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COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

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

NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE: Tuesday, March 25, 2008  
TIME: 9:45 a.m.  
PLACE: Conference Room 016  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<a href="#"><u>HB 2254, HD2, SD1</u></a> <a href="#"><u>(SSCR2963)</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO BANKS AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. Prohibits the deceptive use of the name or trademark of a financial institution or its affiliates or subsidiaries. Establishes \$10,000 fine for violations. (SD1)	CPH, JDL
<a href="#"><u>HB 1512, HD1, SD1</u></a> <a href="#"><u>(SSCR2339)</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO PUBLIC MEETINGS. Authorizes public input at noticed neighborhood board meetings and discussion but not decisionmaking on those issues. Allows two or more neighborhood board members, but less than a quorum, to attend meetings relating to board business. Clarifies neighborhood board actions on unanticipated events. Sunsets 12/31/2013. (SD1)	IGM, JDL
<a href="#"><u>HB 2730, HD1, SD1</u></a> <a href="#"><u>(SSCR3114)</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD MEETINGS. Prescribes the procedure to be followed at certain neighborhood board meetings, such as the information that may be included in the written public notice, the information that the board may receive on a matter, and the discussion and decision-making process. (SD1)	IGM, JDL
<a href="#"><u>HB 2217, HD1, SD1</u></a> <a href="#"><u>(SSCR3032)</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES. Requires the office of information practices to provide a written opinion when such request is made from a county legislative body, or a member of a county legislative body, for an advisory opinion concerning meetings or that body's functions and responsibilities. (SD1)	IGM, JDL
<a href="#"><u>HB 3386, HD1, SD1</u></a> <a href="#"><u>(SSCR3095)</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO ATTORNEYS. Clarifies the procedure for determining representation of any court or judicial or legislative office by the attorney general in cases of conflict of interest. Eff. on approval. (SD1)	TSG, JDL



<p><b><u>HB 2347, HD1</u></b>  <u>(SSCR3007)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO METAL.  Affirms that penalties in section 445-235, HRS, apply if scrap dealer violates either section 445-232 or 445-233, HRS. (HB2347 HD1)</p>	<p>CPH, JDL</p>
<p><b><u>HB 2034, HD1, SD1</u></b>  <u>(SSCR3051)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>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; requires the examiner of drivers to test driver's license applicants for knowledge of this offense; requires notice of law in rental cars. (SD1)</p>	<p>TIA, JDL</p>
<p><b><u>HB 2729, HD1</u></b>  <u>(HSCR725-08)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO BURGLARY.  Creates a new offense of burglaries that take place in a dwelling and involve a dangerous instrument. Defines "dangerous instrument". (HB2729 HD1)</p>	<p>JDL</p>
<p><b><u>HB 94, HD1, SD1</u></b>  <u>(SSCR3081)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO INSURANCE.  Enacts the Life Settlements Model Act, which establishes consumer protections in life settlement transactions where the owner of a life insurance policy transfers the death benefit for compensation that is less than the expected death benefit, but more than the surrender value of the policy. (SD1)</p>	<p>CPH, JDL</p>
<p><b><u>HB 2139, HD2</u></b>  <u>(SSCR3036)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS.  Enacts the Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act. (HB2139 HD2)</p>	<p>HTH, JDL</p>
<p><b><u>HB 2436, HD2, SD1</u></b>  <u>(SSCR3069)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO FIREWORKS.  Amends the definition of "display fireworks"; clarifies prohibitions; clarifies that minors are prohibited from selling fireworks; and requires \$25 fee for consumer fireworks. (SD1)</p>	<p>PBS, JDL</p>
<p><b><u>HB 2438, HD2, SD1</u></b>  <u>(SSCR2956)</u>  <u>Testimony</u>  <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO CIGARETTES.  Establishes a process to ensure that only fire-safe cigarettes are sold in Hawaii. (SD1)</p>	<p>CPH/HTH, JDL</p>

**Decision Making Only**

**Persons wishing to comment should submit comments *twenty-four hours prior to the decision making* in one of the following ways:**

- In person: 1 copy of their comments to the committee clerk, Room 219, State Capitol.



- By fax: Comments 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 comments are being submitted and the date and time of the decision making agenda.
- By Email: Comments may be emailed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Legislature's Public Access Room at [testimony@capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:testimony@capitol.hawaii.gov). Please indicate to which committee the comments are being submitted and the date and time of the decision making. Email sent to individual offices or any other Senate office will not be accepted.

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Senator Brian T. Taniguchi  
Chair

