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## **NOTICE OF HEARING**

DATE:

Wednesday, February 11, 2015

TIME:

2:00 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 423

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

## AGENDA

<u>HB 181</u>

RELATING TO LOBBYING EXPENDITURES.

LMG, JUD, FIN

Status

Broadens the term "expenditures" by removing the exemption for expenses relating to the preparation of testimony before a legislative or administrative hearing. Requires a lobbyist's statement of expenditures to include total expenditures, rather than expenditures over \$750.

HB 184 Status RELATING TO ADVISORY OPINIONS BY THE STATE ETHICS

LMG, JUD, FIN

COMMISSION.

Requires the ethics commission to render advisory opinions for the legislature and constitutional convention within thirty days of request.

<u>HB 188</u>

RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.

LMG, CPC, FIN

Status

Prohibits state employees from taking any official action directly

affecting a business or other undertaking in which a parent, sibling, or

emancipated child has a substantial financial interest.

<u>HB 394</u>

RELATING TO LEGISLATION.

LMG, JUD

Status Requires all introduced bills to be subject to a legal sufficiency check that determines whether the bill meets state constitutional requirements

and does not conflict with the United States Constitution or the state

constitution before being scheduled for first reading.

HB 756 Status RELATING TO VIDEOCONFERENCING.

LMG, FIN

Requires both chambers of the legislature to implement rules to permit

residents to present testimony through audiovisual technology.

Appropriates moneys to establish audiovisual systems throughout the

State.

HB 813 Status RELATING TO THE CODE OF ETHICS.

LMG, JUD, FIN

Clarifies the fair treatment law by separating out certain limitations placed on task force members from those placed on legislators. Makes

clear that legislators are not prohibited from taking action in the

exercise of the legislator's legislative functions.

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HB 1054

RELATING TO VIDEOCONFERENCING.

LMG, JUD, FIN

<u>Status</u>

Requires the House of Representatives to implement rules for a pilot program to enable the house to receive live oral testimony from the County of Hawaii through audio or audiovisual technology. Requires consultation with the County of Hawaii, the chief information officer, and the Disability and Communication Access Board. Appropriates moneys to establish audio or audiovisual systems. Repealed on

6/30/17.

HB 1214

RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING

LMG, FIN

Status GROUP.

> Appropriates funds to the Office of the Auditor to carry out the purposes of the State-County Functions Working Group.

## **DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW**

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