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COMMITTEE ON MEDIA, ARTS, SCIENCE, AND TECHNOLOGY

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COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Senator Will Espero, Chair Senator Carol Fukunaga, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, February 7, 2006

TIME:

1:30 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 225

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 2269	RELATING TO THE CAPITAL LOAN PROGRAM. Redirects existing principal and interest payments of outstanding Hawaii Capitol Loan Program loans to the Hawaii Strategic Development Corp. revolving fund for purposes of matching program revenues with expenditures.	MAT/BED, WAM
SB 2078	RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRAINING. Appropriates funds to EDAH for the expansion of technology training opportunities.	MAT/BED, WAM
SB 2100	RELATING TO VENTURE FINANCING. Appropriates matching funds to the Hawaii strategic development corporation to be utilized in attracting additional private venture capital to accelerate the growth of Hawaii's technology sectors.	MAT/BED, WAM
SB 2547	RELATING TO CAPITAL INVESTMENTS. Increases the total amount of issued and transferable tax credits. Adds insurance premium taxes to the list of applicable taxes. Ensures that tax credits will be invested in Hawaii companies. Authorizes the corporation to use refundable credits to support technology industry development efforts.	MAT/BED, WAM

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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