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NOTICE OF DECISION MAKING

DATE:

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

TIME:

2:00pm

PLACE:

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

The following measure(s) were previously heard on February 05, 2019 at 2:05pm.

HB 948

RELATING TO COVERED OFFENDER REGISTRATION.

JUD, FIN

Status

Requires registration of defendants who have had covered offenses dismissed due to mental or physical disease, disorder, or defect or have been involuntarily hospitalized in lieu of prosecution; clarifies and that

criminal justice agencies may access registration information.

HB 1246

RELATING TO TRESPASS.

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<u>Status</u>

Specifies that for purposes of making a complaint for criminal trespass in the second degree on commercial premises, evidence of a prior "reasonable warning or request" to leave the premises may be evidenced by a copy of the previously issued written warning or request, whether or not the copy is posted at the premises or retained

by the county police department.

HB 807

RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC

JUD

<u>Status</u>

ADMINISTRATION.

Amends the misdemeanor offense of unsworn falsification to authorities to include knowingly making a false statement to a state

investigator or county inspector in certain circumstances.

HB 949 Status RELATING TO FALSE CLAIMS TO THE STATE.

JUD, FIN

Amends false claims statute, section 661-21 (a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, to increase civil monetary penalty minimum and maximum

amounts to maintain consistency with federal law so that the State can continue to maximize it's recoveries in cases where State money is taken illegally and False Claims Act prosecution is successful.

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RELATING TO MANSLAUGHTER. HB 951 JUD Status Amends section 707-702(1), Hawaii Revised Statutes, to authorize manslaughter prosecutions for dangerous drug distribution that results in overdose deaths. RELATING TO CRIMINAL DEFENSE. <u>HB 711</u> JUD Prohibits defendants from claiming that discovery, knowledge, or Status disclosure of a victim's gender, gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation resulted in extreme mental or emotional disturbance sufficient to reduce a charge of murder to a charge of manslaughter unless the other circumstances of a defendant's explanation are already sufficient to reasonably find extreme mental or emotional disturbance. Requires the court to instruct the jury to disregard bias and prejudice regarding gender, gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation when a defendant's explanation of extreme mental or emotional disturbance includes discovery, knowledge, or disclosure of a victim's gender, gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation. HB 952 RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS BOARD. JUD, FIN Clarifies membership and certain powers and duties of the Law Status Enforcement Standards Board, establishes new and more realistic deadlines for the completion of board responsibilities, and provides appropriate funds and resources to enable the board to accomplish its mission. HB 369 RELATING TO COURT PROCEEDINGS. JUD **Status** Provides that the legislature shall have standing to intervene in any court proceeding involving a claim based upon a constitutional or statutory provision. HB 1382 RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE. JUD, FIN Status Defines "contract with the State". Eliminates campaign fundraising on the property of persons that have accepted legislatively appropriated funds, or received or rendered services to the State, with an aggregate value of \$100,000. HB 1251 RELATING TO CORPORATIONS. JUD Status Requires domestic and foreign corporations to provide their shareholders with reports of independent expenditures and political contributions. HB 712 RELATING TO ELECTIONS. JUD Status Requires certain executive branch candidates to disclose their federal income tax returns in order for their names to appear on an election ballot. Prohibits electors for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States to vote for candidates who have not disclosed their federal income tax returns. HB 438 RELATING TO ARRANGEMENT OF CANDIDATE NAMES ON JUD, FIN **Status** BALLOTS. Requires candidate names to be randomized on individual ballots and

randomly rotated across precincts.

HB 168 Status

RELATING TO THE ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION OF

BALLOTS.

Authorizes a voter with special needs to request that a ballot be

forwarded by electronic transmission at any time.

HB 86 Status

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT OF THE HAWAII

CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE RESIGNATION OF STATE

SENATORS.

Constitutional amendment to allow any sitting state senator seeking another public office that begins before the senator's term ends to remain in office as a senator until the next occurring general election, or upon the senator being duly elected and certified to the other public

office, whichever occurs first.

HB 1588 Status

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

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Allows a voter to vote for any primary election candidate, regardless of the candidate's party or status as a nonpartisan candidate. Provides that if there are 2 or more candidates for a state public office, and a candidate receives the majority of votes for that office in the primary, that candidate shall be elected, but if no candidates receive a majority, the 2 candidates receiving the highest vote totals shall advance to the general election. Takes effect upon the ratification of a corresponding

constitutional amendment.

HB 1589 Status

PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION REGARDING THE ELECTION OF STATE OFFICIALS.

JUD, FIN

Provides that if there are 2 or more candidates for a state public office, and a candidate receives the majority of votes for that office in the primary election, that candidate shall be elected. Provides that if none of the candidates receives a majority of votes cast in a primary election for a state public office, the 2 candidates who receive the highest number of votes for that office shall advance to a general election. Repeals constitutional requirements that a candidate for lieutenant governor be elected at the same time and on the same party ticket as a candidate for governor.

As this is a decision making meeting only, no public testimony will be accepted.

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Rep. Chris Lee Chair

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