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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, March 16, 2010
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 325
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

SB 2709, SD1, HD1
(HSCR731-10)
Status

RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE PRODUCTS.
Adds the Design for the Environment Program of the United States Environmental Protection Agency as a program whose approved cleaning and maintenance products will be given first preference by public schools in the purchase and use of environmentally-sensitive cleaning and maintenance products. (SB2709 HD1)

EDN, EEP, FIN

SB 2488, SD2
(SSCR2577)
Status

RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.
Requires electric utilities to compensate net metering surplus customer-generators for excess electricity at the end of the twelve-month period; increases customer-generator capacity to two megawatts; permits existing net-metered customers to remain with the net metering program regardless of available alternatives; increases the total allowable generating capacity produced by customer-generators to 15% of that distribution feeder's penetration level or the penetration level that triggers additional technical study, as determined by the PUC, whichever is higher; increases the maximum number of kilowatts a customer-generator system may have before public utilities commission approval for safety and performance standards is required; directs the PUC to determine the net surplus compensation rate. Effective 7/1/50. (SD2)

EEP, CPC

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW



DECISION MAKING ONLY

The following measure(s) were previously heard on **3-11-10** and **no additional testimony will be accepted.**

SB 1675, SD2
(SSCR746)
Status

RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.
Proposed HD Provides a general excise tax exemption for nonprofit organizations that install renewable energy technology systems.

EEP, FIN

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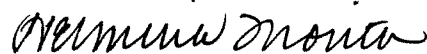
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