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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, March 25, 2010
TIME: 12:30 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA # 3

<u>SB 2661, SD2, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR761-10)</u> <u>Status</u>	MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES. Makes appropriations for claims against the State, its officers, or its employees. Effective July 1, 2050.	JUD, FIN
<u>SB 2150, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR844-10)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO APPELLATE JURISDICTION. Extends the repeal date for certain jurisdictional responsibilities of the appellate courts to June 30, 2014.	JUD, FIN
<u>SB 2454, SD2</u> <u>(HSCR745-10)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS AND RECORDS. Allows courts to charge fees for certified copies of pleadings, orders, transcripts, and other documents. Provides an exemption for state agencies, as may be limited by court rules.	JUD, FIN
<u>SB 2159</u> <u>(HSCR749-10)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TRAFFIC ABSTRACT FEE. Increases the fee for a traffic abstract from \$7 to \$10 and increases the amount of the fee deposited into the general fund from \$5 to \$8.	JUD, FIN
<u>SB 2116, SD2, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR843-10)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO INDEMNIFICATION OF COUNTY AGENCIES. Requires the Governor to delegate to the Superintendent of Education the authority to agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless a county agency, its officers, agents, and employees, under certain circumstances, when the use of county property will be for a school purpose or function.	JUD, FIN



SB 2807, SD2, HD1
(HSCR831-10)
Status

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 6,
OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE TAX
REBATE REQUIREMENT.

JUD, FIN

Proposes a constitutional amendment to article VII, section 6 of the state constitution to authorize the legislature to determine whether excess funds should be used as tax refunds or tax credits to taxpayers of the State or diverted to the State's emergency and budget reserve fund.

SB 910, SD1, HD2
(HSCR207-10)
Status

RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF HOMELESS PROGRAMS
WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.

HSG, JUD, FIN

Transfers homeless programs and services within the Department of Human Services by relocating the state homeless programs from the Hawaii Public Housing Authority to the Benefit, Employment, and Support Services Division.

SB 2473, SD1, HD1
(HSCR854-10)
Status

RELATING TO HOUSING.

HSG, FIN

Allows grandchildren of elderly housing project residents to temporarily reside with the residents in certain family crisis situations. Affords residents evicted for raising grandchildren-in-crisis in their housing project units, priority status to return to project housing.

SB 2593, SD1, HD1
(HSCR855-10)
Status

RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND
DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

HSG, FIN

Requires the Department of Taxation to conduct periodic reviews of housing projects certified for a general excise tax exemption to determine whether the housing projects have met eligibility criteria. Requires the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to adopt rules, including penalties for non-compliance, related to the exemption. Effective July 1, 2050.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least **24 hours prior** to the hearing with a transmittal cover indicating:

- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee the comments are directed to;
- The date and time of the hearing;
- Measure number; and
- The number of copies the Committee is requesting.

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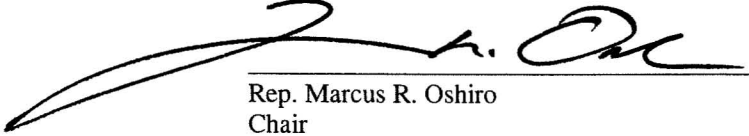
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