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COMMITTEE ON HEALTH
Senator David Y. Ige, Chair
Senator Josh Green, M.D., Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday April 1, 2009
TIME: 2:45 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 016
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>SCR 102</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	ENSURING THAT ANY LEGISLATIVE EFFORT TO REPAIR THE HEALTHCARE SYSTEM IN HAWAII SHOULD INCORPORATE SUSTAINABLE WELLNESS PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS THE UNDERLYING CASUAL FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH CHRONIC DISEASE.	HTH
<u>SR 61</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	ENSURING THAT ANY LEGISLATIVE EFFORT TO REPAIR THE HEALTHCARE SYSTEM IN HAWAII SHOULD INCORPORATE SUSTAINABLE WELLNESS PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS THE UNDERLYING CASUAL FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH CHRONIC DISEASE.	HTH
<u>SCR 106</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR WEIGHT MANAGEMENT AND OBESITY PREVENTION FOR CHILDREN.	HTH, WAM
<u>SCR 136</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THAT THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION ESTABLISH A CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE MODULE.	HTH
<u>SR 89</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THAT THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION ESTABLISH A CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE MODULE.	HTH
<u>SCR 145</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ASSESS THE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES IMPLEMENTED BY HOSPITALS TO REDUCE ELECTIVE CESAREAN SECTIONS AND INDUCTION OF LABOR.	HTH
<u>SR 97</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ASSESS THE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES IMPLEMENTED BY HOSPITALS TO REDUCE ELECTIVE CESAREAN SECTIONS AND INDUCTION OF LABOR.	HTH

<p><u>SCR 158</u></p> <p><u>Testimony</u></p> <p><u>Status</u></p>	<p>ESTABLISHING A LEGISLATIVE INTERIM TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY AND DEVELOP A PRIMARY HEALTH CARE TRAINING AND RECRUITING PLAN FOR RURAL AND MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED AREAS OF THE STATE.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><u>SCR 163</u></p> <p><u>Testimony</u></p> <p><u>Status</u></p>	<p>REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A LITERATURE REVIEW OF THE HEALTH EFFECTS FROM LONG TERM EXPOSURE TO HAZARDOUS WASTE MATERIALS.</p>	<p>HTH, WAM</p>
<p><u>SCR 170</u></p> <p><u>Testimony</u></p> <p><u>Status</u></p>	<p>REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE TO CONVENE A HAWAII HEALTH CARE SUMMIT TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC AND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR HEALTH CARE IN HAWAII.</p>	<p>HTH, WAM</p>
<p><u>SCR 172</u></p> <p><u>Testimony</u></p> <p><u>Status</u></p>	<p>URGING CONGRESS TO APPROVE THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL HEALTH CARE ACT.</p>	<p>HTH</p>

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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