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### **NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING**

DATE:

Monday, March 30, 2009

TIME:

10:30 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

#### AGENDA

The purpose of this informational briefing is to discuss the concerns with services to the clients and payments to the providers of Ohana Care and Ever Care. The briefing will discuss options to more effectively address the healthcare needs of the clients under such programs and seek corrective action on either late payments or failure to pay healthcare providers of these programs.

The following organizations and/or individuals have been invited to participate:

Dr. Kenneth S. Fink, Administrator of the Med-Quest Division at the Department of Human Services; and

Ohana Care; and

Ever Care; and

Healthcare Association of Hawaii; and

Hawaii Coalition of Caregivers Association: Lani Akee, President Foster Homes Miriyam Tabaniag, President Adult Residential Care Homes; and

Faith Action for Community Equity (FACE); Reverend Bob Nakata; and Bev Harbin; and

Aloha Care - Paula Arcena; and

Waianae Coast Comprehensive Center; and

Dr. Inam Rahman; and

Dr. Galindo via telephone.

To ensure that all testifiers will have an adequate time to speak, please limit comments to 5 minutes per individual or group.

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