

THE SENATE
THE TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION OF 2013

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES
Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland, Chair
Senator Josh Green, Vice Chair

MEASURES DEFERRED TO MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 2013

DATE: Monday, January 28, 2013
TIME: 1:30 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 229
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

SB 82 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. Clarifies the power of the Hawaii public housing authority to sell, lease, rent, hold, maintain, use, and operate certain properties. Authorizes the authority to receive all gifts provided they benefit public housing residents. Requires that the acceptance of gifts with an estimated value of \$1,000 or more be approved or confirmed by the board. Authorizes the authority to use volunteer services. Exempts the authority from various state laws for the use of volunteer services.	HMS, WAM
SB 83 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to retain dwelling units in housing projects for lease or rent by nonprofit organizations and government agencies and to provide for the development of community facilities for lease or rent to nonprofit organizations and government agencies.	HMS, WAM
SB 84 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. Expands the scope of the definition of "public housing project" to include any housing project controlled or managed by the Hawaii public housing authority pursuant to federally assisted housing.	HMS
SB 85 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to establish the resident programs and services trust fund, to be administered by the authority.	HMS, WAM
SB 86 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. Moves the State income tax and obligations exemption for public housing agencies from the laws governing the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to the laws governing the Hawaii public housing authority.	HMS, WAM

SB 87 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to contract with a corporation for management and other support services when the authority determines it is unable to perform these services.</p>	HMS, EGH
SB 90 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to adopt policies, regulations, standards, procedures, and rental agreements for its federal programs in the manner prescribed by the federal government. Provides that federal regulation prevails in case of conflicts between state and federal regulations.</p>	HMS, JDL
SB 91 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO HOUSING. Appropriates funds for the state rent supplement program, for homeless working individuals or families who are ready to rent permanent housing in order to obtain and maintain permanent housing.</p>	HMS, WAM
SB 92 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO HOUSING. Appropriates funds to the department of human services to continue to administer housing first programs for chronically homeless individuals in the State.</p>	HMS, WAM
SB 94 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO THE HAWAII INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS. Adds the executive director of the Hawaii public housing authority to the Hawaii interagency council on homelessness.</p>	HMS
SB 301 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO ASSET BUILDING. Establishes a refundable state earned income tax credit. Requires the department of human services to provide financial education to applicants for and recipients of temporary assistance for needy families. Appropriates funds for financial education and tax workshops.</p>	HMS, WAM
SB 302 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and the appropriation of funds for deposit into the rental housing trust fund to finance affordable rental housing development.</p>	HMS, WAM
SB 303 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and the appropriation of funds into the rental assistance revolving fund for purposes of expanding the rental assistance program.</p>	HMS, WAM
SB 305 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO DEVELOPMENT OF PUBLIC HOUSING. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to develop public housing projects. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to develop commercial and industrial properties in connection with the development of public housing dwelling units.</p>	HMS, WAM

SB 385 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO THE HOMELESS.</p> <p>Establishes the return-to-home program to assist eligible homeless individuals return to their home state if there is a support network available and the support network is able to receive them. Makes appropriation. Effective July 1, 2013.</p>	<p>HMS, WAM</p>
SB 651 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO HEALTH.</p> <p>Prohibits smoking in and around public housing projects under the jurisdiction of the Hawaii public housing authority.</p>	<p>HMS, JDL</p>
SB 721 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO SOLID WASTE.</p> <p>Clarifies that HPHA is authorized to contract with private businesses to divert food and green waste from public housing projects. Requires HPHA to report to the 2014 legislature on its progress on such contracts.</p>	<p>HMS, WAM</p>
SB 728 Status & Testimony	<p>RELATING TO THE SENIOR RESIDENCE AT PIIKOI, OAHU.</p> <p>Authorizes the director of finance to issue general obligation bonds for the construction of the Senior Residence at Piikoi, an affordable senior rental housing project on Oahu.</p>	<p>HMS, 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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