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NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE: Monday, February 09, 2009
TIME: 3:30 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 309
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

The following measure was previously heard on **January 29, 2009**. As this is decision-making only, no testimonies will be accepted.

HB 336
Status

RELATING TO DNA COLLECTION FOR ARRESTEES OF VIOLENT CRIMES. PBS, JUD, FIN
Requires DNA collection from those arrested for violent crimes.

The following measure(s) were previously heard on **February 5, 2009**. As this is decision-making only, no testimonies will be accepted.

HB 232
Status

RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. PBS, JUD, FIN
Requires privately owned prisons or out-of-state detention facilities holding prisoners under a contract with the State to follow state freedom of information laws pursuant to chapter 92F, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

HB 1487
Status

RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. PBS, HAW, FIN
Requires the office of Hawaiian affairs to conduct a study on the disparate treatment of native Hawaiians and other ethnic groups in the State's criminal justice system; makes an appropriation.

HB 1818
Status

RELATING TO COGNITIVE RESTRUCTURING. PBS, HAW, FIN
Requires the department of public safety to establish a reintegration pilot program that combines cognitive behavioral theory with native Hawaiian holistic interventions that address domestic violence, addictions, self mastery through identity, and community connections for successful transitions back into the community.



<u>HB 409</u> Status	RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. Makes clear that the office of the ombudsman has the authority to investigate facilities that hold Hawaii inmates, appropriates funds to conduct investigations, and makes gender neutral amendments.	PBS, LMG, FIN
<u>HB 410</u> Status	RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. Requires a correctional impact statement be attached to any bill that proposes a change in the law that creates a public offense, significantly changes an existing public offense or the penalty for an existing offense, or changes existing sentencing, parole, or probation procedures.	PBS, LMG, FIN
<u>HB 969</u> Status	RELATING TO PRIVATE PRISON PERFORMANCE AUDIT. Authorizes the state auditor to conduct performance audits of private prisons housing Hawaii inmates, namely Red Rock Correctional Center and Saguaro Correctional Center in Eloy, Arizona and Otter Creek Correctional Center in Wheelwright, Kentucky in the following areas: (1) treatment and services that Corrections Corporation of America is providing to Hawaii inmates including medical, mental health, substance abuse treatment, education, vocational training, and food services; (2) visitation, videoconferencing, and telephone communication; and (3) the department of public safety's monitoring of private prisons, enforcement of contract provisions, and public access to contracts and monitoring reports.	PBS, LMG, FIN
<u>HB 1629</u> Status	RELATING TO EMERGENCY SHELTERS. Requires new state buildings to be evaluated for suitability as an emergency shelter, and requires qualifying new state buildings to be modified to serve as emergency shelters.	PBS, WLO, FIN
<u>HB 1776</u> Status	RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE. Requires director of public safety to transmit monthly reports to department of human services (DHS) listing all newly admitted inmates during the previous month to a correctional facility. Requires DHS to identify inmates who receive public assistance, regardless of the nature of the inmate's offense, to enforce the prohibition of inmates from receiving public assistance.	PBS, HUS, FIN
<u>HB 1014</u> Status	RELATING TO ENHANCED 911 SERVICES. Lowers costs for cell phone subscribers by reducing the Wireless Enhanced 911 surcharge from 66 to 46 cents. Expands the membership and responsibilities of the Wireless Enhanced 911 Board.	PBS, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 688</u> Status	RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION. Makes discretionary, rather than mandatory, fire inspections conducted by the county fire chiefs. Provides that frequency of inspections of buildings other than public schools shall be as deemed necessary rather than every 2 years.	PBS, JUD, FIN
<u>HB 397</u> Status	RELATING TO FIREWORKS. Bans all fireworks in counties with a population of more than 500,000 persons.	PBS, TCI, JUD
<u>HB 398</u> Status	RELATING TO FIREWORKS. Provides for a statewide ban of consumer fireworks (firecrackers).	PBS, TCI, JUD



<u>HB 383</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE. Allows the counties to condition the approval of permits for the construction of new residential housing in tsunami inundation zones on the installation of tsunami warning sirens or payment of impact fees. Requires the disability communications access board to identify internationally recognized symbols to be used in the event of a disaster or emergency to communicate notices to persons that do not understand verbal or written communications.	PBS, HSG/WLO, FIN
<u>HB 226</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA. Allows a qualifying patient to possess 12 marijuana plants and 7 ounces of marijuana at one time. Prohibits identification of the site where marijuana is grown on a registry card. Prohibits a certifying physician from naming a patient's particular debilitating condition. Allows a caregiver to grow marijuana for no more than 5 patients.	PBS, JUD
<u>HB 1635</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES. Establishes new recordkeeping requirements and establishes penalties; amends and adds definitions; requires physical examination of patient by physician; and increases penalties relating to medical marijuana.	PBS, JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1149</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES. Makes Hawaii's controlled substance laws consistent with that of federal law and clarifies sections of chapter 329 relating to controlled substances.	PBS, CPC/JUD, FIN

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