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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 03, 2009
TIME: 8:30 AM
PLACE: Conference Room 312
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HB 657</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM. Provides a veterans scholarship program at the University of Hawaii and other approved educational institutions.	EBM, HED, FIN
<u>HB 735</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Adopts amendments to Hawaii tax laws to implement the streamlined sales and use tax agreement.	EBM, CPC/JUD, FIN
<u>HB 472</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE STATE VEHICLE WEIGHT TAX. Provides for the exemption of vehicle weight taxes for one noncommercial vehicle per veteran.	EBM, TRN, FIN
<u>HB 454</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PLANNING. Establishes a commission in the Office of Planning to identify and prioritize the return to the State of federal lands that are no longer needed for national defense or federal purposes.	EBM, WLO, FIN
<u>HB 553</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO MEDICAL ENTERPRISE ZONES. Establishes medical enterprise zones in the State to encourage the development of medical and research services. Creates a 7-year pilot medical enterprise zone in West Maui.	EBM, HLT, FIN
<u>HB 651</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR. Creates a 2-year program that allows liquor establishments to obtain a liquor license from the liquor commission if they have obtained temporary tax clearance from the department of taxation by entering into a payment plan with the department for the payment of taxes.	EBM, CPC, FIN



DECISION-MAKING ONLY for the following measure previously heard on **Thursday, January 29, 2009.**

HB 720
Status

RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE.

EBM, LAB, FIN

Allows an employee to use family leave during any calendar year to provide family care and support during the military deployment of the employee's child, spouse or reciprocal beneficiary, or parent. Requires an employee to provide proof of military deployment. Defines military deployment.

AS THIS IS A DECISION MAKING ONLY MEASURE, NO PUBLIC TESTIMONY WILL BE ACCEPTED.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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