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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 2, 2021 TIME: 2:00 PM PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE Conference Room 325 State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street

THE STATE CAPITOL IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC DURING THE ONGOING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Please note that the committee members will participate remotely via videoconference. Click here to submit testimony and to testify remotely.

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HB 184 Status	RELATING TO TAX APPEALS. Clarifies that filing fees for tax appeals are nonrefundable and that no deposits are required for tax appeals.	JHA, FIN
<u>HB 186</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIFORM TRUST CODE. Enacts the Uniform Trust Code (2018). Repeals the Uniform Trustees' Powers Act, Uniform Prudent Investors Act, and article VII (trust administration) of the Uniform Probate Code.	JHA, FIN
<u>HB 189</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO DESIGNATING SUBSTITUTE JUDGES ON THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS. Authorizes the Chief Justice to designate circuit court judges, retired intermediate appellate judges, or retired supreme court justices to temporarily fill a vacancy on the Intermediate Court of Appeals.	JHA, FIN

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HB 563 Status	RELATING TO SEX OFFENDERS. Prohibits a sex offender from residing within two thousand feet of the sex offender's former victim or the victim's immediate family members. Requires the covered offender to receive approval from the Attorney General prior to a change in address.	JHA
HB 356 Status	RELATING TO THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL. Requires meetings of the judicial council to be open to the public.	JHA
HB 481 Status	RELATING TO INFORMAL MEETINGS. 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 county council business for purposes of permitted interactions. Clarifies that such meetings shall be meetings that are open to the public.	JHA, FIN
HB 529 Status	RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY. Authorizes county police and planning or permitting agencies to enter privately owned residential real property, under certain specified conditions, to address imminent threats to health and safety or violations of county zoning laws. Specifies that a property owner who receives a notice of violation and fails to remediate the violation within the county planning or permitting agency's specified time frame shall be fined a minimum of \$5,000 per day and subject to foreclosure proceedings if the fine is not paid within 90 days.	JHA, FIN
HB 72 Status	RELATING TO ELECTRIC FOOT SCOOTERS. Establishes a framework for the regulation of electric foot scooters by the State and counties. Amends definitions of "moped" to exclude electric foot scooters.	JHA, FIN
HB 350 Status	RELATING TO ATTACHMENT OF REAL PROPERTY. Increases the real property exemption amount for attachment or execution.	JHA, FIN
HB 201 Status	RELATING TO ELECTIONS. Amends or clarifies certain statutory deadlines relating to elections by mail, including the date to which the clerk must continue mailing ballot packages to voters who update their voter registration address and the date on which ballots may begin to be tabulated. Authorizes a county clerk to operate additional voter service centers with varying days or hours of operation. Provides that voters standing in line at a voter service center at the time the voter service center closes may vote or register to vote, if eligible. Authorizes a county clerk to open places for ballot deposit not earlier than the initial day that ballots are mailed.	JHA, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least <u>24 hours</u> prior to the hearing. 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 not be processed.

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Committees meeting in the morning must adjourn prior to the day's Floor Session. Therefore, due to time constraints, not all testifiers may be able to testify. However, all written submissions will be considered by the committee.

Please refrain from profanity or uncivil behavior. Violations may result in ejection from the hearing without the ability to rejoin.

The House will not be responsible for bad connections on the testifier's end.

The cable TV broadcast and/or live stream of this meeting will include closed captioning. If you require other auxiliary aids or services to participate in the public hearing process (i.e. interpretive services (oral or written) or ASL interpreter) or are unable to submit testimony via the website due to a disability, please contact the committee clerk at least 24 hours prior to the hearing so that arrangements can be made.

Click here for a complete list of House Guidelines for public testimony.

FOR AMENDED NOTICES: Measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are bolded.

For more information, please contact the Committee Clerk at 586-6680

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