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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 21, 2012  
TIME: 9:00am  
PLACE: Conference Room 312  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HR 105</u> <u>Status</u>	URGING THE NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE TO USE GREEN COFFEE, INSTEAD OF PARCHMENT EQUIVALENT, AS THE BASIS FOR VALUING HAWAII'S COFFEE CROPS.	AGR/ERB
<u>SB 3011, SD2, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1026-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. Requires the Department of Agriculture to transfer TMKs (1) 9-4-012:001, (1) 9-4-012:002, and (1) 9-4-012:003 located in Kunia, Oahu to the Agribusiness Development Corporation no later than January 1, 2013. Effective July 1, 2050. (SB3011 HD1)	WLO, AGR, FIN
<u>HCR 104</u> <u>Status</u>	URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO DESIGNATE THE MAGOON RESEARCH AND TEACHING FACILITY SITE FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES.	AGR, HED, FIN
<u>HCR 138</u> <u>Status</u>	ENDORING THE RENAMING OF THE SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS (STEM) INITIATIVES TO THE SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING AGRICULTURE MATHEMATICS (STEAM) INITIATIVES.	AGR, HED/EDN
<u>HCR 147</u> <u>Status</u>	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE MEASUREMENT STANDARDS BRANCH WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.	AGR, LMG



Please combine testimony for the following measures into one document.

<u>HR 73 / HCR 101</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO IMPLEMENT AN INCENTIVE PROGRAM TO PROMOTE THE PURCHASE OF HAWAII-GROWN AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES.	AGR, FIN
<u>HR 74 / HCR 102</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	CONVENING AN AGRICULTURE POLICY TASK FORCE TO REVIEW AGRICULTURAL POLICIES FROM OTHER STATES IN PROVIDING FOR HAWAII'S AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY.	AGR, FIN
<u>HR 75 / HCR 103</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S EFFORTS TO STIMULATE THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY, INCREASE AND DIVERSIFY AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT, AND PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY.	AGR, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

The following measure(s) were previously heard on Friday, March 16, 2012. No public testimony will be accepted.

<u>SB 2341, SD2</u> <u>(SSCR2675)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO LAND USE. Repeals the prohibition on agricultural tourism activities in the absence of a bona fide farming operation. Repeals the prohibition on ordinances that allow overnight accommodations in agricultural districts. Authorizes agricultural tourism activities, including overnight accommodations of twenty-one days or less, for any one stay within a county; provided that a county has adopted ordinances regulating agricultural tourism. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	AGR/ERB, WLO
<u>SB 2375, SD3</u> <u>(SSCR2466)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL-BASED COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS. Defines agricultural-based commercial operations and authorizes agricultural-based commercial operations in agricultural districts. Includes agricultural-based commercial operations under the definition of "farming operation" in chapter 165, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Takes effect 7/1/2050. (SD3)	AGR/ERB, WLO
<u>SB 2460</u> <u>(SSCR2551)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Allows moneys in the pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund to be expended for the electronic importer manifest program. Makes an appropriation for the implementation of the electronic importer manifest program. Effective July 1, 2012.	AGR, FIN
<u>SB 2695, SD2</u> <u>(SSCR2576)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO LIVESTOCK FEED. Creates a livestock feed feasibility pilot project to investigate the viability of growing and processing livestock feed on land held by the department of agriculture. Appropriation. (SD2)	AGR, FIN

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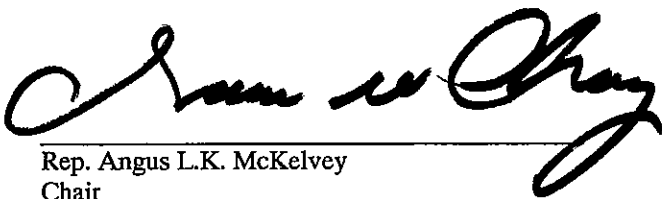
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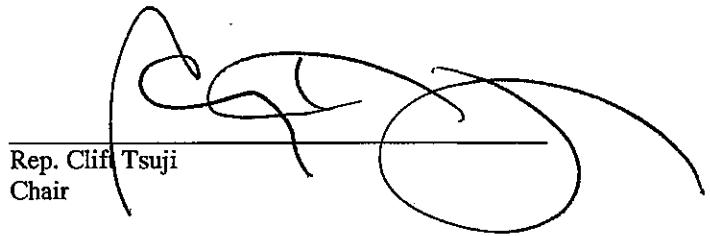
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