

THE SENATE  
THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2009

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND HOUSING

Senator Norman Sakamoto, Chair  
Senator Michelle Kidani, Vice Chair

AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, March 23, 2009  
TIME: 2:00 pm  
PLACE: Conference Room 225  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A M E N D E D A G E N D A

<a href="#">HB 179</a> <a href="#">(HSCR828)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a>	<p>RELATING TO SCHOOL FACILITIES.</p> <p>Transfers responsibility for school facilities repair and maintenance for air conditioning equipment and donated equipment and fixtures from the Department of Accounting and General Services to the Department of Education, consistent with Act 51, SLH 2004.</p>	EDH, WAM
<del><a href="#">HB 948, HD1</a> <a href="#">(HSCR694)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a></del>	<p><del>RELATING TO KAKAAKO.</del></p> <p><del>Increases the reserved housing requirement for a development in the Kakaako community development district, mauka area, for lots 3 acres or more in area to 25% of the countable floor area of the development. Directs HCDA to submit a report prior to the convening of the 2017 regular session on its reserved housing program in the Kakaako community development district. (HB948 HD1)</del></p>	<del>EDH, WTL (Measure deleted on 03-19-09)</del>
<a href="#">HB 1043, HD1</a> <a href="#">(HSCR756)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a>	<p>RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDITS.</p> <p>Makes state low-income housing tax credits more valuable by shortening the period over which the credits can be taken from ten years to five years. Authorizes the election of the maximum amount of grant in lieu of tax credits authorized under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Authorizes the state low-income housing tax credit to be taken with federal low-income housing tax credits as authorized under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. (HB1043 HD1)</p>	EDH, WAM
<a href="#">HB 1044, HD2</a> <a href="#">(HSCR801)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a>	<p>RELATING TO HOUSING.</p> <p>Enables the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to more easily collect the value of shared appreciation equity and other restrictions when an affordable housing property is publicly sold through a foreclosure. Requires written notification of intent to foreclose on properties encumbered by such priority liens. (HB1044 HD2)</p>	EDH, WAM
<a href="#">HB 87, HD2</a> <a href="#">(HSCR827)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a>	<p><u>RELATING TO EDUCATION.</u></p> <p><u>Authorizes and obligates DOE to oversee and monitor students eligible for special education who are placed in private schools or facilities at public expense. (HB87 HD2)</u></p>	<u>EDH, WAM</u> <u>[Measure added:</u> <u>03-17-09]</u>

**Decision Making to follow, if time permits.**

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- By Email: Testimony may be emailed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Committee at [EDHTestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:EDHTestimony@Capitol.hawaii.gov) . Please indicate the measure, date and time of the hearing. Email sent to individual offices or any other Senate office will not be accepted.
- By Web: Testimony may be submitted online if less than 4MB in size, at <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony>.
- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 230, State Capitol.
- By fax: Testimony may be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. When faxing, please indicate to which committee the testimony is being submitted and the date and time of the hearing.

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Chair