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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Thursday, January 31, 2008

TIME:

3:00 pm

PLACE:

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 2309

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION RELATING TO OVERSIGHT OF

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.

Appropriates funds for the attorney general to provide more rigorous monitoring of expenditures and fundraising activities of charities.

HB 2308

RELATING TO CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.

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HB 2749

RELATING TO PERSONAL INFORMATION.

CPC/JUD, FIN

Implements recommendations of the 12/2007 report of the Hawaii identity theft task force to protect the security of personal information

Requires charitable organizations to register with the attorney general.

collected and maintained by state and county government.

HB 2252

RELATING TO INSURANCE.

CPC/JUD, FIN

Replaces the property and liability insurance guaranty association act with the National Conference of Insurance Legislators post-assessment property liability insurance guaranty association model act, which provides among other things expanded provisions on "covered claims" and replaces the association's power to cancel policies issued by insolvent insurers with immunity from pre-liquidation settlements of the insurer.

HB 2326

RELATING TO MORTGAGES.

CPC/JUD, FIN

Imposes certain restrictions on foreclosure consultants. Requires foreclosure consulting contracts to be in writing containing full disclosure of nature of consulting services to be provided, along with right to cancel. Prohibits certain acts by foreclosure consultants. Requires disclosures relating to foreclosure reconveyances and right to rescind any transfer of deed or title by homeowner. Exempts measure from "Sunrise Law" review.

HB 3088

RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE PRACTICES.

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Repeals the law on Mortgage Brokers and Solicitors, chapter 454, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and replaces it with a statute that provides for more specialized regulation of residential mortgage brokers, residential mortgage lenders and residential loan originators by the Division of Financial Institutions.

HB 3104

RELATING TO THE PREVENTION OF MORTGAGE RESCUE

FRAUD.

Requires mortgage foreclosure rescuers to provide specific information and disclosures to distressed property owners as well as impose specific prohibitions on mortgage foreclosure rescuers.

HB 2691

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS: MAKING VARIOUS TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, AND CLARIFYING LANGUAGE. Amends various provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes relating to condominiums for the purpose of correcting errors and references, and

clarifying language.

HB 2692

MAKING VARIOUS HOUSEKEEPING AMENDMENTS TO VOLUME 11 OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, AND CLARIFYING LANGUAGE.

Amends various provisions of volume 11 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes for the purpose of correcting errors and references, and clarifying language.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the hearing with a transmittal cover indicating:

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