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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, March 02, 2009  
TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
PLACE: Conference Room 308  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 2

<u>HB 1271, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR545)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO GOVERNMENT. Establishes the Hawaii Energy and Food Security Task Force to address Hawaii's energy and food security needs. Increases the tax collected on each barrel of imported oil, and allocates a portion thereof for energy security uses.	EEP, AGR, FIN
<u>HB 986, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR275)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES. Requires construction and renovation of public school facilities to meet the Collaborative for High Performance Schools standards. Requires replacement of old portable buildings with high performance classrooms. Also requires prioritization of public school facilities projects in accordance with certain criteria.	EEP, EDN, FIN
<u>HB 834, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR522)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO WATER QUALITY STANDARDS. Amends state water quality standards for marine waters to conform to federal standards.	EEP/WLO, FIN
<u>HB 574, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR304)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM. Extends the reverse vending machine rebate program and increases the financial incentives. Appropriates moneys to the counties to plan and operate county recycling programs.	EEP, FIN
<u>HB 429, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR524)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY. Directs the public utilities commission to establish energy efficiency portfolio standards.	EEP, CPC, FIN



<u>HB 279, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR519)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ENERGY. Establishes the renewable energy branch in the department of business, economic development, and tourism to coordinate and promote renewable energy initiatives. Strengthens existing renewable energy and planning provisions. Provides for staffing. Appropriates funds.	EEP, FIN
<u>HB 1843, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR570)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY. Establishes comprehensive measures for increasing the production and use of renewable energy in the State. Effective 1/1/2020.	EEP, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 1207</u> <u>(HSCR418)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. Amends sections of chapter 210D, HRS (relating to community-based economic development), to update the provision of services provided by the community-based economic development technical and financial assistance program.	EBM, FIN
<u>HB 610, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR551)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. Establishes a task force to develop the Hawaii state science and technology plan. Appropriates funds.	EBM, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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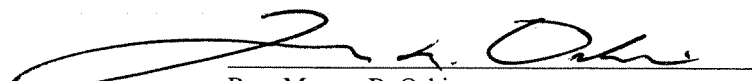
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