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COMMITTEE ON LABOR, CULTURE AND THE ARTS

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair
Senator Les Ihara, Jr., Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 5, 2021
TIME: 3:00 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 225

THE STATE CAPITOL IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC DURING THE ONGOING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

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A G E N D A

SB 1069 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (1) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
SB 1070 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (2) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
SB 1071 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (3) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
SB 1072 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (4) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM

SB 1073	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (5) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1074	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (6) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1075	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (7) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1076	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (8) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1077	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (9) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1078	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (10) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1079	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (11) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		
SB 1080	RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (13) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.	LCA, WAM
Status & Testimony		

<p>SB 1081 Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS. Provides appropriations for collective bargaining cost items for the members of Unit (14) and their excluded counterparts, including the cost of salary adjustments negotiated between the State and the bargaining unit representative for fiscal biennium 2021-2023.</p>	<p>LCA, WAM</p>
<p>SB 431 Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. Requires the employees' retirement system to submit to the legislature certain annual reports through 2026. Extends the effective date of certain sections of Act 87, Session Laws of Hawaii 2015, to 1/1/2026 to provide state and county departments and agencies with additional time to comply with new employees' retirement system reporting standards.</p>	<p>LCA, WAM</p>
<p>SB 675 Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS FUND. Amends the definition "employee beneficiary" to retain beneficiary status of unmarried adult children incapable of self-support after the death of a retired member.</p>	<p>LCA, JDC</p>
<p>SB 670 Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT OF A MINOR. Allows minors to work in theatrical employment provided that the employer procures a valid certificate and the minor is accompanied by a parent or guardian and a studio teacher or nurse. Requires a nurse certified in basic life support to accompany, supervise, and advocate on behalf of an infant when an infant under the age one is on set. Requires a studio teacher to accompany and supervise minors who have attained the age of five years and are required to attend school. Defines "nurse" and "studio teacher". Takes effect 1/1/2022.</p>	<p>LCA, JDC</p>
<p>SB 382 Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO PAYMENTS OF SUPPORT. Includes tips or gratuities paid directly to an individual by a customer of the employer and reported or declared to the employer under the definition of income withheld by employers for payments of child or spousal support.</p>	<p>LCA, JDC</p>
<p>SB 614 Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO TAXATION. Retroactively exempts from state income tax, unemployment compensation received from March 1, 2020, to December 31, 2020. Requires the department of taxation to retroactively refund state income tax deducted and withheld from individuals for unemployment compensation during that time period.</p>	<p>LCA, WAM</p>

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Chair