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NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

DATE: Thursday, May 14, 2009
TIME: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
PLACE: Auditorium
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

The purpose of this informational briefing is to hear from experts about shark feeding in relation to commercial tours.

Presentation by the [Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology](#) about shark behavior and human interactions.

Presentation by [Hawaii Shark Encounters](#) about their shark tour operations.

Presentation by [Surfrider Foundation](#) from the perspective of ocean recreation users.

Presentation by [Save Our Surf](#) from the perspective of ocean recreation users.

Presentation by the [Royal Order of Kamehameha](#) concerning the Native Hawaiian perspective of sharks.

Presentation by the [Department of Land and Natural Resources, Aquatic Resources Division](#) regarding the state's jurisdiction over near shore waters.

Presentation by the [U.S. Coast Guard](#) regarding enforcement activities in federal waters.

Presentation by the [NOAA Fisheries Service](#) regarding federal jurisdiction.

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