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REGULAR SESSION OF 2024

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Thursday, March 21, 2024  
TIME: 9:30 a.m.  
PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE  
Conference Room 329  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

<a href="#">HCR 42 / HR 31 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ECONOMIC RESEARCH ORGANIZATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF WAYS TO INCREASE ACCESS TO SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM BENEFITS.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 33 / HR 22 / Status / Status</a>	URGING THE GOVERNOR AND PERTINENT STATE AGENCIES TO COMMIT TO PROVIDE CULTURALLY APPROPRIATE RESOURCES, SERVICES, AND PROGRAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES EXPERIENCING INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 115 / HR 96 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES THAT ARE NOT REGISTERED UNDER THE CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES REGISTRY.	HUS, FIN



<a href="#">HCR 200 / HR 180 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO REPORT ON THE CULTURAL AND THERAPEUTIC SERVICES PROVIDED BY COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS AT THE KAWAIOLOA YOUTH AND FAMILY WELLNESS CENTER.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 44 / HR 33 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONVENE A BABY BONDS WORKING GROUP.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 46 / HR 35 / Status / Status</a>	URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO ADOPT THE SOCIAL SECURITY 2100 ACT.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 53 Status</a>	REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR BIOMARKER TESTING.	HUS, CPC
<a href="#">HCR 91 / HR 75 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO ADDRESS ISSUES RELATING TO REIMBURSEMENTS AND PAYMENTS TO HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES PROVIDERS.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 94 / HR 78 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF INCREASING THE MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT PAYMENT RATE FOR HAWAII'S COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES AND EXPANDED ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES FOR MEDICAID CLIENTS.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 101 / HR 82 / Status / Status</a>	REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE NECESSITY FOR HAWAII'S CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROGRAM UNDER CHAPTER 323D, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.	HUS, FIN
<a href="#">HCR 142 / HR 124 / Status / Status</a>	URGING THE GOVERNOR AND BOARD OF PHARMACY TO SUPPORT THE LANAI COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER'S TELEPHARMACY PILOT DEMONSTRATION AND RESEARCH PROJECT AS A METHOD OF EXPANDING THE ACCESSIBILITY AND AFFORDABILITY OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO VULNERABLE POPULATIONS AND RURAL COMMUNITIES THROUGHOUT THE STATE.	HUS

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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Rep. Lisa Marten  
Chair

