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## **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE:

Friday, January 27, 2012

TIME:

9:00 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

## <u>AGENDA</u>

HB 1736 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE.  Specifies that the Hawaii health connector shall establish separate risk pools for the individual market and the small group market.  Establishes staggered terms for board members. Clarifies qualifications of and restrictions on navigators. Clarifies role of DHS in determining medicaid eligibility. Effective 7/1/12.	HLT, CPC, FIN
HB 2273 Status	RELATING TO CONCUSSIONS.  Requires the DOE and the Hawaii High School Athletic Association to develop a concussion awareness program to provide guidelines for public and private schools.	HLT, EDN, FIN
HB 2035 Status	RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE.  Prohibits an insurer from requiring a doctor's referral for annual covered mammograms.	HLT, CPC, FIN
HB 1876 Status	RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS.  Requires a dental hygienist license to be prominently displayed at all times in the office where the dental hygienist is employed or practices.	HLT, CPC
HB 1965 Status	RELATING TO CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR PHARMACISTS. Clarifies the continuing education requirement for pharmacists.	HLT, CPC
<u>HB 1955</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HOME CARE.  Appropriates funds to cover staffing and other initial costs associated	HLT, FIN

with the licensing of home care agencies. Effective July 1, 2012.

<u>HB 1960</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS.  Prohibits retailers from displaying or storing tobacco products through self-service display or engaging in tobacco product retailing through self-service display.	HLT, JUD
HB 2276 Status	RELATING TO SKATEBOARDS.  Requires any person under the age of sixteen to wear a helmet while operating a skateboard. Establishes a fine.	HLT, JUD
HB 1953 Status	RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE.  Makes an appropriation to expand emergency medical services and ambulance services on the Leeward Coast of Oahu. Makes a grant pursuant to Chapter 42F to Wahiawa General Hospital to provide additional emergency room services.	HLT, FIN
HB 1846 Status	RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST WAHIAWA GENERAL HOSPITAL.  Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds of up to \$3,000,000, for Wahiawa General Hospital to construct health care facilities. Effective July 1, 2012.	HLT, FIN
HB 1952 Status	RELATING TO BONE MARROW TRANSPLANTS.  Appropriates matching funds for Hawaii Pacific Health to establish a bone marrow transplant center.	HLT, FIN

## DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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