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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, March 20, 2009
TIME: 2:00 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 309
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>SB 360, SD1</u> (SSCR706) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES. Requires the department of education to allow children who are home schooled to participate in extracurricular activities at the public school they would otherwise be required to attend. Effective 01/01/90. (SD1)	EDN, FIN
<u>SB 746, SD1</u> (SSCR644) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO EDUCATION. Establishes a two-year pilot project within a designated complex area, which authorizes the complex area superintendent to reallocate resources within the schools in the complex area to achieve greater efficiency and cost-effectiveness; exempts the designated complex area from any department-wide budget reductions or restrictions during the 2-year pilot; requires interim and final reports to the legislature. (SD1)	EDN, FIN
<u>SB 777, SD1</u> (SSCR436) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY HEALTH EDUCATION. Requires any recipient of state funding to provide medically accurate sexuality education. (SD1)	HLT, EDN, FIN (Pending Referral)
<u>SB 1329, SD2</u> (SSCR682) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING. Authorizes the Governor and the Hawaii Council of Mayors to name designees for their representatives on the early learning council; changes the name of the keiki first steps trust fund to the early learning trust fund and specifies that moneys in the trust fund shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year. (SD2)	EDN, FIN



HCR 89
Status

REQUESTING THAT THE HOOKAKOO CORPORATION
REPORT ON THE PROGRESS AND IMPACTS OF THE MODELS
FOR EXPANDED LEARNING TIME BEING PILOTED BY THE
HOOKAKOO CORPORATION'S PARTNER CONVERSION
CHARTER SCHOOLS.

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DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

The following measures were previously heard on **Monday, March 16, 2009**. As this is decision-making only, no testimonies will be accepted.

SB 1278, SD2
(SSCR681)
Status

RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Prohibits movement of junior kindergarten and kindergarten students between tiers, except under certain circumstances; prohibits a junior kindergartener from directly graduating to the first grade, except under certain circumstances; establishes a separate curriculum for the junior kindergarten program; requires the department of education to staff junior kindergartens with qualified teachers and teacher aides; appropriates funds. (SD2)

EDN, FIN

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- The Committee the comments are directed to;
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