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THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2009

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair  
Senator Shan S. Tsutsui, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE: Wednesday April 8, 2009  
TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
PLACE: Conference Room 211  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<p><b><u>HB 686, HD1, SD1</u></b> <a href="#">(SSCR978)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a></p>	<p>RELATING TO REDUCED IGNITION PROPENSITY CIGARETTES. Delays implementation of the reduced ignition propensity cigarettes law to 09/30/2010. Creates a special revolving fund to receive deposits of cigarette certification fees. Authorizes the state fire council to expend moneys from the fund to cover the reduced ignition propensity cigarettes personnel and program costs. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)</p>	<p>CPN/PSM, WAM</p>
<p><b><u>HB 1015, HD1, SD1</u></b> <a href="#">(SSCR1016)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a></p>	<p>RELATING TO OBLIGATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST FUND. Enables the department of Hawaiian home lands to begin construction on affordable housing projects without having the full and final amount of the capital costs on hand at the beginning of the project. (SD1)</p>	<p>WTL/EDH, WAM</p>
<p><b><u>HB 1782, HD2, SD1</u></b> <a href="#">(SSCR1062)</a> <a href="#">Testimony</a> <a href="#">Status</a></p>	<p>RELATING TO HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE. Creates an office of the state coordinator of health information technology and a health information exchange task force to assist in developing a health information exchange program. Effective July 1, 2050. (SD1)</p>	<p>HTH, WAM</p>

**Decision making meeting only, no public testimony will be accepted.**

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- By Web: Comments may be submitted online if less than 4MB in size, at <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony>.
- In person: 1 copy of their Comments to the committee clerk, Room 210, State Capitol.

- By fax: Comments may be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. When faxing, please indicate to which committee the comments is being submitted and the date and time of the hearing.

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Senator Donna Mercado Kim  
Chair