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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, February 13, 2012
TIME: 10:30am
PLACE: Conference Room 329
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HB 2578, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR175-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR COMMUNITY SERVICES. Abolishes the Advisory Council for Community Services. (HB2578 HD1)	LAB, HUS, FIN
<u>HB 1905, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR176-12)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. Proposed HD2: Allows DHS to draw from other funds appropriated to DHS in the event the General Assistance appropriation is insufficient to meet General Assistance benefits payments. (HB1905 HD2)	HUS, FIN
<u>HB 2547</u> <u>Status</u>	MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES. Proposed HD1: Makes an emergency appropriation from the general revenues of the State of Hawaii for fiscal year 2011-2012 to address the budget shortfall in for the general assistance program (HMS 204) in the Department of Human Services.	HUS, FIN

Copies of the proposed HD2 and HD1, respectively, are available in room 436 and on the Legislature's Web site:
<http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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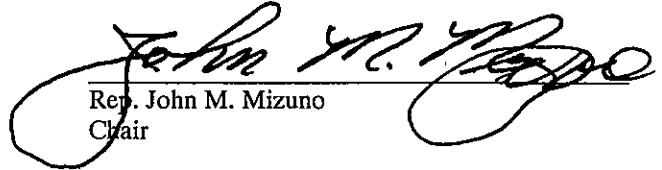
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