HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2025

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE & ARTS

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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, February 12, 2025 TIME: 9:30am PLACE: VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE Conference Room 309 State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street

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HB 547, HD1 (HSCR232) Status	RELATING TO THE SPAYING AND NEUTERING OF ANIMALS. Establishes the Spay and Neuter Special Fund to reduce pet overpopulation and the reproduction of free-roaming cats and various revenue and fundraising sources for the special fund. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)	AGR, CAA, FIN
HB 925, HD1 (HSCR248) Status	RELATING TO THE ARTS. Requires the Comptroller to establish a separate Arts Fees Account within the Works of Art Special Fund to be funded by one per cent of all ticket sales from concerts held at state venues. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)	CAA, FIN

DECISION MAKING

The following measure(s) were previously heard on February 7, 2025. No public testimony will be accepted.



<u>HB 1378</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS.	CAA, FIN
	Establishes the Performing Arts Grants Program to support performing	
	arts in the State. Clarifies the scope of the State Foundation on Culture	
	and the Arts' responsibilities to include the coordination, planning,	
	promotion, marketing, and execution of performing arts events.	
	Allows the use of moneys from the Works of Art Special Fund for	
	performing arts. Appropriates funds to provide grants under the	
	Performing Arts Grants Program.	

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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Rep. Jeanne Kapela Chair

