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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, February 11, 2009

TIME:

9:00 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 905

RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIANS.

HAW WLO, FIN

Status Places the aha kiole advisory committee with the office of Hawaiian

affairs for administrative purposes. Appropriates funds.

HB 1806 Status RELATING TO HAWAIIAN NATURAL RESOURCE

HAW WLO, FIN

MANAGEMENT

Establishes the Aha Ahupua'a Task Force to establish a hiearchy of natural resource advisory councils known as Aha Ahapua'a Councils. Establishes an Aha Kiole Council and Aha Moku councils to advise the state and counties on traditional land management and natural

resources issues.

HB 1658

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

HAW EDN, FIN

<u>Status</u>

Establishes and funds a traditional Hawaiian navigation pilot program

in the public schools.

HB 928 Status MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND

CONSTRUCTION OF A DOUBLE HULLED CANOE.

Appropriates money for Hui Wa'a O Kaulua to the develop and

construct a double-hulled canoe.

<u>HB 1661</u>

RELATING TO KULEANA LANDS.

HAW JUD, FIN

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Status

Requires the office of Hawaiian affairs to hold in trust any lands where the owner of an inheritable interest in kuleana lands dies intestate and

the owner of an inheritable interest in kuleana lands dies intestate and there is no taker under the Hawaii uniform probate code, for 10 years

before passing to the office of Hawaiian affairs.

HB 1662

RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.

HAW WLO, FIN

Status Clarifies that a burnal site may include a cave or lava tube or a portion

of a cave or lava tube. Defines burial cave.

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HB 1664

RELATING TO CORRECTIONS.

HAW PBS, FIN

Status

Establishes a program within the Department of Public Safety that assigns select, non-violent inmates on a work detail that restores

historical sites selected by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs.

HB 1665

RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS.

HAW WLO, FIN

<u>Status</u>

Prohibits the sale of public lands on which government-owned

Hawaiian fishponds are located.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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