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COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair
Senator Dwight Y. Takamine, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 6, 2009
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 016
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>SB 1184</u>	RELATING TO THE CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Adds a definition for confidential witness to section 368-4, HRS, to distinguish confidential witness statements and statements of the parties to a complaint filed with the civil rights commission.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 105</u>	RELATING TO PROTECTIVE PROCEEDINGS.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Modifies requirements related to the basis for court appointment of a conservator.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 106</u>	RELATING TO PERSONAL LIABILITY OF TRUSTEE TO THIRD PARTIES.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Amends Hawaii Probate Code provisions on personal liability of a trustee for consistency with Uniform Probate Code.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 107</u>	RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Authorizes administrative director of the courts to permit administrative driver's license revocation hearings to be held in county other than county of arrest and to permit hearings by telephonic, video, or other electronic means.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 108</u>	RELATING TO FAMILY COURT.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Increases the maximum term of a temporary guardianship of a minor from six months to twelve months.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 111</u>	RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE.	JGO, WAM
<u>Testimony</u>	Establishes the payment priority of the DNA analysis fee over other fees and fines assessed against a defendant by the court.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 1192</u>	RELATING TO DISTRICT COURT.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Expands jurisdiction of small claims division of the district court.	
<u>Status</u>		

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<u>SB 845</u>	RELATING TO COURT ADVISEMENT OF ALIENS.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Clarifies the requirement that courts advise pleading defendants of the possible consequences of the plea upon alien status.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 846</u>	RELATING TO POST CONVICTION PROCEEDINGS.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Establishes a time limitation for filing habeas corpus complaints and post-conviction judicial proceedings. Limits successive complaints.	
<u>Status</u>		
<u>SB 848</u>	RELATING TO METAL.	JGO
<u>Testimony</u>	Removes sunset clause in Act 197, Session Laws of Hawaii 2007, which contains a repeal date of July 1, 2009.	
<u>Status</u>		

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 219, State Capitol.
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