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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, January 24, 2014
TIME: 9:00 AM
PLACE: Conference Room 329
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A M E N D E D A G E N D A

HB 1740 Status	RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS. Amends the appropriations provided in Act 217, Session Laws of Hawaii 2013, for fiscal year 2014-2015 for establishment of the statewide language access resource center and establishment of the multilingual website pilot project administered by the office of language access. Effective July 1, 2014.	HLT, FIN
HB 1748 Status	RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS. Appropriates funds for financial assistance for Hawaii interpreters for training and certification in medical or healthcare interpretation and for the development of medical glossaries in the primary foreign languages spoken in Hawaii.	HLT, FIN
HB 1749 Status	RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS. Appropriates funds for three positions within the Office of Language Access.	HLT, FIN
HB 1597 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION. Addresses primary care physician shortages by appropriating funds for the interdisciplinary Hawaii health systems corporation primary care training program at Maui Memorial medical center.	HLT, HED, FIN
HB 1742 Status	RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PRIMARY CARE TRAINING PROGRAM. Appropriates funds for the interdisciplinary Hawaii Health Systems Corporation Primary Care Training Program at Hilo Medical Center. Effective July 1, 2014.	HLT, HED, FIN



HB 1722 Status	RELATING TO HEALTH. Makes an appropriation to establish and fund two special emergency medical response vehicle units based in Puna and Makalei on the island of Hawaii, including acquisition of vehicles, equipment and personnel costs.	HLT, FIN
HB 2033 Status	RELATING TO JURY DUTY. Exempts breastfeeding mothers from jury duty for up to one year from the time the mother began breastfeeding the child.	HLT, JUD
HB 2037 Status	RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU. Appropriates \$50,000 for the continued funding of project kealahou, within the child and adolescent mental health division of the department of health.	HLT, FIN
HB 2039 Status	RELATING TO CANCER. Appropriates \$100,000 to the department of health for the comprehensive breast and cervical cancer control program.	HLT, FIN
HB 2053 Status	RELATING TO AGING. Establishes a fall prevention and early detection coordinator within the Department of Health's Emergency Medical Services and Injury Prevention System Branch. Appropriates \$78,555 for FY 2014-2015.	HLT, FIN
HB 2055 Status	RELATING TO CAREGIVING. Requires hospitals to allow patients the opportunity to designate a caregiver. Requires hospitals to include designated caregiver in patient's medical record, notify caregiver prior to patient's transfer or discharge, consult with caregiver about patient's discharge plan, and instruct designated caregivers in after-care tasks.	HLT, JUD
HB 2056 Status	RELATING TO AGING. Part I: Establishes a fall prevention and early detection coordinator within Department of Health's Emergency Medical Services and Injury Prevention System Branch. Appropriates funds. Part II: Removes hiring requirement by director of health in accordance to chapters 76 and 89, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for the position of Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator. Appropriates funds for the Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator. Appropriates funds for various kupuna, aging, disability, and senior center programs. Part III: Requires the executive office on aging of the department of health to conduct an education and awareness campaign on long-term care and have the campaign independently evaluated. Appropriates funds. Part IV: Establishes and appropriates funds for one full-time equivalent permanent prevention of elder abuse and fraud position under the executive office on aging. Part V: Appropriates funds for awareness and education of elder abuse, neglect, and fraud.	HLT, FIN



Increases access to POLST by updating references from "physician orders for life-sustaining treatment" to "provider orders for life-sustaining treatment" throughout chapter 327K, HRS; expanding health care provider signatory authority to include advanced practice registered nurses; and correcting inconsistencies over terms used to describe who may sign a POLST form on behalf of a patient.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

New material is indicated in **bold**.

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- The date and time of the hearing; and
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