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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 27 2009  
TIME: 4:00 p.m.  
PLACE: Conference Room 308  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA #7

<u>HB 625</u> <u>(HSCR80)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO SURCHARGE FOR INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES. Increases the initial filing fee for civil actions.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1713, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR373)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HAZARDS. Allows Civil Defense, when no emergency exists, to enter on private property to mitigate hazardous situations after giving the landowner notice. May seek recovery and reimbursement of costs and expenses.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 215, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR618)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCING. Organizes, clarifies, updates, and recodifies campaign finance laws.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 345</u> <u>(HSCR568)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING. Amends the pilot project for comprehensive public funding of Hawaii county council elections by commencing the project in the general election year 2014.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1379, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR569)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PHYSICIAN ORDERS FOR LIFE SUSTAINING TREATMENT. Creates a process for a patient to direct end-of-life treatment in a standardized physician orders for life sustaining form.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 332, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR612)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY Establishes eligibility for unemployment insurance.	LAB, HUS, FIN



<u>HB 1293, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR593)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT Creates the Domestic Violence Special Fund to provide grants to organizations that provide domestic violence services. Provides grants to the counties for their career criminal prosecution units and victim witness assistance programs.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1780, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR594)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO SENTENCING OF REPEAT OFFENDERS. Changes the mandatory minimum sentencing of repeat offenders from mandatory to discretionary	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1025, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR378)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO SENTENCING. Restores a statutory provision allowing for presentence mental health or medical examination of defendants for purposes of sentencing.	HUS, JUD, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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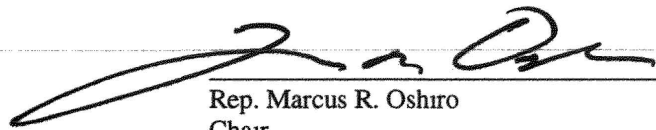
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