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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, April 13, 2023
TIME: 2:15 PM
PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE
Conference Room 329
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

[SCR 28](#)
[\(SSCR1617\)](#)
[Status](#)

DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF MARCH AS HAWAII KIDNEY AWARENESS MONTH. CPC

[SCR 48, SD1](#)
[\(SSCR1690\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS COMPILE PERTINENT DATA TO DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE SCOPE OF A STUDY ANALYZING WHETHER IMPLEMENTATION IN THIS STATE OF LAWS SIMILAR TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE LAWS OF MASSACHUSETTS WOULD ADDRESS THIS STATE'S RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY INSURANCE NEEDS. CPC



[SCR 91, SD1](#)
[\(SSCR1668\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE EXISTING PROCEDURES FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE STATE BUILDING CODE.

CPC, FIN

[SCR 124](#)
[\(SSCR1694\)](#)
[Status](#)

URGING THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION TO DEVELOP POLICIES AND PROGRAMS TO INFORM AND EDUCATE CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION OWNERS AND BOARD MEMBERS OF CERTAIN MATTERS TO PROMOTE THE EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATIONS.

CPC

[SCR 131, SD1](#)
[\(SSCR1696\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING THE REGULATED INDUSTRIES COMPLAINTS OFFICE TO REPORT THE ITEMIZED TOTAL AMOUNT OF FINES OR JUDGMENTS COLLECTED AND UNCOLLECTED EACH YEAR, FROM 1983 TO PRESENT, AND TO INCLUDE THAT INFORMATION IN THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS' ANNUAL COMPLIANCE RESOLUTION FUND REPORT.

CPC, FIN

[SCR 147, SD1](#)
[\(SSCR1706\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO REVISE CURRENT RATE STRUCTURES AND PROVIDE ADDITIONAL BENEFITS FOR THOSE COMMUNITIES THAT HOST RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS.

CPC, FIN

[SCR 183, SD1](#)
[\(SSCR1568\)](#)
[Status](#)

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY PROVIDING CERTAIN HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR ALL CHILDREN AND PREGNANT PERSONS WHO WOULD OTHERWISE QUALIFY FOR COVERAGE IF NOT FOR THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS.

CPC, FIN

[SCR 188](#)
[\(SSCR1698\)](#)
[Status](#)

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES' MED-QUEST DIVISION TO ADVOCATE THAT THE STATE INCREASE MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENTS TO DENTISTS AND, UPON AN INCREASE APPROVAL, TO PROACTIVELY INFORM BOTH DENTAL SERVICE PROVIDERS AND MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES OF NEW RATE PLANS.

CPC, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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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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Rep. Mark M. Nakashima
Chair

