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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: March 12, 2007
TIME: 8:31 A.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 329
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

SB 238 SD2 (SSCR812)	RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH. Increases the reimbursement rate for medicaid and QUEST psychiatric services according to county population. Requires notice to HMOs and prepaid health plans of any rate adjustments. Requires annual report to legislature. Appropriates \$ for the reimbursement rate increase. (SD2)	HSH/HLT, FIN
SB 248 SD2 (SSCR780)	RELATING TO THE STATE COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD. Appropriates funds for staffing of state commission on fatherhood. Extends sunset to 6/30/09. (SD2)	HSH, FIN
SB 249 (SSCR852)	RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD. Makes the state commission on fatherhood permanent by repealing the sunset date on the law that established it.	HSH, FIN
SB 424 SD2 (SSCR1013)	RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. Expands the bridge to hope program to enable heads of households receiving financial assistance and participating in the first-to-work programs to pursue educational activities beyond the new two-year federal limit. (SD2)	HSH, FIN

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SB 1101 SD2 (SSCR1020)	RELATING TO CHILDREN. Establishes a task force to coordinate resources for homeless children; establishes and appropriates funds to a special fund; sunset date. (SD2)	HSH, FIN
SB 1161 SD1 (SSCR1005)	RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE. Requires the department of human services to provide a written report to the court and the parties two days prior to a hearing in a case where there are allegations of domestic abuse. (SD1)	HSH, JUD
SB 1163 SD2 (SSCR945)	RELATING TO FOSTER CHILDREN'S TRANSITION TO ADULTHOOD. Requires the permanent plan of certain foster children age fourteen and older to include an appropriate independent living program. (SD2)	HSH, JUD, FIN
SB 1184 SD2 (SSCR1026)	RELATING TO ADULT PROTECTION. Amends dependent adult protective services law by: (1) deleting definition of "dependent adult"; (2) extending protections to persons over 18 years of age if they meet the definition of "vulnerable adult"; (3) enabling the department of human services to investigate and the court to have jurisdiction when reason exists to believe that a vulnerable adult has been abused or is threatened with imminent abuse; (4) making conforming amendments for style, consistency, and clarity; and (5) appropriating funds to the department of human services. (SD2)	HSH, JUD, FIN
SB 1203 (SSCR938)	RELATING TO SOCIAL SERVICES. Requires the department of human services to develop and implement a "cash and counseling" pilot program and appropriates funds for that purpose.	HSH, FIN
SB 1210 SD1 (SSCR674)	RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FACILITIES. Increases authorization for special purpose revenue bonds under Act 296, SLH 1999. Extends repeal date of SPRBs for Honolulu Neighborhood Housing Services from 6/30/08 to 6/30/2011.	HSH, FIN
SB 1337 (SSCR873)	RELATING TO CONTEMPT OF COURT. Facilitates the enforcement of an order compelling a parent to pay child support, medical support, or other remedial care for his or her child, by providing that proof that the parent was present in court at the time the order was pronounced or that parent was served with said order, and proof that the parent did not comply with said order, constitutes prima facie evidence of a civil contempt of court.	HSH, JUD
SB 600 (SSCR705)	RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONVERSION. Exempts from taxation 100% of capital gains realized during taxable years 2008-2012 from sale of leased fee interest in condominium units to association of apartment owners or residential cooperative corporations.	HSH, CPC, FIN
SB 823 SD1 (SSCR662)	RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to build infrastructure for low- and moderate-income housing projects. (SD1)	HSH, FIN

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SB 1116
SD1
(SSCR691)

RELATING TO RENTAL APPLICATION FEES.
Regulates the imposition of rental application fees by landlords. (SD1)

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DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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