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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, March 20, 2007
TIME: 1:15 pm
PLACE: Conference Room 224
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A M E N D E D A G E N D A

The following measure(s) has been **ADDED** to the agenda:

EDT Only

HB 317 HD2 (HSCR1088)	RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT ORGANIZATIONS. Exempts from the General Excise Tax amounts that a client company pays to a professional employment organization that will be expended to pay the wages, salaries, payroll taxes, and benefits of the employees hired by a client company. Protects the rights of employees. (HB317 HD2)	EDT, WAM
HB 1277 HD2, SD1 (SSCR1057)	RELATING TO TAX CREDITS. Establishes a tax credit for the revitalization of the leeward coast. Provides an income tax credit for affordable rental housing and educational and training facilities constructed on the leeward coast of Oahu. Repeals the Ko Olina Resort and Marina and Makaha Resort tax credit. (SD1)	TSG, EDT, WAM
HB 1755 HD1 (HSCR1169)	RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX. Clarifies that the reduced general excise tax rate of 0.5 per cent on business-to-business services applies to dealers furnishing goods or services to the purchaser of tangible personal property to fulfill a warranty obligation of the manufacturer of the property. (HB1755 HD1)	EDT, WAM

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.



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Senator Carol Fukunaga
Chair

