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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 25, 2011
TIME: 6:00 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 8

Copies of the **PROPOSED DRAFTS** are available in room 306 and on the Legislature's website:
<http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>

<u>HB 799</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. PROPOSED HD1: Suspends temporarily the exemptions for certain persons and certain amounts of gross income or proceeds from the general excise and use tax and requires the payment of the tax at a 4% rate. Effective 07/01/11 and sunsets on 06/30/15.	FIN
<u>HB 1270</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. Requires the department of taxation to evaluate certain tax credits and tax exemptions and report to legislature. Provides automatic repeal of the tax credits and tax exemptions.	FIN
<u>HB 786, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR276)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO SOLID WASTE. PROPOSED HD2: Increases the solid waste management surcharge. Effective July 1, 2011.	EEP, FIN
<u>HB 840</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO LIQUOR. PROPOSED HD1: Increases liquor tax rates. Reduces the liquor tax rate on beer for small breweries or brewpubs. Makes it lawful to provide a discount for liquor purchases through coupons or mail-in rebates when made in combination with other merchandise.	FIN
<u>HB 798</u> <u>(HSCR108)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TAXATION. PROPOSED HD1: Imposes the general excise tax on the gross income derived from a life settlement insurance policy. States expressly that the tax shall not be imposed on any compensation received by an insured for the transfer of the policy or designation of a beneficiary or any death benefit received by a person related to the insured.	CPC, FIN



HB 783
Status

RELATING TO HOUSING.

FIN

PROPOSED HD1: Temporarily allows the dwelling unit revolving fund to reimburse the general fund for the principal of general obligation bonds issued for housing projects and programs. Takes effect on 7/1/11, and terminates on 6/30/13.

HB 1378
Status

RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII ENDOWMENT FUND.

FIN

PROPOSED HD1: Broadens the purposes of the State of Hawaii endowment fund to encompass the education in school for music production with instruction by an Oahu symphony orchestra performer. Effective July 1, 2050.

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