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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, February 12, 2026
TIME: 10:30 am
PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE
Conference Room 423
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

[HB1950](#)
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RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.
Establishes the State-led Marketing and Branding Special Fund and requires that a portion of all transient accommodations taxes that would otherwise be deposited into the general fund be deposited into the special fund, to be used for state-led marketing, branding, and tourism management. Requires the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism to develop and submit to the Legislature an annual comprehensive marketing, branding, and tourism management plan.

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HB2268 Status	RELATING TO FILM PRODUCTION. Adds the marketing and promotion of film production as a power of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority.	TOU/ECD, FIN
HB2156 Status	RELATING TO TAXATION. Increases the filing thresholds for the General Excise Tax and Transient Accommodations Tax.	TOU/ECD, FIN
HB1946 Status	RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF TIME SHARES. Provides that applications for registration renewal required by section 514E-10, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, shall be deemed approved upon delivery. Provides that any amendment to a required time share plan registration shall be deemed approved by operation of law on the forty-fifth day after the amendment is submitted to the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, unless the Director issues a deficiency letter within that period. Effective 1/1/2027.	TOU, CPC

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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