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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, February 10, 2022
TIME: 2:00 p.m.
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: **HB2197**.

[HB 1580](#)
[Status](#)

RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.
Specifies under the Hawaii Rules of Evidence that a court may order
that the testimony of witnesses be taken through a live two-way video
connection in certain circumstances.

JHA, FIN



HB 1571, HD1 (HSCR8-22) Status	<p>RELATING TO COVID-19 VACCINATION STATUS.</p> <p>Makes it a civil violation for a person to: (1) misrepresent to a business, church, nonprofit organization, or governmental entity the person's COVID-19 vaccination status, including the person's medical condition or religious beliefs as the basis for a COVID-19 vaccine exemption; (2) falsify or alter a COVID-19 vaccination card, or purchase a falsified or altered COVID-19 vaccination card, for personal use; (3) use a falsified or altered COVID-19 vaccination card; or (4) sell, distribute, or manufacture, regardless of whether the person is compensated, a falsified or altered COVID-19 vaccination card for use by others. Establishes fines. Effective 7/1/2050. Repeals on 6/30/2023. (HD1)</p>	PDP, JHA, FIN
HB 2187, HD1 (HSCR36-22) Status	<p>RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS.</p> <p>Changes the number of terms of University of Hawaii Board of Regent members that should expire each year from three to two. Adjusts the terms of members appointed between 2022-2026 to realign the number of terms scheduled to expire each year. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)</p>	HET, JHA, FIN
HB 1560, HD1 (HSCR28-22) Status	<p>RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.</p> <p>Amends the minimum qualifications for board of education members. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)</p>	EDN, JHA, FIN
HB 1775, HD1 (HSCR31-22) Status	<p>RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS.</p> <p>Specifies additional forms of discrimination and other prohibited conduct under Chapter 368D, HRS. Requires entities with state education programs or activities, or that receive state funding for educational programs or activities, to adopt written policies and undertake other specified enforcement actions no later than 1/1/2023. Requires annual reports to legislature. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)</p>	EDN, JHA, FIN
HB 1789, HD1 (HSCR2-22) Status	<p>RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.</p> <p>Establishes that the representative of labor on the Hawaii Labor Relations Board shall be a person selected by a majority of the exclusive representatives of the collective bargaining units. Provides a timeframe for the governor to appoint the representative of labor following submission of the nominee's name. Effective 12/25/2040. (HD1)</p>	LAT, JHA, FIN
HB 1447 Status	<p>RELATING TO LIFEGUARDS.</p> <p>Provides that any person qualified as a county lifeguard who renders rescue, resuscitative, or other lifeguard services, without remuneration or expectation of remuneration, on a beach or in the ocean in the scope of the person's employment as a county lifeguard, shall not be liable, and the employing county shall not be liable, for any civil damages resulting from the person's act or omissions while providing rescue, resuscitative, or other lifeguard services, except as may result from the person's gross negligence or wanton acts or omissions.</p>	JHA, FIN
HB 2288, HD1 (HSCR26-22) Status	<p>RELATING TO LAND.</p> <p>Transfers certain land to the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)</p>	WAL, JHA, FIN



HB 1655, HD1 (HSCR42-22) Status	RELATING TO SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREAS. Expands exclusions from the definition of "development" as it applies to special management areas to reduce the need for special management area permits for certain activities. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)	WAL, JHA, FIN
HB 1670, HD1 (HSCR27-22) Status	RELATING TO LAND USE DISTRICT BOUNDARIES. Establishes a boundary review committee to render decisions on district boundary disputes brought before the land use commission. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)	WAL, JHA, FIN
HB 511, HD1 (HSCR11-22) Status	RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY. Requires an applicant seeking to register more than ten acres of land with either the land court or the bureau of conveyances to provide a sworn affidavit that the community where the land is located has been given notice of the applicant's intended use of the land and a copy of the notice. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)	WAL, JHA, FIN
HB 1414, HD1 (HSCR21-22) Status	RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES. Makes a person who is the registered owner of a vehicle that was deemed abandoned or derelict subject to a tiered fine system. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)	TRN, JHA, FIN
HB 2076 Status	RELATING TO TOBACCO MANUFACTURER QUALIFIED ESCROW FUNDS. Provides a mechanism to assign non-participating tobacco manufacturers' qualified escrow account balances to the State of Hawaii. Also provides a mechanism for the financial institution acting as the escrow agent of the qualified escrow account to petition the courts to authorize transfer of funds to the State when the qualified escrow account is abandoned.	JHA, FIN

The following measure was previously heard on February 8, 2022 at 2:00 PM.. No public testimony will be accepted.

HB 2197 Status	RELATING TO GAMBLING. Amends the offense of promoting gambling in the second degree to a class C felony without the possibility of probation or suspension of sentence. Amends the offense of promoting gambling in the first degree to a class B felony without the possibility of probation or suspension of sentence. Amends the requisite state of mind to criminal negligence for both offenses.	JHA
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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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Rep. Mark M. Nakashima
Chair

