

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
THE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2022

COMMITTEE ON LABOR & TOURISM

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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:      Tuesday, February 1, 2022  
TIME:      9:30 A.M.  
PLACE:     VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE  
              Conference Room 312  
              State Capitol  
              415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

[HB 1404](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.  
Requires the Department of Human Services to compile information regarding employers having employees who receive public assistance and to submit a report to the Legislature on the 50 employers with the highest number of employees receiving public assistance. Requires the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations to share employment data with the Department of Human Services.

LAT, HHH, CPC

[HB 1787](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.  
Establishes employment first as a state policy with respect to persons with disabilities. Requires state and county agencies to implement this policy in hiring and all programs and services administered or funded by the State or counties. Applies employment first principles to medicaid home- and community-based waiver programs.

LAT, CPC, JHA



[HB 1789](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.  
Establishes that the representative of labor on the Hawaii Labor Relations Board be a person selected by a majority of the exclusive representatives of the collective bargaining units.

LAT, JHA, FIN

[HB 1839](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.  
Makes camper vans a type of transient accommodation, the rental of which is subject to the transient accommodations tax.

LAT, ECD, FIN

### DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least **24 hours** prior to the hearing. Testimony received after this time will be stamped late and left to the discretion of the chair to consider. 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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Rep. Richard H.K. Onishi  
Chair

