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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:      Friday, April 17, 2009  
TIME:      10:00a.m.  
PLACE:     Conference Room 312  
             State Capitol  
             415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

AMENDED TO DELETE HCR167 & ADD HR134

<u>SCR 37</u> (SSCR1167) <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PLAN FOR A STATE ORGANIC PROGRAM TO UNIFY THE STATE'S ORGANIC CERTIFICATION PRACTICES AND PROGRAMS.	AGR, FIN
<u>SCR 38, SD1</u> (SSCR1165) <u>Status</u>	URGING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PLAN FOR INCREASING AID AND ASSISTANCE TO ORGANIC FARMERS.	AGR, FIN
<u>SCR 121, SD1</u> (SSCR1156) <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES, IN COOPERATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, AND THE HAWAII FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP OF STAKEHOLDERS TO CONSIDER THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM IN HAWAII'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS.	AGR, HED/EDN
<u>HCR 167, HD1</u> (HSCR1508) <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF PLANTING NON-GENETICALLY MODIFIED KALO IN THE REFLECTING POOL THAT SURROUNDS THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING.	HAW, AGR



HR 134, HD1  
(HSCR1507)  
Status

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AND HUMAN RESOURCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII  
TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF PLANTING NON-  
GENETICALLY MODIFIED KALO IN THE REFLECTING POOL  
THAT SURROUNDS THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING.

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DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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Rep. Clift Tsuji  
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