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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, February 24, 2011
TIME: 2:30 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 7

<u>HB 260. HD1</u> <u>(HSCR52)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PROCUREMENT. Provides procurement authority to the director of a semi-autonomous county public transit agency. Effective July 1, 2112.	ERB/TRN, FIN
<u>HB 1342. HD1</u> <u>(HSCR537)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS. Exempts broadband infrastructure improvements from state or county permitting requirements for five years. Exempts telecommunications companies from replacing existing utility poles when installing new or improving existing telecommunications cables. Effective July 1, 2112.	ERB, CPC, FIN
<u>HB 985. HD1</u> <u>(HSCR441)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PROCUREMENT. Establishes the use of the design-build process where the cost of preparing proposals is high relative to the size, estimated price, and complexity of the project. Authorizes a two-part process where prequalified applicants will be short-listed to submit design proposals. The short list shall be publically disclosed, or unsuccessful offerors will receive stipends. Effective July 1, 2112.	ERB, FIN
<u>HB 235. HD1</u> <u>(HSCR448)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES. Allows a limited liability company to be designated as an "ingenuity company" by the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs. Requires an ingenuity company to use the right to exclude, conferred by a patent in which the company has an interest, to create job opportunities, strengthen labor, and enhance environmental protections. Effective July 1, 2112.	ERB, FIN



HB 550
(HSCR316)
Status

RELATING TO TELEVISION.
Requires the auditor to analyze the allocation of cable operator franchise fees. Requires a performance review or audit of Olelo Community Television. Appropriation.

LMG, FIN

HB 382, HD1
(HSCR315)
Status

RELATING TO THE AUDITOR.
Grants explicit authority to the Auditor to inspect the documents and financial affairs of the Department of Taxation. Requires the Auditor to implement internal policies to protect confidentiality of private personal information contained in tax returns. Provides penalty, provisions applicable to the Auditor or Auditor's agent for disclosure of tax information.

LMG, FIN

HB 250
(HSCR313)
Status

RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS.
Allows the state ethics commission to employ or retain its own attorneys.

LMG, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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