate vulnerability assessments for permit applications for projects involving building, transportation, or land use change that may generate significant greenhouse gas emissions. Applies to permit

applications filed after 12/31/2019.

SB 3057

RELATED TO LAND-SECURED FINANCING.

PSM, WAM

Status & Testimony

Expands the authority of counties to use land-based financing to support operating costs for certain county services provided within improvement districts and community facilities districts. Adds county maintenance of the capital improvements to be land-based financed. Authorizes counties to use up to per cent of the assessment or tax revenues to cover administrative expenses in creating and administering the district and the

associated assessments, fees, and taxes.

SB 3089

RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF CONVEYANCE.

PSM, WAM

Status & Testimony

Allows counties to enact ordinances that require the grantor of real property to include in the certificate or certificates of conveyance a statement regarding whether granted real property that is located within the county may be used for short-term rentals under the county's zoning or land use ordinances. Takes effect 7/1/2019.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Clarence K. Nishihara Chair

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