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NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE: Friday, March 1, 2024
TIME: 9:50 AM
PLACE: Conference Room 211 & Videoconference
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street
TIMESLOT: WAM

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A G E N D A

The following measure(s) were previously heard in their respective subject matter committees:

<p><u>SB 1590, SD1</u> (SSCR2529) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Requires the Department of Agriculture to assess the steps necessary for the State to supplement federal authority to perform meat inspections within the State. Requires the Department of Agriculture to assess the steps necessary to transfer full authority over meat inspections from federal authority to the State. Appropriates funds for the establishment of three full-time equivalent (3.0 FTE) inspector positions within the Department of Agriculture to perform meat inspections. Takes effect 7/1/2050. (SD1)</p>	<p>AEN, WAM/CPN</p>
<p><u>SB 2106, SD1</u> (SSCR2238) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO VALUE-ADDED PRODUCTION. Establishes the Access to Local Value-Added Products Act to allow homemade food operations to sell homemade food products, under certain conditions, upon registering with and receiving a permit from the Department of Health. (SD1)</p>	<p>AEN, CPN/WAM</p>

<p>SB 2122, SD1 (SSCR2145) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO ENERGY-EFFICIENCY PORTFOLIO STANDARDS. Extends the State's energy efficiency portfolio standards from 2030 to 2045. Authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to establish interim goals, and clarifies procedures. Takes effect 1/1/2060. (SD1)</p>	<p>EET, CPN/WAM</p>
<p>SB 2503, SD1 (SSCR2581) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO EQUITY. Requires all places of public accommodation constructed after 12/31/24 to provide universal changing accommodations that are equally accessible regardless of gender. Requires state building construction projects that are bid after 6/30/2025 to include universal changing accommodations that are equally accessible regardless of gender, when doing so is feasible and cost effective. (SD1)</p>	<p>HHS/GVO, CPN/WAM</p>
<p>SB 2605, SD1 (SSCR2583) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO HEALTH CARE. Beginning 1/1/2025, requires health insurers, mutual benefit societies, and health maintenance organizations to provide health insurance coverage for various sexual and reproductive health care services. Applies this coverage to health benefits plans under the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1)</p>	<p>HHS, CPN/WAM</p>
<p>SB 2673, SD1 (SSCR2270) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO INSURANCE. Requires that the authorized insurance benefits for chiropractic treatments for personal injury protection benefits under motor vehicle insurance be tied to the charges, and any subsequent increases in charges, permissible under the workers' compensation supplemental medical schedule. Takes effect 7/1/2075. (SD1)</p>	<p>LBT, CPN/WAM</p>
<p>SB 3220, SD1 (SSCR2461) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS. Transfers the jurisdiction of enforcement of the Motor Carrier Law from the Public Utilities Commission to the Department of Transportation. Makes conforming amendments. Declares that the general fund expenditure ceiling is exceeded. Makes an appropriation. Takes effect 1/1/2050. (SD1)</p>	<p>TCA, CPN/WAM</p>
<p>SB 3316 (SSCR2544) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO PESTICIDES. Requires monthly rather than annual reporting of restricted use pesticides. Amends the contents of reports to include specific geospatial data and information, site information, and increased detail on the amount of restricted use pesticides used. Requires the Department of Agriculture to develop an online reporting tool for restricted use pesticides.</p>	<p>AEN, CPN/WAM</p>

[SB 3335, SD1](#)
[\(SSCR2621\)](#)
[Status &](#)
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RELATING TO CANNABIS.
Establishes the Hawaii Cannabis Authority and Cannabis Control Board within the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to regulate all aspects of the cannabis plant. Establishes the Cannabis Control Implementation Advisory Committee. Beginning January 1, 2026, legalizes the personal adult use of cannabis. Establishes taxes for adult-use cannabis and medical cannabis sales. Transfers the personnel and assets of the Department of Health and assets of the Department of Agriculture to the Hawaii Cannabis Authority. Declares that the general fund expenditure ceiling is exceeded. Makes appropriations. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1)

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