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COMMITTEE ON WATER, LAND, AND AGRICULTURE

Senator Russell S. Kokubun, Chair Senator Gary L. Hooser, Vice Chair

<u>MEASURES DEFERRED TO MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2006</u>

TIME:

2:45 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 212

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

(Deferred from Monday, February 6, 2006)

SB 3191

RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN.

WLA/IGA, JHW

Prohibits use of power of eminent domain to take private property and transfer it to a private entity that had expressed interest in purchasing the same property for development purposes or other private use.

SB 2986

RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN.

WLA/IGA, JHW

Provides regulations for property taken by eminent domain.

SB 2969

RELATING TO PARKS.

WLA/IGA, WAM

Creates an advisory task force to develop an action plan for the transfer of jurisdiction over state parks from department of land and natural resources to the counties; requires a report of recommendations and implementing legislation be submitted to the legislature before the 2007 regular session.

SB 2412

RELATING TO STATE AND COUNTY TORT LIABILITY.

WLA/IGA, JHW

Repeals the sunset date of Act 190, SLH 1996, which establishes conclusive presumptions regarding the duty of public entities to warn of dangers at public beach parks. Repeals the sunset date of Act 170, SLH 2002, which provides an exception to liability for county

lifeguard services.

SB 2017

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE LIFEGUARDS.

WLA/IGA, WAM

Appropriates funds for salaries and benefits for lifeguards for the islands of Kauai and Maui in areas under the jurisdiction of the department of land and natural resources, subject to provision of

county matching funds.

SB 2759

RELATING TO HOUSING.

WLA/IGA, CPH

Requires all state and county agencies to give affordable housing projects priority in land use and permit approval, except for other

projects involving the health or safety of the community.

SB 3075

RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LAND.

WLA/IGA, WAM

Establishes an important agricultural land (IAL) tax credit equal to the amount of county property tax paid by taxpayers who use their IAL for commercial agricultural purposes. Reduces each county's portion of the transient accommodations tax revenue by the amount of credits

claimed against each county's property tax assessments.

SB 3168

RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF REAL PROPERTY.

IGA/WLA, WAM

Allows each county to grant, sell or otherwise dispose of easements for chilled water and seawater distribution systems for renewable energy seawater air conditioning district cooling systems by negotiation

without public auction.

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 586-6760.