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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, February 13, 2019

TIME:

8:30 am

PLACE:

Conference Room 312

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AMENDED AGENDA

The following measure(s) has been ADDED to the agenda: HB1511, HB1102, HB1505, HB778, HB1095

HB 1511, HD1 (HSCR169) **Status**

RELATING TO THE COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC

DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL.

Requires the Community-Based Economic Development Advisory Council to retain and oversee professional research and analysis services for the evaluation of the means for or barriers to private for-profit start-up agricultural businesses to acquire funds for

agriculture infrastructure projects. (HB1511 HD1)

HB 1102, HD1 (HSCR68)

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE EDUCATION.

Establishes and appropriates funds for the P-20 agriculture education coordinator position within the University of Hawaii at Manoa College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources.

Specifies duties of the coordinator and P-20 agriculture education

working group. (HB1102 HD1)

HB 1505 Status

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RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

Establishes a Farmer Apprentice Mentoring Program to teach and

train farmers to utilize a whole farm system approach to agriculture. Makes an appropriation to the Department of Agriculture to provide mentoring on a whole farm system

approach to agriculture.

HB 778 **Status**

RELATING TO FOOD SUSTAINABILITY.

Appropriates funds to the Department of Agriculture for the

acquisition of a mobile animal harvesting unit.

HB 1095 Status

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Appropriates funds to the department of agriculture for feral pig

control.

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RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT HB 871 AGR, FIN Status CORPORATION. Requires the Auditor to conduct a management and financial audit of the Agribusiness Development Corporation. HB 1561 RELATING TO AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT. AGR, FIN Status Appropriates funds for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 operating budget of the Agribusiness Development Corporation under the purview of the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Agriculture. HB 1562 RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGR, FIN OPERATING BUDGET. Status Makes appropriations relating to the Department of Agriculture operating budget. HB 1508 RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. AGR, FIN Status Appropriates funds for capital improvement projects of the Department of Agriculture.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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Rep. Richard P. Creagan

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