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REGULAR SESSION OF 2008

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair
Senator Clayton Hee, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING AND DECISION MAKING

DATE: Monday, March 17, 2008
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 016
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

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| <u>HB 2700, HD1</u>
<u>(HSCR1055-08)</u>
<u>Testimony</u>
<u>Status</u> | RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.
Appropriates funds to the Judiciary for FY 2008-2009. | JDL, WAM |
| <u>HB 2386</u>
<u>(HSCR989-08)</u>
<u>Testimony</u>
<u>Status</u> | RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.
Requires an employer to pay temporary total disability benefits regardless of whether the employer controverts the right to benefits. Specifies that the employee's ability to return to work is to be decided by the employee's treating physician. | JDL, WAM |
| <u>HB 2387, HD1</u>
<u>(HSCR990-08)</u>
<u>Testimony</u>
<u>Status</u> | RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.
Authorizes payment of the examinations from the special compensation fund. Appropriates funds. Effective 07/01/2009. (HB2387 HD1) | JDL, WAM |
| <u>HB 2388, HD1</u>
<u>(HSCR1024-08)</u>
<u>Testimony</u>
<u>Status</u> | RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.
Requires the employer to continue medical services to an injured employee despite disputes over whether treatment should be continued, until the director of labor and industrial relations decides whether treatment should be continued. (HB2388 HD1) | JDL, WAM |
| <u>HB 2974, HD2</u>
<u>(HSCR1021-08)</u>
<u>Testimony</u>
<u>Status</u> | RELATING TO LABOR.
Certifies entities as exclusive representatives absent an election where no other representatives are certified as the exclusive representatives. Requires immediate collective bargaining between parties once entities are certified as exclusive representatives. Effective 07/01/2008. (HB2974 HD2) | JDL |



HB 3422, HD2 RELATING TO SURCHARGE FOR INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES. JDL, WAM
[\(HSCR783-08\)](#)
[Testimony](#)
[Status](#)

HB 3002, HD1 RELATING TO PROSTITUTION. JDL
[\(HSCR726-08\)](#)
[Testimony](#)
[Status](#)

Note: The following bill was heard on 03-11-08. Decision Making Only. No testimony will be accepted for this bill.

HB 330, HD1 RELATING TO PROSTITUTION. JDL
[\(HSCR815\)](#)
[Testimony](#)
[Status](#)

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

Persons wishing to testify should submit testimony in one of the following ways by 4:30 p.m. the day prior to the hearing:

- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 219, State Capitol.
- By fax: Testimony may be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. When faxing, please indicate to which committee the testimony is being submitted and the date and time of the hearing.
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Please note: If you submit your written testimony after 4:00 p.m. the day prior to the hearing, please sign-in at the staff table to testify orally. Written copies of your testimony will not be distributed during the hearing but will be posted online for the public after the hearing.

If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids or services to participate in the public hearing process (i.e., sign or foreign language interpreter or wheelchair accessibility), please contact the committee clerk 24 hours prior to the hearing so arrangements can be made.

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Senator Brian T. Taniguchi
Chair

