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COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair
Senator Shan S. Tsutsui, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE: Thursday, April 6, 2006
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 211
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

HB 1889 HD1, SD1 (SSCR3027)	RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. Establishes the Heléne Hale Office of International Affairs to coordinate and promote peace through improved economic, social, cultural, and scientific relations with other countries. (SD1)	EIA, WAM
HB 3217 HD1 (SSCR3067)	RELATING TO KUPUNA RECOGNITION DAY. Establishes Kupuna Recognition Day; appropriates funds. (HB3217 HD1)	HMS, WAM
HB 1033 HD1, SD1 (SSCR1225)	RELATING TO INCOME TAX. Establishes an income tax credit for farmers who are forced to purchase water at higher rates from county water boards rather than at lower state irrigation system rates. Establishes the amount of the credit as the difference in the cost of water at the rates charged by the county board of water supply and the state irrigation system. Defines "farmer" as one who derives at least 50% of gross income from farming. (SD1)	WLA/IGA, WAM
HB 3118 HD1 (SSCR3130)	RELATING TO CORPORATIONS. Authorizes the incorporation of companies under the proposed Responsible Business Corporation Act for corporations that consider the public's interest in doing business. (HB3118 HD1)	CPH, WAM

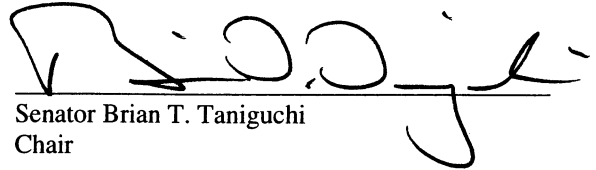
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Senator Brian T. Taniguchi
Chair

