

THE THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2026

NOTICE OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MEETING

DATE: Friday, April 24, 2026  
TIME: 11:00 AM  
PLACE: Conference Room 325  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A live stream link of all Conference Committee meetings will be available online.

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A G E N D A

The Conference Committee will meet to resolve differences between the last House and Senate versions of the following:

[SB 2102, SD2, HD2](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP.

DAB; Hemp; Hemp-Derived Feed Ingredient; Commercial Feed; Rules

**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Grandinetti, Co-Chairs; Kusch, Matsumoto (AGR, CPC)

**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Lamosao, Co-Chair; Richards, Awa (AEN, CPN)

[SB 2110, SD1, HD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaption Commission; Conservation Agriculture and Soil Health Incentive Program; Agriculture; Technical Assistance; Reports; Appropriation

**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Lowen/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Perruso, Matsumoto (AGR/EEP, FIN)

**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Richards, Co-Chair; Rhoads (AEN, WAM)

[SB 2153, SD2, HD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

DAB; Working Group; Bona Fide Farmer; Bona Fide Agricultural Activity; Definitions; Report

**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Kahaloa, Matsumoto (AGR, FIN)

**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Richards, Co-Chair; DeCoite (AEN, WAM)

[SB 2319, SD1, HD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND BIOSECURITY.

DAB; Grant Writer; Position; Permanent; Appropriation

**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, FIN)

**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Richards, Co-Chair; Awa (AEN, WAM)

[SB 2321, SD1, HD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO THE TWO-LINED SPITTLEBUG.  
DAB; Two-Lined Spittlebug Response Pilot Program; Invasive Species; Reports; Appropriation  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, FIN)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Richards, Co-Chair; Rhoads (AEN, WAM)

[SB 2706, SD1, HD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.  
DAB; LCC; DHRD; Agriculture and Biosecurity Workforce Development Pilot Program; Report; Appropriation  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Garrett/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, HED, FIN)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Kim/Richards, Co-Chairs; Awa (AEN/EDU, WAM)

[SB 2800, SD1, HD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO IRRIGATION SYSTEMS.  
DAB; DLNR; ADC; Irrigation Systems; Appropriation  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Hashem/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, WAL, FIN)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Lee, C./DeCoite/Richards, Co-Chairs (AEN/WLA/EDT, WAM)

[SB 3233, SD1, HD2](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WORKFORCE HOUSING.  
DAB; ADC; State Agencies; Agricultural Workforce Housing Incentives; Agricultural Leases; State Procurement; Preferences; Report  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Miyake/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, HSG, FIN)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; McKelvey/Richards, Co-Chairs; Rhoads (AEN/GVO, WAM)

[HB 1929, HD1, SD2](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO BIOSECURITY.  
DAB; Molokai; Biosecurity; Advisory Board; Quarantine Facility; Molokai Biosecurity Plan; Positions; Appropriations  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, FIN)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; DeCoite, Co-Chair; Rhoads, Awa (AEN, WAM)

[HB 2152, HD2, SD2](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO DOG ATTACKS.  
Dog Attacks; Livestock; Agricultural District; Liability  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Tarnas, Co-Chairs; Kusch, Matsumoto (AGR, JHA)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Rhoads, Co-Chair; DeCoite, Richards (AEN, JDC)

[HB 2551, HD1, SD1](#)

[Status & Testimony](#)

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.  
Department of Agriculture and Biosecurity; Area-Wide Fruit Fly Suppression Program; Appropriation  
**House Conferees:** Representatives Chun/Kusch, Co-Chairs; Matsumoto (AGR, FIN)  
**Senate Conferees:** Senators Gabbard, Chair; Richards, Co-Chair; Awa (AEN, WAM)

As this is a decision making meeting only, no public testimony will be accepted.

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