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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, March 25, 2009

TIME:

9:00 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 312

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 1152 (SSCR605) RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

AGR/WLO, JUD

(SSCRE Status Establishes a one hundred year moratorium on the development of agricultural lands located in state senate districts twenty-two and

twenty-three for which general planning has not commenced; sunsets

on 6/30/2109.

SB 1345, SD1

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

WLO/AGR, FIN

(SSCR691) Status Provides for fair compensation, including an automatic lease extension, when leased public land for agricultural or pastoral uses is withdrawn,

condemned, or taken for public purposes. Effective 07/01/90. (SD1)

SB 633, SD1

RELATING TO WATER.

WLO/AGR, HAW

(SSCR554)

Status

Increases the representation of homestead farmers on the Molokai

irrigation system water users advisory board. (SD1)

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
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