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COMMITTEE ON HEALTH  
Senator Jarrett Keohokalole, Chair  
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 31, 2021  
TIME: 1:00PM  
PLACE: Via Videoconference

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A G E N D A

<a href="#"><u>GM 638</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, Gubernatorial Nominee, ADAM GRATZ, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.	HTH
<a href="#"><u>GM 632</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, JANE DIERENFIELD, for a term to expire 06-30-2021.	HTH
<a href="#"><u>GM 633</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, JANE DIERENFIELD, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.	HTH
<a href="#"><u>GM 631</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, Gubernatorial Nominee, KEVIN NAKAMURA, for a term to expire 06-20-2024 (expiration date amended to 6-30-2024 by GM660).	HTH
<a href="#"><u>GM 655</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Kauai Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, KEVIN MYRICK, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.	HTH

<p><b><u>GM 654</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Kauai Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, ANGELA UECHI, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 653</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, O'ahu Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, RICHARD JACKSON, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 658</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Oahu Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, JACQUELYN ESSER, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 646</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Maui Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, TARA REED`, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 644</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Hawai'i Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN BETLACH, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 643</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Hawai'i Service Area Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, ALYSA LAVOIE, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 586</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, DARWIN NAGAMINE, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 585</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, MICHELLE MURALT, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 584</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, BATHEY FONG, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><u>GM 583</u></b>  <a href="#"><u>Status &amp; Testimony</u></a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, AMARA COON, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>

<p><b><a href="#">GM 582</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, MELISSA GIBO, for a term to expire 06-30-2024.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 581</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, KIRIKO TAKAHASHI, for a term to expire 06-20-2022 (expiration date amended to 6-30-2022 by GM662).</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 580</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, Gubernatorial Nominee, PHILIP ANA, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 696</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, Gubernatorial Nominee, DIANA FELTON, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 695</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, Gubernatorial Nominee, ERIKA VARGAS, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 708</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, Gubernatorial Nominee, GREGORY TJAPKES, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 707</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Gubernatorial Nominee, RICKI TABOR, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 754</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, DONNA MCCLEARY, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 757</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, DOUGLASS ADAMS, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p><b><a href="#">GM 756</a></b>  <a href="#">Status &amp; Testimony</a></p>	<p>Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, KEVAN WONG, for a term to expire 06-30-2025.</p>	<p>HTH</p>

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Chair