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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 9, 2010
TIME: 9:30 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 329
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

HB 2592
Status

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.

HLT, JUD

HB 2813
Status

RELATING TO GYNECOLOGY.
Requires that a gynecologist give a patient the option of having either a gynecologist or a gynecologist oncologist perform a surgery prior to a gynecologist scheduling surgery for gynecologic cancer with metastasis in the abdominal area.

HLT, FIN

HB 2394
Status

RELATING TO TAXATION.
Provides a refundable tax credit for purchase of respiratory equipment to protect against the effects of vog to persons whose primary care physician recommends that they create a "safe room" in their homes with the assistance of that respiratory equipment. Amends provisions of the Hawaii tobacco settlement special fund.

HLT, FIN

HB 1366
Status

RELATING TO HEALTH CARE.
Establishes the Medical Home Demonstration Project to contract with AlohaCare to provide primary care to patients of the Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center and Waimanalo Health Center.

HLT/HUS, FIN
(Pending re-referral to HLT, FIN.)

HB 2917
Status

RELATING TO NUISANCES.
Requires Department of Health to order suspension of operation causing foul or noxious odor, gas, or vapor until examination determines not dangerous or injurious to health.

HLT, FIN



HB 1847
Status

RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF NURSING.

HLT, CPC

Defines the practice of nursing; directs the state board of nursing to adopt certain provisions of the NCSBN Model Nursing Practice Act and Model Nursing Administrative Rules; delineates the scope of practice for registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, and advanced practice registered nurses; repeals Hawaii Administrative Rules relating to prescriptive authority for advanced practice registered nurses.

HB 1813
Status

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE
REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAII MEDICAL CENTER.

HLT, FIN

Amends part II of chapter 39A, HRS, to allow the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to all corporations that provide health care facilities to the general public. Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Hawaii Medical Center.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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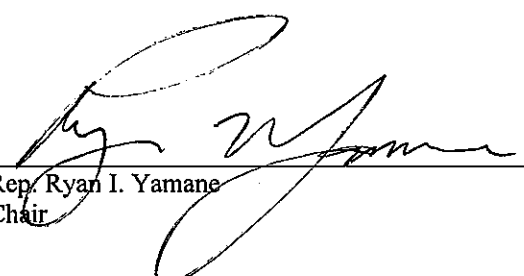
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