

THE SENATE  
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COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz, Chair  
Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran, Vice Chair

AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, April 7, 2022  
TIME: 10:40 AM  
PLACE: Conference Room 211 & Videoconference

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A M E N D E D A G E N D A

[HB 1147](#)

[Proposed SD1](#)

[\(HSCR768\)](#)

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RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

~~Appropriates supplemental funds for the Judiciary for the fiscal biennium beginning 7/1/2021 and ending 6/30/2023. (Proposed SD1)~~

Copies of the proposed SD1 are available from the Senate Document Center and on the Legislature's website:  
[www.capitol.hawaii.gov](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov).

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**[Measure deleted  
on 04-04-22]**

[HB 510, HD1](#)

[Proposed SD1](#)

[\(HSCR814\)](#)

[Status &  
Testimony](#)

RELATING TO TAXATION.

Establishes a vehicle registration fee tax credit for persons who are eligible for a refundable food/excise tax credit greater than \$0. Extends the availability of the state earned income tax credit until tax year 2028. Effective 7/1/2050. (Proposed SD1)

Copies of the proposed SD1 are available from the Senate Document Center and on the Legislature's website:  
[www.capitol.hawaii.gov](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov).

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**[Measure added  
on 04-06-22]**

**HB 1540**

(HSCR800-22)

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RELATING TO STATE BONDS.

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Authorizes issuance of general obligation bonds. Makes findings required by Article VII, Section 13, of the Hawaii State Constitution to declare that the issuance of authorized bonds will not cause the debt limit to be exceeded.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz  
Chair