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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 8, 2008
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 312
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

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| <u>HB 2626</u> | RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF THE HAWAIIAN MONK SEAL AS THE STATE MAMMAL OF HAWAII. Designates the Hawaiian Monk Seal as the state mammal. | WLH, TAC |
| <u>HB 2625</u> | RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF APRIL 19 AS "HAWAIIAN MONK SEAL DAY". Establishes April 19 of each year as Hawaiian Monk Seal Day in Hawaii. | WLH, TAC |
| <u>HB 2687</u> | RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES. Requires the department of land and natural resources to: review each rule adopted after 01/1/08, concerning the protection and propagation of certain aquatic life or the conservation and allocation of the natural supply of aquatic life; determine whether the rule has achieved its intended purpose; and submit a report. Sunsets on 12/31/20. | WLH, FIN |
| <u>HB 3391</u> | RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES. Requires the department of land and natural resources to assess and report the status of Hawaii's aquatic resources. | WLH, FIN |
| <u>HB 3389</u> | RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS. Prohibits all commercial activities in marine life conservation districts designated after 01/01/68. | WLH, JUD |
| <u>HB 3440</u> | RELATING TO THE ISLAND OF NI'HAU Establishes the island of Ni'ihau as a community based subsistence fishing area. | WLH, FIN |
| <u>HB 3262</u> | RELATING TO HONOLUA BAY. Creates a temporary Honolua Bay advisory committee to develop an acquisition and management plan for Lipoa Point on the island of Maui. Report to the legislature. Appropriates funds. | WLH, FIN |

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| <u>HB 3173</u> | RELATING TO GROUNDED VESSELS. Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources to remove a grounded vessel under its control, by any means necessary, in order to minimize damages to the natural resources and not become a hazard to navigation. | WLH, FIN |
| <u>HB 3345</u> | RELATING TO BOATING FACILITIES AT KEEHI LAGOON. Appropriates funds for boat repair facilities at Keehi Lagoon. | WLH, FIN |
| <u>HB 2332</u> | RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. Prohibits a person from transiting unencumbered public lands for any commercial activity purpose without a conservation district use permit unless the unencumbered land is within an area that is regulated through a management plan that permits the commercial activity. Effective 01/01/09. | WLH, JUD |

The following bill(s) is for decision-making purposes only to insert substantive provisions into the short form bill. A public hearing will be scheduled at a later date, at which time testimony will be accepted.

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| <u>HB 2612</u> | RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST. Short form effectuates the title of this Act. | WLH |
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DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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- 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.

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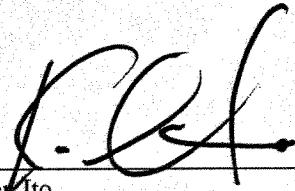
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