

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
THE TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2008

RECEIVED

2008 MAR 14 P 3:48

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS  
HOUSE OF  
REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON LABOR & PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

Rep. Alex M. Sonson, Chair  
Rep. Bob Nakasone, Vice Chair

Rep. Cindy Evans	Rep. Joseph M. Souki
Rep. Sharon E. Har	Rep. Dwight Y. Takamine
Rep. Marilyn B. Lee	Rep. Roy M. Takumi
Rep. Sylvia Luke	Rep. Colleen Rose Meyer
Rep. Angus L.K. McKelvey	Rep. Kymberly Marcos Pine
Rep. Scott Y. Nishimoto	

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, March 18, 2008  
TIME: 9:15 a.m.  
PLACE: Conference Room 309  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

**A M E N D E D   A G E N D A**

*HCR 124 and HR 106 has been added to the agenda*

SB 2896, SD2  
(SSCR2739)  
Status

RELATING TO CONTRACTORS.  
Amends §444-10.5, HRS, to prohibit the resumption of work for any person who is issued a citation for operating without a contractor's license in good standing until a hearing is conducted, and makes the issuance of citations and cease and desist orders mandatory. (SD2)

LAB, CPC/JUD

SB 2273, SD2, HD1  
(HSCR1069-08)  
Status

RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA.  
Prohibits taxpayers from claiming the Motion Picture, Digital Media, and Film Production Tax Credit for qualified productions that are financed by investments for which a credit has been claimed under the High Technology Business Investment Tax Credit. Establishes an advisory group to study issues in hiring local talent for the film industry, with specific consideration for promoting local hiring. (SB2273 HD1)

TAC/EDB, LAB,  
FIN

SB 3061  
(HSCR1065-08)  
Status

RELATING TO THE FIRST-TO-WORK PROGRAM.  
Conforms state law to current federal law by deleting references to the Aid to Families with Dependent Children and Job Opportunities and Basic Skills Act and replaces it with the federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families law.

HSB, LAB, FIN



<u>SB 3228</u> (HSCR1099-08) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ADJUSTING THE ANNUAL PENSIONS OF RETIRED PATIENT EMPLOYEES AT HANSEN'S DISEASE FACILITIES. Adjusts pension amounts for retired patient employees of Hansen's disease facilities; provides for annual increase to be paid to deceased retired patient employees' estates.	HLT, LAB, FIN
<u>SB 2493</u> (SSCR2694) <u>Status</u>	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS. Provides fund authorizations and appropriations for salary increases for unit 5 employees for fiscal year 2008-2009.	LAB, FIN
<u>HCR 83</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES STUDY AND EVALUATE ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF UPGRADING THE STATE'S PAYROLL AND PERSONNEL SYSTEMS.	LAB, FIN
<u>HR 67</u> <u>Status</u>		
<u>HCR 160</u> <u>Status</u>	RECOGNIZING THE FOURTH TUESDAY IN APRIL AS EQUAL PAY DAY IN HAWAII, AND URGING CONGRESS TO SUPPORT LEGISLATION TO PROVIDE MORE EFFECTIVE REMEDIES FOR VICTIMS OF WAGE DISCRIMINATION BASED ON GENDER.	LAB
<u>HR 133</u> <u>Status</u>		
<u>HCR 230</u> <u>Status</u>	RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2008 – SEPTEMBER 7, 2008 AS HAWAII LABOR HISTORY WEEK.	LAB
<u>HCR 124</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING A STUDY ON CONSTRUCTION.	LAB, HED
<u>HR 106</u> <u>Status</u>		

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the hearing with a transmittal cover indicating:

- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee the comments are directed to;
- The date and time of the hearing;
- Measure number; and
- The number of copies the Committee is requesting.

While every effort will be made to copy, organize, and collate all testimony received, materials received on the day of the hearing or improperly identified or directed to the incorrect office, may be distributed to the Committee after the hearing.

Submit testimony in ONE of the following ways:

PAPER: 5 copies (including an original) to Room 424 in the State Capitol;

FAX: For comments less than 5 pages in length, transmit to 586-6211(Oahu) or 1-800-535-3859 (Neighbor Islands); or

EMAIL: For comments less than 5 pages in length, transmit to [LABtestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:LABtestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov).



Testimony submitted will be placed on the Legislative Web site after the hearing adjourns. This public posting of testimony on the Web site should be considered when including personal information in your testimony.

If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids and/or services to participate in the House public hearing process (i.e., sign or foreign language interpreter or wheelchair accessibility), please contact the Committee Clerk at 586-6520 or email your request for an interpreter to [HouseInterpreter@Capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:HouseInterpreter@Capitol.hawaii.gov) at least 24 hours prior to the hearing for arrangements. Prompt requests submitted help to ensure the availability of qualified individuals and appropriate accommodations.

Selected meetings are broadcast live. Check the current legislative broadcast schedule on the "Capitol TV" Web site at [www.capitoltv.org](http://www.capitoltv.org) OR call 550-8074.



---

Rep. Alex M. Sonson  
Chair

