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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 19th, 2008
TIME: 3:30pm
PLACE: Conference Room 325
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HB 2997</u> <u>(HSCR165-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TORTS. Abolishes joint and several liability for design professionals except when design professional's degree of negligence is twenty-five per cent or more.	CPC, JUD
<u>HB 3379, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR413-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. Repeals the existing offense of abuse of family or household members and separately recodifies its procedural and substantive provisions. Establishes three degrees of the offense of abuse of a family or household member. Makes conforming amendments. Effective 7/1/2008.	HSH, JUD
<u>HB 1984</u> <u>(HSCR329-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. Prohibits the consumption of any liquor on any public sidewalk or common area within a public housing project.	HSH, JUD
<u>HB 1985</u> <u>(HSCR330-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. Amends criminal trespass in the first degree to include a person who enters or remains unlawfully in or upon the premises of a public housing project after reasonable request or warning to leave by housing authorities or a police officer. Excludes an invited guest.	HSH, JUD
<u>HB 2436, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR313-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO FIREWORKS. Amends the definition of "display fireworks"; clarifies prohibitions; and clarifies that minors are prohibited from selling fireworks. (HB2436 HD1)	TAC, JUD

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<u>HB 1968</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC MEETINGS. Permits board members, numbering less than quorum, to: (1) discuss their individual positions related to official board business at other board meetings and legislative public hearings; (2) attend and participate in discussions at presentations, such as community meetings; and (3) discuss membership to a board's committees in private. Requires a quorum for discussion prior and related to voting and for voting to validate board actions.	JUD
<u>HB 3325, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR316-08)</u> <u>Status</u> <u>HB 2214</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE UNIFORM LAND SALES PRACTICES ACT. Exempts offers or dispositions of interests in time share plans from the Uniform Land Sales Practices Act. (HB3325 HD2) RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY. Clarifies county immunity in operating county parks by deleting exclusion of public beach parks from the definition of "improved public lands".	TAC, CPC, JUD WLH, JUD
<u>HB 2343, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR231-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS. Authorizes a \$4 administrative fee on all citations for traffic code violations to be shared by the judiciary and the counties for the establishment and maintenance of an electronic citation system. Establishes the electronic citation system special fund. Provides alternative payment for rental car companies. Provides for the disbursement of the funds to the counties and the Judiciary Computer Special Fund. Effective January 1, 2009. (HB2343 HD1)	TRN, JUD, FIN
<u>HB 2334</u> <u>(HSCR250-08)</u> <u>Status</u> <u>HB 2847</u> <u>(HSCR401-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CRIME. Establishes mandatory minimum prison terms for certain offenses against pregnant women. RELATING TO CONDITIONAL LICENSE PERMITS. Allows conditional license permit for a person's medical needs and caregiving. Clarifies when a conditional license permit is permissible for certain commercial drivers.	HSH/HLT, JUD TRN, JUD
<u>HB 2346, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR411-08)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF A MINOR. Expands the crimes of endangering the welfare of a minor in the first and second degrees to include situations in which an adult causes or permits a minor to inject, ingest, or inhale any controlled substance that was not prescribed for the minor by a physician. (HB2346 HD1)	HSH, JUD

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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