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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 3, 2021
TIME: 2:00 PM
PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE
Conference Room 325
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

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A M E N D E D A G E N D A

The following measure(s) has been **ADDED** to the agenda for decision making: **HB 1263 HD 1, HB 576 HD2**

[HB 360](#)
[Status](#)

RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR JHA
REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED
STATUTES OR THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE
PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES,
CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, OR DELETING OBSOLETE OR
UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS.
Amends or repeals various provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes
or the Session Laws of Hawaii for the purposes of correcting errors and
references, clarifying language, or deleting obsolete or unnecessary
provisions.

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| <u>HB 756, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR283)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE. Redesignates one of the at-large positions on the board of agriculture as an ex officio position, to be filled by the chairperson of the Hawaiian homes commission. (HD1) | AGR, JHA |
| <u>HB 741, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR532)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO ETHICS. Requires certain Hawaii state ethics commission records to be permanently retained. Effective 7/1/2112. (HD1) | GVR, JHA |
| <u>HB 1102, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR420)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL. Prohibits the intentional release of balloons inflated with a gas that is lighter than air. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1) | EEP, JHA |
| <u>HB 1086, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR300)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO VETERINARIANS. Provides veterinarians who provide emergency care to an animal immunity from civil liability in the absence of gross negligence. Provides veterinarians who render emergency treatment when there is no veterinarian-client-patient relationship immunity from civil liability in the absence of gross negligence. Requires veterinarians to report events of animal injury, death, or abuse to law enforcement where there is reasonable cause to believe that it relates to dogfighting or animal abuse and gives veterinarians immunity for civil liability for making the reports. Effective 1/1/2050. (HD1) | CPC, JHA |
| <u>HB 1029</u> <u>(HSCR545)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO LIVING PARK PLANNING COUNCILS. Repeals Act 15, Special Session Laws of Hawaii 2009, that authorized the establishment of living park planning councils. | WAL, JHA |
| <u>HB 901, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR425)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS. Amends the environmental impact statement law to delete reference to discretionary permits in allowing infrastructure improvements within a highway or public right-of-way to be exempt from environmental impact assessment requirements. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1) | EEP, JHA |
| <u>HB 902, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR177)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. Exempts land set aside by the governor to HHFDC and lands leased to HHFDC from other state departments or agencies from classification as public lands subject to DLNR management. Requires the land to be subject to legislative approval prior to the sale or gift of those lands. Requires HHFDC to return any land set aside by the governor or leased lands no longer needed for housing, finance, or development. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1) | HSG/WAL, JHA |
| <u>HB 282, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR607)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO MINORS. Expands the circumstances where a minor may consent to no cost emergency shelter and related services to include cases where the provider is coordinating with child welfare services. Effective 7/1/2060. (HD1) | HHH, JHA |

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| <u>HB 991, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR612)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS. Authorizes the department of health to disclose vital statistics records for public health and law enforcement purposes. Updates eligibility requirements for access to confidential vital statistics records. Effective 7/1/2060. (HD1) | HHH, JHA |
| <u>HB 608, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR347)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION. Requires the board of education to hold no less than six community forums annually, with at least one forum in each county. Requires the board to include an open forum for public comments on non-agenda items. Requires a report to the legislature on implementing open forums. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1) | EDN, JHA |
| <u>HB 1200</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO GOVERNMENT. Prohibits the appointment of state officers and employees to boards and commissions unless otherwise provided. | JHA |
| <u>HB 144, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR599)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS. Increases the monetary threshold that requires disclosure of electioneering communications. Requires that disclosures of electioneering communications occur on the date the electioneering communications are publicly distributed. Classifies election advertisements sent by mail at any postal rate as electioneering communications. Effective 7/1/2112. (HD1) | GVR, JHA |
| <u>HB 891, HD1</u> <u>Proposed HD2</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO ELECTRIC GUNS. Proposed HD2: regulates the sale and use of electric guns and cartridges. | CPC, JHA |

The proposed HD2 is available on the Legislature's Web site: <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.

The following measure(s) were previously heard on **March 2, 2021**. No public testimony will be accepted.

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| <u>HB 1263, HD1</u> <u>(HSCR291)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICES. Establishes a system of graduated penalties for violations of the ignition interlock law. Requires proof of compliance with the ignition interlock law to be eligible to apply for a driver's license. Effective 1/1/2050. (HD1) | CPC, JHA |
| <u>HB 576, HD2</u> <u>(HSCR633)</u> <u>Status</u> | RELATING TO HEALTH CARE. Authorizes advanced practice registered nurses to perform medication or aspiration abortions. Effective 7/1/2060. (HD2) | HHH, CPC, JHA |

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least **24 hours** prior to the hearing. Testimony received after this time will be stamped late and left to the discretion of the chair to consider. While every effort will be made to incorporate all testimony received, materials received on the day of the hearing or improperly identified or directed, may not be processed.

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Testimony submitted will be placed on the legislative website. This public posting of testimony on the website should be considered when including personal information in your testimony.

The chair may institute a per-testifier time limit.

Committees meeting in the morning must adjourn prior to the day's Floor Session. Therefore, due to time constraints, not all testifiers may be provided an opportunity to offer verbal comments. However, remote testifiers' written submissions will be considered by the committee.

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FOR AMENDED NOTICES: Measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are bolded.

For more information, please contact the Committee Clerk at 586-6680

Rep. Mark M. Nakashima
Chair

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