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COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

Senator Colleen Hanabusa, Chair Senator Clayton Hee, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Friday, March 24, 2006

TIME:

9:00 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

The following bills have been previously heard by subject matter Senate committees. Any subject matter changes will require the prior concurrence of the committee chair. Please focus your testimony on matters under the purview of JHW.

HB 1955 HD1, SD1 (SSCR2963)	RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL. Increases the mandatory minimum fines for littering violations, including littering from a motor vehicle, littering in public, and criminal littering. (SD1)	EIA/IGA, JHW
HB 1947 (SSCR2937)	RELATING TO LIABILITY. Clarifies that any decision of the State, the department of transportation, the counties, or any officer, employee, or agent thereof, to select or apply flexible highway design shall not give rise to a cause of action or claim against them.	TGO, JHW
HB 2422 HD1, SD1 (SSCR2957)	RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY. Increases the penalties for motorists who violate Hawaii's crosswalk law. (HB2422 HD1)	TGO, JHW
HB 2639 HD2, SD1 (SSCR2956)	RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE. Increases sanctions for driving with a high blood alcohol level. Eff. 7/1/07 (SD1)	TGO, JHW
HB 2691 SD1 (SSCR2951)	RELATING TO PREVAILING WAGES. Allows a joint labor-management committee established pursuant to the federal Labor Management Cooperation Act of 1978 to institute an action for injunctive and other relief against an employer that fails to pay its employees the prevailing wage. (SD1)	LBR, JHW
HB 3254 HD1 (SSCR2955)	RELATING TO OATHS OF OFFICE. Repeals various provisions that require public employees to take a loyalty oath. (HB3254 HD1)	LBR, JHW

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

Persons wishing to testify should submit 25 (three-hole punched) copies of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 227, State Capitol, 24 hours prior to the hearing. Testimony may also be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the



hearing. When faxing, please indicate to whom the testimony is being submitted, the date and time of the hearing, and the required number of copies needed for submittal.

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Senator Colleen Hanapusa

Chair