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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 18, 2015
TIME: 2:00 pm
PLACE: Conference Room 309
 State Capitol
 415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

SB 831, SD2
(SSCR824)
Status

RELATING TO EDUCATION.
Amends the chapter governing public charter schools to align the requirements for start-up and conversion charter schools. Defines "applicant governing board" and makes conforming amendments. Makes other housekeeping amendments. (SD2)

EDN, FIN

SB 836, SD2
(SSCR783)
Status

RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS.
Requires state departments, upon the closure of facilities, to consider the facility's suitability for use by public charter schools or early learning pre-plus programs, and to notify the department of education, state public charter schools commission, and executive office on early learning of the availability and suitability of the facility. (SD2)

EDN, FIN

SB 1345
(SSCR789)
Status

RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
Requires the department of education to develop a transition plan to end multi-track schedules in public schools and report to the legislature regarding the plan and any proposed legislation. Requires the department of education to give priority to overpopulated schools, including multi-track schools, among capital improvement project appropriation requests submitted to the legislature.

EDN, FIN

SB 841, SD2
(SSCR886)
Status

RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH.
Requires the Department of Education and Department of Health to jointly establish an interagency working group to create a comprehensive school health program. (SD2)

EDN, HLT, FIN



DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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