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COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION

Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair
Senator Michelle N. Kidani, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, February 3, 2022
TIME: 3:00 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 229 & Via Videoconference

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A G E N D A

SB 2304 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. Clarifies that the purpose of the Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii is to promote educational, scientific, and literary pursuits through research, training of research personnel, and dissemination of knowledge by publication of research findings; and its undertakings shall be limited to acts that are reasonably necessary to carry out this purpose.	HRE, JDC/WAM
SB 3277 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM. Prohibits the president of the University of Hawaii from serving concurrently as a campus chancellor.	HRE, JDC
SB 3184 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RESIDENT TUITION FEE. Expands the criteria to qualify for resident tuition fees to include high school seniors and recent high school graduates.	HRE, WAM
SB 3156 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND. To recognize the cost-sharing agreement for overall personnel expenses between State general funds and funds in the University of Hawaii Tuition and Fees Special Fund for appropriated general fund positions as beneficial to both the University of Hawaii and the State. Specifies conditions for exemptions for the University of Hawaii from sections 87A-39(a) and 88-125(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes.	HRE, WAM

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Donna Mercado Kim
Chair