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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, March 30, 2012
TIME: 2:00 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A # 1

<u>SB 2220, SD1, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1153-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE BOILER AND ELEVATOR SAFETY LAW. Establishes the Boiler and Elevator Special Fund for the purpose of collecting and depositing fees charged for permits, inspections, and certificates of boilers, pressure systems, elevators, and kindred equipment, and amusement rides to provide sufficient operating funds for the Boiler and Elevator Inspection Branch. Requires repayment of the start-up general revenues deposited into the special fund within five years. Effective upon approval except for fees and appropriations which are effective on July 1, 2012.	LAB/ERB, FIN
<u>SB 2323, SD1</u> <u>(HSCR1020-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Appropriates funds for registered professional nurses within collective bargaining unit 9 and their excluded counterparts.	LAB, FIN
<u>SB 2324, SD1</u> <u>(HSCR1054-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Appropriates funds for officers and employees within collective bargaining units 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 13, and their excluded counterparts.	LAB, FIN
<u>SB 2214, SD2, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1094-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING. Clarifies provisions that negotiations relating to contributions to the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund shall be to agree upon amounts that the State and counties shall contribute toward the payment of costs for a health benefits plan and group life insurance benefits for active public employees; clarifies that a decision of an arbitration panel shall be final.	LAB, FIN



<u>SB 2750, SD1, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1202-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM: Prevents unexpected increases in pension benefits and in the unfunded actuarial accrued liability of the Employees' Retirement System by limiting the amount of compensation included in "average final compensation" and requires employers to pay the additional costs resulting from spiking. Effective July 1, 2012.	LAB, FIN
<u>SB 2751, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1193-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. Requires two of the three members of the Board of Trustees of the Employees' Retirement System representing the citizens of the State of Hawaii to have at least three years of experience providing financial services, including investment experience.	LAB, FIN
<u>SB 2213, SD2, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1095-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE. Requires the consideration of transfer or demotion to another position for which an employee is qualified within the same department before the employee is considered for discharge due to failure to meet performance requirements.	LAB, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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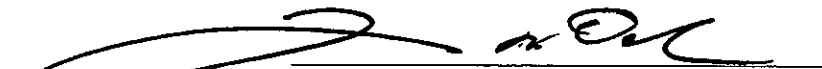
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