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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: MONDAY, April 2, 2007
TIME: 5:45 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 5

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| SB 95
SD1
(HSCR1324) | RELATING TO VACANT POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION.
Repeals provisions relating to vacant positions that are no longer
needed due to Act 51, Session Laws of Hawaii 2004. | EDN/LAB, FIN |
| SB 96
SD3, HD1
(HSCR1499) | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Requires reasonable suspicion drug testing of public school employees,
teachers, and public library employees; requires department of
education to adopt rules to determine sanctions for positive drug tests.
Requires the department of education to develop procedures for
obtaining the criminal history of certain persons who are seeking to
serve as providers or subcontractors and trainees from an institution of
higher education. Allows the department to pass on fees charged by
the Hawaii criminal justice data center. Repeals the authority of the
department to refuse to issue or to revoke a teaching or other
educational certificate. Makes appropriation. | EDN/LAB, JUD,
FIN |
| SB 613
SD2, HD1
(HSCR1510) | RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Improves the junior kindergarten program. Promotes the training and
professional development of early childhood educators. Increases the
availability of facilities for early childhood education programs.
Appropriates funds. | EDN, FIN |
| SB 1092
(SSCR708) | RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Amends Act 246, Session Laws of Hawaii 2006, the Fix Our Schools
Act, by extending the appropriation lapse date. | FIN |

SB 1820
SD1, HD1
(HSCR1333)

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Authorizes the Department of Education to enter into financing agreements with the concurrence of the Director of Finance and without the approval of the Comptroller. Creates a new account within the State Educational Facilities Improvement Special Fund for lease payments required by financing agreements entered into by DOE for new schools.

EDN, FIN

SB 1932
SD2
(HSCR1469)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and general revenue appropriations for department of education and University of Hawaii repair and maintenance projects. Provides public land and facilities for early childhood education programs. Appropriates funds for early childhood education facilities.

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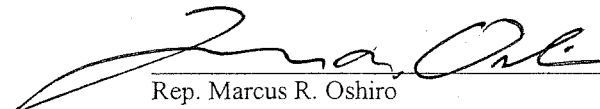
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