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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, April 07, 2009

TIME: PLACE: 2:00 p.m.

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 1, SD1, HD1

(HSCR1261)

Status

RELATING TO OPIHI.

Establishes a five year moratorium on the harvesting of opihi on Oahu. Establishes a ban on taking or harvesting opihi statewide, subject to

open and closed seasons and the traditional rights of certain ahupuaa

tenants. (SB1 HD1)

SB 714, SD1, HD1 (HSCR1149)

Status

RELATING TO HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLE LANES.

Allows all motor vehicles, regardless of number of persons on board, to use high occupancy vehicle lanes or zipper lanes when one or more lanes of traffic have been shut down by law enforcement officers or emergency services personnel. Allows the director of transportation to declare an emergency to open use of HOV and zipper lanes. (SB714

HD1)

SB 856

(SSCR478)

Status

RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION.

Extends expiration period on the Hawaii State Identification card from six years to eight years; deletes the provisions for transitioning from

expiration dates calculated by issue dates to expiration on the

cardholder's birthday.

SB 1005, SD2, HD1

(HSCR1181)

Status

RELATING TO PUBLICITY RIGHTS.

Establishes property rights in the commercial use of a person's name

voice, signature, photograph, or likeness. (SB1005 HD1)

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SB 1056, SD2, HD1 (HSCR1110) RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVERS.

TRN, JUD

Status

Conforms penalty for violating an out-of-service order to federal regulation; provides penalty for operating a commercial motor vehicle with an alcohol concentration of an amount of 0.04 percent or more and imposes a penalty for operating a commercial motor vehicle with

any amount of alcohol concentration. (SB1056 HD1)

SB 979, SD2, HD1 (HSCR 1201) RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVERS.

TRN, JUD

(HSCR1201) Status Revises standard for a court-issued license to drive for work-related

purposes. (SB979 HD1)

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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