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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, March 15, 2006

TIME:

2:00 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 224

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 440

RELATING TO THE OMBUDSMAN.

HD2 (HSCR153-06) Expands jurisdiction of ombudsman to include private providers providing health services and human services under contract to a

governmental agency. Changes first assistant to deputy ombudsman.

(HB440 HD2)

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HB 3087

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.

HD2 (HSCR867-06) Gives the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation (HHSC) more autonomy regarding procurement matters by designating the chief

executive officer of HHSC as the chief procurement officer. Raises the amount for which a purchase may qualify as a small purchase from

\$25,000 to \$50,000. (HB3087 HD2)

HB 3123

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HD1

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HURRICANE

PREPAREDNESS.

(HSCR694-06)

Funds a study to assess the structural integrity of each hospital and nursing home facility to determine their ability to withstand hurricanes.

Makes appropriation. (HB3123 HD1)

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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