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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:        Wednesday, March 13, 2019  
TIME:        9:35am  
PLACE:       Conference Room 309  
               State Capitol  
               415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>SB 837, SD2</u> (SSCR861) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO FARMS. Creates an exclusion from income tax for the lesser of 51% of gross annual income or \$50,000 of gross annual income earned by a farmer from farming activities. Applies to taxable years beginning after 12/31/2019. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	AGR/EDB, FIN
<u>SB 694, SD1</u> (SSCR795) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION. Requires that food scales be approved for use, accurate, and properly licensed by the department of agriculture as a commercial measuring device and that indicate the price of the item being weighed. Exempts farmers' markets. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	AGR/EDB, CPC
<u>SB 1436, SD2</u> (SSCR1055) <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. Requires the Department of Agriculture to conduct a feasibility study on the establishment of agricultural technology zones, or ag-tech zones, within the City and County of Honolulu. Appropriates funds to conduct the feasibility study. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	AGR/EDB, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. Testimony should indicate:

- Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee(s) to which the comments are directed;



- The date and time of the hearing; and
- Measure number.

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