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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

The hearing time has been changed from 2:00 PM to 2:10 PM

DATE: Monday, March 31, 2014
TIME: 2:00 PM 2:10 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 325
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

AMENDED AGENDA

The following measure(s) has been **DELETED** from the agenda: **HCR197/HR157, HCR100/HR74**
The following measure(s) has been **ADDED** to the agenda: **SB2490, SD2, HD1, SB41 Proposed HD1, SB2487 Proposed HD2**

<u>SB 2300, SD1</u> <u>(SSCR2123)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION. Authorizes the state fire council to establish minimum qualifications, testing, certification, and credentialing for individuals conducting maintenance testing of fire extinguishers and fire protection and fire alarm systems. Authorizes the state fire council to implement statewide memoranda of understanding and agreements for the effective use of fire and life safety resources. (SD1)	CPC
<u>SB 2577, SD2, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1134-14)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS. Requires naturopathic physicians to complete a minimum of thirty-five hours of continuing education courses, including a minimum of fifteen hours of pharmacology, during each licensing renewal biennium, beginning December 31, 2017. Effective July 1, 2150. (SB2577 HD1)	HLT, CPC
<u>SB 2492, SD1</u> <u>(HSCR1135-14)</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES. Amends various sections of the Hawaii Revised Statutes to enable advanced practice registered nurses to practice to the fullest extent of their training and education. (SD1)	HLT, CPC



SB 2490, SD2, HD1
(HSCR1204-14)
Status

RELATING TO CONTINUING COMPETENCY FOR NURSES.
Requires licensed registered nurses and licensed practical nurses to submit evidence of continuing competency at each renewal period, beginning on July, 2017. Requires the department of commerce and consumer affairs, in collaboration with the center for nursing, to convene a stakeholder group to address any outstanding issues associated with the implementation of the continuing competence requirements for nurses and report to the legislature. (SB2490 HD1)

HLT, CPC

SB 41, SD1
Proposed HD1
(SSCR564)
Status

RELATING TO REAL ESTATE.
Proposed HD1: For real estate licensure, allows Real Estate Commission to waive one year of the three-year experience as a full-time Hawaii licensed real estate salesperson associated with a Hawaii-licensed real estate broker requirement, with proof of full-time experience in the real estate field for five years up to the time of experience certification. (SB41 HD1 PROPOSED)

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SB 2487, SD1, HD1
Proposed HD2
(HSCR1058-14)
Status

RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT.
Proposed HD2: Establishes the office of small business regulatory review. Requires the director to submit an annual report to the legislature. Requires the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism to provide the Board adequate financial and administrative support.

EDB, CPC

HCR 16, HD1
(HSCR908-14)
Status

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE POTENTIAL BENEFITS OF TELEDENTISTRY FOR VULNERABLE AND UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS IN THE STATE AND TO IDENTIFY BARRIERS TO THE PRACTICE OF TELEDENTISTRY IN THE STATE.

HLT, CPC

HCR 100 / HR 74
(HSCR1091-14) /
(HSCR1090-14)
Status / Status

~~REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR MEDICALLY NECESSARY TREATMENT OF OROFACIAL ANOMALIES.~~

HLT, CPC

HCR 40
(HSCR1236-14)
Status

RECOGNIZING AND DESIGNATING THE HAWAII HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE AS THE ONLY FULLY OPERATIONAL, STATEWIDE HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE OPERATING IN HAWAII.

HLT, CPC

HCR 89, HD1 / HR 64,
HD1
(HSCR1244-14) /
(HSCR1243-14)
Status / Status

ESTABLISHING A WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE STRATEGIES TO ALLOW DOGS IN PARTICIPATING RESTAURANTS AND BARS.

HLT, CPC

HCR 66
Status

REQUESTING THE STATE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE REGULATION OF VETERINARY TECHNICIANS AND THE PRACTICE OF VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY.

CPC



<u>HCR 127 / HR 92</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ISSUE AN EXECUTIVE ORDER REQUIRING STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS TO POST MEETING MINUTES ON THE WEBSITE OF THE AGENCY, BOARD, OR COMMISSION WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE MEETING.	CPC
<u>HCR 212, HD1 / HR 167, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1221-14) / (HSCR1220-14)</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	URGING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ESTABLISH ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION PROGRAMS FOR AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES THAT PRODUCE FOOD FOR LOCAL CONSUMPTION AND TO DEVELOP APPROPRIATE INCENTIVES FOR AGRICULTURAL USES THAT MAY BE SHIFTED TO OFF-PEAK TIMES OR MAY BE AVAILABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN DEMAND RESPONSE TO THE BENEFIT OF THE ELECTRIC GRID.	EEP, CPC
<u>HCR 110, HD1 / HR 81, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR1337-14) / (HSCR1336-14)</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO RECOMMEND LEGISLATION OR CHANGES TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES TO DEVELOP CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN THE STATE AND COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE PROVIDERS AS TO THE USE OF PUBLIC LANDS FOR COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION INFRASTRUCTURE.	EDB, WAL, CPC
<u>HCR 8 / HR 4</u> <u>(HSCR673-14) / (HSCR672-14)</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO WORK WITH CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES TO REVIEW THE PREREQUISITES FOR OBTAINING PERMIT APPROVAL FOR DEVELOPMENTS AT THE STATE AND COUNTY LEVELS.	EDB, CPC
<u>HCR 32 / HR 16</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	URGING CONGRESS, HAWAII FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, AND HAWAII BUSINESSES TO ADOPT LEGISLATION, POLICIES, AND PROCEDURES TO USE IDENTITY THEFT-RESISTANT CREDIT CARDS.	CPC
<u>HCR 197 / HR 157</u> <u>Status / Status</u>	URGING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO ENHANCE ITS ENFORCEMENT OF FEDERAL LAWS PROHIBITING THE SALE OF IVORY.	CPC

Copies of the proposed HD1 are available in room 320 and on the Legislature's Web site: <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.
Copies of the proposed HD2 are available in room 320 and on the Legislature's Web site: <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony no later than 24 hours prior to the hearing. Testimony should indicate:

- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;
- The date and time of the hearing; and



- Measure number.

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Rep. Angus L.K. McKelvey
Chair

