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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

TIME:

2 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 61

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.

CPC, JUD

Status

Establishes the priority to be applied to a common expense payment by a unit owner that is made in excess of common expense payments

owed.

HB 76

RELATING TO NONJUDICIAL FORECLOSURES.

CPC, JUD

Provides an explicit grant of power of sale to condominium Status

associations and planned community associations for the purposes of enforcing association liens under the power of sale procedures in state

foreclosure law.

HB 289

RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY.

CPC, JUD

Status Requires that public notice for power of sale and tax lien foreclosures

contain a provision regarding the prospect of obtaining a title insurance

policy from a title insurance company.

HB 301 Status

RELATING TO HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

CPC, JUD

Prohibits a homeowners' association from requiring a unit owner to pay

the full amount claimed by the association prior to the unit owner's filing of a claim against the association in court or requiring the association to mediate, if the dispute concerns the unit owner's

construction of a nonconforming structure.

HB 302 Status

RELATING TO HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS.

CPC, FIN

Requires the Auditor to conduct a study, including a cost analysis, on

the necessity and feasibility of establishing an agency within the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to regulate

homeowners associations, and to submit a report of its progress to the

Legislature prior to the 2020 Regular Session.

Hearing CPC 02-05-19

HB 347 Status	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. Amends the requirements for a condominium association's standard proxy form by deleting the option for a condominium owner to give the proxy to the board as a whole.	CPC, JUD
HB 763 Status	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. Clarifies that condominium associations may invest in government money market funds.	CPC, FIN
HB 811 Status	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. Revives for 1 year specified sections of repealed chapter 514A, HRS, to allow developers whose condominium property regimes were issued an effective date pursuant to sections 514A-40 and 514A-41, HRS, to update their public reports without revising any of the associated documents and have their public reports and disclosure abstracts treated as non-expiring developer's public reports under part IV of chapter 514B, HRS.	CPC, JUD
HB 931 Status	RELATING TO THE LANDLORD-TENANT CODE. Prohibits landlords from recovering possession of dwelling unit from tenants if habitability of premises is significantly impaired. Sets a tenant's liability for rent if habitability of premises is significantly impaired. Provides remedies for retaliatory evictions.	CPC, JUD
HB 1257 Status	RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. Enables condominium associations to adopt rules and regulations that: require unit owners to prohibit smoking inside a condominium unit as part of a lease agreement; and prohibit smoking on a lanai of a condominium unit and in all common elements.	CPC
HB 492 Status	RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE CODE. Amends the process for adoption of the state fire code to conform with other Hawaii state building codes.	CPC, JUD
HB 495 Status	RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION. Specifies the allowable fire protection systems certifications that an individual may obtain.	CPC
HB 499 Status	RELATING TO FIREWORKS LABELING. Corrects labeling dimension with regard to fireworks used for display.	CPC
HB 502 Status	RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION. Establishes a tax credit of 30% of the actual cost, including installation, water meter, and permitting fees, of an automatic fire sprinkler system in any one- and two-family dwelling in a structure used only for residential purposes. Sunsets 6/30/2029.	CPC, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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- The date and time of the hearing; and



· Measure number.

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Rep. Roy M. Takumi Chair

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