

THE SENATE  
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REGULAR SESSION OF 2012

[COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS](#)

Senator David Y. Ige, Chair  
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**MEASURES DEFERRED TO MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2012**

DATE: Monday, February 27, 2012  
TIME: 11:00 AM  
PLACE: Conference Room 211  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

<a href="#">SB2288</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2155)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	RELATING TO ENERGY. Establishes the negotiated partner approach pilot program for energy savings contracts, which allows agencies to forego requests for proposals and negotiate directly with qualified vendors. Requires the pilot program to be operational from 7/1/12 to 6/30/14.	ENE/PGM, WAM
<a href="#">SB2790</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2172)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. Extends the repeal date in Act 187, Session Laws of Hawaii 2010, to continue the pilot program that enables the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to begin housing and other projects without having the full amount of the cost of the projects on hand at the start of the project.	HWN, WAM
<a href="#">SB2213 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2006)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE. Requires an appointing authority to consider another position within the same department for which an employee is qualified before the employee is considered for discharge due to failure to meet performance requirements. (SD1)	JDL, WAM
<a href="#">SB2704 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2125)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL. Enables the Attorney General to retain and deposit fifteen percent of any recovery from any civil action or settlement of a civil claim initiated or prosecuted by the Attorney General to be used for staffing, expenses, equipment, and training. (SD1)	JDL, WAM



<a href="#">HB245 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2062)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	<p>RELATING TO WITNESSES.</p> <p>Increases the per diem payments for out-of-state witnesses in criminal cases from \$110 to \$145. Provides an additional \$90 per diem payment for witnesses from any island other than the island on which the court is located, when that witness is required to stay overnight. (SD1)</p>	<p>JDL, WAM</p>
<a href="#">SB2245 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2002)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	<p>RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.</p> <p>Amends the reduced ignition propensity cigarette program special fund to allow appropriations by the legislature; appropriates \$400,000 from the temporary deposits account in the trust fund of the department of labor and industrial relations to the reduced ignition propensity cigarette program special fund to implement the program and hire necessary staff. (SD1)</p>	<p>PGM, WAM</p>
<a href="#">SB2582 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2112)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	<p>RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE.</p> <p>Clarifies that, of the 20% of the State's annual purchasing expenditure set aside to be awarded to small businesses, at least 3% shall be awarded to veteran-owned and service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses having fifty or fewer employees. Effective 1/1/20. (SD1)</p>	<p>PGM, WAM</p>
<a href="#">SB2114</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2044)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	<p>RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.</p> <p>Provides for the allocation of transient accommodations tax revenues to the convention center enterprise special fund on a fiscal year basis.</p>	<p>TSM, WAM</p>
<a href="#">SB2960 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2117)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	<p>RELATING TO AERONAUTICS.</p> <p>Prohibits the department of transportation from assessing landing fees upon air carriers that provide interisland service, except between the most populous island in the State and any other island in the State. (SD1)</p>	<p>TIA, WAM</p>
<a href="#">SB2977 SD1</a> <a href="#">(SSCR2118)</a> <a href="#">Status and Testimony</a>	<p>RELATING TO TAXATION.</p> <p>Creates an aviation fuel tax credit for aviation fuel taxes paid by interisland airplane carriers to transport people and goods between the islands of this State using turbo propeller airplanes. (SD1)</p>	<p>TIA, WAM</p>

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR AMENDED NOTICES: Measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are underscored. If a measure is both underscored and stricken through, that measure has been deleted from the agenda.



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