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COMMITTEE REFERRALS

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Committee Abbreviations:

AGR - Agriculture	LAB - Labor & Public Employment
CPC - Consumer Protection & Commerce	LMG - Legislative Management
EDB - Economic Development & Business	OMH - Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian
EDN - Education	Affairs
EEP - Energy & Environmental Protection	PBS - Public Safety
FIN - Finance	TOU - Tourism
HED - Higher Education	TRN - Transportation
HHS - Health & Human Services	VMI - Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, &
HSG - Housing	Culture and the Arts
IAC - Intrastate Commerce	WAL - Water & Land
JUD - Judiciary	

Committee RE-REFERRAL

HB1813, HD1	RELATING TO HEALTH. Establishes a three-year pilot program to create a new category of professional licensure for assistant physicians, through which recent medical school graduates who have passed certain medical exams but have not been placed into a residency program may work under the supervision of a licensed physician to provide primary care in medically underserved areas. (HB1813 HD1)	CPC, FIN
<u>HB1934</u>	RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. Prohibits the construction of injection wells.	EEP, FIN
<u>HB2042</u>	RELATING TO WATER QUALITY. Appropriates funds to the Department of Health to establish one full-time position to conduct water quality assessments in West Hawaii island.	EEP, FIN

Committee RE-REFERRAL

HB2465, HD1 RELATING TO MEDICAL EDUCATION.

HHS, FIN

Requires the Department of Health to conduct a study regarding a pilot program to pay for Hawaii residents to attend a college of medicine in the Philippines in exchange for a commitment to practice medicine in Hawaii after graduation. (HB2465 HD1)

HB2726 RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT.

EEP, FIN

Requires the department of health to set benchmarks to reach an eighty-five per cent redemption rate by 2023. Establishes and appropriates funds for a plastics recycling grant program to identify Hawaii-based alternatives for the sustainable recycling and reuse of plastic commodities. Requires the department of health to annually report to the legislature on redemption rates, progress, and plans regarding the deposit beverage container program. Appropriates funds to establish two positions for the glass advance disposal fee program.