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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, January 31, 2023
TIME: 2:00 PM
PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE
Conference Room 309
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

[HB 54](#)
[Status](#)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Establishes a nationally certified school psychologist incentive program. Appropriates funds for the incentive program.

EDN, CPC, FIN

[HB 335](#)
[Status](#)

RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
PROCUREMENT.
Exempts small purchases of career and technical education equipment for the department of education from the electronic procurement system requirements. Adjusts the quotation requirements for the procurement of small purchases of career and technical education equipment for the department.

EDN, LGO, FIN

[HB 388](#)
[Status](#)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Adopts the National Instructional Materials Accessibility Standard. Requires the department of education to obtain instructional materials in accessible formats for eligible students.

EDN, FIN



HB 69 Status	RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS. Appropriates funds for the department of education's resources for enrichment, athletics, culture, and health program.	EDN, FIN
HB 503 Status	RELATING TO COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION. Allows students to complete computer science courses as a substitute for science credits at the high school level to count towards graduation requirements. Requires a computer science course credit as a graduation requirement at the high school level beginning with the 2030-2031 school year. Appropriates funds for teacher professional development in computer science.	EDN, HET, FIN
HB 250 Status	RELATING TO FARM TO SCHOOL PROCUREMENT. Requires the department of education to establish rules for the procurement of goods and services related to the administration of food programs at public schools that incorporate a geographic preference for unprocessed locally grown and locally raised food products.	EDN, LGO, FIN
HB 556 Status	RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION. Requires the board of education to invite the exclusive representative for bargaining unit (5) (teachers and other personnel of the department of education) to appoint a nonvoting public school teacher representative to the board and the exclusive representative for bargaining unit (6) (educational officers) to appoint a nonvoting public school administrator representative to the board.	EDN, JHA, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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Rep. Justin H. Woodson
Chair

