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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: THURSDAY, February 22, 2007
TIME: 2:00 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 5

HB 453 (HSCR411)	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN. Appropriates moneys for the Hawaii state commission on the status of women for programming, travel, and office expenses.	HSH, FIN
HB 1907 (HSCR423)	RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES. Authorizes issuance of special purpose revenue bonds for 15 Craigside, a continuing care retirement community, in Nuuanu.	HSH, FIN
HB 1043 HD1 (HSCR416)	RELATING TO CHILDREN. Establishes a task force to coordinate resources for homeless children. Establishes and appropriates funds to the Kokua Na Keiki Special Fund. Sunsets on June 30, 2010.	HSH, FIN
HB 1356 HD1 (HSCR115)	RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION BOARD ALLOWANCE FOR FORMER FOSTER YOUTH. Increases the time limit for application for a higher education board allowance. Increases the maximum age for the benefit from 21 years to 26 years with a maximum benefit length of 60 months.	HSH, FIN
HB 473 HD1 (HSCR533)	RELATING TO TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES. Appropriates funds to the Bridge to Hope Program to accommodate new federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program recipient-students to enable them to pursue education activities beyond the new two-year federal limit. Makes other clarifying amendments.	HSH, FIN

HB 456
(HSCR412)

RELATING TO MEDICAID.

HSH, FIN

Requires department of human services to directly reimburse sellers of over-the-counter Plan B emergency contraception to women who are recipients of medicaid, without incurring expenses for recipients, who purchase such medication.

HB 104
HD1
(HSCR532)

RELATING TO HEALTH.

HSH/HLT, FIN

Amends Medicaid fee schedule law to require an annual adjustment for inflation. Appropriates funds to retroactively adjust for inflation, payments made to fee-for-service providers for fiscal biennium 2005-2007. Changes Medicaid fee schedule to 100 percent of the 2006 Medicare fee schedule.

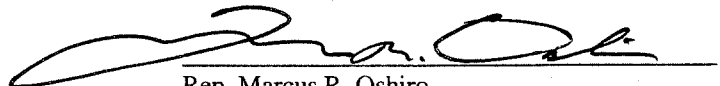
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