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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, March 18, 2011  
TIME: 1:30PM  
PLACE: Conference Room 225  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<p><u><b>HB 198, HD2</b></u> <u>(HSCR878)</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. Authorizes schools to grow food in school gardens for consumption in the school lunch program as long as the food used is inspected and certified as safe by the Department of Agriculture. Effective July 1, 2030. (HB198 HD2)</p>	<p>EDU/AGL, WAM</p>
<p><u><b>HB 1380, HD3</b></u> <u>(HSCR718)</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u></p>	<p>RELATING TO HAWAII-GROWN PRODUCE. Establishes the Farm-to-School Program in the Department of Agriculture to increase the procurement of locally-grown fruits and vegetables. Establishes the Hawaii-grown Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program and appropriates funds for the Program to increase school children's access to Hawaii produce. Establishes the Farmers to Food Banks Pilot Program. Effective July 1, 2030. (HB1380 HD3)</p>	<p>EDU/AGL, WAM</p>

**Decision Making to follow, if time permits.**

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- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 218, State Capitol.



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