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COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES AND PUBLIC HOUSING

Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland, Chair
Senator Les Ihara, Jr., Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, February 7, 2008
TIME: 1:15 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 016
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

SB 2758 Testimony	RELATING TO AN AUDIT OF THE HAWAII DISABILITY RIGHTS CENTER. Requires the auditor to perform a financial and management audit of the Hawaii Disability Rights Center.	HSP, WAM
SB 2930 Testimony	RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES. Clarifies licensure requirements for adult residential care homes.	HSP
SB 2857 Testimony	RELATING TO HOME CARE AGENCIES. Requires home care agencies to be licensed by the Department of Health. Appropriates funds.	HSP, WAM
SB 3164 Testimony	RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE. Allows persons eligible to receive Medicaid funds for care at nursing home facilities to remain at home and receive home and community-based long-term care.	HSP, WAM
SB 3172 Testimony	RELATING TO RENTAL ASSISTANCE. Provides qualified rental assistance applicants up to six months to find a qualified rental dwelling.	HSP, WAM
SB 3173 Testimony	RELATING TO KUKUI GARDENS. Appropriates \$26,000,000 in general obligation bonds to finalize the sale of the Kukui Gardens housing project.	HSP, WAM
SB 3255 Testimony	RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE. Establishes a long term care commission to research what resources are necessary to meet state long term care public policy goals and to recommend a program and funding mechanism that can provide these services. Appropriates funds. Sunsets on 12/01/10.	HSP, WAM
SB 2208 Testimony	RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. Provides protections for domestic violence victims in rental housing.	HSP, JDL



SB 2216 Testimony	RELATING TO PROSTITUTION. Requires the department of human services to contract the services of a health and human services provider to establish a pilot prostitution prevention education and diversion program.	HSP, WAM
SB 2245 Testimony	RELATING TO UNATTENDED CHILDREN IN MOTOR VEHICLES. Makes it a violation of the statewide traffic code to leave a child unattended in a motor vehicle. Effective on approval. Requires the examiner of drivers to test driver's license applicants for knowledge of this offense. Requires notice of law in rental cars. Effective on 10/1/2008.	HSP, JDL
SB 2317 Testimony	RELATING TO YOUTH PROGRAMS. Makes appropriation for the Palolo at-risk youth outreach program.	HSP, WAM
SB 2103 Testimony	RELATING TO CAREGIVER RECOGNITION DAY. Establishes an annual Caregiver Recognition Day on the first Saturday of November.	HSP
SB 2793 Testimony	RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES. Clarifies licensure requirements for adult residential care homes.	HSP

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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