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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 02, 2016
TIME: 2:00 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 325
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>HB 1592</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO ANIMALS. Prohibits certain restraints and activities relating to dogs. Specifies penalties.	JUD
<u>HB 1055</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATED TO ELECTIONS. Requires on an application to register to vote, a Hawaii driver's license number or a Hawaii state identification card number or, if no license or identification card has been issued, the last four digits of the applicant's social security number.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1651</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CLASS C FELONIES. Increases the fine from \$1,000 to \$10,000 for a person who provides false information when registering to vote late or at an absentee polling place.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 1552</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING. Clarifies that increased fines may apply if a noncandidate committee fails to timely file a second preliminary general report.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 2156</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE. Replaces the Hawaii election campaign fund with the general revenues of the State as the funding source for the operating expenses of the campaign spending commission. Appropriates moneys to the commission for operating expenses.	JUD, FIN
<u>HB 2247</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO GOVERNMENTAL TRAVEL. Requires the State and counties to pay the approved travel costs of their officers and employees directly to vendors or by cash advance to the officer or employee, unless otherwise provided in a collective bargaining agreement.	JUD, FIN



HB 1902
Status

RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING.

JUD, FIN

Replaces the offense of Promoting Prostitution in the First Degree with Sex Trafficking to be classified as a violent crime. Makes Sex Trafficking a class A felony and a strict liability offense if a minor is the victim of sex trafficking. Provides that the offense of prostitution for a person younger than eighteen years of age is a violation. Expands the Department of the Attorney General's Statewide Witness Program to include sex trafficking; provides victims with access to criminal injury compensation; and amends laws relating to civil liability for cases of coercion into prostitution. Makes amendments to strengthen enforcement of laws and increase penalties against the sex trafficker.

HB 1046
Proposed HD1
Status

RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT.

JUD, FIN

Proposed HD1: Provides compensation and expungement of conviction to persons who can demonstrate they were wrongfully convicted and imprisoned when actually innocent.

Copies of the proposed HD1 are available in room 302 and on the Legislature's Web site: <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
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