## THE SENATE THE TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2006



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COMMITTEE ON LABOR Senator Brian Kanno, Chair Senator Les Ihara, Jr., Vice Chair

## **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE: Wednesday, February 1, 2006

TIME: 2:45 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

## AGENDA

LBR	<u>A G E N D A</u>	
SB 2210	RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE.  Allows an employee to elect to use accrued paid leave, including vacation, personal, or family leave, for any part of the four-week period of family leave provided under the law.	LBR, JHW
SB 2194	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM EMPLOYEES. Requires, rather than permits, a background check for certain employees of condominiums.	LBR, CPH
SB 2021	RELATING TO THE EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND.  Allows a retiree who moves outside of the coverage of the EUTF to be reimbursed for the lesser of an amount equal to contributions for a retiree under the EUTF or the amount of the personal health insurance policy.	LBR, WAM
SB 2272	RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND.  Permits the EUTF to require individuals who become eligible for Medicare Part B reimbursements on or after 7/01-06 to accept direct deposit of the reimbursements to an institution of their choice.	LBR, WAM
SB 2207	RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS.  Excludes retirees from participation in the pilot program for VEBA trusts. Requires any retiree who has become a participant in a VEBA trust to be restored to membership in the EUTF on or before October 1, 2006.	LBR, WAM

## Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Brian Kanno

Chair