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NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

DATE: Tuesday, September 30, 2014
TIME: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
PLACE: Conference Room 309
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

The purpose of this informational briefing is to update the legislators in regards to domestic violence in Hawaii, Honolulu Police Department response, and ideas for improvement.

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Overview of Domestic Violence laws..... Domestic Violence Action Center -
Loretta Sheehan, esq.
Nicole Edwards Masuda, esq.
3. Annual Statistics and data DVAC – Community Outreach & Education -
Cindy Spencer, Vice President
4. Police Response to DV calls Honolulu Police Department -
Chief Louis Kealoha, Police Chief
5. Response to DV calls if alleged abuser is HPD Honolulu Police Department
6. Status report of Officer Cachola video..... Honolulu Police Department
7. The role of the Police Commission..... Police Commission –
Gregory Gilmartin, Executive Officer
8. Best Practices of Law Enforcement..... Hawaii State Coalition Against Domestic Violence
Marci Lopes, Executive Director
9. Experiences of victims..... Hawaii State Commission on the Status of Women
Cathy Betts, Executive Director
10. Independent Review Board Proposal **Aaron Hunger, Instructor of Criminal Justice at
Remington College & Ph.D. at UH of Manoa**
11. Adjournment



No public testimony will be accepted.

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