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NOTICE OF HEARING

Wednesday, February 8, 2017 DATE: TIME: 11:15 AM PLACE: Conference Room 312 State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

<u>HB 1342</u> Status

RELATING TO HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES. Establishes a pilot project at Makua beach and Hawaii island to designate areas in public parks for planting and growing coconut trees for Hawaiian traditional and customary gathering practices.

Appropriates funds for the pilot project.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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