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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:      Tuesday, March 21, 2017  
TIME:      8:30am  
PLACE:     Conference Room 325  
             State Capitol  
             415 South Beretania Street

A M E N D E D   A G E N D A

The following measure(s) has been **DELETED** from the agenda: **HCR118**.  
The following measure(s) has been **ADDED** to the agenda: **HCR203**.

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| <u>SB 665, SD2</u><br><u>(SSCR898)</u><br><u>Status</u> | RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.<br>Replaces the current renewable energy technology systems tax credit with tax credits for solar energy property, wind energy property, and energy storage property. Applies to taxable years beginning after 12/31/2017. Sunsets tax credit 12/31/2035. Effective 7/1/2050. Applies to taxable years beginning after 12/31/2050. (SD2)   | EEP, FIN |
| <u>SB 909, SD2</u><br><u>(SSCR663)</u><br><u>Status</u> | RELATING TO ENERGY ASSURANCE.<br>Addresses deficiencies in Hawaii's fuel shortage response and energy emergency (energy assurance) statutes; provides policy guidance on preparing for, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating against any actual or potential energy supply disruption or shortage to preserve the State's energy security and to ensure that fuel products and energy resources are made available to emergency services and the public in an orderly, efficient, and safe manner. (SD2) | EEP, FIN |
| <u>SB 376, SD1</u><br><u>(SSCR607)</u><br><u>Status</u> | RELATING TO THE INTERISLAND TRANSMISSION SYSTEM.<br>Repeals chapter 269, part VIII, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the interisland transmission system. (SD1)  | EEP, CPC |
| <u>SB 1104</u><br><u>(SSCR689)</u><br><u>Status</u>     | RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST MAUI ALL NATURAL ALTERNATIVE, LLC.<br>Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Maui All Natural Alternative, LLC with the development of a project to provide municipal sludge processing and renewable energy at the Wailuku-Kahului wastewater reclamation facility on Maui.   | EEP, FIN |



SB 637, SD2  
(SSCR890)  
Status

RELATING TO COUNTY ACCESS TO PRIVATE PROPERTY.  
Authorizes the counties through their employees or authorized agents to enter private property to control or eradicate invasive species and pests. Takes effect on 1/7/2059. (SD2)

EEP, JUD

HCR 118  
Status

~~URGING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HAWAII GREEN FUELS INITIATIVE TO COINCIDE WITH INCREASED LOCAL FOOD PRODUCTION.~~

~~EEP, FIN~~

HCR 112  
Proposed HD1  
Status

ENCOURAGING THE GOVERNOR TO WORK WITH THE LEGISLATURE TO DEVELOP A HAWAII GREEN INITIATIVE FOR FUELS TRANSITION TO COINCIDE WITH INCREASED LOCAL FOOD PRODUCTION.

EEP, FIN

**Proposed HD1:** REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ESTABLISH PERFORMANCE BASED REVENUE MECHANISMS THAT DIRECTLY TIE AN ELECTRIC UTILITY'S REVENUES TO THE UTILITY'S ACHIEVEMENT ON PERFORMANCE METRICS.

HCR 203 / HR 131 /  
Status / Status

**URGING THE OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY CONTROL, IN COOPERATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, TO PREPARE ENVIRONMENTAL AND LEGAL OPINIONS OF FUTURE STATE REGULATIONS AND LEGISLATION THAT MIGHT BE DEEMED NECESSARY TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE AND PREVENT THE REGRESSION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.**

EEP, FIN

Copies of the proposed HD1 are available in room 436 and on the Legislature's Web site: <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.

#### DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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