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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: TUESDAY, February 26, 2008
TIME: 1:00 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 4

HB 2908

(HSCR296-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS.

Requires the Auditor to submit an annual report to the Legislature identifying all audit recommendations more than one year old that have not been implemented. Requires all affected agencies notified by the Auditor that an audit recommendation more than one year old has not been implemented to submit a written report to the Auditor, the Senate President, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives explaining why the recommendation was not implemented and the estimated date of implementation. Requires each department, office or agency, or political subdivision subject to an audit to provide updates on the implementation of the Auditor's recommendations at intervals prescribed by the Auditor.

LMG, FIN

HB 3367, HD2

(HSCR456-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO WIRELESS ENHANCED 911.

Requires the Auditor to perform a financial and management audit of the wireless enhanced 911 fund.

PSM, CPC, FIN

HB 2207

(HSCR405-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISASTER RELIEF.

Appropriates moneys to maximize available federal reimbursements to assist Hawaii county with earthquake recovery efforts.

PSM, FIN

HB 2555, HD1

(HSCR347-08)

Status

(Email Testimony)

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII CIVIL AIR PATROL.

Makes appropriation for expenses of the Hawaii wing, civil air patrol.

PSM, FIN



HB 2664
(HSCR628-08)
Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF.

Clarifies the use of the governor's emergency powers. Clarifies that the governor shall not utilize the power to suspend laws authorized under the Civil Defense and Emergency Act when the State is attacked for purposes of noncivil defense situations unless there is a tangible and measurable threat to the people or environment of the State. Establishes that certain provisions of the State's disaster relief chapter are operative and supersede provisions of the Civil Defense and Emergency Act in times when an emergency arises that is not considered a civil defense emergency. States that any emergency powers in force prior to the effective date of this measure expire at the end of the 2008 regular session unless reauthorized by the legislature.

PSM, FIN

HB 2605, HD1
(HSCR353-08)
Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO THE ARMED SERVICES.

Provides an exemption of vehicle taxes and registration fees for members of the National Guard and Reserves.

PSM/TRN, FIN

HB 2588, HD1
(HSCR425-08)
Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

Grants resident status to veterans for tuition purposes for a total of thirty-six months at the University of Hawaii system.

PSM, HED, FIN

HB 1989, HD1
(HSCR610-08)
Status

(Email Testimony)

RELATING TO VETERANS.

Requires director of office of veterans' services to deposit gifts into an account in the state treasury to be known as the veterans' gift trust fund.

PSM, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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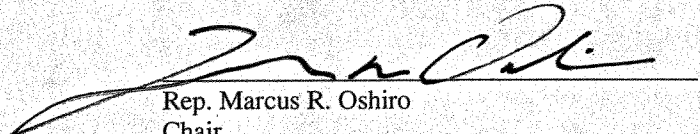
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