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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Friday, February 10, 2017

TIME:

9:30 A.M.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

HB 772 Status	RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. Makes appropriations to DHS, DOH, and DOT to assist with homelessness and housing issues.	HUS/HSG, FIN
HB 1575 Status	RELATING TO INCOME TAX. Authorizes the counties to enact a 1% income tax surcharge on taxable personal incomes above \$1,000,000 to address homelessness.	HUS/HSG, FIN
HB 83 Status	RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. Requires the governor to establish puuhonua safe zones where homeless persons may reside. Appropriates funds.	HUS, FIN
HB 169 Status	RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. Establishes a working group in the Department of Human Services to seek material and services for the Next Step Shelter. Appropriates funds for the working group.	HUS, FIN
HB 391 Status	RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. Appropriates funds to the department of human services to study the	HUS, FIN

impact and feasibility of creating an integrated database of certain information related to homeless individuals for providers of homeless

services.

HB 1098 Status RELATING TO HOMELESS SHELTERS.

HUS, JUD

Establishes that emergency shelters may provide partitioned space for homeless persons or families based upon guidelines determined by the department of human services. Extends the effective date for Act 234,

Session Laws of Hawaii 2016, section 6(b) by one year.

HB 1171 Status RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

HUS, FIN

Repeals provisions of Act 234, Session Laws of Hawaii 2016,

pertaining to minimum standards for homeless shelters and homeless

shelter stipend payments.

HB 1445

RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

HUS, FIN

Status

Requires the offering of a stipend to volunteers assisting in the pointin-time count conducted to determine the number of homeless individuals in the State as a condition of continued eligibility for

federal funding.

HB 1494 Status RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

HUS, FIN

Requires the Department of Human Services (DHS), in conjunction

with the Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness, to establish a Homeless Incentive Program to encourage chronically homeless individuals to get off the streets by using the services of shelters.

Requires DHS to adopt rules. Appropriates funds.

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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