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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: January 31, 2008
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 325
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

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| <u>HB 2253</u> | RELATING TO AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 281, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, INTOXICATING LIQUOR, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, CORRECTING ERRORS, AND DELETING UNNECESSARY AND OBSOLETE PROVISIONS. Amends sections of chapter 281 to update the liquor laws. | EDB, CPC/JUD |
| <u>HB 2960</u> | RELATING TO LIQUOR. Allows holder of class 1 liquor manufacturer's license to also sell liquor made from cane for private consumption, and to sell liquor from fruits or cane grown in Hawaii for consumption on the premises; requires liquor labeled with "Hawaii" or similar terms to be wholly manufactured in the State. | EDB, CPC/JUD |
| <u>HB 3255</u> | RELATING TO TAXATION. Provides an exemption for common carriers from general excise and use taxes on fuel used for intrastate air travel. | EDB, TRN, FIN |
| <u>HB 2860</u> | RELATING TO TAXATION. Exempts from general excise and use taxes the fuel sold from a foreign-trade zone for intrastate air transportation by common carriers. | EDB, TRN, FIN |
| <u>HB 2228</u> | MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. Appropriates \$500,000 into the Hawaii community-based economic development revolving fund to financially assist qualifying community-based organizations statewide. | EDB, FIN |



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| <u>HB 2395</u> | RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. Establishes the Hawaii innovation development corporation to promote the development and exploitation of innovations and inventions that have direct economic benefits for Hawaii. | EDB, FIN |
| <u>HB 2473</u> | RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY. Extends funding for the Hawaii broadband task force from fiscal year 2007-2008 to add fiscal year 2008-2009. | EDB, FIN |
| <u>HB 2415</u> | RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY. Removes the \$25,000 limit on HTDC grants to recipients of federal Small Business Innovation Research Phase I awards or contracts, or federal Small Business Technology Transfer Program awards; retains limit of 50 percent of the federal award or contract. | EDB, FIN |
| <u>HB 2259</u> | RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT. Makes an appropriation for costs associated with applying for a spaceport license from the Federal Aviation Administration. | EDB, FIN |
| <u>HB 2939</u> | RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT. Appropriates funds for the continuing operations of the Pacific international space center for exploration systems. | EDB, FIN |
| <u>HB 3085</u> | RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION. Clarifies the law relating to registration and protection of trademarks and names and clarifies how similar trade names are resolved. | EDB, CPC/JUD, FIN |
| <u>HB 3101</u> | RELATING TO INSURANCE. Authorizes the creation and regulation of special purpose financial captive insurance companies (SPFCIC). Establishes confidentiality provisions applicable to captives, including SPFCs. | EDB, CPC/JUD, FIN |

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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