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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, March 29, 2012
TIME: 3:00 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA # 5

SB 2528, SD2, HD2
(HSCR1237-12)
Status

RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.
Places the Hawaii 3Ts school technology laboratories fund under the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism. Effective July 1, 2112.

ERB, EDN, FIN

SB 2235, SD2, HD1
(HSCR1074-12)
Status

RELATING TO COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY.
Requires the State and counties to approve, approve with modification, or disapprove all broadband related permits within sixty business days or the application will be deemed approved on the sixty-first business day. Effective July 1, 2112. Sunsets on June 30, 2017.

ERB, FIN

SB 2239, SD1, HD1
(HSCR1182-12)
Status

RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Establishes a venture accelerator funding program under the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation to assist the State's technology businesses to compete for investment capital. Appropriates funds. Effective July 1, 2112.

ERB, EEP, FIN

SB 2877, SD1, HD1
(HSCR1199-12)
Status

RELATING TO HARBORS FIREBOAT.
Abolishes statutory requirements to reimburse the city and county of Honolulu for the operation and maintenance of the fireboat and allows for broader flexibility in the management of fireboat operations by the department of transportation. Effective January 1, 2013.

TRN/PBM, FIN



SB 2876, SD2, HD2
(HSCR1311-12)
Status

RELATING TO THE COMMERCIAL HARBORS.

TRN, JUD, FIN

Amends chapter 266, HRS, to clarify that persons cited for non-criminal violations may appeal through an administrative hearing; clarifies that enforcement agents such as the harbor master, harbor agents, facility security officer, or district manager can issue citations for non-criminal violations; provides that penalties and fines are deposited into the harbor special fund; allows the Department of Transportation to seek reimbursement from tenants or harbor users that violate security rules in harbor-secured areas. Broadens the definition of law enforcement officer to include any employee, officer, or representative of the Department of Transportation conferred by the director with police powers.

SB 2224, SD1
(HSCR1041-12)
Status

RELATING TO THE TAX LIEN AND ENCUMBRANCE RECORD.

TRN, FIN

Allows the recordation of outstanding judgments payable to state or county agencies as a condition precedent to a vehicle's renewal, registration, or transfer of ownership. Exempts state and county agencies from paying the tax lien and encumbrance record statutory fee if state and county agencies to provide to the director of finance the license plate number or vehicle identification number. Allows taxpayer to enter into agreement with the department of taxation to pay the delinquent taxes in lieu of full payment to avoid recordation of a tax lien and encumbrance record.

SB 2402, SD1, HD1
(HSCR1290-12)
Status

RELATING TO LIGHT POLLUTION.

TRN, EEP/ERB,
FIN

Requires new and replacement state outdoor light fixtures in counties with a population of at least 100,000 to be fully shielded and to have a correlated color temperature of 4,000 Kelvin or less beginning July 1, 2014, with certain exemptions. Effective July 1, 2014.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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- The date and time of the hearing;
- Measure number; and
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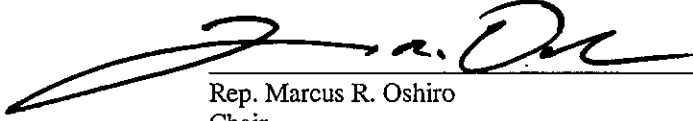
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