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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, January 24, 2012

TIME:

10:00 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 1723

RELATING TO THE TRICARE PROGRAM.

HLT, PBM, FIN

Status

Excludes from the general excise tax, amounts received by a managed care support contractor of the TRICARE program for the actual cost or advancement to third party health care providers pursuant to a contract

with the United States. Effective

HB 1741 Status

RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG.

HLT, CPC, FIN

Requires the insurance commissioner to develop a uniform prescription drug prior authorization form no later than 07/01/2013. Beginning 01/01/2014, requires the uniform prescription drug prior authorization

form to be used by prescribers and health care insurance providers.

HB 2114

RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH INSURANCE

HLT, CPC, FIN

EXCHANGE. **Status**

Provides a definition of consumer in the chapter on Health Insurance Exchange, requires statewide representation on the Health Insurance Exchange Board, removes insurers from serving on the Health Insurance Exchange Board, clarifies that representation by providers is not limited to dental providers, and requires the Hawaii Health Insurance Exchange to offer a basic health plan. Effective July 1,

2012.

HB 2072 Status

RELATING TO HEALTH.

HLT, JUD, FIN

Allows the Department of Health to share records with other state departments and agencies upon authorization of a person with a

tangible interest in the record.

Hearing HLT 01-24-12

RELATING TO HEALTH CARE INFORMATION. HB 1957 HLT, CPC/JUD **Status** Clarifies that persons and entities governed by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, who use or disclose individually identifiable health information that is consistent with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act regulations, shall be deemed to be in compliance with Hawaii's privacy laws and rules. HB 1708 RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH. HLT, JUD, FIN Authorizes the emergency examination of a patient by telemedicine for Status the purposes of emergency hospitalization in a psychiatric facility. RELATING TO INVOLUNTARY PSYCHIATRIC HB 2011 HLT, JUD, FIN HOSPITALIZATION. Status Establishes new procedures for the examination and involuntary hospitalization of persons that meet criteria for commitment to psychiatric facilities. HLT, AGR, CPC HB 2076 RELATING TO MILK. Allows milk produced by a hoofed animal to not be pasteurized if it is Status intended for personal consumption or personal use by any person, including a milk producer. RELATING TO MEDICAL CLAIM CONCILIATION. HLT, JUD, FIN **HB 1967** Status Makes numerous amendments to part II of chapter 671, HRS, to make the medical claims conciliation process less adversarial and to emphasize inquiry, conciliation, and settlement. Renames the panels as medical inquiry and conciliation panels. RELATING TO ASSAULTS AGAINST MEDICAL SERVICES HLT, JUD HB 1926 PROVIDERS. Status Expands the offense of assault in the second degree to include harm to any medical service providers engaged in the performance of duty.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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