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COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair
Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Vice-Chair

MEASURES DEFERRED TO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018

DATE: Wednesday, March 21, 2018
TIME: 10:00 AM
PLACE: Conference Room 229
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

[HB1911 HD2](#)
[\(HSCR963-18\)](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO HEALTH.
Requires home care agencies to be licensed or certified.
Authorizes the Department of Health to inspect home care agencies. Requires the Department of Health to establish a home care aid registry. Authorizes the Department of Health to establish procedures for the receipt, investigation, and resolution of complaints against home care agencies. Authorizes the Department of Health to enter a care facility when investigating a facility or home. Allows the Department of Health to establish a forum where state-licensed care facilities may post job vacancies. Imposes criminal penalty for the intentional operation of a community-based foster family home, adult foster family home, adult day care center, or home care agency without a license. Requires the Department of Health to establish a working group to discuss and provide feedback for the implementation of the job vacancy forum. (HB1911 HD2)

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[HB2742 HD1](#)
[\(HSCR815-18\)](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO MEDICAL CANNABIS.
Establishes the Office of Medical Cannabis Control and Regulation in the Department of Health to administer cannabis patient registration and dispensary licensing and regulation. Extends civil service exemptions. Extends interim rulemaking authority. Appropriates moneys. (HB2742 HD1)

CPH, WAM



[HB2729 HD2](#)
[\(HSCR919-18\)](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO CANNABIS FOR MEDICAL USE.
Amends the reciprocity program and adds a visiting patient certifying fee. Extends expiration of a written certification to 3 years for chronic conditions. Permits retesting of a failed batch of medical cannabis or products. Permits dispensary licensees to distribute devices that provide safe pulmonary administration. Increases the maximum allowable tetrahydro cannabinol limit for multi-pack cannabis products and single containers of oil. (HB2729 HD2)

CPH, WAM

[HB2748 HD2](#)
[\(HSCR1057-18\)](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO HOUSING.
Requires the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to conduct a study on the current and future demand and supply of affordable housing suitable for individuals with special needs. Makes an appropriation. (HB2748 HD2)

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[Measure added on 3/20/2018]

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR AMENDED NOTICES: Measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are underscored. If a measure is both underscored and stricken through, that measure has been deleted from the agenda.

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