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COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, INTERGOVERNMENTAL, AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Chair
Senator Lynn DeCoite, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, March 17, 2022
TIME: 1:00 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Room 229 & Videoconference

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72-HOURS REQUIRED FOR ENTRANCE TO THE STATE CAPITOL BEGINNING ON MARCH 7, 2022
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A G E N D A

<p><u>HB 1739, HD1</u> (HSCR960-22) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. Clarifies that the comprehensive offender reentry system provides programs and services that result in the timely release of inmates on parole when the minimum term, rather than the maximum term, has been served by the inmate. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)</p>	<p>PSM, JDC/WAM</p>
<p><u>HB 2309, HD2</u> (HSCR909-22) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO INCARCERATION. Appropriates moneys for the development and maintenance of diversion, reentry, and rehabilitation services and programs by non-profit organizations in the State. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD2)</p>	<p>PSM, WAM</p>
<p><u>HB 2312, HD1</u> (HSCR910-22) Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO PRISON REFORM. Establishes the women's corrections implementation commission in the judiciary to ensure implementation of the recommendations from the final report of the House Concurrent Resolution No. 85 (2016) task force, to develop and implement an evidence-based, gender-responsive plan to divert non-violent women offenders, especially those with minor children, from the criminal justice system. Requires the commission to consider model programs including residential, in-person and community-based rehabilitation programs, supportive and subsidized housing, restorative justice, and educational programs. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)</p>	<p>PSM, JDC/WAM</p>

HB 2344, HD2

(HSCR955-22)

Status &
Testimony

RELATING TO PROBATION.

PSM, JDC

Requires probation officers to conduct formal reviews of a defendant's progress halfway through the defendant's period of probation and provide information on how to file a motion for early termination of probation. Gives probation or law enforcement officers who have probable cause to believe a defendant has failed to comply with a discretionary condition of probation the discretion to issue the defendant a written notice of a court hearing. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD2)

HB 2169, HD1

(HSCR680-22)

Status &
Testimony

RELATING TO THE COMPREHENSIVE OFFENDER REENTRY SYSTEM.

PSM, JDC

Clarifies that the department of public safety's role is to work with the department of transportation and county examiners of drivers to assist inmates in procuring civil identification cards necessary to transition into the workforce, access social services, and secure housing, rather than issue civil identification cards. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Clarence K. Nishihara
Chair