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COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

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COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND TECHNOLOGY

Senator Sharon Y. Moriwaki, Chair
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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 10, 2023
TIME: 4:00 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 225 & Videoconference
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street
TIMESLOT: PSM

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A G E N D A

SB 1330

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RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY.
Converts the Emergency Management Specialist series positions at level IV and higher in the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency from civil service status to exempt status.

PSM/LBT,
JDC/WAM

SB 1572

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RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.
Creates a separate bargaining unit (16) for City and County of Honolulu Emergency Medical Services Department employees. Recategorizes City and County of Honolulu Emergency Medical Services Department employees from bargaining unit (10) into bargaining unit (16).

PSM/LBT, WAM

SB 1614

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RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.

LBT/PSM, WAM

Retains institutional, health, and correctional workers except for adult corrections officers of the Department of Public Safety's Corrections Division or its successor agency of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation under bargaining unit (10). Creates a separate bargaining unit (16) for adult corrections officers of the Department of Public Safety's Corrections Division or its successor agency.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Senator Sharon Moriwaki
Chair

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