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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, March 27, 2009
TIME: 10:00a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 312
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

HCR 177
Status
HR 141
Status

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO EXPLORE AND DEVELOP INCENTIVES AND PREFERENCES FOR SMALL FARMERS TO ALLOW THEM TO EXPAND AND CONTINUE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE FOOD SELF-SUFFICIENCY OF THE STATE.

AGR, FIN

HCR 235
Status
HR 204
Status

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO GIVE PRIORITY TO STATE LEASES FOR AGRICULTURAL AND RANCHING OPERATIONS OVER STATE LEASES FOR ENERGY FACILITY OPERATION PROJECTS WITH RESPECT TO LEASE EXTENSIONS AND RENEWALS.

AGR, EEP/WLO

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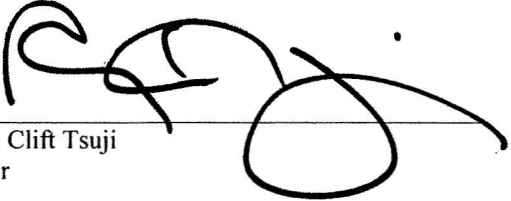
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