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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 23, 2022
TIME: 10:40 AM
PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE
 Conference Room 329
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

[HCR 109 / HR 105 /](#)
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DESIGNATING THE WAIANAE MOKU KUPUNA COUNCIL AS
AN ADVISORY RESOURCE TO THE ELECTED MEMBERS OF
THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII
REPRESENTING THE WAIANAE MOKU COMMUNITY.

CAI, JHA

[HCR 161 / HR 161 /](#)
[Status / Status](#)

REQUESTING THAT THE CREATIVE RESURGENCE TASK
FORCE CONTINUE TO EXAMINE AND DETERMINE
MEASURES AND ESTABLISH POLICIES AND PROGRAMS TO
BUILD AND FOSTER CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION
THROUGH THE ARTS, CULTURE, AND HUMANITIES IN THE
STATE.

CAI, FIN



HCR 119 / HR 119 / Status / Status	REQUESTING THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS TO REPORT INFORMATION RELATING TO EXPENDITURES FROM THE WORKS OF ART SPECIAL FUND FOR THE CURATION AND PRESERVATION OF NATIVE HAWAIIAN ART.	CAI, FIN
HCR 159 / HR 159 / Status / Status	RECOGNIZING THE HISTORIC, CULTURAL, AND STRATEGIC CONNECTIONS AMONG THE PEOPLES OF OCEANIA, OF WHICH HAWAI'I IS A PART, AND URGING GREATER COLLABORATION WITH GOVERNMENTS OF NATIONS AND PROGRAMS AND TRAINING TO COMBAT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST PACIFIC ISLAND COMMUNITIES.	CAI, JHA
HCR 162 / HR 162 / Status / Status	REQUESTING THE HAWAII COUNCIL FOR THE HUMANITIES, STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS, AND THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM TO COLLABORATE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A HAWAII STATE POET LAUREATE PROGRAM.	CAI, FIN
HCR 160 / HR 160 / Status / Status	CELEBRATING THE TIES BETWEEN HAWAI'I AND THE FREELY ASSOCIATED STATES AND URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO APPOINT A LEAD NEGOTIATOR TO REVITALIZE AND FINALIZE THE STALLED RENEGOTIATION OF THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION PRIOR TO THE COMPACTS' EXPIRATION.	CAI, JHA
HCR 152 / HR 152 / Status / Status	RECOGNIZING THE PERIOD BETWEEN 2022 AND 2032 AS THE UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL DECADE OF INDIGENOUS LANGUAGES.	CAI, JHA
HCR 121 / HR 121 / Status / Status	REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO REPORT ON THE PAMANTASAN COUNCIL'S SYSTEMWIDE EFFORTS TO IMPROVE THE STATUS OF FILIPINOS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.	CAI, HET
HCR 110 / HR 106 / Status / Status	REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE CITY OF AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND.	CAI, JHA
HCR 148 / HR 148 / Status / Status	ENDORSING AND ADOPTING THE TREATY ON THE PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS TO ACHIEVE UNITED NATIONS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL 16 OF PEACE, JUSTICE, AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS OF THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT.	CAI, JHA



[HCR 107 / HR 103 / Status / Status](#)

RECOGNIZING APRIL 17 THROUGH APRIL 23, 2022, AS VOLUNTEER WEEK IN THE STATE OF HAWAII.

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[HCR 167 / HR 167 / Status / Status](#)

URGING MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO ENACT FEDERAL LEGISLATION GRANTING STATEHOOD TO THE PEOPLE OF WASHINGTON, D.C.

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DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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Rep. Cedric Asuega Gates
Chair

