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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, February 02, 2016

TIME:

9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AMENDED AGENDA</u>

The following measure(s) has been DELETED from the agenda: HB 1702

HB 1587

RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

HUS, FIN

<u>Status</u>

Requires the Department of Human Services to establish the Return-

To-Home Pilot Program and extends the pilot program for three years.

Makes an appropriation.

<u>HB 1606</u>

RELATING TO CIVIL IDENTIFICATION CARDS.

HUS, JUD, FIN

Status

Allows homeless persons to replace their lost, stolen, destroyed, or

mutilated civil identification cards free of charge.

<u>HB 1693</u>

RELATING TO HOUSING.

HUS, HSG, FIN

Status

Amends the household income level and unit availability eligibility requirements for the provision of low-income housing and mixed-

income rental project loans and grants made from the Rental Housing

Revolving Fund.

HB 1724

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.

HUS, FIN

Status

Appropriates moneys to establish and operate a comprehensive support service center for disadvantaged individuals and families seeking

transitional support services.

HB 1774

RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

HUS, FIN

<u>Status</u>

Appropriates additional funds for outreach to homeless individuals and

families, as well as homeless unaccompanied youth. Appropriates

funds to the department of human services.

HB 1599

RELATING TO HEALTH.

HUS, CPC, FIN

Status

Requires QUEST and Medicaid coverage for chiropractic care, limited

to 24 visits per calendar year. Appropriates moneys.

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RELATING TO ORAL HEALTH. HB 1772 HUS, CPC, FIN Status Appropriates funds to the department of human services to restore basic adult dental benefits to medicaid and QUEST integration enrollees. RELATING TO ASSESSMENT OF THE INTERNET CRIMES HB 1516 HUS, JUD, FIN AGAINST CHILDREN FEE AGAINST CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS. Status Clarifies that the internet crimes against children fee is to be assessed against every defendant who is convicted of a misdemeanor or felony regardless of the nature of the offense. RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY SPOUSE AND CHILD ABUSE HB 1694 HUS, JUD, FIN Status SPECIAL ACCOUNT. Sets aside funds from marriage licenses granted by agents in each judicial circuit for the Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account for the training of family court judges on domestic violence or child abuse. HB 1701 RELATING TO FAMILY COURTS. HUS, JUD, FIN In child custody and visitation proceedings involving an allegation or Status history of family violence: 1) requires family courts to first hold an evidentiary hearing on the issue of family violence; 2) requires child custody evaluators to have qualifications relevant to the subject of family violence; and 3) if the proceeding does not involve mental health issues, prohibits disqualification of a person for appointment as a child custody evaluator solely because the person does not hold a degree relating to mental health. Prohibits use of a parent's good faith allegation of family violence as a factor that weighs against the parent in determining child custody or visitation. Requires family court judges and professional personnel to complete ongoing training in the latest best practices and research in domestic violence advocacy. RELATING TO GUARDIANSHIP. HB 1585 HUS, JUD <u>Status</u> Prohibits guardians of an adult ward from restricting the ward's right to communicate. HB 1666 RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE SCHOOLS FOR JUVENILES HUS, EDN, FIN INVOLVED IN THE JUSTICE SYSTEM.

Status

Appropriates funds to the department of education for two alternative schools to provide ongoing education to juveniles involved in the justice system or at risk of involvement in the justice system.

HB 1702 Status

RELATING TO TAXATION.

Amends the income tax credit-for-expenses for household and

dependent care services necessary for gainful employment by changing the manner for determining the taxpayer's applicable percentage of employment-related expenses-that constitutes the tax creditHUS, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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