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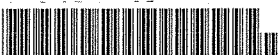
NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, January 24, 2008
TIME: 2:00 pm
PLACE: Conference Room 325
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HB 2145</u>	RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY. Allows individuals attempting to claim unclaimed property from the State to assert ownership through affidavit.	CPC/JUD, FIN
<u>HB 2033</u>	RELATING TO CRIME. Creates a new criminal offense of unlawful distribution of adware or spyware if a person knowingly transmits prohibited computer software, adware, or spyware to a computer to obtain the owner's personally identifiable information or control the computer, and makes the offense a class B felony.	CPC, JUD
<u>HB 2251</u>	RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY. Requires any residential real property equity purchaser to provide homeowner with certain disclosures. Requires notices and sales contracts to be in writing, and provides cooling off period for homeowner to cancel sale contract.	CPC, JUD

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<u>HB 2254</u>	RELATING TO BANKS AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. Prohibits the deceptive use of the name or trademark of a financial institution or its affiliates or subsidiaries. Establishes \$10,000 fine for violations.	CPC, JUD
<u>HB 1970</u>	RELATING TO PREPAID CALLING CARDS. Requires companies selling prepaid calling cards to disclose the terms and services of the cards. Makes a violation of disclosure requirement an unfair or deceptive act or practice.	CPC
<u>HB 2123</u>	RELATING TO UTILITIES. Establishes a utilities coordinating council to coordinate the orderly planning and installation, removal, or relocation of underground facilities.	CPC, TRN, FIN
<u>HB 2248</u>	RELATING TO INSURANCE. Provides that a reciprocal insurer and its attorney-in-fact are considered a single entity for general excise tax purposes.	CPC, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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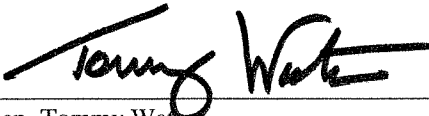
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PAPER: 5 copies (including an original) to Room 315 in the State Capitol; or

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