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## SENATE BILLS THAT PASSED THE LEGISLATURE

- SB0012 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 45) RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE RATE REGULATION.  
Introduced by: Ige D, Baker R, Fukunaga C, Ihara L, Hanabusa C, Nishihara C, Chun Oakland S, Espero W, Sakamoto N  
Establishes the health insurance rate regulation law. Prohibits rates to be excessive, inadequate or unfairly discriminatory in relation to benefits provided. Requires every manage care plan to submit rate or and modification to rates with the insurance commissioner. Establishes penalties and provisions for hearing procedure and judicial review. -- SB0012 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 487 (HTH) SSCR 956 (CPH) HSCR 1261 (HLT) HSCR 1429 (CPC) HSCR 1861 (FIN) CCR 45  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 431: - (12 SECTIONS) HEALTH INSURANCE RATE REGULATION, 432:1-102, 432D-19
- SB0014 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1365) RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.  
Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Hooser G, Hee C, Tokuda J  
Establishes provisions relating to candidate advisory council for the board of regents of the university of Hawaii. Establishes the council to present to the governor pools of qualified candidates from which the members of the board of regents shall be nominated. Requires the council to be attached to the university of Hawaii. Increases the number of members on the board from 12 to 15. Provides that the board shall include 1 student member. Provides that members shall serve no more than 2 consecutive 5 year terms. Requires the senate to consider reconfirmation after the 1st 5 year term. -- SB0014 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 317 (EDU) HSCR 1365 (HED)  
Current Status: May=01 07 Veto Overridden - Senate  
May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House  
Section Affected: 304A- (1 SECTION), 26-11, 304A-104
- SB0017 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 44) RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.  
Introduced by: Sakamoto N  
Establishes provisions relating to defense of a governmental body. Provides that no contract for less than 1 million dollars that is entered into on or after July 1, 2007, by any governmental body, and is exclusively for services that may only lawfully be provided by a person licensed under construction design professional services may require the contractor to defend the governmental body, or its employees, officers, or agents from any liability, damage, or loss caused by, or any claim, action, or proceeding arising out of the contractor's performance under the contract. Provides that the contract may require the person or entity to indemnify and hold harmless the governmental body, its employees, officers, and agents from any liability, damages, or losses, including without limitation reasonable attorneys' fees, or claims, actions, or proceedings, arising from the negligence, errors, or omissions of the person or entity, or the person's or entity's employees, officers, or agents in the performance of their professional services. Provides that any provision in a contract entered into prior to July 1, 2007, the person licensed under construction design professional services will not be required to defend the governmental body, its officers, agents, or employees in any liability, damage, or loss in any claim, action, or proceeding commenced more than 10 years after the execution of the contract. -- SB0017 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 517 (TSG) SSCR 978 (JDL) HSCR 1243 (EDB) HSCR 1467 (JUD) HSCR 1821 (FIN) CCR 44  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 103D- (1 SECTION) DEFENSE OF A GOVERNMENTAL BODY
- SB0025 SD1 (SSCR 142) RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE.  
Introduced by: Nishihara C  
Appropriation for session and nonsession expenses of the senate and the house of representatives up to and including June 30, 2008, including the 2007 regular session. Expenses of the senate to be approved by the president and expenses of the house of representatives to be approved by the speaker. Requires the senate and the house of representatives to have their accounts audited and report to the senate and house of representatives respectively. Expenses for legislators while traveling abroad shall be 130 dollars a day. -- Appropriation to the office of the auditor for the expenses of the office. -- Appropriation to the office of the auditor to be deposited into the audit revolving fund. Appropriation out of the fund for the auditor to conduct or complete its audit functions. -- Appropriation to the legislative reference bureau for defraying expenses. -- Appropriation to the office of the ombudsman for defraying expenses. -- Appropriation

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for defraying the expenses of the legislative information system. -- Appropriation to the legislature for the legislative broadcast program. -- SB0025 SD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 142 (WAM) HSCR 387 (FIN)  
Current Status: Feb-15 07 Received by the Governor  
Feb-20 07 Approved by Governor (Act 1 2007)

SB0046 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 25)

RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.

Introduced by: Nishihara C

Amends provisions relating to adjustments for excluded employees exempt from civil service. Requires that proposed compensation or change in compensation to be disclosed in open meeting for purposes of public comment for administrative positions in the university of Hawaii system filled by excluded employees. Amends provisions relating to exempt personnel. Requires the board of regents of the university of Hawaii to disclose any open meeting to be convened for public comment no later than 10 days before the meeting for administrative positions in the university filled by excluded employees, for compensation offered to newly hired employees and changes in compensation offered to existing employees. -- SB0046 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 656 (JDL) HSCR 1611 (HED/ LAB/) CCR 25

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 89C-4, 92-5, 304A-1001, 304A-1004

SB0053

RELATING TO MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends the mental health, alcohol, drug abuse treatment insurance benefits law. Provides that covered benefits include marriage and family therapists. -- SB0053

Committee Reports: SSCR 396 (HTH) SSCR 698 (CPH) HSCR 1226 (HLT) HSCR 1471 (CPC) HSCR 1825 (FIN)

Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-24 07 Approved by Governor (Act 38 2007)

Section Affected: 431M-1, 431M-3, 431M-4

SB0055 SD1 HD2 (HSCR 1778)

RELATING TO DENTISTRY.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends provisions relating to American board of dental examiners examinations; regional examinations. -- SB0055 HD2

Committee Reports: SSCR 685 (CPH) HSCR 1311 (HLT) HSCR 1778 (CPC)

Current Status: Apr-25 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 448-9.4

SB0056 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 28)

RELATING TO JURY SERVICE.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends provisions relating to exemption of jurors. Adds an exemption for a actively practicing physician or dentist. -- SB0056 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 884 (JDL) HSCR 1341 (JUD) CCR 28

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 612-6

SB0058 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 20)

RELATING TO DENTISTS.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends provisions relating to dentistry defined; exempted practices. Exempts the ownership and management of a dental practice by the executor or administrator of a dentist's estate or the legal guardian or authorized representative of a dentist, where the licensed dentist has died or is incapacitated, for the purpose of winding down, transferring, or selling the practice, for a period not to exceed 1 year from the time of death or from the date the dentist is declared incapacitated; provided that all other aspects of the practice of dentistry are performed by 1 or more licensed dentists. -- SB0058 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 561 (CPH) SSCR 660 (JDL) HSCR 1223 (HLT) HSCR 1372 (CPC) HSCR 1617 (JUD) CCR 20

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 448-1

SB0060 SD1 (SSCR 692)

RELATING TO FOREIGN TIME SHARE PLANS.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends provisions relating to foreign time share plans; exemptions. Provides that the exemption includes the operation of a foreign time share plan. -- SB0060 SD1

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Committee Reports: SSCR 692 (CPH) HSCR 1282 (CPC)  
Current Status: Mar-20 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-04 07 Approved by Governor (Act 6 2007)  
Section Affected: 514E-5.5

SB0095 SD1 (SSCR 138)

RELATING TO VACANT POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Tokuda J

Repeals provisions relating to reallocation of vacant positions which authorized the department of education to reallocate positions to promote decentralization and facilitate restructuring. -- SB0095 SD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 138 (EDU) HSCR 1324 (EDN/ LAB/) HSCR 1871 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-25 07 Became Law Without Governor's Signature (Act 41 2007)

Section Affected: 302A-1115

SB0098 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1830)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Tokuda J

Establishes provisions relating to school health services program within the department of education. Authorizes the department in cooperation with the department of health to establish a statewide teenage health program. Authorizes school health aides to administer oral and topical medication. Provides that full time school health aides employed by the department in accordance with civil service and collective bargaining agreements. -- Amends Act 51, session laws of 2004, as amended by Act 225, session laws of 2006, by repealing the transfer of public health nurses who supervise school health aides from the department of health to the department of education. Repeals school health services program from the department of health. -- Requires the department of education to provide career pathways development and training opportunities to all school health aides to ensure the opportunity for continued employment with the department. -- SB0098 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 737 (EDU) HSCR 1325 (EDN/ HLT/ LAB/) HSCR 1830 (FIN)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A- (5 SECTIONS) SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM, ACT 51 2004, ACT 221 2004, ACT 22 2005, ACT 225 2006, 321-241, 321-241.5, 321-242, 321-245, 321-246

SB0138 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 38)

RELATING TO DIAMOND HEAD STATE MONUMENT.

Introduced by: Slom S

Amends provisions relating to state parks special fund. Establishes the Diamond Head state monument sub account into which 55 per cent of all proceeds collected from admission fees will be deposited. Requires the department of land and natural resources to expend moneys from the sub account to repair, maintain, and operate the monument. -- SB0138 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 550 (WAH) SSCR 824 (WAM) HSCR 1413 (WLH) HSCR 1881 (FIN) CCR 38

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 184-3.4

SB0139 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 9)

RELATING TO CIGARETTE TAX.

Introduced by: Baker R, Sakamoto N, Hemmings F, Chun Oakland S, Tokuda J

Amends provisions relating to the tobacco tax distribution of revenues. -- SB0139 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 2 (HTH/ EDT/) SSCR 10 (WAM) HSCR 1337 (HLT) HSCR 1826 (FIN) CCR 9

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 245-15, 304A-2168

SB0148 SD2 HD1 CD2 (SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 31 OR HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 24)

RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDIT.

Introduced by: Baker R

Provides an income tax credit for taxable year 2007, pursuant Article VII, section 6, Hawaii State Constitution. -- SB0148 CD2

Committee Reports: SSCR 474 (EDT) SSCR 750 (WAM) HSCR 1815 (FIN) CCR 114 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 31 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 24

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

## SENATE BILLS THAT PASSED THE LEGISLATURE

- SB0149 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 48) RELATING TO STATE BONDS.  
Introduced by: Baker R  
Establishes debt limit on general obligation bonds. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds to refund any general obligation bonds. (\$\$) -- SB0149 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 41 (WAM) HSCR 1615 (FIN) CCR 48  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- SB0162 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 36) RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE.  
Introduced by: Taniguchi B  
Amends provisions relating to Iolani palace. Provides that the official designation of the Friends of Iolani Palace shall be the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History. Provides that the qualifying standards and conditions related to the receipt of funds contained in grants and subsidies shall not apply to funds received by the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History. Authorizes the comptroller and auditor to examine the use of funds appropriated to the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History. Requires the museum to annually report to the legislature. -- SB0162 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 19 (WAH) SSCR 1000 (WAM) HSCR 1447 (WLH) HSCR 1899 (FIN) CCR 36  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 6E-35
- SB0188 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 23) RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT.  
Introduced by: Slom S  
Amends provisions relating to the small business regulatory flexibility act to include the definition of rule. Requires agencies to prepare a small business impact statement to be submitted with proposed rules. Allows the small business regulatory review board to review any proposed new or amended rule. Requires that the board's annual report to the legislature to contain a summary of comments made by the board to agencies regarding its review of proposed new or amended rules. Further requires the board to notify the small business of its decision and inform the small business that the small business may submit a complaint to the ombudsman if the board does not recommend that an agency initiate rulemaking proceedings. Requires a review of all new or amended rules every 2 years. -- SB0188 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 529 (EDT) SSCR 953 (CPH) HSCR 1502 (EDB) HSCR 1851 (CPC/ JUD/) CCR 23  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 201M-1, 201M-2, 201M-5, 201M-6, 201M-7
- SB0228 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 34) RELATING TO GRAFFITI.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Tokuda J  
Amends provisions relating to property damage, parental responsibility. Requires the courts to sentence a minor, parents, or legal guardians to remove the graffiti from affected property within 60 days of the order and pay for the cost of paint and materials, or pay for the actual cost of having the damaged property repaired or replaced, and order the minor to perform a minimum 80 hours of community service to remove graffiti from other properties. -- SB0228 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 878 (JDL) HSCR 1582 (JUD) CCR 34  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 577-3.5, 708-823.5
- SB0249 RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S  
Amends Act 156, session laws of 2003, as amended by Act 148, session laws of 2005, as amended by Act 232, session laws of 2006, relating to the commission on fatherhood by repealing the sunset date. -- SB0249  
Committee Reports: SSCR 852 (HSP) HSCR 1236 (HSH) HSCR 2130 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-24 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: ACT 156 2003, ACT 148 2005, ACT 232 2006
- SB0323 SD2 HD2 (HSCR 1922) RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY.  
Introduced by: Hooser G  
Amends provisions relating to powers of the board. Authorizes the high technology corporation, under the direction of the board of directors, to establish operational bank accounts in state and out of state locations without the approval of the director of budget and finance or the comptroller. -- SB0323 HD2



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Committee Reports: SSCR 145 (EDT) SSCR 584 (EDT) SSCR 936 (WAM) HSCR  
1408 (EDB) HSCR 1922 (FIN)  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 206M-53

SB0600 HD2 CD1 (CCR 178)

RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONVERSION.

Introduced by: Fukunaga C, Chun Oakland S

Provides an income tax deduction of 100 per cent of the income derived by a fee simple owner from the sale of a leased fee interest in units within a condominium project, cooperative project, or planned unit development to the association of apartment owners or the residential cooperative corporation of the leasehold units. Act to be repealed on January 1, 2013 (sunset). -- SB0600 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 526 (EDT/ CPH/) SSCR 705 (WAM) HSCR 1222 (HSH)  
HSCR 1472 (CPC) HSCR 1907 (FIN) CCR 178

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 235-7

SB0603 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 195)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Sakamoto N

Establishes provisions relating to appeals, charter school applications, revocation, or detailed implementation plan amendments. Empowers the board of education to decide appeals from decisions of the charter review panel. Provides that the charter school review panel shall be exempt from collective bargaining. Amends provisions relating to public charter schools. Provides that the board of education shall appoint the charter review panel who shall have the power and duty to issue and revoke charters, approve detailed implementation plan revisions, and conduct charter school evaluations. Increases the charter review panel to 12 members. Authorizes the charter school review panel to hire the executive director who shall be under their direction. Provides that those members of the review panel that are to expire on or before June 30, 2007, shall be extended until June 30, 2008. -- SB0603 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 522 (EDU) SSCR 754 (WAM) HSCR 1509 (EDN) HSCR  
1933 (FIN) CCR 195

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302B- (1 SECTION), 89-6, 302A-101, 302A-1101, 302B-1,  
302B-3, 302B-4, 302B-5, 302B-6, 302B-8, 302B-12, 302B-14

SB0613 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 193)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Chun Oakland S

Amends provisions relating to quality early education plan. Requires the department of education to collaborate with parents and private providers to encourage and enable inclusionary classes with both special education eligible and general education students 3 to 5 years of age, subject to available resources and individualized education plans.

-- Amends provisions relating to junior kindergartens and kindergarten programs. Requires the department's report card to assess the student's readiness for grade 1. Authorizes the department to give preference to qualified teachers to be placed in junior kindergarten and kindergarten programs beginning in the 2008 - 2009 school year, who have early childhood education credentials and experience. -- Requires the department of complete the planning and development of the appropriate curriculum for the junior kindergarten program and report to the legislature on planned junior kindergarten curricula, successful models, and assessments to be used in the placement and movement of students between junior kindergarten, kindergarten, and 1st grade, as well as facilities to be used for junior kindergarten.-- Establishes provisions relating to early childhood education facilities; pre plus. Requires the department of education, department of human services, and department of accounting and general services shall work collaboratively to develop suitable pre plus classrooms on department of education school campuses statewide, including conversion charter school campuses, for early childhood education programs serving preschool age children between 3 and 5 years old. -- Amends provisions relating to early childhood education facilities identifying sites by adding inspections. Requires the department to report to the legislature on the number of classrooms that would be suitable for early childhood education programs and the cost of renovating these classrooms to meet early childhood education standards. -- SB0613 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 235 (EDU) SSCR 964 (WAM) HSCR 1510 (EDN) HSCR  
1888 (FIN) CCR 193

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A-410, 302A-411, 302A- (1 SECTION), 302A-1506.5

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- SB0618 HD1 CD1 (CCR 11) RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Sakamoto N  
Establishes provisions relating to veterans high school diploma for armed services veterans and others. Requires the department of education to establish a program to award a veterans high school diploma to qualified veterans who did not receive a high school diploma as a result of compulsory induction into active service in the armed forces. Provides that a qualified veteran is a person who was a resident of the State, was compulsorily inducted into the armed services of the US between December 1, 1941, and August 30, 1945, June 1, 1950, and July 31, 1953, or August 1, 1964, and January 31, 1973, while attending or enrolled in a high school in the State, and did not complete the high school curriculum and receive a high school diploma. Requires the department to also award a diploma to a person whose high school education was interrupted due to wartime practices such as internment during World War II. -- SB0618 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 16 (IGM/ EDU) HSCR 1369 (EDN) HSCR 1681 (PSM) CCR 11  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 302A- (1 SECTION) VETERANS HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA FOR ARMED SERVICES VETERANS AND OTHERS
- SB0620 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1807) RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HAWAII PREPARATORY ACADEMY.  
Introduced by: Inouye L, Whalen P  
Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Hawaii Preparatory Academy, to finance or refinance the planning, construction, and improvement of its educational facilities in the State. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- SB0620 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 437 (EDU) SSCR 756 (WAM) HSCR 1807 (FIN)  
Current Status: May-02 07 Received by the Governor
- SB0638 SD1 (SSCR 1) MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C, Baker R, Hemmings F  
Appropriation for session and nonsession expenses of the senate and the house of representatives up to and including June 30, 2008, including the 2007 regular session. Expenses of the senate to be approved by the president and expenses of the house of representatives to be approved by the speaker. Requires the senate and the house of representatives to have their accounts audited and report to the senate and house of representatives respectively. Expenses for legislators while traveling abroad shall be 130 dollars a day. -- Appropriation to the office of the auditor for the expenses of the office. -- Appropriation to the office of the auditor to be deposited into the audit revolving fund. Appropriation out of the fund for the auditor to conduct or complete its audit functions. -- Appropriation to the legislative reference bureau for defraying expenses. -- Appropriation to the office of the ombudsman for defraying expenses. -- Appropriation for defraying the expenses of the legislative information system. -- Appropriation to the legislature for the legislative broadcast program. -- SB0638 SD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 1 (WAM) HSCR 9 (FIN)  
Current Status: Feb-12 07 Vetoes
- SB0667 SD3 HD2 CD1 (CCR 13) RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS.  
Introduced by: Baker R, Chun Oakland S  
Amends provisions relating to application for licensure as a mental health counselor. Provides that for an applicant who graduated from an accredited program before July 1, 2007, the department of commerce and consumer affairs shall accept for practicum intern experience, written certification from an official of the institution of higher education attesting that the applicant has completed the required academic terms, graduate credit hour, and supervised client contact hours and completion of practicum intern experience is equivalent to a mental health graduate level practicum program; and to accept for post graduate experience, written certification from an officer of the employing agency and the clinical supervisor attesting that the applicant has completed the hours of experience and supervision and that the completion of postgraduate experience is equivalent to the practice of mental health counseling. -- SB0667 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 102 (HTH) SSCR 957 (CPH) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 5 HSCR 1302 (HLT) HSCR 1817 (CPC) CCR 13  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

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Section Affected: 453D-7

- SB0678 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 47) RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.  
Introduced by: Nishihara C  
Provides a general excise tax exemption for amounts received by the operator of the Hawaii convention center for reimbursement of the costs or advances made under contract with the Hawaii tourism authority. -- SB0678 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 11 (TSG) SSCR 650 (EDT/ WAM/) HSCR 1313 (TAC) HSCR 1875 (FIN) CCR 47  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 237-24.75
- SB0686 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 172) RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANTS.  
Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Tokuda J  
Requires the department of education to report to the legislature on a career ladder program for educational assistants. Requires the report to include class levels, the number of affected employees under a career ladder program, and the cost impact of implementing a career ladder program. -- SB0686 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 176 (EDU) SSCR 895 (WAM) HSCR 1367 (EDN/ LAB/) HSCR 1831 (FIN) CCR 172  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- SB0688 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 173) RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Tokuda J  
Requires the Hawaii P-20 Initiative Council to develop and initiate plans for education in Hawaii in the 21st century, including identifying contributors and planners, creating a vision, goals, objectives and timelines, and organizing meetings and electronic communication to ensure an engaged, responsible, and productive citizenry in Hawaii in the 21st century that is the expected result of an education system and schools that are coordinated and articulated from earliest teaching to career and work force preparation and to promote lifelong learning. Appropriation to the university of Hawaii. Reports to the legislature. (\$\$) -- SB0688 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 119 (EDU) SSCR 721 (WAM) HSCR 1323 (HED/ EDN/) HSCR 1835 (FIN) CCR 173  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- SB0709 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 121) RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.  
Introduced by: Fukunaga C, Chun Oakland S, Baker R  
Establishes provisions relating to research and statistics for growth industries. Requires the department of business, economic development, and tourism to maintain a program for investigating and compiling statistics and research data in emerging growth industries, measuring and analyzing new economic development trends within targeted industries within the designated growth areas, and provide economic information to policy makers, the public, and the various industries for use in setting policies, objectives, and goals. Annual report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0709 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 154 (EDT) SSCR 961 (WAM) HSCR 1244 (EDB) HSCR 1822 (FIN) CCR 121  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 201- (1 SECTION) RESEARCH AND STATISTICS FOR GROWTH INDUSTRIES
- SB0755 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 10) RELATING TO COUNTY ETHICS COMMISSIONS.  
Introduced by: Ihara L  
Establishes provisions relating to county ethics commissions. Requires the process of selecting members of county ethics commissions in the several counties to be in a manner that assures impartiality and independence, including ensuring minimal involvement in the process by persons over which the commission has oversight. Provides that county ethics commissioners shall be selected on the basis of integrity, impartiality, and independence as reflected by the background and experiences of the person and absence of potential conflicts of interest. -- SB0755 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 782 (IGM) HSCR 1583 (JUD) CCR 10  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 46- (2 SECTIONS) COUNTY ETHICS COMMISSIONS
- SB0776 RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION.

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- Introduced by: Inouye L  
Amends provisions relating to right of entry for inspection; unlawful to obstruct. Requires that the county fire chief or the chief's designees to make an inspection of all state owned or county owned buildings and facilities, except state owned airport facilities. -- SB0776  
Committee Reports: SSCR 191 (TIA/ IGM/) HSCR 1579 (TRN)  
Current Status: Apr-13 07 Vetoed  
Section Affected: 132-5, 132-6
- SB0784 SD1 HD2 (HSCR 1779) RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING.  
Introduced by: Inouye L  
Amends provisions relating to provisional license for persons under the age of 18. Provides that the requirement to provide proof of financial responsibility shall be exempt for suspension or revocation of a provisional license unless ordered by the court. -- SB0784 HD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 888 (JDL) HSCR 1425 (TRN) HSCR 1779 (JUD)  
Current Status: Apr-30 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 286-102.6, 287-20
- SB0795 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 46) RELATING TO BUILDING CODES.  
Introduced by: Inouye L  
Establishes the State building code and design standards law. Establishes a state building code council within the department of accounting and general services who shall adopt a state building code applicable to all construction in the state. Annual report to the legislature by the department. Authorizes the counties to amend the code. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0795 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 216 (IGM/ TSG/) SSCR 784 (WAM) HSCR 1375 (CPC) HSCR 1854 (FIN) CCR 46  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 107- (11 SECTIONS) STATE BUILDING CODE AND DESIGN STANDARDS
- SB0798 SD3 HD2 (HSCR 1898) RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF.  
Introduced by: Inouye L, Tsutsui S, Chun Oakland S, Tokuda J  
Amends Act 118, session laws of 2006, relating to emergency relief for natural disasters, by changing the lapse date to June 30, 2008. (\$\$) -- SB0798 HD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 79 (IGM) SSCR 362 (EDT) SSCR 1014 (WAM) HSCR 1486 (PSM) HSCR 1898 (FIN)  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 118 2006
- SB0810 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 122) RELATING TO WAIMANO RIDGE.  
Introduced by: Ige D, Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Nishihara C  
Appropriation to the department of health for the Waimano ridge task force operating expenses. (\$\$) -- SB0810 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 97 (HTH) SSCR 770 (WAM) HSCR 1240 (HLT) HSCR 1862 (FIN) CCR 122  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- SB0820 SD1 (SSCR 919) RELATING TO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.  
Introduced by: Ige D, Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Baker R  
Requires the department of health, state council on developmental disabilities to submit a report to the legislature on the number of persons with developmental disabilities or mental retardation who choose to live independently and the financial impact of Act 303, session laws of 2006. -- Amends Act 303, session laws of 2006, by extending the sunset date to June 30, 2009. -- SB0820 SD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 415 (HTH/ HSP/) SSCR 919 (WAM) HSCR 1379 (HLT) HSCR 1827 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-25 07 Became Law Without Governor's Signature (Act 40 2007)  
Section Affected: ACT 303 2006, 333F-2
- SB0837 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 49) RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.  
Introduced by: Kokubun R  
Amends provisions relating to agribusiness development corporation. Provides that the

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corporation may purchase, accept, and maintain permanent conservation easements, or transfer these easements to a qualified land trust in accordance with the natural resources conservation service farm and ranch lands protection program. Adds that when leasing corporation controlled agricultural land, the corporation may contract with a financial institution or a federal financial institution that is transacting business in this State to provide lease management services. Provides that for lands in central Oahu acquired under Act \_\_\_\_, session laws of 2007, the agricultural leases shall be for no more than 55 years. Authorizes the corporation to purchase agricultural lands located in Kunia and Ewa on the island of Oahu. Report to the legislature. Authorizes the issuance of revenue bonds for the purpose of acquiring agricultural lands through purchase in order to sustain and preserve viable agricultural enterprises within a contiguous geographic area. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0837 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 268 (WAH) SSCR 831 (WAM) HSCR 1352 (AGR) HSCR 1921 (FIN) CCR 49

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 163D-7, 163D-15.6, 163D-9

SB0840 HD1 (HSCR 1849)

RELATING TO KIKALA-KEOKEA.

Introduced by: Kokubun R, Tokuda J

Authorizes the department of land and natural resources to negotiate long term leases of 65 years with persons who are residents of Kalapana who have been living in Kalapana continuously for at least 6 months at the time of their application; previous residents of Kalapana, who at the time of residency, lived within Kalapana continuously for at least 6 months; or descendants of those residents of Kalapana who were dispossessed or displaced as a result of the volcanic eruptions on the island of Hawaii that began on January 3, 1983. -- SB0840 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 26 (WAH) HSCR 1326 (WLH) HSCR 1849 (FIN)

Current Status: Apr-25 07 Received by the Governor

SB0866 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 18)

RELATING TO TOURISM.

Introduced by: Kim D, Tsutsui S, Hooser G

Amends provisions relating to Hawaii tourism authority; establishment; board; staff. Prohibits persons who have served as a member of the board of directors of the Hawaii visitors and convention bureau from being eligible to sit as a public, voting member of the board of directors of the Hawaii tourism authority until at least 2 years have expired between the person's termination from service on the board and appointment to the authority's board of directors. -- SB0866 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 654 (TSG) HSCR 1312 (TAC) CCR 18

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 201B-2

SB0870 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 16)

RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF A HAWAII ARCHAEOLOGICAL DATA SURVEY.

Introduced by: Kim D, Sakamoto N, Chun Oakland S, English J

Establishes provisions relating to archeological survey; designation. Establishes a Hawaii archeological data survey designated as a program of the State of Hawaii museum of natural and cultural history to be conducted in coordination with existing databases of the department of land and natural resources and other appropriate organizations. Authorizes the museum, in consultation with the office of Hawaiian affairs and the department, to withhold from the database, temporarily or permanently, information due to a valid threat that disclosure may frustrate the legitimate government function of protecting valuable archeological sites and artifacts. -- SB0870 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 747 (EDT) HSCR 1327 (WLH) HSCR 1850 (FIN) CCR 16

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 6E- (1 SECTION) ARCHAEOLOGICAL DATA SURVEY

SB0880 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 109)

RELATING TO THE MUSEUM OF HAWAIIAN MUSIC AND DANCE.

Introduced by: Kim D, Tsutsui S

Establishes the museum of Hawaiian music and dance committee. Requires the committee to conduct an assessment to determine the type of institution that would be appropriate for a museum of Hawaiian dance and music, the best location or locations for this museum, a plan to incorporate the existing Hawaiian music hall of fame and museum into a museum of Hawaiian music and dance, the creation of a Hawaiian dance hall of fame to be incorporated into a museum of Hawaiian music and dance, and possible financing mechanisms. Report to the legislature. Appropriation. Committee to cease to exist on June 30, 2008 (sunset). (\$\$) -- SB0880 CD1

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Committee Reports: SSCR 60 (EDT) SSCR 749 (WAM) HSCR 1314 (TAC) HSCR 1848 (FIN) CCR 109  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB0885 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 194)

### RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Tokuda J, Kokubun R, Hooser G

Establishes provisions relating to career and technical education program. Requires the department of education to establish and administer the program to meet the requirements of the federal Perkins Act of 2006. -- Amends provisions relating to vocational agriculture education program by repealing vocational. Requires the department of education to establish and administer a comprehensive agriculture education program aligned with the natural resources career pathway. Repeals the advisory task force. Requires the program to coordinate with culinary arts programs to teach students healthy eating habits and encourage culinary arts, farming, diversified agriculture, and fields such as market development and science and technology as career options. Requires the department to consult with the department of agriculture and the university of Hawaii's college of tropical agriculture and human resources and college of education in the development of the program. Reports to the legislature. Appropriation. -- Establishes the Hawaii excellence through science and technology academy pilot program to be administered by Kauai community college, in partnership with the department of education, at 2 public schools. Reports to the legislature. Appropriation. -- Establishes the statewide fostering inspiration and relevance through science and technology (FIRST) pre academy program within the university of Hawaii which shall be administered by the college of engineering. Requires the program to encourage partnerships with other programs within the university, department of education, project EAST (environmental and spatial technology) program, and appropriate public and private agencies, to establish a program of problem based, applied learning for elementary and middle school students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics disciplines. -- Establishes the robotics and problem based, applied learning program. Establishes the research experiences for teachers program. Appropriation. -- Establishes the business and education internship and mentorship program within the department of business, economic development and tourism to establish internship, mentorship and other experiential learning arrangements within the for profit, nonprofit and government sectors, for Hawaii high school students and Hawaii high school graduates attending college in Hawaii or elsewhere. Report to the legislature. Appropriation. -- Establishes a professional development program within the university to provide practicing elementary, middle and high school teachers of science and mathematics with opportunities to increase their knowledge and understanding of recent developments in science, technology and mathematics. Report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0885 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 233 (EDU/ WAH/) SSCR 898 (WAM) HSCR 1278 (EDN) HSCR 1394 (AGR/ EDB/) HSCR 1890 (FIN) CCR 194

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A- (1 SECTION), 302A-431.7, 304A- (3 SECTIONS)

SB0896 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 108)

### RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY.

Introduced by: Fukunaga C, Chun Oakland S

Requires the high technology development corporation, with assistance from the department of business, economic development, and tourism, to negotiate with the developers, on terms acceptable and satisfactory to the corporation's board of directors and the director of finance, a lease agreement and lease guaranty for a period of 10 years for approximately 66,000 square feet of laboratory and office space in a life sciences research complex in Kakaako. Authorizes to the corporation to enter into contracts to support the planning and development of a state operated high technology incubator and innovation center in the Kakaako district. Annual report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0896 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 155 (EDT) SSCR 745 (WAM) HSCR 1407 (EDB/ WLH/) HSCR 1858 (FIN) CCR 108

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB0907 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 198)

### RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT.

Introduced by: Espero W, Trimble G

Amends provisions relating to office of space industry by changing it to office of aerospace development. Requires the director of aerospace development to identify and promote opportunities for expanding and diversifying aerospace related industries which may include a pacific international center for space exploration systems to support

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space exploration and settlement; initiate discussions for private and international involvement in space related activities in the State; assist the university of Hawaii, local companies, research institutions, and other interested organizations in establishing partnerships with corporate, government, and university entities overseas that can promote and enhance the State's aerospace industry; leverage aerospace and related technological capabilities in the State's academic, public, and private sectors to enhance the State's ability to procure both federal and private research and development grants and to increase the State's competitiveness in national and global aerospace markets; promote innovative education and workforce development programs that will enhance public awareness of the State's aerospace potential and enable residents to pursue employment in Hawaii's aerospace industry and monitor national and global trends in the aerospace industry and recommend programs and policies that can support aerospace industry development statewide. -- Repeals communities near space facilities; residents. Appropriations. (\$\$) -- SB0907 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 196 (EDT) SSCR 715 (WAM) HSCR 1409 (EDB) HSCR 1859 (FIN) CCR 198

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 201-71, 201-72, 201-73, 201-74

SB0914 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 191)

RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES OF COMMITTED PERSONS.

Introduced by: Espero W, Chun Oakland S

Appropriation to the department of public safety for improvements to the mental health care system of committed persons in state operated correctional facilities that will address the concerns of the federal Department of Justice. Reports to the legislature. (\$\$) -- SB0914 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 107 (PBS) SSCR 789 (WAM) HSCR 1489 (PSM) HSCR 1845 (FIN) CCR 191

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

SB0920 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 8)

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.

Introduced by: Espero W, Chun Oakland S

Amends provisions relating to association records; records to be maintained. Prohibits managing agents, resident manager, and association board to use or distribute member lists without prior written consent of the board. Exempts time share plans that are regulated under provisions of time share plans law. -- SB0920 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 861 (CPH) HSCR 1320 (CPC) CCR 8

Current Status: Apr-30 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 514B-153

SB0921 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1283)

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION RECORDS.

Introduced by: Espero W, Chun Oakland S

Amends provisions relating to association records availability, disposal, prohibitions. Limits the fee charged to a member to obtain copies of association records to not exceed 1 dollar per page, except the fee for pages exceeding 8 1-2 inches by 14 inches may exceed 1 dollar per page. -- SB0921 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 862 (CPH) HSCR 1283 (CPC)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 514B-154

SB0923

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.

Introduced by: Espero W, Chun Oakland S

Amends Act 164, session laws of 2004, as amended by Act 93, session laws of 2005, as amended by Act 273, session laws of 2006, relating to condominium association fiscal matters; lien for assessments by repealing the sunset date. -- SB0923

Committee Reports: SSCR 700 (CPH) HSCR 1227 (CPC) HSCR 1618 (JUD)

Current Status: Mar-30 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-17 07 Approved by Governor (Act 21 2007)

Section Affected: ACT 164 2004, ACT 93 2005, ACT 273 2006, 514A-90

SB0932 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 125)

RELATING TO A COMPREHENSIVE OFFENDER REENTRY SYSTEM.

Introduced by: Espero W

Establishes the comprehensive offender reentry system law. Requires the department of public safety to develop a system plan for adult offenders exiting the prison system. Requires the department to develop model programs designed to reduce recidivism and address successful reentry into the community. -- Requires the director of public safety to provide services for the preservation of families who have been impacted by the

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incarceration of a family member. -- Requires the director of labor and industrial relations to take necessary steps to ensure offenders and ex offenders are included and involved in utilizing the state and private resources for employment and training opportunities as well as life skills and educational opportunities. Requires the department of public safety, with the assistance of the department of labor and industrial relations to develop and propose to the legislature enactment tax incentives for employers who hire individual who were formerly incarcerated. -- Requires the director of public safety to return out of state inmates to Hawaii at least 1 year prior to the inmates parole date or release in order for these inmates to participate in programs preparing them for reentry on the islands where they have the most support and to report to the legislature on any inmates not returned with an explanation of the reasoning and circumstances for noncompliance. Establishes the offender reentry legislative oversight committee whose purview is to oversee the department. Authorizes the director of public safety to purchase of service contracts for adult offender reentry programs and services. Authorizes the director to establish any necessary staffing, including 1 manager, 2 full time reentry specialist, 1 secretary and 1 clerk typist within the department of public safety to ensure that offenders have access to reentry programming within all state facilities to monitor program contracts and facilitate parent child relationships in the context of correctional facility governance. Appropriation to the department of public safety for staffing and operational expenses including but not limited to, employee benefits, computers, desks, supplies, travel expenses, and refreshments. Requires the department of public safety through its intake service centers and education divisions to establish a day reporting center for offenders who have 6 to 12 months left to serve on their sentence. Requires the center to offer services to prepare offenders for transition and reintegration into the community. Report to the legislature. Appropriation for the establishment of a 1 year pilot day reporting center. -- Appropriation to the department of public safety for the expansion of the restorative circles pilot program to other correctional facilities statewide. Requires the department to contract the services of a health and human services provider. -- Amends provisions relating to committed persons paroled. Requires a committed person to be released to a county in the State where the committed person has the greatest family or community support, opportunities for employment, job training, education, treatment and other social services as determined by the Hawaii paroling authority. Provides that to be considered for parole to another county the committed person shall make a written request to the director of public safety not less than 6 months prior to the expiration of the committed person's longest minimum sentence. -- Provides that if the inmate qualifies for parole in another county upon finding by the Hawaii paroling authority that the department of public safety may relocate the committed person to a correctional facility in the requested county of release to ensure that the sequential phasing process of programs for the committed person, such as work furlough, is not interrupted, provided that if the transfer is made at the request of the incarcerated person in preparation for the incarcerated person's to that county the cost associated with the relocation shall be the sole responsibility of the incarcerated person, including travel, lodging and meals. -- Appropriation to the department of public safety as a grant to Maui Economic Opportunity, Inc. for the development and maintenance of inmate reintegration programs. -- Establishes the cognitive restructuring transition pilot program to teach specific skills that include problem solving, social skills training, anger management, and empathy training in the county of Hawaii at Kulani correctional facility, Hawaii community correctional center, and Hale Nani reintegration center. Appropriation to the department of public safety. Report to the legislature on the implementation, progress, and effectiveness with suggested tax incentives for employers who hire individuals who were formerly incarcerated, developed with the assistance of the department of taxation and the department of labor and industrial relations. (\$\$) -- SB0932 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 195 (PBS) SSCR 993 (WAM) HSCR 1488 (PSM/ LAB/ HSCR 1880 (FIN) CCR 125

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: (9 SECTIONS) COMPREHENSIVE OFFENDER REENTRY SYSTEM, 353-64, 706-670

SB0946 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 3)

RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE LICENSE REVOCATION.

Introduced by: Hee C

Establishes provisions relating to eligibility for driving privileges following lifetime revocation. Allows a respondent whose driver's license has been administratively revoked for life under driving under the influence of intoxicants provisions to apply in writing to the director of the courts for restoration of the respondent's eligibility for relicensing. -- SB0946 CD1



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Committee Reports: SSCR 246 (TIA) SSCR 1004 (JDL) HSCR 1426 (TRN) HSCR 1869 (JUD) CCR 3  
Current Status: Apr-25 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 291E- (5 SECTIONS) ELIGIBILITY FOR DRIVING PRIVILEGES FOLLOWING LIFETIME REVOCATION, 291E-41

SB0987 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 26)

RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.  
Introduced by: Menor R, Chun Oakland S  
Establishes provisions relating to renewable energy projects. Requires all agencies to provide priority handling and processing for all county permits required for renewable energy projects. -- Amends provisions relating to disposition of real property. Authorizes a county to grant, sell or otherwise dispose of easements for chilled water and seawater distribution systems for renewable energy seawater air conditioning district cooling systems by negotiating without public auction. -- Amends provisions relating to disposition to governments, governmental agencies, public utilities, and renewable energy producers. Authorizes the board of land and natural resources to lease public lands to renewable energy producers through direct negotiation. Redefines renewable energy producer to include thermal energy sold to customers of district cooling systems. -- SB0987 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 799 (ENE/ WAH/ IGM/) HSCR 1438 (EEP) HSCR 1682 (WLH) CCR 26  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 46- (1 SECTION), 196- (1 SECTION), 46-66, 171-95, 226-18

SB0990 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 105)

RELATING TO PETROLEUM INDUSTRY MONITORING.  
Introduced by: Menor R, Chun Oakland S, Espero W  
Establishes provisions relating to monitoring of petroleum industry information. Requires the public utilities commission to refer to the attorney general any matter that is a violation that is discovered in the performance of its duties pursuant to gasoline dealers and petroleum industry information reporting act. -- Amends provisions relating to the petroleum industry. Establishes provisions relating to use and analysis of information by the department of business, economic development, and tourism. Requires the department to use the information to effectuate the purposes of energy resources, procurement, control, distribution and sale of petroleum products, and other relevant laws. Adds new definition of major fuel user to include any person who uses fuel in the manufacture of products or for the generation of power in amounts determined by the commission as having a major effect on energy supplies. Requires every distributor and major fuel user to file with the commission on forms prescribed, prepared, and furnished by the commission, a certified statement showing on a statewide consolidated basis, of revenues, expenses, profits and losses, and any other financial or operating information as may be required by the commission. Amends provisions relating to powers of the public utilities commission. Authorizes the commission to examine or investigate each distributor, grants the commission the same powers as are possessed by the circuit courts, and authorizes the commission to determine the specific information that must be reported by any person required to submit information. Appropriations. (\$\$) -- SB0990 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 347 (CPH) SSCR 893 (WAM) HSCR 1230 (EEP) HSCR 1376 (CPC) HSCR 1833 (FIN) CCR 105  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 486B- (1 SECTION), 486J- (1 SECTION), 486J-1, 486J-3, 486J-4, 486J-4.5, 486J-6, 486J-8, 486J-9, 486J-11

SB0992 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 119)

RELATING TO ENERGY.  
Introduced by: Menor R, Chun Oakland S  
Amends provisions relating to the fuel tax. Defines power generating facility to mean any electricity generating facility that requires a permit issued under the Federal Clean Air Act or the Hawaii air pollution control law, or both. Repealed December 31, 2009 (sunset). -- Adds a tax of 1 cents for each gallon of naphtha sold for use in a power generating facility. -- SB0992 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 759 (ENE) HSCR 1439 (EEP) HSCR 1894 (FIN) CCR 119  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 243-1, 243-4

SB1004 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 31)

RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS.  
Introduced by: Taniguchi B, Baker R, Ige D  
Establishes provisions relating to conditional prescription certification; applications.

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Establishes that psychologist may apply to the board of psychology for a conditional prescription certificate to prescribe psychotropic medication for the treatment of mental and emotional disorders. Establishes provisions relating to conditional prescription certificate; powers duties and responsibilities. Requires psychologist holding a conditional prescription certificate to continue to hold a current license to practice psychology in Hawaii and maintain malpractice insurance, inform the board of the name of the prescribing mental health professional under whose supervision the psychologist will prescribe psychotropic medication, the name of the federally qualified health center, promptly inform the board of any change of the prescribing mental health professional, and maintain an ongoing collaborative relationship with the doctor of medicine who oversees the patients general medical care. Establishes that a psychologist may apply to the board for a prescription certificate. Requires the board to adopt rules and establish requirements and procedures for obtaining and renewing a conditional prescription certificates, a prescription certificate, including continuing education requirements and reasonable application and renewal fees. Prohibits psychologist holding a conditional prescription certificate or prescription certificate to administer or prescribe a narcotic and establishes an exclusionary formulary list. Establishes that a joint formulary advisory committee within the department of health to periodically review the exclusionary formulary list. Requires the formulary advisory committee to recommend amendments to the exclusionary formulary list and review the exclusionary formulary list no less than once per quarter. Requires the Hawaii state health planning and development agency to evaluate the effect on the status of mental health care in the state of providing conditional prescriptive authority and prescriptive authority to psychologist. Report to the legislature. Act to be repealed of July 1, 2014. (sunset). -- SB1004 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 531 (HTH) SSCR 958 (CPH) HSCR 1450 (HLT) HSCR 1941 (CPC) CCR 31

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 465- (8 SECTIONS) PRESCRIPTION CERTIFICATION, 465-3

SB1006 SD1 (SSCR 863)

RELATING TO MORTGAGE BROKERS AND SOLICITORS.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends provisions relating to exemptions from mortgage brokers and solicitors law. Adds exemption for operating subsidiaries of a bank and saving associations from mortgage broker and solicitor requirements. -- SB1006 SD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 863 (CPH) HSCR 1523 (CPC)

Current Status: Mar-29 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-16 07 Approved by Governor (Act 18 2007)

Section Affected: 454-2

SB1008 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 12)

RELATING TO ANNUITIES.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Establishes provisions relating to suitability in annuity transactions. Requires an insurance producer to have reasonable grounds for believing that the recommendation is suitable for the consumer on the basis of the facts disclosed by the consumer about the consumer's investments, other insurance products, financial situation, and needs, in recommending a consumer to purchase an annuity or the exchange of an annuity that results in another insurance transaction or series of insurance transactions. Act to be repealed on July 1, 2008 (sunset). -- SB1008 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 864 (CPH) HSCR 1280 (CPC) HSCR 1857 (FIN) CCR 12

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Section Affected: 431:10D- (5 SECTIONS) SUITABILITY IN ANNUITY TRANSACTIONS, 431:13-103

SB1017 HD1 CD1 (CCR 21)

RELATING TO HOUSING.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends Act 100, session laws of 2006, relating to housing, by changing the appropriation for the Hawaii Habitat for Humanity Association to establish a 0 interest revolving loan fund to provide loans to low income families to build self help ownership homes. Changes the expending agency from the Hawaii housing finance development administration to the Hawaii housing and finance development corporation. (\$\$) -- SB1017 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 701 (CPH) HSCR 1292 (HSH) HSCR 1853 (FIN) CCR 21

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: ACT 100 2006

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SB1026 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 111)

### RELATING TO SOLID WASTE.

Introduced by: English J, Chun Oakland S

Amends provisions relating to the deposit beverage container program. Redefines deposit beverage container to include a container less than or equal to 68 fluid ounces. Amends the deposit beverage container fee to include that the director of health may temporarily suspend an automatic increase of the deposit beverage container fee if, after consulting with the auditor to determine that the deposit beverage container deposit special fund contains sufficient funds. Amends provisions relating to deposit beverage container inventory report and payment. Changes the required documentation for deposit beverage distributors to the net number of deposit beverage containers sold, donated, or transferred by container size and type. Prohibits containers that do not meet the definition of a deposit beverage container to indicate the Hawaii refund value. Amends provisions relating to redemption centers. Requires redemption centers to remain open at least 30 hours per week in high density population areas of which not less than 5 hours on Saturday or Sunday. Authorizes the redemption centers and dealers to refuse payment for containers that exhibit characteristics of having been previously processed and baled. Amends provisions relating to handling fees and refund values for certified redemption centers. Requires the department of health to pay certified redemption center a handling fee provided that the deposit beverage container is physically received by the redemption center. Requires the department to begin the phase in of the redemption of 68 fluid ounce containers by December 1, 2007 and for it to be completed by March 1, 2008. -- SB1026 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 546 (ENE) SSCR 906 (WAM) HSCR 1231 (EEP) HSCR 1412 (EDB) HSCR 1834 (FIN) CCR 111

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 342G-101, 342G-102, 342G-105, 342G-111, 342G-112, 342G-114, 342G-115, 342G-116, 342G-117

SB1047 HD2 CD1 (CCR 6)

### RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.

Introduced by: English J, Tsutsui S, Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Baker R

Establishes provisions relating to commercial drivers under the age of 21. Allows persons who are at least 19 years of age but under 21 years of age to drive commercially in intrastate commerce, except to transport hazardous materials or to transport passengers in a school bus. Defines intrastate commerce as trade, traffic, or transportation between 2 places in the State that originates and terminates within the State. Defines intrastate driver to mean a driver, not less than 19 years of age, engaged in intrastate commerce, except in the transportation of passengers in a school vehicle or in the transportation of hazardous materials. Amends provisions relating to chapter not applicable; when. Prohibits deferred acceptance of guilty plea, nolo contendere plea if the defendant holds a commercial driver's license and has been charged with violating a traffic control law, other than a parking law, in connection with the operation of any type of motor vehicle. -- SB1047 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 637 (TIA) HSCR 1361 (TRN) HSCR 1781 (JUD) CCR 6

Current Status: Apr-30 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 286- (1 SECTION), 286-2, 853-4

SB1060 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 120)

### RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW.

Introduced by: Hooser G, Chun Oakland S

Establishes provisions relating to alternative dispute resolution. Provides that in lieu of a hearing before the director of labor and industrial relations at any time after a claim for workers' compensation is made and before the director renders a decision, the parties may agree in writing to have any controversy arising be decided by a referee paid for by the parties. Redefines employment by adding service preformed by a partner of a partnership for the partnership, service performed by a partner of a limited liability partnership and service performed by a sole proprietor for the sole proprietorship. -- Amends provisions relating to medical care, services and supplies under workers' compensation law. Provides that when a dispute exists between an injured employee and the employer or employer's insurer regarding the proposed treatment plan or whether medical services should be continued, the injured employee shall continue to receive essential medical services prescribed by the treating physician necessary to prevent deterioration of the injured employee's condition or further injury until the director issues a decision on whether the injured employee's medical treatment should continue. Provides that the employer or the employer's insurer may recover from the claimant's personal health care provider or other appropriate occupation or non occupational insurer all the sums paid for medical services rendered after the date designated by the director. Prohibits charges to claimant for the disallowed services. -- Amends provisions

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relating to vocational rehabilitation under workers' compensation law. Authorizes the director of labor and industrial relations to refer employees who may have or have suffered permanent disability as a result of work injuries or who have otherwise been deemed unable to return to their regular jobs after the injury has reached maximum medical improvement, where the employer has made no offer of suitable work that would restore the earnings capacity as nearly as possible to that level that the employee was earning at the time of injury. -- Amends provisions relating to temporary total disability benefits under workers' compensation law. Provides that payment shall only be terminated upon order of the director of labor and industrial relations finding or if the employee's treating physician determines that the employee is able to return to work and the employer has made a bona fide offer of suitable work within the employee's medical restriction. Further provides that the order shall only be issued after a full and fair hearing at which the injured employee shall be provided the opportunity to review the employer's evidence and present rebuttal evidence and the employer may request in writing to the director indicating whether temporary total disability benefits should have been discontinued with a designated the date after which temporary total disability benefits should have been discontinued. -- Amends provisions relating to medical examination by employer's physician, workers' compensation law. Requires the examination to be conducted by a physician to be licensed in Hawaii, subject to peer review, currently hold and have held an active professional and occupational license for 5 consecutive years prior to the examination and who has been mutually agreed upon by the employer and the employee. Requires the director of labor and industrial relations to appoint an independent physician from a list of qualified physicians, if the parties are not able to mutually agree on a physician. Cost of the examinations shall be borne by the employer. Establishes claimant's attorneys, defense attorneys, physicians, other health care providers, and other fees. -- Amends provision relating to the insurance contract by adding annual reports. Requires that every insurer of an employer to provide to the director of labor and industrial relations and the insurance commission on or before March 1 of each calendar year, and annual report of the costs of its policies, that includes the cost of independent medical examinations, costs for legal services relating to administration of claims, and administrative cost. Amends Act 11, special session laws of 2005. -- SB1060 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 891 (JDL) HSCR 1251 (LAB) HSCR 1441 (CPC) HSCR 1940 (FIN) CCR 120  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 386- (1 SECTION), 91-3, 386-1, 386-21, 386-25, 386-31, 386-72, 386-79, 386-94, 386-96, 386-124, ACT 11 2005 1SP

SB1063 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1774)

RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE VACANCIES.

Introduced by: Hooser G, Sakamoto N, Tsutsui S, Nishihara C, Chun Oakland S  
Amends provisions relating to US senator; State senator; and State representative. Requires the governor, in filling vacancies in the US senate, State senate and State representative, to select from a list of 3 prospective appointees submitted by the same political party of the prior incumbent. Provides that prospective appointees must and have been, for at least 6 months immediately prior to the appointment, a registered member of the same political party as the prior incumbent. In the case the prior incumbent who were not members of any political party, prospective appointees must not be and must not have been, for at least 6 months immediately prior to the appointment, a registered member of any political party. -- SB1063 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 657 (JDL) HSCR 1774 (JUD)  
Current Status: May=01 07 Veto Overridden - Senate  
May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House  
Section Affected: 17-1, 17-3, 17-4

SB1066 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 43)

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.

Introduced by: Hooser G, Sakamoto N, English J, Tsutsui S, Nishihara C, Chun Oakland S, Kokubun R  
Establishes provisions relating to inspection, quarantine, and eradication service fee and charge. Requires the department of agriculture to impose a fee for the inspection quarantine, and eradication of invasive species contained in any marine commercial container shipment, foreign or domestic, that is brought into the State. Further requires the fee to be computed on the basis of 1 dollar for each 20 foot equivalent unit per container. -- Establishes the pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund to be used for the operation of inspection and monitoring programs, related facilities, and the execution of emergency remedial measures when pests are detected in the course of inspection and quarantine activities by the department. -- SB1066 CD1

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Committee Reports: SSCR 547 (ENE) SSCR 670 (WAM) HSCR 1259 (AGR/ EEP/)  
HSCR 1420 (TRN) HSCR 1856 (FIN) CCR 43  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 150A- (2 SECTIONS) INSPECTION, QUARANTINE, AND  
ERADICATION SERVICE FEE AND CHARGE

SB1092

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Baker R

Amends Act 246, session laws of 2006. Provides that appropriations for the repair and maintenance of department of education school facilities that are unencumbered by June 30, 2008 shall lapse. (\$\$) -- SB1092

Committee Reports: SSCR 442 (EDU) SSCR 708 (WAM) HSCR 1806 (FIN)

Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-23 07 Approved by Governor (Act 34 2007)

Section Affected: ACT 246 2006

SB1115 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 123)

RELATING TO PERINATAL CARE.

Introduced by: Chun Oakland S, Baker R, Tokuda J

Amends Act 248, session laws of 2006, by changing the appropriation amount to establish a pilot perinatal clinic and provide case management services and changing the expending agency to the department of human services. (\$\$) -- SB1115 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 456 (HTH/ HSP/) SSCR 914 (WAM) HSCR 1260 (HLT/  
HSH/) HSCR 1837 (FIN) CCR 123

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: ACT 248 2006

SB1133 SD3 HD1 CD1 (CCR 177)

RELATING TO TAXATION.

Introduced by: Sakamoto N

Amends provisions relating to the rental motor vehicle and tour vehicle surcharge tax. Extends the rental motor vehicle surcharge to August 31, 2008 (sunset). Provides that there shall be a joint senate and house of representatives task force to conduct a review of the financial requirements of the state highway fund. Report to the legislature. -- SB1133 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 73 (EDU) SSCR 558 (EDT) SSCR 797 (WAM) HSCR  
1811 (FIN) CCR 177

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 251-2

SB1154 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 37)

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

Introduced by: Sakamoto N

Repeals provisions relating to facilities, university of Hawaii projects and replaces it with provisions relating to university projects and purposes. Empowers the board of regents of the university of Hawaii to designate university projects, construct and maintain projects, collect rents and fees, and issue revenue bonds. Repeals and replaces the university revenue undertakings fund. Appropriation out of the revenue bond proceeds to the board of regents of the university of Hawaii. (\$\$) -- SB1154 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 537 (EDU) SSCR 902 (WAM) HSCR 1483 (HED) HSCR  
1836 (FIN) CCR 37

Current Status: May=01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 304A- (19 SECTIONS) UNIVERSITY PROJECTS AND  
PURPOSES, 304A- (1 SECTION), 304A-2167, 304A-2501,  
304A-2502, 304A-2503, 304A-2504, 304A-2505, 304A-2506,  
304A-2507, 304A-2508, 304A-2509, 304A-2510, 304A-2511,  
304A-2512, 304A-2513, 304A-2514, 304A-2515, 304A-2516,  
304A-2517, 304A-2518

SB1161 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 33)

RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE.

Introduced by: Chun Oakland S

Amends provisions relating to reports by the department of human services to add court responsibilities. Requires the department to provide the family court a written report on the disposition of the referral where there are allegations of domestic abuse. Further requires the court to provide both the petitioner and respondent the report at least 2 working days before the hearing if possible. Allows the court to provide copies of the report to the petitioner and respondent at the hearing if circumstances prevent the mailing of the report. Requires the report to be noted in the order dismissing the petition or granting the restraining order. -- SB1161 CD1

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- Committee Reports: SSCR 572 (HSP) SSCR 1005 (JDL) HSCR 1233 (HSH) HSCR 1683 (JUD) CCR 33  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 586-10.5
- SB1170 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 124) RELATING TO CHILDREN.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S  
Appropriation from temporary assistance for needy families funds to the department of human services for the healthy start program, including enhanced healthy start, for the hiring of a child development specialist or clinical specialist, and for provider training. (\$\$) -- SB1170 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 380 (HSP) SSCR 939 (WAM) HSCR 1298 (HLT/ HSH/ HSCR 1878 (FIN) CCR 124  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- SB1174 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 192) RELATING TO INCARCERATED PARENTS.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Gabbard M, Baker R, Fukunaga C, Tsutsui S, English J, Espero W  
Requires programs such as the supporting keiki of incarcerated parents program to be developed for and implemented in both male and female state correctional facilities by the department of public safety. Requires an independent review of the programs using researchers such as the University of Hawaii public policy center. Report to the legislature. Requires the department to contract with nonprofit health and human service agencies, communities of faith, and other relevant agencies or organizations to establish and implement parent child interaction programs. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB1174 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 109 (PBS) SSCR 941 (WAM) HSCR 1491 (PSM) HSCR 1847 (FIN) CCR 192  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- SB1182 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 39) RELATING TO NEEDS ALLOWANCE.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S, Ihara L, Espero W Baker R  
Establishes provisions relating to needs allowance; waiver program individuals. Requires the department of human services to pay the monthly needs allowance for clothing and other personal miscellaneous needs such as bus fare, personal postage costs, haircuts, and other costs of day to day living for individuals living in adult residential care home (ARCH) type I and type II facilities, licensed developmental disabilities domiciliary homes, community care foster family homes, certified adult foster homes, domiciliary care, nursing facility, or community based residence as part of the residential alternative community care program. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB1182 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 130 (HSP) SSCR 359 (EDT) SSCR 989 (WAM) HSCR 1345 (HLT/ HSH/) HSCR 1935 (FIN) CCR 39  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 346D- (1 SECTION) NEEDS ALLOWANCE
- SB1191 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 41) RELATING TO PEDESTRIAN SAFETY.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S, Ihara L, Baker R  
Requires the department of transportation to work with the counties and nonprofit organizations such as the AARP in implementing improvements which do not require extensive studies to make crosswalks and roadways safer for pedestrians, with priority to high risk areas. Appropriation out of the state highway fund to the respective counties. Reports to the legislature by the department of transportation. (\$\$) -- SB1191 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 250 (TIA) SSCR 994 (WAM) HSCR 1434 (TRN) HSCR 1865 (FIN) CCR 41  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- SB1210 SD1 (SSCR 674) RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FACILITIES.  
Introduced by: Chun Oakland S  
Amends Act 296, session laws of 1999, relating to special purpose revenue bonds for the Honolulu Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc., by increasing the appropriation amount. -- Amends Act 296, session laws of 1999, as amended by Act 165, session laws of 2003, relating to health care facilities, by changing the sunset date to June 30, 2011. -- SB1210 SD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 601 (HSP) SSCR 674 (WAM) HSCR 1239 (HSH) HSCR 2135 (FIN)

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- Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 296 1999, ACT 165 2003
- SB1222 SD3 HD2 CD1 (CCR 40) RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION.  
Introduced by: Menor R, Fukunaga C  
Amends provisions relating to renewable energy technologies income tax credit. Specifies that the renewable energy technology system be installed and placed in service in the State. -- SB1222 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 76 (ENE) SSCR 364 (EDT) SSCR 761 (WAM) HSCR 1318 (EEP) HSCR 1895 (FIN) CCR 40  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 235-12.5, 235-129
- SB1228 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 110) RELATING TO HISTORICAL PRESERVATION.  
Introduced by: Espero W, Menor R  
Requires the department of land and natural resources, with the assistance of the Japanese cultural center of Hawaii, the Japanese American national heritage coalition, historic Hawaii foundation, and other organizations as may be appropriate to establish a process to determine the most appropriate means of memorializing the World War II Japanese internment camp experience in Hawaii. Report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB1228 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 582 (EDT) SSCR 801 (WAM) HSCR 1315 (TAC) HSCR 1829 (FIN) CCR 110  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- SB1260 SD2 (SSCR 988) RELATING TO A GRANT TO KAHUKU HOSPITAL.  
Introduced by: Hee C, Fukunaga C  
Appropriation to the department of health for a grant to Kahuku hospital on Oahu to continue its operations, preserve its hospital license, retain its certificate of need and critical access hospital designation, reorganize, and settle its debts. (\$\$) -- SB1260 SD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 99 (HTH) SSCR 988 (WAM) HSCR 1364 (FIN)  
Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
Mar-29 07 Approved by Governor (Act 4 2007)
- SB1283 SD2 HD2 (HSCR 1927) RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOBACCO SETTLEMENT SPECIAL FUND.  
Introduced by: Baker R, Tsutsui S, Sakamoto N  
Amends provisions relating to the Hawaii tobacco settlement special fund. Allows that the University of Hawaii to use tobacco settlement special fund revenues appropriated into the university revenue undertakings fund to pay for operating expenses incurred by the new medical school facility. Requires the department of health and the University of Hawaii to prepare and submit a detailed accounting of all revenues and expenditures to the legislature. Act to be repealed on June 30, 2011 (sunset). -- SB1283 HD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 453 (HTH/ EDU/) SSCR 771 (WAM) HSCR 1431 (HED/ HLT/) HSCR 1927 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-25 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 328L-2
- SB1284 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 50) RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.  
Introduced by: Baker R (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to pension and retirement systems. Authorizes the board of trustees of the employees' retirement system to set the salary scale assumptions based on the recommendations of the actuary. Provides that the employer contributions for normal cost and accrued liability shall be based on 19 and 7/10 per cent of the member's compensation for police officers, firefighters, corrections officers and 15 per cent of the member's compensation for all other employees. Prohibits benefit enhancements for any group of members, including reduction of retirement age, when there is an unfunded accrued liability from January 2, 2008 until January 2, 2011 (sunset). -- SB1284 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 479 (JDL) SSCR 1002 (WAM) HSCR 1401 (LAB) HSCR 1841 (FIN) CCR 50  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 88-105, 88-122
- SB1287 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1360) RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.  
Introduced by: English J  
Amends provisions relating to safety inspection (safety check) of motor carrier vehicles.

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Changes the requirement that the safety inspection be during the month the vehicle's certificate of registration is issued to be annually. -- SB1287 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 633 (TIA) HSCR 1360 (TRN) HSCR 1775 (CPC)  
Current Status: Apr-12 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-26 07 Approved by Governor (Act 43 2007)  
Section Affected: 286-209

SB1315 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 24) RELATING TO THE ACCESS HAWAII COMMITTEE.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Establishes the access Hawaii committee law. Establishes the committee within the department of accounting and general services to provide oversight of the portal manager and provide an annual report on the operations of the portal. Annual report to the governor and the legislature. -- SB1315 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 114 (EDT) SSCR 748 (WAM) HSCR 1410 (EDB) HSCR 1823 (FIN) CCR 24  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (5 SECTIONS) ACCESS HAWAII COMMITTEE

SB1365 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 203) RELATING TO THE INNOVATION ECONOMY.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to investments. Requires the board of the employees' retirement system to report annually to the legislature on any Hawaii venture capital investments it has made, provided that if the board determines it is not prudent to invest in any Hawaii venture capital improvements the board shall report the rationale for the decision. Further requires the board, by January 1, 2008, to develop criteria to determine the amount of funds that may be prudently invested in Hawaii private placement investments. -- SB1365 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 156 (EDT) SSCR 1010 (WAM) HSCR 1256 (EDB/ HED/) HSCR 1405 (LAB) HSCR 1904 (FIN) CCR 203  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 88-119

SB1370 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1616) RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to special purpose revenue bonds. Requires that project parties who enter into negotiations with the department of budget and finance to pay for all fees, costs, and expenses. Provides that the State will not be required to pay any interest or earning on amounts deposited by project parties. -- SB1370 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 850 (WAM) HSCR 1616 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-12 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-26 07 Approved by Governor (Act 44 2007)  
Section Affected: 39A-34, 39A-35, 39A-74, 39A-75, 39A-114, 39A-115, 39A-154, 39A-155, 39A-194, 39A-195, 39A-224, 39A-225, 39A-254, 39A-255, 39A-284, 39A-285, 39A-314, 39A-315

SB1372 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 104) RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF FINANCING AGREEMENTS.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to management of financing agreements. Allows other departments and participating agencies, alongside the department of budget and finance to enter into a financing agreement in accordance with management of financing agreements. -- SB1372 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 848 (WAM) HSCR 1808 (FIN) CCR 104  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 37D-1, 37D-2, 37D-3, 37D-4, 37D-5, 37D-6, 37D-7, 37D-8, 37D-9, 37D-10

SB1382 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 102) MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Appropriation to the director of finance and chief justice for salary increases and other cost adjustments for negotiated collective bargaining cost items and for Hawaii employer union health benefits trust fund costs for public employees in collective bargaining unit 2 (supervisory blue collar employees), unit 3 (nonsupervisory white collar employees), unit 4 (supervisory white collar employees), unit 6 (educational officers and other personnel of the department of education), unit 8 (personnel of the university of Hawaii and community college system), and unit 13 (other professional and scientific employees), for state officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining units



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2, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 13, for state employees in these units assigned to the Hawaii health systems corporation, and for state officers and employees excluded from these collective bargaining units assigned to the Hawaii health systems corporation. (\$\$) -- SB1382 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 203 (JDL) SSCR 929 (WAM) HSCR 1382 (LAB) HSCR 1914 (FIN) CCR 102

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB1388 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 103)

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Appropriation to the director of finance and chief justice for salary increases and other cost adjustments for negotiated collective bargaining cost items and for Hawaii employer union health benefits trust fund costs for public employees in collective bargaining unit 9 (registered professional nurses), for state officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining unit 9, for state employees in this unit assigned to the Hawaii health systems corporation, and for state officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining unit 9 assigned to the Hawaii health systems corporation. (\$\$) -- SB1388 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 209 (JDL) SSCR 980 (WAM) HSCR 1388 (LAB) HSCR 1919 (FIN) CCR 103

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB1400 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 32)

RELATING TO FINANCIAL ABUSE.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Establishes provisions relating to mandatory reporting of suspected financial abuse of an elder. Requires financial institution to report suspected financial abuse that is directed towards, targets, or is committed against an elder to the department of human services immediately by telephone and by written report sent within 5 business days. Requires that the department to determine whether it has jurisdiction over the elder involved; and if not, to notify the financial institution, which shall then notify the proper local law enforcement agency within 3 business days. -- SB1400 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 606 (HSP) SSCR 858 (CPH/ JDL/) HSCR 1271 (HSH) HSCR 1440 (CPC) HSCR 1901 (JUD) CCR 32

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 412: - (1 SECTION) MANDATORY REPORTING OF SUSPECTED FINANCIAL ABUSE OF AN ELDER

SB1402 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 106)

RELATING TO THE LOSS MITIGATION GRANT FUND.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to loss mitigation grant program. Redefines wind resistive to mean devices, techniques, and residential safe rooms that increase a building's or structures resistance to damage from wind forces. Amends the standards for the award of grants by adding residential safe rooms. Appropriation out of the loss mitigation grant fund to the department of commerce and consumer affairs for the loss mitigation grant program. (\$\$) -- SB1402 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 300 (CPH) SSCR 742 (WAM) HSCR 1809 (FIN) CCR 106

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 431:22-101, 431:22-104

SB1410 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 7)

RELATING TO INSURANCE.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to insurance. Establishes provisions relating to sales to members of the armed forces. Establishes provisions for denial of claims under long term care insurance contracts, delivery of contract or certificate of insurance, producer training requirements, electronic enrollment for group policies, required disclosure of rating practices to consumer, initial filing requirements, licensing, premium rate schedule increases, additional standards for benefit triggers for qualified long term care insurance contracts, and penalties. Amends nonforfeiture benefit requirement. Provides even if this offer is accepted for a policy with a fixed or limited premium paying period, the contingent benefit on lapse shall still apply. Provides that records and reports on file with the insurance commissioner relating to insurance regulatory agencies of foreign counties shall be confidential and protected from discovery. -- SB1410 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 866 (CPH) HSCR 1802 (CPC) CCR 7

Current Status: Apr-30 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 431:2- (1 SECTION), 431:10H- (3 SECTIONS), 431:10H- (7 SECTIONS), 431:10H-104, 431:10H-111, 431:10H-112,

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431:10H-114, 431:10H-201, 431:10H-202, 431:10H-203,  
431:10H-211, 431:10H-216, 431:10H-218, 431:10H-221,  
431:10H-222, 431:10H-226, 431:10H-229, 431:10H-230,  
431:10H-231, 431:10H-233, 431:10H-235, 431:2-209

- SB1425 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 15) RELATING TO CONTRACTOR LICENSING REQUIREMENTS DURING A STATE OF EMERGENCY OR DISASTER.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provision relating to state of emergency or disaster; emergency licensure; penalties. Authorizes the contractors license board to issue emergency contractor's license during a state of emergency or disaster declared by the governor. Provides the board may delegate the issuance of emergency contractor's licenses to its administrative staff; provided that the applicant be required to meet all of the requirements specified before the issuance of the license. -- SB1425 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 213 (IGM) SSCR 960 (CPH) HSCR 1494 (PSM) HSCR 1819 (CPC) CCR 15  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 444-10.6
- SB1441 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1816) RELATING TO CERTIFICATION OF CHILD PLACING ORGANIZATIONS, CHILD CARING INSTITUTIONS, FOSTER BOARDING HOMES, AND ADOPTIVE HOMES.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to child placing organization, child caring institutions, and foster boarding homes; authority over, investigation of, and standards for licensed for a specific child or children. Provides as a condition for certificate of approval, any organization, institution, or foster boarding home, including all adult residing in the foster boarding home shall meet all standards and requirements established by the department and to be subject to a child abuse and neglect registry checks and provide consent to the department of human services to obtain child abuse and neglect registry information. Provides that the department may deny a certificate of approval if the operator, employee, or new employee of a child care institution or child placing organization facility or any adult in a foster boarding home finds child abuse registry history poses a risk to the health, safety, or well being of the children in care. Amends prospective adoptive parents; standards and home studies. Requires that the department develop procedures for obtaining verifiable information regarding the child abuse and neglect registry information and provides as a condition for certificate of approval including all adults residing in the prospective adoptive homes. Provides that the department may deny a person's application to adopt a child only after appropriate investigation, notification of results and planned action, and opportunity to meet and rebut the findings. -- SB1441 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 854 (HSP/ JDL/) HSCR 1294 (HSH) HSCR 1816 (JUD)  
Current Status: Apr-13 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-27 07 Approved by Governor (Act 46 2007)  
Section Affected: 346-17, 346-19.7
- SB1444 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1295) RELATING TO THE PURPOSE OF THE HAWAII YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to purpose. Requires that under the supervision of the director of human services and such other subordinates as the director designates, the Hawaii youth correctional facilities shall provide custody, rehabilitation services to prepare for reentry in to their communities and families, youth committed by the courts of the state. Amends provisions relating to decree, if informal adjustments or diversion to a private or community agency or program has not been effected. Changes incarceration to custody in a youth correctional facility. -- SB1444 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 627 (PBS/ HSP/) HSCR 1295 (HSH) HSCR 1619 (JUD)  
Current Status: Apr-10 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-23 07 Approved by Governor (Act 33 2007)  
Section Affected: 352-2.1, 571-48
- SB1457 SD2 HD2 (HSCR 1906) MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of health out of general revenues and out of the interdepartmental transfer fund for additional funds for the medicaid title XIX programs, which include the developmental disabilities or mentally retarded home and community based services and the medicaid state plan intermediate care facilities for the mentally

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retarded in the community program. (\$\$) -- SB1457 HD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 404 (HTH) SSCR 764 (WAM) HSCR 1307 (HLT) HSCR 1906 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-25 07 Received by the Governor  
May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 51 2007)

SB1459 SD1 (SSCR 987) MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of health for additional funds to address expenses related to early intervention services. (\$\$) -- SB1459 SD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 406 (HTH) SSCR 987 (WAM) HSCR 1309 (HLT) HSCR 1872 (FIN)  
Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-23 07 Approved by Governor (Act 32 2007)

SB1509 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1581) RELATING TO HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLE (HOV) LANES.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to restrictions on use of controlled access roadway or highway. Provides that the director of transportation shall designate the minimum number of persons who must be in the vehicle to use the high occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes. Amends provisions relating to definitions; traffic code. Redefines high occupancy vehicle as a vehicle carrying at least 2 persons to vehicles carrying at least the minimum number of persons designated by the director of transportation as indicated on official signs and traffic control devices. -- SB1509 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 634 (TIA) HSCR 1581 (TRN)  
Current Status: Apr-12 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-26 07 Approved by Governor (Act 42 2007)  
Section Affected: 291C-53, 291C-221

SB1513 RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to number plates (license plates). Repeals the minimum height of 12 inches from the ground. -- Amends provisions relating to lights for motor vehicles, motorcycles, motor scooters, and motorized bicycles. Reduces the minimum height of head lamps from 24 to 22 inches above the road surface. -- SB1513  
Committee Reports: SSCR 192 (TIA) HSCR 1580 (TRN)  
Current Status: Apr-13 07 Vetoed  
Section Affected: 249-7, 291-25

SB1515 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 112) RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Establishes provisions relating to fines arising from environmental protection violations. Establishes that any commercial harbor tenant or user, including shippers and shipping agents who violates any federal, state or county environmental law or rule to be liable to environmental fines. Requires that the department of transportation to take legal action to collect the amount owed and any costs or expenses incurred by the department resulting from enforcement. -- SB1515 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 286 (TIA) SSCR 951 (WAM) HSCR 1432 (TRN) HSCR 1870 (JUD) CCR 112  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 266- (1 SECTION), 266-25

SB1528 HD1 CD1 (CCR 4) RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to penalties. Changes offenses to violations. -- SB1528 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 289 (TIA) SSCR 1003 (JDL) HSCR 1428 (TRN) HSCR 1620 (JUD) CCR 4  
Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 291C-161

SB1529 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 1) RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)  
Establishes provisions relating to U drive vehicles; traffic infractions. Provides that if the registered owner of record is the lessor of a rental or U drive vehicle, the lessee at the time of the issuance of the traffic infraction will be responsible for such summons or

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citation, unless the lessor does not provide the court having jurisdiction the name and address of the lessee within 45 days after a notice containing the date, time, and location of the violation and license number of the vehicle. Allows the court to waive the requirement and impose an administrative fee of 5 dollars per citation. Defines concurrent trial as a trial proceeding held in the district court or family court in which the defendant shall be tried simultaneously in a civil case for any charged traffic infraction and in a criminal case for any related criminal offense, with trials to be held in 1 court on the same date and time. Defines notice of traffic infraction to include a notice of parking violation. Defines related criminal offense as any criminal violation or crime, committed in the same course of conduct as a traffic infraction for which the defendant is arrested or charged. Amends the definition of hearing to include a person to whom a notice of traffic infraction was issued either admits, contests, or admits to the traffic infraction but offers mitigating explanations. -- Amends provisions relating to applicability. Provides the inclusion traffic infractions committed by minors. Provides the court may schedule any initial appearance, hearing, or trial on a traffic infraction at the same date, time, and place as the arraignment, hearing, or trial on a related criminal offense where the defendant is charged with a traffic infraction committed in the same course of conduct as the criminal offense, unless the criminal offense is a felony or is a misdemeanor for which the defendant has demanded jury trial. Provides if the court schedules a concurrent trial, the trial shall be held in the appropriate district or family court of the circuit in which the traffic infraction was committed; the court may schedule a civil trial simultaneously with the criminal trial and enter a civil judgment on the traffic infraction and judgment of conviction or acquittal on the criminal offense. Prohibits any written or oral statement made by the defendant in court action after answer or failure to answer and testimony by the defendant in traffic infraction trial if trial on the traffic infraction is held separately from and prior to the criminal offense trial. Provides the court to enter a judgment by default in favor of the State for failure to appear by the defendant. -- Amends provisions relating to notice of traffic infraction; form; determination final unless contested. Provides a notice of traffic infraction generated by electronic equipment or bears the electronically stored image of any person's signature, or both, shall be valid; and must bear a brief statement of the facts, except for parking related infractions; disclose the amount to be paid by the registered vehicle owner; and state the person to whom the notice is issued must answer within 21 days of issuance of the notice. Provides penalties for failure to answer or appear. -- Amends provisions relating to answer required. Requires the issuance of notice include a preaddressed envelope directed to the traffic violations bureau when the notice of traffic infraction does not require an appearance in person at hearing. -- Amends provisions relating to court action after answer or failure to answer. Repeals provision regarding traffic infraction that involves parking. Amends court decisions and increases court response time when the denying answer is accompanied by a written statement of the grounds on which the person contests to 45 days. -- Amends provisions relating to hearing procedures. -- Amends provisions relating to trial and concurrent trial. Provides there will be no right to trial unless the defendant contests the notice of traffic infraction. Requires the State be represented by a prosecuting attorney; proof of the defendant's commission of the traffic infraction shall be by a preponderance of evidence. Provides that the lessor may be responsible for fines or fees; the lessor may adopt a policy of charging the lessee the actual cost of the traffic infraction paid to the court plus an administrative fee not to exceed 4 hours of work multiplied by Hawaii's prevailing minimum wage relating to research of files and communications with the court and lessee. -- SB1529 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 290 (TIA) SSCR 1023 (JDL) HSCR 1433 (TRN) HSCR 1686 (JUD) CCR 1

Current Status: Apr-25 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 291D- (1 SECTION), 291D-2, 291D-3, 291D-5, 291D-6, 291D-7, 291D-8, 291D-12, 291D-13, 291D-14, 437D-17.5, 291C-168.5

SB1603 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 35)

RELATING TO LIABILITY.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Amends Act 190, session laws of 1996, as amended by Act 101, session laws of 1999, as amended by Act 170, session laws of 2002, relating to state and county tort liability, by repealing the sunset date. -- Amends Act 170, session laws of 2002, relating to state and county tort liability, by extending the sunset date to June 30, 2010. Amends Act 82, session laws of 2003, by extending the sunset date to June 30, 2010 (sunset). -- Establishes a task force within the department of the attorney general to examine the effectiveness of, collect data relating to, and provide to the legislature information on Act 190, session laws of 1996, as amended, Act 170, session laws of 2002, and Act 82, session laws of 2003. Report to the legislature. -- Amends provisions relating to liability

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for damages; notice of injuries by changing it to liability for injuries or damages; notice. Extends the statute of limitation for actions against a county for damage or injury from 6 months to 2 years. -- Establishes provisions relating to indemnification of county agencies. Provides that to receive county aid, assistance, support, benefits, services, and interests in or rights to use county property, a state agency may agree in writing to an indemnity provision by which the State agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless a county agency, its officers, agents, and employees when a county ordinance or rule expressly or by clear implication requires the indemnity provision, the governor approves the State's proposed indemnification, the comptroller has obtained an insurance policy or policies in an amount sufficient to cover the liability of the State that may reasonably be anticipated under the indemnity provision, and the State's liability under the indemnity provision will be expressly limited to the amount of, and will be defrayed solely by, such insurance. Authorizes the comptroller to obtain sufficient loss insurance to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless a county providing aid, assistance, support, benefits, services, and interests in or rights to use county property to a state agency under an indemnity agreement provision. -- SB1603 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 420 (WAH/ IGM/) SSCR 979 (JDL) HSCR 1446 (WLH) HSCR 1902 (JUD) CCR 35

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: ACT 190 1996, ACT 101 1999, ACT 170 2002, ACT 82 2003, 46-72, 46- (1 SECTION), 41D-8.5

SB1614 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 174)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Requires the Waianae complex schools to submit a report to the legislature on baseline data on teacher qualifications at each school in the Waianae complex; information on the development and maintenance of a system for measuring the quantitative and qualitative results of its recruitment and retention efforts; assessment of the value and impact of the new human resource management model to students at the elementary, middle, and high school levels; and any other pertinent information, recommendations, and proposed legislation, if any, to determine the future of the pilot project. -- Appropriation to the department of education for the implementation of a new human resource management model for the Waianae complex schools, including Waianae high school and its elementary and intermediate feeder schools. (\$\$) -- SB1614 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 462 (EDU) SSCR 899 (WAM) HSCR 1331 (EDN) HSCR 1891 (FIN) CCR 174

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

SB1642 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1910)

RELATING TO LABOR.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to scope of negotiations; consultation. Prohibits this provision to be used to invalidate provisions of collective bargaining agreements in effect on and after June 30, 2007, and to preclude negotiations over the procedures and criteria on promotions, transfers, assignments, demotions, layoffs, suspensions, terminations, discharges, or other disciplinary actions as a permissive subject of bargaining during collective bargaining negotiations or negotiations over a memorandum of agreement, memorandum of understanding, or other supplemental agreement. -- SB1642 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 889 (JDL) HSCR 1465 (LAB) HSCR 1910 (FIN)

Current Status: May=01 07 Veto Overridden - Senate

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Section Affected: 89-9

SB1654 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1684)

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM MANAGEMENT DISPUTE RESOLUTION.

Introduced by: Espero W

Amends Act 277, session laws of 2006, relating to condominiums. Provides that the section relating to hearings is added to provisions relating to registration and administration of condominiums. -- SB1654 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 868 (CPH) HSCR 1373 (CPC) HSCR 1684 (JUD)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: ACT 277 2006

SB1665 HD1 CD1 (CCR 29)

RELATING TO ANIMALS.

Introduced by: Hee C

Establishes provisions relating to cruelty to animals in the 1st degree. Provides that the offense is a class C felony if the person intentionally or knowingly tortures, mutilates,

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poisons, or causes the torture, mutilation, or poisoning of any pet animal resulting in serious bodily injury or death. Exempts accepted veterinary practices, scientific research, cropping and docking, or when any pet animal is destroyed because the pet animal is so severely injured there is no reasonable probability its life can be saved. Redefines a pet animal as a dog, cat, domesticated rabbit, guinea pig, domesticated pig, or caged birds so long as not bred for consumption. Defines torment as to fail to attempt to mitigate substantial bodily injury with respect to a person who has a duty of care to the animal. Defines torture to include every act, omission, or neglect whereby unjustifiable physical pain, suffering, or death is caused or permitted. Amends provisions relating to cruelty to animals to be cruelty to animals in the 2nd degree. Provides that the offense is a misdemeanor if the person intentionally, knowingly, or recklessly overdrives, overloads, tortures, torments, beats, causes substantial bodily injury, or starves any animal, or causes the overdriving, overloading, torture, torment, beating, or starving of any animal, or deprives a pet animal of necessary sustenance or causes such deprivation. Exempts accepted veterinary practices, scientific research, and licensed pest control operators. -- SB1665 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 426 (JDL) HSCR 1805 (JUD) CCR 29

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 711- (1 SECTION), 711-1100, 711-1109, 711-1109.1, 711-1109.2, 711-1110.5

SB1672 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 117)

RELATING TO HEALTH.

Introduced by: Ige D, Baker R, Chun Oakland S, Fukunaga C

Appropriation to the department of human services to increase moneys paid out for physician services for the care of medicaid eligible persons, including fee for service and QUEST physician services. Requires the sum to be equitably distributed between medicaid fee for service physician services and health plans that provide QUEST physician services and the increased moneys shall not exceed 100 per cent of the current medicaid fee schedule applicable to Hawaii. Reports to the legislature. (\$\$) -- SB1672 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 389 (HSP) SSCR 777 (WAM) HSCR 1249 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 1456 (JUD) HSCR 1839 (FIN) CCR 117

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB1674 SD1 HD2 (HSCR 1868)

RELATING TO HEALTH.

Introduced by: Ige D

Amends provisions relating to the medicine and surgery law and radiologic technology law. Authorizes a radiologist duly licensed to practice in another state who uses telemedicine while located in this State to provide radiology services to a patient in the other state. -- SB1674 HD2

Committee Reports: SSCR 532 (HTH) SSCR 699 (CPH) HSCR 1339 (HLT) HSCR 1868 (CPC)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 453-2, 466J-6

SB1675 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 14)

RELATING TO AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS.

Introduced by: Ige D

Amends provisions relating to exception to liability. Provides that who in good faith, without remuneration or expectation of remuneration, attempts to resuscitate a person in immediate danger of loss of life when administering any automated external defibrillator, regardless of where the automated external defibrillator that is used is located, shall not be liable for any civil damages resulting from any act or omission except as may result from the person's gross negligence or wanton acts or omission. Defines automated external defibrillator program to mean an appropriate training course that includes cardiopulmonary resuscitation and proficiency in the use of an automated external defibrillator. -- SB1675 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 397 (HTH) SSCR 803 (JDL) HSCR 1377 (HLT) HSCR 1780 (JUD) CCR 14

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 453-2, 663-1.5

SB1676 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 118)

RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.

Introduced by: Baker R, Tsutsui S, English J, Ige D

Establishes provisions relating to a captive insurance board to carry out the corporations duties and responsibilities relating to the establishment of any captive insurance company. Amends the corporation board by adding other than those duties and

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responsibilities relating to the establishment of any captive insurance company and operation. Requires that the board of directors of the Hawaii health systems corporation to submit a report on the feasibility of establishing a captive insurance company to provide medical malpractice and hospital professional and general liability coverage for facilities and physicians to the legislature. Provides that in organizing a captive insurance company, the corporation shall submit a formalized financial plan to the director of finance for review and approval; and upon receiving the approval, the corporation shall submit to the insurance commissioner a formalized business plan that includes the establishment of a captive insurer board of directors. Appropriations to the health systems special fund to establish the captive insurance company. (\$\$) -- SB1676 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 450 (HTH/ CPH/) SSCR 985 (WAM) HSCR 1378 (HLT)  
HSCR 1867 (CPC) CCR 118

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 323F- (1 SECTION), 323F-3

SB1697 SD1 (SSCR 688)

RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF "CONTRACTOR" UNDER THE CONTRACTOR REPAIR ACT.

Introduced by: Taniguchi B

Amends provisions relating to definitions; contractor repair act. Redefines contractor to repeal selling a dwelling. -- SB1697 SD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 688 (CPH) HSCR 1374 (CPC) HSCR 1776 (JUD)

Current Status: Apr-03 07 Received by the Governor

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Section Affected: 672E-1

SB1704 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 5)

RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.

Introduced by: Menor R

Amends the condominium property regimes law. Provides that the law shall not apply to condominiums created on or after July 1, 2006, or that are registered with the real estate commission under the condominiums law. -- Amends the real estate brokers and salespersons law to include the condominium regimes law. -- Amends the condominium law. Requires each project or association having more than 5 units to secure and maintain a fidelity bond and act promptly and diligently to recover from the bond. Allows an association that is unable to obtain a fidelity bond to seek approval for an exemption, a deductible, or bond alternative from the commission. Requires current evidence of a fidelity bond to include a certified statement from an insurance company registered with the department of commerce and consumer affairs. Amends provisions relating to mediation to require other parties in a dispute to participate in mediation when an apartment owner or the board of directors requests mediation involving the interpretation or enforcement of the association of apartment owners' declarations, bylaws, or house rules. -- Amends Act 93, session laws of 2005. -- SB1704 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 869 (CPH) HSCR 1803 (CPC) CCR 5

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 514A-1, 514A-1.5, 514A-1.6, 514A-2, 514A-3, 514A-4, 514A-5, 514A-6, 514A-7, 514A-81, 514A-82, 514A-82.1, 514A-82.15, 514A-82.2, 514A-82.3, 514A-82.4, 514A-82.5, 514A-82.6, 514A-83, 514A-83.1, 514A-83.2, 514A-83.3, 514A-83.4, 514A-83.5, 514A-83.6, 514A-84, 514A-84.5, 514A-85, 514A-86, 514A-87, 514A-88, 514A-89, 514A-90, 514A-90.5, 514A-90.6, 514A-91, 514A-92, 514A-92.1, 514A-92.2, 514A-92.5, 514A-93, 514A-93.5, 514A-94, 514A-95, 514A-95.1, 514A-96, 514A-97, 514A-98, 514A-99, 514A-121, 514A-121.5, 514A-122, 514A-123, 514A-124, 514A-125, 514A-126, 514A-127, 467-14, 467-30, 514B-86, 514B-103, 514B-161, ACT 93 2005

SB1718 HD2 CD1 (CCR 171)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ELECTRICAL GENERATION ON THE ISLAND OF MAUI.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist BlueEarth Maui Biodiesel, LLC, with the construction of a biodiesel refinery on Maui with primary production volumes designated as fuel for electrical generation. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- SB1718 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 256 (ENE) SSCR 904 (WAM) HSCR 1319 (EEP) HSCR 1939 (FIN) CCR 171

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SB1750 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 19)

RELATING TO HEALTH.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR), Chun Oakland S

Establishes provisions relating to shaken baby syndrome. Requires any hospital that provides medical care to a newborn to provide each parent of the newborn with written educational information approved by the department of health and provided by nonprofit organizations about the dangerous effects of shaken baby syndrome and the different methods of preventing shaken baby syndrome. Requires the department of health to report to the legislature with statistics on the number of hospitals that have provided all parents of newborns with the information, statistics on the number of cases of shaken baby syndrome to see the results of providing the information and recommendations on improving methods and polices necessary to provide for the safety of newborn children. Report to the legislature. -- SB1750 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 807 (HTH) HSCR 1584 (HLT) CCR 19

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 321- (1 SECTION) SHAKEN BABY SYNDROME

SB1779 HD3 CD1 (CCR 115)

RELATING TO CHILDREN.

Introduced by: Chun Oakland S

Amends provisions relating to permanent plan hearing. Provides that the goal of the permanent plan is for the child to be adopted or remain in permanent custody or for the child to be placed under guardianship, according to the uniform probate code. Requires the court will order that the prior award of foster custody be continued and that the existing service plan be terminated; an appropriate permanent plan be implemented concerning the child whereby the child will be placed under guardianship according to the uniform probate code; until guardianship is ordered, each case be set for a permanent plan review hearing not later than 6 months after the date that a permanent plan is ordered by the court, or sooner if required by federal law, provided that at each permanent plan review hearing, the court will review the existing permanent plan and enter such further orders as are deemed to be in the best interests of the child. -- SB1779 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 390 (HSP) SSCR 967 (WAM) HSCR 1268 (HSH) HSCR 1468 (JUD) HSCR 1909 (FIN) CCR 115

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 587-2, 587-73

SB1792 SD3 HD3 CD2 (SENATE  
FLOOR AMENDMENT 26 OR  
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 22)

RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.

Introduced by: Tsutsui S, Baker R, English J

Establishes provisions relating to regional system boards. Provides that each health systems corporation region shall be governed by a regional system board of directors. Further provides that upon its establishment, a regional affiliate board shall assume custodial care of all real property of the corporation within its region. Authorizes the board of directors of the corporation or its regional systems boards to retain attorneys. Amends transfers from special funds for central service expense under the Hawaii health systems corporation special funds by adding the sub accounts of its regional system boards. Amends provisions relating to duties and powers of the corporation by dividing the corporation into 5 regional systems governed by a regional system boards. -- Amends budget oversight by adding each regional system boards. Appropriation to support the establishment of regional system boards of the Hawaii health system corporation. -- SB1792 CD2

Committee Reports: SSCR 535 (HTH) SSCR 1019 (WAM) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 6 HSCR 1451 (HLT) HSCR 1937 (FIN) FLOOR AMENDMENT 11 CCR 197 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 26 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 22

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Section Affected: 323F- (3 SECTIONS), 26-5, 26-35.5, 28-8.3, 29-24, 36-27, 36-30, 37-53, 37-74, 37D-1, 37D-2, 41D-2, 102-2, 103-53, 103D-102, 323F-1, 323F-2, 323F-3, 323F-4, 323F-5, 323F-6, 323F-7, 323F-8, 323F-9, 323F-10, 323F-10.5, 323F-10.6, 323F-11, 323F-21, 323F-22, 323F-23, 323F-24, 323F-31

SB1803 SD1 HD1 CD2 (SENATE  
FLOOR AMENDMENT 27 OR  
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 14)

RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE.

Introduced by: Ige D, Chun Oakland S, Fukunaga C, Ihara L

Amends provisions relating to powers and duties of the insurance commissioner and conformity to federal law. Authorizes the commissioner to exempt group health plans



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offered to small employer groups that employ only 1 employee. -- SB1803 CD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 857 (CPH/ JDL/) HSCR 1340 (HLT) HSCR 1820 (CPC)  
CCR 22 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 27 HOUSE  
FLOOR AMENDMENT 14  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 431:2-201.5

SB1816 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1462) RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.  
Introduced by: Inouye L, Ige D  
Amends provisions relating to Kohala Historic Sites State Monument. Requires the department of land and natural resources to consult with the kahuna nui of the Mo'okini (Mookini) Heiau regarding the proposed alterations or improvements prior to any alterations or improvements not including routine maintenance. Requires the entity proposing the venture to consult with the kauna nui of the Mo'okini Heiau regarding the proposed venture prior to any additional organized profit making venture involving the monument. -- SB1816 HD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 734 (WAH) HSCR 1462 (TAC) HSCR 1777 (WLH)  
Current Status: May=01 07 Veto Overridden - Senate  
May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House  
Section Affected: 6E-38.5

SB1820 SD1 HD2 CD1 (CCR 175) RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Baker R, Tsutsui S, English J, Sakamoto N  
Amends provisions relating to the state educational facilities improvement special fund. Establishes the lease payments for schools account within the fund for lease payments required by financing agreements entered into by the department of education for school facilities. Authorizes the department of education to enter into financing agreements with the concurrence of the director of finance and approval of the attorney general. Repeals the requirement for approval by the comptroller for the department of education to enter into contracts, leases, lease purchase agreements necessary for the acquisition of school facilities, but requires the concurrence of the director of finance. -- SB1820 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 449 (EDU) SSCR 900 (WAM) HSCR 1333 (EDN) HSCR 1892 (FIN) CCR 175  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 36-32, 37D-2, 302A-1506

SB1833 SD1 HD1 CD1 (CCR 30) RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE.  
Introduced by: Bunda R, Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N  
Amends provisions relating to unpaid leave permitted; relationship to paid leave; sick leave. Repeals provision which allows an employer to elect to substitute any of the employee's accrued paid leaves, including but not limited to vacation, personal, or family leave, for any part of the 4 week period of family leave. -- SB1833 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 481 (JDL) SSCR 676 (WAM) HSCR 1400 (LAB) HSCR 1842 (FIN) CCR 30  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 398-4

SB1853 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 101) RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIANS.  
Introduced by: English J  
Establishes the 'aha kiole (aha kiole) advisory committee. Requires the advisory committee to explore, examine, and derive best practice models for the creation of an 'aha (aha) moku council system that will provide advisory input based upon the indigenous resource management practices of each moku to state and county agencies; aid in the development of a comprehensive set of best practices for natural resources management; foster the understanding and practical use of knowledge, including native Hawaiian methodology and expertise; ensure the future sustainable use of the State's marine, land, cultural, agricultural, and natural resources; enhance community education and cultural awareness; participate in the protection and preservation of the State's natural resources; engage in discussion with and participate in meetings and events held by the various moku statewide to gain perspective and develop a consensus on establishing an æaha moku council system with an æaha moku council commission; establish an administrative structure for the creation of an æaha moku council commission to oversee an æaha moku council system, which shall consist of 8 æaha kiole members, representing each island; establish a standard eligibility criteria and selection process for each æaha kiole member and the selection of a executive director,

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goals and objectives for an æaha moku council commission to accomplish, including benchmarks for long term planning and sustainable objectives and a feasible operational budget for an æaha moku council commission to conduct meetings, cover administrative expenses, and disseminate information and advice for the creation of an æaha moku council system. Reports to the legislature. Requires the department of land and natural resources to provide support services to the advisory committee. Committee to cease to exist on June 30, 2009 (sunset). Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB1853 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 272 (WAH) SSCR 836 (WAM) HSCR 1328 (WLH) HSCR 1866 (FIN) CCR 101

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB1882 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 113)

RELATING TO TAXATION.

Introduced by: Baker R, Fukunaga C, Ige D, Nishihara C, Inouye L, Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Ihara L, Tokuda J, Hanabusa C, Hooser G, Taniguchi B, Tsutsui S, English J, Kim D

Amends the low income household renters income tax credit by changing it to the refundable food /excise tax credit. Establishes tax brackets for adjusted gross income under 5,000 dollars through 50,000 dollars. -- SB1882 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 318 (EDT) SSCR 751 (WAM) HSCR 1814 (FIN) CCR 113

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 235-55.85

SB1916 SD2 HD3 CD1 (CCR 116)

RELATING TO CAREGIVING.

Introduced by: Ihara L, Chun Oakland S, Baker R, Tokuda J, Hanabusa C, Hooser G, Tsutsui S, Sakamoto N, Espero W, Kokubun R, English J, Fukunaga C, Bunda R, Nishihara C, Ige D, Hee C, Taniguchi B

Amends Act 285, session laws of 2006, relating to family caregiver support system. Defines family caregiver to mean a person, including a non relative such as a friend or neighbor who provides unpaid, informal assistance to a person age 60 and older with physical or cognitive disabilities; and a grandparent who is a care giver for a grandchild who is age 18 years or younger or who is 19 years of age or older with physical or cognitive limitations. Adds that the joint legislative committee on family caregiving to explore establishing a paid family leave program under the state temporary disability insurance law to provide wage replacement benefits to employees who take time off from work to care for a seriously ill member. Report to the legislature. Extends the joint legislative committee to June 30, 2008 (sunset). -- Requires the joint legislative committee on family caregiving to conduct a comprehensive assessment of the needs of care recipients who are age 60 and older with physical or cognitive disabilities and the needs of their family caregivers. Requires the joint legislative committee on family care giving to submit a report including the completed needs assessment and any proposed legislation to the legislature. Appropriation to senate and the house of representatives for the joint legislative committee on family caregiving to contract qualified consultant to conduct a comprehensive needs assessment. Requires that the executive office on aging or its consultant to conduct an assessment of the issues facing, and needs of grandparents raising children in Hawaii. Report to the joint legislative committee on family caregiving by November 7, 2007 (sunset). Appropriation to support the continuous development of the aging and disability resource center program in Hawaii. Appropriation to expand the kupuna care services programs in home and access services to qualified care recipients and for direct services to family caregivers. Requires the executive office on aging to research the cash and counseling program and its implementation in other states. Report to the joint legislative committee on family caregiving an interim report of its research and prepare a cost benefits analysis by November 1, 2007 (sunset). (\$\$) -- SB1916 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 391 (HSP) SSCR 776 (WAM) HSCR 1279 (HLT/ HSH/) HSCR 1474 (LMG) HSCR 1931 (FIN) CCR 116

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: ACT 285 2006

SB1917 SD3 HD2 CD1 (CCR 196)

RELATING TO HOUSING.

Introduced by: Chun Oakland S, Menor R, Sakamoto N, Kokubun R, Tsutsui S, English J, Espero W, Kim D, Tokuda J, Fukunaga C, Baker R, Ige D, Nishihara C, Inouye L, Hooser G, Hanabusa C, Ihara L

Appropriation to the Hawaii public housing authority for homeless facilities, emergency shelters, and transitional shelters. Appropriation to the department of human services to provider agencies who offer outreach and or support services to the homeless. Appropriation to the university of Hawaii at Manoa college of social sciences public

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policy center to commission a study consisting of a census, interviews, and homeless best practice solutions for the Waianae homeless population. -- Amends provisions relating to Hawaii housing finance and development corporation. Requires the corporation to develop and maintain an affordable housing inventory registry to identify state and county lands that may be developed for affordable housing. -- Amends provisions relating to disposition of conveyance taxes. Provides that the percentage paid into the rental housing trust fund shall be \_\_\_ per cent. Amends Act 100, session laws of 2006, by changing the sunset date. -- Appropriation to the Housing finance and development corporation for the rental housing trust fund for planning, development, and construction of affordable housing in corporation with private and nonprofit developers and for the dwelling unit revolving fund for the planning, development, and construction of 4,000 affordable housing units. Appropriation to the Hawaii public housing authority for the repair and maintenance of existing federal and state public housing buildings, capital improvement projects, for the repair and maintenance of elevators in existing federal and state public housing buildings, and to provide continual operational funds to provide matching funds for shelter plus care grants. -- Requires all counties to adopt rules regarding indigenous Hawaiian architecture no later than March 31, 2008 and provides that rules adopted by Maui county shall serve as a model. (\$\$) -- SB1917 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 111 (HSP/ CPH) SSCR 626 (EDT) SSCR 775 (WAM) HSCR 1443 (HSH/ WLH/) HSCR 1840 (FIN) CCR 196  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 201H-6, ACT 100 2006, 247-7, 46-1.55

SB1922 SD2 HD1 CD1 (CCR 180)

RELATING TO CREATIVE MEDIA.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C, Fukunaga C, Inouye L, Ige D, Ihara L, Nishihara C, Baker R, Tsutsui S, Taniguchi B, Chun Oakland S, Sakamoto N, Tokuda J, Hooser G, English J, Kokubun R, Kim D, Espero W  
Requires the existing public broadcasting facility and studio on the university of Hawaii at Manoa campus to be leased to PBS Hawaii (public broadcasting system) for a term of not less than 35 years. Facility to be returned to the university if PBS Hawaii is no longer a public broadcasting system affiliate in good standing or is no longer licensed by the Federal Communications Commissions as either a community or university licensee. -- Appropriation to the university of Hawaii for the equipment and installations suitable for the academy for creative media programs, costs associated with handicapped compliance, and common area spaces. -- Establishes at the university of Hawaii - Honolulu community college campus the music and enterprise learning experience program to expand the existing industry capacity, and to create new technological, intercultural, and genre bending forms of music through creativity and professional business expertise. Appropriation to the university of Hawaii - Honolulu community college. (\$\$) -- SB1922 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 527 (EDT/ EDU/) SSCR 668 (WAM) HSCR 1263 (HED) HSCR 1507 (EDB/ TAC/) HSCR 1824 (FIN) CCR 180  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

SB1924 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 17)

RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE.  
Introduced by: Kokubun R, Ihara L, Baker R, Fukunaga C, Chun Oakland S, Hooser G, Sakamoto N, Ige D, Tsutsui S, Tokuda J, Hanabusa C, Espero W, English J, Nishihara C, Taniguchi B, Kim D  
Authorizes the board of land and natural resources to exchange or sell, but not both, by direct negotiation and without recourse to public auction no more than 15 acres of public lands to an eleemosynary organization that has been certified to be tax exempt to be used as the site of a community center. Act to be repealed on December 31, 2010 (sunset). -- SB1924 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 423 (WAH) SSCR 998 (WAM) HSCR 1449 (WLH) HSCR 1883 (FIN) CCR 17  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

SB1929 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 42)

RELATING TO PUBLIC PROCUREMENT.  
Introduced by: Kim D, Tsutsui S, Ige D, Espero W, Menor R, Ihara L, Kokubun R, Fukunaga C, Nishihara C, Tokuda J, Baker R, Inouye L, Hooser G, English J, Hanabusa C, Chun Oakland S  
Amends provisions relating to penalties. Authorizes the chief procurement officer to render a written decision or issue a written order providing for the assessment of an administrative fine for violation of the Hawaii public procurement code law, after reasonable notice to the person involved and reasonable opportunity for that person to be heard and after consultation with the using agency and the attorney general or

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corporation council. -- SB1929 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 337 (TSG) SSCR 727 (WAM) HSCR 1411 (EDB) HSCR  
1860 (FIN) CCR 42  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 103D-106, 103D-709

SB1931 SD2 HD3 CD2 (SENATE  
FLOOR AMENDMENT 23 OR  
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 16)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Sakamoto N, Chun Oakland S, Menor R, English J, Tsutsui S, Kokubun R, Espero W, Ige D, Tokuda J, Nishihara C, Baker R, Hooser G, Taniguchi B, Ihara L, Kim D, Fukunaga C, Hanabusa C  
Establishes an educational workforce working group within the department of labor and industrial relations to examine how well the workforce needs of Hawaii are currently being met; how prepared the State is to meet the workforce needs of the future; what recommendations can be made to improve Hawaii's educational system to fulfill the workforce needs of the future; what is the current relationship between public schools and emerging industries; what percentage of high school students participate in any form of vocational or professional training outside of the school setting; what aspects of high school curriculum, standards, and assessment strategies have a direct relationship to the State's future workforce needs; what are the challenges or impediments to creating a more direct relationship between schools and economic driving industries of the State; how might autonomous schools within schools, magnet schools, specialized schools, and charter schools be better utilized to create more direct links between high schools and economic driving industries of the State; and how might the size of public schools, the distribution of discretionary funding, the decentralized authority of school community councils or charter school local school boards, and other organizational reforms be better utilized to satisfy the workforce development needs of the information and technology age. Report to the legislature. Appropriation.-- Requires the department of education to include plans to ensure optimal use of technology for administration, data collection, and data sharing related to educational and workforce needs, and plans to ensure that personalized education plans will provide direct link to economic and workforce needs. Report to the legislature. -- Requires the university of Hawaii to report to the legislature on the current activities on each of its campuses to prepare students with the skills and knowledge needed to successfully enter and progress in the Hawaii workforce; the university's current plans to increase the percentage of Hawaii high school graduates who continue their education by enrolling in a university campus and to increase the percentage of students who earn degrees or certificates within 150 per cent of the planned length of the degree, particularly in fields where the State is experiencing shortages of qualified employees; and recommendations about additional steps the State needs to consider implementing to increase the number of qualified workers in the State. -- Appropriation to the department of education for 2.0 (FTE) workforce development liaison positions and 1.0 (FTE) support staff position. (\$\$) -- SB1931 CD2  
Committee Reports: SSCR 238 (EDU) SSCR 718 (WAM) HSCR 1275 (EDN/ HED/) HSCR 1463 (LAB/ EDB/) HSCR 1832 (FIN) CCR 176 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 23 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 16  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

SB1943 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 27)

RELATING TO ENERGY.  
Introduced by: Kokubun R, Hanabusa C  
Amends provisions relating to districting and classification of lands. Authorizes biofuel processing facilities and crops for bioenergy in agricultural districts including all lands with soil classified by the land study bureau's detailed land classification as overall master productivity rating class A or B. Amends provisions relating to the department of agriculture. Establishes an energy feedstock program within the department of agriculture to establish milestones and objectives for the production of energy feedstock that is grown in the state. Requires the chairperson of the board of agriculture to consult with the energy resource coordinator and the university of Hawaii. Annual report to the legislature. -- SB1943 CD1  
Committee Reports: SSCR 545 (ENE/ TIA/) SSCR 909 (WAH) HSCR 1496 (WLH/ EEP/) HSCR 1852 (AGR) CCR 27  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 205-2, 205-4.5, 141- (1 SECTION)

SB1946 SD2 HD2 CD1 (CCR 107)

RELATING TO DAM SAFETY.  
Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

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Amends provisions relating to the dams and reservoirs law. Requires each dam owner to hold a valid certificate of approval to impound in order to legally impound water. Authorizes the department of land and natural resources to establish provisions for dam and reservoir inspection and safety. Provides that if conditions of any dam or reservoir are so dangerous to the health and safety of life or property the department may immediately employ remedial measures necessary to protect life and property and recover costs from the owner. Establishes the dam safety fund. Annual report to the legislature and the governor. Provides that all dams or reservoirs in the state shall be under the jurisdiction of the board until the board has completed its statewide inspections and has established and implemented rules and criteria for a 5 year dam and reservoirs inspection and classification processes and the board declares which dams or reservoirs are to be removed from its jurisdiction. Establishes penalties. Appropriations. (\$\$) -- SB1946 CD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 588 (WAH) SSCR 925 (WAM) HSCR 1495 (WLH) HSCR 1926 (FIN) CCR 107

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 179D- (10 SECTIONS) DAM AND RESERVOIR SAFETY, 179D-1, 179D-2, 179D-3, 179D-4, 179D-6, 179D-7, 179D-8, 179D-9, 179D-5

SB1947 SD1 HD1 (HSCR 1810)

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Appropriation to the department of health to reimburse deposit beverage container refund values, for paying handling fees to redemption centers, and for operating costs of the fund for deposit beverage container activities. (\$\$) -- SB1947 HD1

Committee Reports: SSCR 258 (ENE) SSCR 800 (WAM) HSCR 1810 (FIN)

Current Status: Apr-24 07 Received by the Governor

SB1956

RELATING TO THE AGREEMENT AMONG THE STATES TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT BY NATIONAL POPULAR VOTE.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Establishes the agreement among the states to elect the president by a nationwide popular vote law. -- SB1956

Committee Reports: SSCR 189 (JDL) HSCR 1789 (JUD)

Current Status: Apr-23 07 Vetoed

May=01 07 Veto Overridden - Senate

May-01 07 Deferred - House

Section Affected: (1 SECTION) AGREEMENT AMONG THE STATES TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT BY NATIONAL POPULAR VOTE

SB1968

RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to pay of officers and warrant officers while on active duty. Provides the state shall allow national guard officers and warrant officers on state active duty to directly deposit their pay by electronic means to their personal bank accounts. -- SB1968

Committee Reports: SSCR 140 (IGM) HSCR 1492 (PSM) HSCR 1828 (FIN)

Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-20 07 Approved by Governor (Act 31 2007)

Section Affected: 121-39, 121-40

SB1988 SD1 HD2 (HSCR 1818)

RELATING TO HONEY.

Introduced by: Hanabusa C (BR)

Establishes provisions relating to Hawaii produced honey; labeling requirements. Provides that in addition to all other labeling requirements, the identity statement used for labeling or advertising honey products produced in whole or in part from Hawaii produced honey shall meet the following requirements, for honey that contains 100 per cent Hawaii produced honey by weight, the identity statement shall consist of the phrase pure Hawaiian honey; for honey consisting entirely of 2 or more Hawaii produced honeys, the identity statement may consist of the per cent honey by weight of the Hawaii produced honeys in the blend and the phrase blend of Hawaiian honeys; and for honey consisting of a blend of 1 or more Hawaii produced honeys and honey not produced in Hawaii, the identity statement shall consist of the per cent honey by weight of the Hawaii produced honeys used in the blend, and the phrase honey blend. Requires that each word or character in the identity statement shall be of the same type size and shall be

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contiguous. Allows a listing of the geographic origins of the various Hawaii produced honeys and the regional origins of the various honeys not produced in Hawaii that are included in a blend to be shown on the label. Provides that apiculturists, manufacturers, or other persons who package honey shall maintain, for a period of 2 years, records on the volume and geographic origin or regional origin of honeys produced and sold and any other records required by the department of agriculture; and provide authorized employees of the department with access to these records during normal business hours. Establishes violations. Amends provisions relating to grades and standards by changing fresh fruits and vegetable to fresh fruits and vegetables, nuts, honey, and coffee and by changing exports: fruits, vegetable, nuts, and coffee to exports: fruits, vegetables, nuts, coffee, and honey. -- SB1988 HD2

Committee Reports: SSCR 870 (CPH) HSCR 1391 (AGR) HSCR 1818 (CPC)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 486- (1 SECTION), 147-1, 147-21

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- HB0010 SD1 (SSCR 1658) RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.  
Introduced by: Takumi R, Saiki S, Luke S, Takai K, Belatti D, Nishimoto S, Berg L, Morita H, Lee M, Thielen C  
Amends provision relating to the prescription drug program. Requires a manufacturer or labeler to enter into a agreement to make rebate payments to the department of human services each calendar quarter or according to schedule established by the department. Further requires the administrator to provide to health care providers information about the relative cost of drugs produced by manufacturer that enter into rebate agreements and compare the cost of drugs produced by those that do not enter into the rebate agreement. -- HB0010 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 10 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 515 (CPC) HSCR 855 (FIN) SSCR 1211 (HTH) SSCR 1658 (CPH)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House  
May=03 07 Veto Overridden - Senate  
Section Affected: 346-314, 346-315
- HB0013 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 130) RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Takumi R  
Establishes the food distribution program revolving fund to be administered by the department of education for the collection and disbursement of revenue generated to support the administration and operation of the food distribution program. Appropriation out or the food distribution program revolving fund for the payment of services provided by state contracted warehouses for the distribution of federal commodity foods to recipient agencies under the program. (\$\$) -- HB0013 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 14 (EDN) HSCR 1068 (FIN) SSCR 1066 (EDU) SSCR 1439 (WAM) CCR 130  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 302A- (1 SECTION) FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM REVOLVING FUND
- HB0014 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 73) RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Takumi R, Berg L  
Amends Act 51, session laws of 2004, as amended by Act 225, session laws of 2006, relating to education. Repeals the transfer of rights, powers, functions, duties, and resources of the department of budget and finance relating to the funding of collective bargaining agreement increases and securing, administering, use, and expending of federal funds and other aid, including their custodial supervision to the department of education. -- HB0014 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 40 (EDN) HSCR 976 (FIN) SSCR 1105 (EDU) SSCR 1438 (WAM) CCR 73  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 51 2004, ACT 225 2006
- HB0015 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 132) RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Takumi R, Berg L  
Establishes provisions relating to the Felix stipend program special fund into which shall be deposited all moneys received as repayment from students due to a breach in contractual agreements under the Felix stipend program, which offers tuition waivers for qualified candidates who enroll at the University of Hawaii in special education teacher programs at the undergraduate, post baccalaureate, and graduate levels in exchange for their agreement to work for the department of education. Provides that the fund shall be administered by the department to provide funding for the provision of tuition assistance to students for the Felix consent decree recruitment and retention program. Appropriation out of the special fund. (\$\$) -- HB0015 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 131 (EDN/ HED/) HSCR 977 (FIN) SSCR 1153 (EDU) SSCR 1476 (WAM) CCR 132  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 302A- (1 SECTION) FELIX STIPEND PROGRAM SPECIAL FUND
- HB0018 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1475) RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Introduced by: Takumi R, Berg L  
Amends provisions relating to the powers and duties of the Hawaii teacher standards board. Authorizes the board to temporarily suspend its rules if extenuating circumstances exist and to amend licensing fees and set or amend other charges related to the performance of its duties. Act to be repealed on July 1, 2009 (sunset). --

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Committee Reports: HSCR 71 (EDN) HSCR 499 (LAB) HSCR 1192 (JUD) SSCR 1067 (EDU) SSCR 1475 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 302A-803

HB0019 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 154)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Takumi R

Establishes provisions relating to school impact fees. Requires person who seeks to develop residential land which requires county subdivision approval, a county building permit, or a condominium property regime approval for the project within a designated school impact district to fulfill the land requirement and vertical construction requirements of the department of education. Requires person who seeks to develop residential land within a designated school impact district by applying for a county building permit to pay a school impact fee. Requires the board of education to designate impact districts. -- HB0019 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 77 (EDN) HSCR 979 (FIN) SSCR 1233 (EDU) SSCR 1511 (WAM) CCR 154

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A- (11 SECTIONS) SCHOOL IMPACT FEES, 46- (1 SECTION)

HB0021 HD1 (HSCR 36)

RELATING TO SCHOOLS.

Introduced by: Takumi R, Berg L

Amends Act 186, session laws of 2005, requiring the department of education to ensure that asbestos testing is conducted on all suspected asbestos containing materials, including exterior surfaces and as required by the federal Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act of 1986 interior surfaces. Includes work done on conversion charter schools. -- HB0021 HD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 36 (EDN) SSCR 1040 (EDU)

Current Status: Mar-16 07 Received by the Governor

Mar-27 07 Approved by Governor (Act 3 2007)

Section Affected: ACT 186 2005

HB0024 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 151)

RELATING TO TEACHERS.

Introduced by: Takumi R, Berg L, Luke S, Nishimoto S, Morita H, Saiki S, Takai K, Belatti D

Amends provisions relating to the teacher national board certification incentive program. Add an additional bonus per year for each teacher who maintains current national board certification and works at a school that is in restructuring under the No Child Left Behind Act; works at a school with a high turnover rate, as determined by the department of education; a school that is not making adequate yearly progress, but is not restructuring; or a hard to fill school, as determined by the department. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0024 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 45 (EDN) HSCR 500 (LAB) HSCR 1069 (FIN) SSCR 1154 (EDU) SSCR 1482 (WAM) CCR 151

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A-706

HB0025 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1041)

RELATING TO TEACHER LICENSING.

Introduced by: Takumi R, Berg L

Amends provisions relating to teacher licensing standards. Requires the Hawaii teacher standards board pursue full teacher license reciprocity with all other states and to issue a license to a teacher with a valid out of state license who has passed similar tests in basic skills, pedagogy, and subject matter to those required for licensure in the State. Further requires the board to notify the chairs of the senate committee on education and the house of representatives committee on education upon the adoption of the administrative rules relating to the issuance of licenses to teachers with valid out of state licenses. -- HB0025 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 37 (EDN/ LAB/) SSCR 1041 (EDU)

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A-802

HB0030 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 77)

RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS.

Introduced by: Takumi R, Luke S, Takai K, Belatti D, Nishimoto S, Berg L, Morita H  
Establishes international trade agreements law. Provides that any international trade



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agreement entered into by the President of the US that contains provisions relating in any manner to procurement by the states shall not be valid as to those procurement provisions as it applies to this state, unless approved by the legislature. Requires the governor to notify the revisor of statutes of the obligations of the State specified in international trade agreements and for the revisor of statutes to annotate the Hawaii revised statutes in regards to these obligations. -- HB0030 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 382 (INT/ EDB/) HSCR 985 (FIN) SSCR 1584 (WAM) CCR 77

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Section Affected: (4 SECTIONS) INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS

HB0034 SD2 CD1 (CCR 86)

RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

Introduced by: Takumi R, Luke S, Takai K, Berg L, Morita H, Lee M, Rhoads K  
Prohibits the employee's retirement system from acquiring securities of companies that have active business operations in Sudan. Annual reports to the legislature. -- HB0034 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 7 (LAB) HSCR 312 (INT) HSCR 1143 (FIN) SSCR 1179 (TIA/ JDL) SSCR 1652 (WAM) CCR 86

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0055 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 157)

RELATING TO YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION.

Introduced by: Mizuno J, Green J, Waters T, Yamashita K, Chong P, Manahan J, Sonson A, Tsuji C, Evans C, Chang J, Thielen C, Carroll M, Karamatsu J

Establishes provisions relating to youth suicide early intervention and prevention program. Requires the department of health to establish and operate a statewide youth suicide early intervention and prevention program that focuses upon persons between ages 10 and 24. Requires the department of health to provide appropriate research, training and technical assistance. Authorizes the department of health to submit proposals for funding from federal agencies and private organization and adopt rules to implement the program. Act to be repealed on June 30, 2009 (sunset). -- HB0055 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 31 (HLT/ HSH/) HSCR 923 (FIN) SSCR 1079 (HSP/ HTH/) SSCR 1596 (WAM) CCR 157

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 321- (1 SECTION) YOUTH SUICIDE EARLY INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION PROGRAM

HB0071 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 56)

RELATING TO NURSE AIDES.

Introduced by: Herkes R

Establishes provisions relating to enforcement; certified nurse aides. Requires the department of health to adopt rules as related to investigation and actions taken against certified nurse aides. Establishes provisions relating to certified nurse aides; training programs and recertification. Requires the director of human services to approve training programs for nurse aides; approve and arrange for recertification examinations for nurse aides who work in Medicare or Medicaid certified nursing facilities and approve the recertification process for nurse aides who work in state licensed or state certified health care settings. Establishes provisions relating to certified nurse aides; enforcement. Requires the department to investigate allegations of abuse, neglect, and misappropriation of an individual's property by certified nurse aides and provides as a result of investigative findings take action against a certified nurse aide. Prohibits represent, imply, or use the abbreviation CNA (certified nurse aide) to represent one's self as a certified nurse aide (CNA) without 1st obtaining certification. Establishes provisions relating to Medicare or Medicaid nurse aides certification. Requires an applicant to successfully complete state approved nurse aide certification training program and examination approved by the director to be certified. Provides reciprocity granted to nurse aides who have completed a state approved program that meets both federal and state requirements. Requires certified nurse aides biennial recertification requirements including in service training employed in a Medicare or Medicaid certified nursing facility. Requires the director of human services to approve training programs for nurse aides and ensure that they comply with all applicable federal and state requirements, maintain requirements for recertification on a biennial basis, including employment in a Medicare Medicaid facility as required by federal and state law. Prohibits charge imposed to nurse aides for the maintenance of the nurse aide registry. Requires nurse aides who work in Medicare / Medicaid certified nursing facilities, and who holds a valid certificate to practice as a certified nurse aide in this state may use the title CNA. Establishes provisions relating to nurse aides certification for state licensed or state certified health care settings. Requires that certification of nurse aides working

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in state licensed and state certified health settings other than a Medicare / Medicaid certified nursing facility, applicants for certification to successfully complete training program approved by the department of human services and a nurse aide examination approved by the director, impose fee for service. Provides for reciprocity and biennial recertification. Amends provisions relating to findings and purpose for nurse law. Provides the legislature recognizes that nurse aides who work in State licensed or State certified health care settings should be certified for the purpose of consumer safety and held to similar standards of competency and evaluation appropriate for these facilities. Amends provisions relating to implementation. Requires the director of health to implement the provisions that relate to the disciplining of certified nurse aides; the director of human services to implement the provisions that relate to training programs for nurse aides and recertification, and to disciplining of nurse aides employed in health care settings licensed or certified by the department of human services; and the director of commerce and consumer affairs to implement regulation provisions of nurses in accordance with 42 US Code sections 1395 3 and 1396r. -- HB0071 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 729 (HLT/ HSH/) HSCR 994 (CPC) SSCR 1080 (HSP/ HTH/) SSCR 1659 (CPH) CCR 56

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 321- (1 SECTION), 346- (2 SECTIONS), 457A- (4 SECTIONS), 457A-1, 457A-2, 457A-3

HB0090 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 137)

RELATING TO INSURANCE.

Introduced by: Herkes R

Establishes market conduct law. Requires the insurance commissioner to be responsible for conducting market conduct examination for policyholder protection. Requires the commissioner to gather and analyze market analysis data information in order to develop a baseline understanding of the marketplace and to identify for further review insurers or practices that deviate or pose a potential risk to the consumer. Requires the commissioner to select a market conduct action that is cost effective for the insurance division and the insurer. Provides protocols for market conduct actions that focus on general business practices and compliance. Provides protocols for targeted market conduct examination that identifies a pattern of conduct or practice. Provides confidentiality requirements. Requires market conduct surveillance personnel to be qualified by education, experience, and where applicable, and professional designation. Provides for immunity for market conduct surveillance personnel. Provides for fines and penalties. Requires the director to participate in a national market conduct database, data collection. Requires the commissioner to share and coordinate information with other states through the national association of insurance commissioners. Requires any information provided in response to a data call from the commissioner or the commissioner's designee to be treated as confidential and privileged whether through market analysis, market conduct action, or in response to another regulator request. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0090 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 360 (CPC) HSCR 1061 (FIN) SSCR 1262 (CPH) SSCR 1559 (WAM) CCR 137

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 431: - (14 SECTIONS) MARKET CONDUCT, 432:1-102

HB0091 HD1 (HSCR 828)

RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY.

Introduced by: Herkes R

Amends provisions relating to license of certified public accountants. Repeals the substitute experience allowances for 2 year professional requirement. Repeals that the board's authority to allow an applicant to sit for the Uniform Certified Public Accountant Examination if the applicant has a baccalaureate degree in a subject other than accounting. -- HB0091 HD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 828 (CPC) SSCR 1916 (CPH)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 466-5

HB0104 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 134)

RELATING TO HEALTH.

Introduced by: Shimabukuro M

Appropriation to the department of human services for the State's portion of the federal disproportionate share hospital allowance. (\$\$) -- HB0104 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 532 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 895 (FIN) SSCR 1286 (HSP) SSCR 1640 (WAM) CCR 134

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

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- HB0116 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 82) RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.  
Introduced by: Evans C  
Amends permissible uses within the agricultural districts by adding wireless communication antennas. -- HB0116 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 573 (CPC) HSCR 1064 (FIN) SSCR 1602 (CPH/ EDT/ CCR 82  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 205-4.5
- HB0122 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 128) RELATING TO STATE FUNDS.  
Introduced by: Oshiro M, Mizuno J, Morita H, Rhoads K, Lee M, Hanohano F, Brower T, Chong P, Cabanilla R, Chang J, Magaoay M, Yamane R, Wakai G, Tokioka J  
Establishes provisions relating to full disclosure of entities receiving state awards. Requires the department of budget and finance to ensure the existence and operation of a single searchable website, accessible by the public at no cost to access, that includes full disclosure of all entities and organizations receiving State awards not later than January 1, 2009. Requires the director of finance to commence a pilot program to test the collection and accession of data about subgrants and subcontracts and determine how to implement a subaward reporting program across the State no later than July 1, 2008, and to be terminated by January 1, 2010 (sunset). Annual reports to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0122 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 765 (FIN) SSCR 1525 (WAM) CCR 128  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 36- (1 SECTION) FULL DISCLOSURE OF ENTITIES RECEIVING STATE AWARDS
- HB0154 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1582) RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY.  
Introduced by: Souki J, Nishimoto S  
Amends provisions relating to the use of intoxicants while operating a vehicle. Defines highly intoxicated driver to mean a person whose measurable amount of alcohol is 0.15 or more grams of alcohol per 100 milliliters or cubic centimeters of the person's blood or 0.15 or more grams of alcohol per 210 liters of the person's breath. Requires a minimum of a 6 month revocation of license and privilege to operate a vehicle and of the registration of any motor vehicle registered to the highly intoxicated driver with no prior alcohol or drug enforcement contact. Provides that for the 1st offense, attend a substance abuse rehabilitation program, prompt suspension of license, perform community service, imprisonment, and fines. -- HB0154 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 52 (TRN) HSCR 881 (JUD) SSCR 1582 (JDL)  
Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 291E-1, 291E-3, 291E-41, 291E-61, 291E-64
- HB0155 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 84) RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.  
Introduced by: Souki J  
Establishes provisions relating to outdoor lighting. Provides that if outdoor lighting regulations or standards at airports, harbors, and highways conflict with county ordinances or other regulations regarding the same areas the more stringent requirement or standard to govern all new installations. -- HB0155 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 468 (TRN) HSCR 935 (FIN) SSCR 1181 (TIA/ IGM/ SSCR 1618 (WAM) CCR 84  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 262- (1 SECTION), 264- (1 SECTION), 266- (1 SECTION)
- HB0162 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 88) RELATING TO STATE FINANCES.  
Introduced by: Oshiro M  
Amends provisions relating to fee for obtaining or enforcing nonpublic assistance order. Provides that in the case of an individual who has never received public assistance for the support of a child and for whom the state has collected not less than 500 dollars, the child support enforcement agency will impose an annual fee of 25 dollars for each case in which services were furnished, which will be retained and utilized by the child support enforcement agency. Provides that the 25 dollar fee will not be retained from the initial 500 dollars collected. Transfers personnel employed by the family support divisions of the county of Hawaii and city and county of Honolulu; whose functions, duties, responsibilities, and activities relate to child support enforcement, to the department of the attorney general. -- HB0162 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 944 (FIN) SSCR 1312 (JDL) SSCR 1570 (WAM) CCR 88  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

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- Section Affected: 576D-5
- HB0211 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1565) RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.  
Introduced by: Green J  
Amends Act 176, session laws of 2003, relating to special purpose revenue bonds to assist the Queen's health systems, by changing the sunset date to June 30, 2013. -- HB0211 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 651 (HLT) HSCR 1024 (FIN) SSCR 1170 (HTH) SSCR 1565 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 176 2003
- HB0212 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 201) RELATING TO HEALTH CARE.  
Introduced by: Green J  
Creates the temporary Maui health initiative task force within the state health planning and development agency to develop a comprehensive strategic health plan for the county of Maui. Allows the task force to contract for services to obtain necessary information, data, and analysis. Report to the legislature. Appropriation to the state health planning and development agency. -- Requires the John A. Burns School of Medicine, in cooperation with the state health planning and development agency, to compile and analyze existing data on the supply and distribution of licensed health care practitioners, technicians, and other health care workers in the State by profession, specialty, and practice location; develop projections through 2020 of the workforce supply and demand to identify shortages; develop a plan to address and reduce any identified shortages of health care workers; develop a plan to collect and systematically update the data; and ensure that data collected is accurate and secure and that data specific to any practitioner is disclosed only with the express written consent of the practitioner. (\$\$) -- HB0212 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 22 (HLT) HSCR 639 (LAB) HSCR 1025 (FIN) SSCR 1249 (HTH) SSCR 1683 (WAM) CCR 201  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB0226 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 136) RELATING TO GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS.  
Introduced by: Green J, Thielen C, Mizuno J  
Requires the State of Hawaii to reduce statewide greenhouse gas emissions to levels at or below the best estimations and updates of the inventory of greenhouse gas emissions estimates for 1990. Requires the department of business, economic development, and tourism and the department of health to complete an updated inventory of emission sources or categories of sources from the past report prepared by the department of health entitled Inventory of Hawaii Greenhouse Gas Emissions Estimates for 1990 dated July 1997 provided that at least 1 public hearing shall be held prior to the completion of the updated inventory. -- Establishes the greenhouse gas emissions reduction task force within the department of business, economic development, and tourism to prepare a work plan and regulatory scheme for implementing the maximum technologically feasible and cost effective reductions in greenhouse gas emissions. Annual reports to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0226 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 494 (EEP) HSCR 1184 (FIN) SSCR 1208 (ENE) SSCR 1638 (WAM) CCR 136  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 342B- (3 SECTIONS) GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS
- HB0249 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1651) RELATING TO HUNTING TOURISM.  
Introduced by: Ito K, Chong P, Tsuji C, McKelvey A, Chang J, Yamashita K  
Amends provisions relating to application and issuance or licenses; fees. Provides for a 50 dollar fee for a 3 day and a 95 dollar fee for a 7 day period for hunting on a private or commercial shooting preserve. -- Amends provisions relating to licenses expire when. Requires the department of land and natural resources to set the fee for private and commercial shooting preserve and farmers' licenses to be deposited into the wildlife revolving fund. -- HB0249 SD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 548 (WLH/ TAC/) HSCR 997 (FIN) SSCR 1301 (TSG/ WAH/) SSCR 1651 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 183D-22, 183D-23, 183D-28, 183D-34

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- HB0250 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 81) RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.  
Introduced by: Ito K, Mizuno J, Karamatsu J, Sagum R, Magaoay M, Chang J  
Establishes provisions relating to partnership with department of transportation for Honolulu harbor. Authorizes the aloha tower development corporation to undertake projects for Honolulu harbor and its adjacent lands under the control or jurisdiction of the department of transportation or the authority. -- HB0250 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 587 (WLH/ TRN/) HSCR 998 (FIN) SSCR 1065 (WAH/ TIA/) SSCR 1653 (WAM) CCR 81  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 206J- (1 SECTION) PARTNERSHIP WITH DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR HONOLULU HARBOR
- HB0260 SD2 (SSCR 1577) RELATING TO APPRAISALS OF RESOURCE VALUE LANDS.  
Introduced by: Ito K, Karamatsu J, Manahan J, Chong P, Sagum R, Yamane R, Magaoay M, Yamashita K, Chang J  
Establishes provisions relating to appraisal of land. Provides that the board of land and natural resources can review, approve, and accept an existing appraisal prepared on behalf of a nonprofit organization if the appraisal was completed within 1 year before the decision by the board approving the acquisition of the land and the board finds that the appraisal was performed according to applicable and accepted standards for the appraisal of land or the board may contract for an independent appraisal from no more than 3 disinterested appraisers. Requires the board to submit the appraisal to the attorney general for review and approval before it acquires the land having value as a resource to the State. -- HB0260 SD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 582 (WLH) HSCR 1020 (FIN) SSCR 1086 (WAH) SSCR 1577 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 173A- (1 SECTION) APPRAISAL OF LAND
- HB0272 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1332) RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES.  
Introduced by: Herkes R  
Amends provisions relating to captive insurance companies. Redefines association to include limited liability companies. Authorizes the insurance commissioner with the approval of the director of commerce and consumer affairs to appoint the administrator who shall be designated as a deputy commissioner and to be exempt from civil service law to serve at the pleasure of the director and report to the commissioner. Requires each captive insurance company to possess and maintain unimpaired capital and surplus in the amount established by the commissioner. Allows captive insurance companies except for class 3 risk retention companies to maintain investments in accordance with a strategic investment policy adopted and monitored by the captive insurance company's governing body, and approved by the commissioner. -- HB0272 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 826 (CPC) SSCR 1332 (CPH)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 431:19-101, 431:19-101.5, 431:19-102, 431:19-102.3, 431:19-102.4, 431:19-104, 431:19-106, 431:19-106.5, 431:19-110, 431:19-105
- HB0275 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 74) RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ATHLETE AGENTS ACT.  
Introduced by: Herkes R  
Establishes the uniform athlete agents act. Prohibits an individual from acting as an athlete agent without holding a certificate of registration. Authorizes the director of commerce and consumer affairs to issue a certificate of registration and to suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew a registration. Includes requirements for registration as an athlete agent and required form of contract. Provides that an educational institution has a right of action against an athlete agent or a former student athlete for damages caused by a violation of this law. Establishes penalties. -- HB0275 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 66 (HED) HSCR 507 (CPC) HSCR 1185 (FIN) SSCR 1261 (CPH) SSCR 1504 (JDL) CCR 74  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (19 SECTIONS) UNIFORM ATHLETE AGENTS ACT
- HB0277 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1566) RELATING TO FEES FOR WINDSHIELD PLACARDS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.  
Introduced by: Souki J  
Amends provisions relating to fees for windshield placards for persons with disabilities.

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Requires all fees collected by the counties for issuing removable and temporary removable windshield placards be deposited into the general fund of the state. -- HB0277 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 594 (TRN) HSCR 936 (FIN) SSCR 1185 (IGM/ TIA/ SSCR 1566 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 291-51.3, 291-51.6, 291-52.6

HB0310 HD2 SD2 CD2 (SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 24 OR HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 20)

RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.

Introduced by: Yamashita K

Establishes the Hawaii broadband task force in the office of the auditor to identify actions that will produce increased investment in and the availability of advanced broadband capabilities at more affordable costs by using new approaches to broadband deployment; Identify actions that will promote broadband access and usage; Make specific recommendations on how Hawaii can leverage federal, state, and international opportunities for and eliminate any related barriers to broadband access and adoption; Focus special attention on how broadband can be used to substantially benefit educational institutions, healthcare institutions, community based organizations, and governmental institutions; coordinate statewide efforts to obtain and maximize loan funding available for broadband deployment and development projects in the state; leverage opportunities to increase investments in state of the art technologies; Identify best practices to establish a database that identifies current and prospective projects for deploying broadband; encourage all state and county agencies to lead by example by obtaining the necessary equipment for broadband usage and have full access to broadband service and to study the feasibility of and utilize various services that broadband provides such as streaming video technologies to broadcast public meetings over the Internet, videoconferencing, wireless Internet access in state and county facilities that are most used by the public, and the deployment of voice over Internet protocol (VoIP). Requires the office to support the task force. Report to the legislature. Task force to cease to exist after June 30, 2009 (sunset). Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0310 CD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 757 (EDB) HSCR 945 (FIN) SSCR 1318 (EDT) SSCR 1634 (WAM) CCR 182 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 24 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 20

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB0317 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 181)

RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT ORGANIZATIONS.

Introduced by: Yamashita K, Chong P, Tsuji C, Wakai G, Magaoay M

Establishes the professional employment organizations law. Provides that where any client company uses the services of assigned employees or co employs assigned employee with a professional employment organization, the client company and the professional employment organization, with respect to such assigned employees, shall not be exempt from the requirements of any law including labor or employment laws, collective bargaining rights, anti discrimination provisions, and employment practices laws. Provides a general excise tax exemption for amounts received by a professional employment organization from a client company equal to the amounts that are disbursed by the organization for employee wages, salaries, payroll taxes, insurance premiums and benefits including retirement, vacation, sick leave, health benefits, and similar employment benefits to assigned employee at a client company; provided that this exemption shall not apply to a professional employment organization upon failure of the professional employment organization to collect, account for, and pay over any income tax withholding for assigned employees or any federal or state taxes for which the professional employment organization is responsible. -- HB0317 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 100 (EDB) HSCR 1088 (FIN) SSCR 1323 (EDT) SSCR 1512 (WAM) CCR 181

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: (2 SECTIONS) PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT ORGANIZATIONS, 237-24.75

HB0334 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 78)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SOPOGY INC., IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY.

Introduced by: Karamatsu J, Yamashita K, Morita H, Har S, Chong P, Mizuno J, Carroll M, Tsuji C, Lee M, Manahan J, Oshiro B, Nishimoto S, Ito K

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Sopogy, Inc. with the planning, designing, construction, equipping, and operating its solar farm power plant at the natural energy laboratory of Hawaii authority or another suitable site in the

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state. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB0334 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 528 (EDB/ EEP/) HSCR 867 (FIN) SSCR 1160 (ENE) SSCR 1441 (WAM) CCR 78  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0345

RELATING TO HOLIDAYS.  
Introduced by: Karamatsu J, Yamane R, Tsuji C, Yamashita K, Chang J, Bertram J  
Establishes provisions relating to peace day. Establishes September 21 of each year as a State holiday to be known and recognized as peace day. -- HB0345  
Committee Reports: HSCR 775 (TAC) SSCR 1486 (TSG)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-18 07 Approved by Governor (Act 23 2007)  
Section Affected: 8- (1 SECTION) PEACE DAY

HB0349 SD1 CD1 (CCR 54)

RELATING TO COUNTY REGULATION OF COMMERCIAL BICYCLE TOURS.  
Introduced by: Souki J, Yamashita K  
Establishes provisions relating to regulation of commercial bicycle tours. Authorizes the council of any county to adopt and provide for the enforcement of ordinances regulating commercial bicycle tours on state and county highways. Requires counties to follow federal guidelines for commercial bicycle tours beginning from federal or state parks and into state highways. -- HB0349 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 593 (TRN) HSCR 836 (TAC) SSCR 1333 (IGM/ TIA/ EDT/) CCR 54  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 46- (1 SECTION) REGULATION OF COMMERCIAL BICYCLE TOURS

HB0367 HD1 SD3 CD1 (CCR 161)

RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE.  
Introduced by: Lee M, Thielen C, Mizuno J, Morita H, Yamane R, Luke S, Takai K  
Establishes a 2 year pilot project for screening, intervention, and referral to substance abuse treatment at the emergency department of a major urban medical facility in Honolulu or any other facility deemed appropriate by the administering agency. Requires the university of Hawaii through the John A Burns school of medicine to establish and administer the pilot program. Report to the legislature. Appropriation to the University of Hawaii to implement a pilot program in the emergency department of a major medical facility in Honolulu or other appropriate facility. (\$\$) -- HB0367 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 720 (HLT) HSCR 924 (FIN) SSCR 1215 (HTH/ EDU/ CPH/) SSCR 1642 (WAM) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 15 CCR 161  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB0375 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 64)

RELATING TO PEDESTRIANS' RIGHT OF WAY.  
Introduced by: Waters T  
Amends provisions relating to pedestrians' right of way in crosswalks. Provides that the driver of a vehicle shall stop and yield the right of way to a pedestrian crossing the roadway within a crosswalk when the pedestrian is upon the half of the roadway which the vehicle is traveling, when the pedestrian is approaching so closely from the opposite half of the roadway as to be in danger, and shall not proceed until the pedestrian has passed the vehicle and the driver can safely proceed. Establishes penalties for driver's 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and subsequent offenses, including revocation of driver's license; and pedestrian violations. -- HB0375 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 240 (TRN) HSCR 1070 (JUD) SSCR 1093 (TIA) SSCR 1591 (JDL) CCR 64  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 291C-72, 291C-73, 291C-161

HB0389 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1132)

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.  
Introduced by: Oshiro M, Lee M, Chang J, Nishimoto S, Tokioka J, Carroll M, Mizuno J, Ward G, Magaoay M  
Establishes provisions relating to public officials; public service announcements; public funds. Prohibits any person who is a candidate for office to appear in, or lend the person's name, image, or voice to any public service announcement that is produced on behalf of any state administered program or paid for with state, county or federal revenues, from the time the person files nomination papers until the time the person is no longer a candidate for office. -- HB0389 SD1

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- Committee Reports: HSCR 482 (JUD) SSCR 1132 (JDL)  
Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor  
May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 54 2007)  
Section Affected: 11- (1 SECTION) CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE
- HB0399 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 165) RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.  
Introduced by: Tsuji C, Brower T, Manahan J, Yamane R  
Appropriation to the department of land and natural resources to the Hawaii Association of Conservation Districts for the operation of the soil and water conservation districts. (\$\$) -- HB0399 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 426 (AGR/ WLH/) HSCR 1007 (FIN) SSCR 1119 (WAH) SSCR 1654 (WAM) CCR 165  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB0400 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 164) RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.  
Introduced by: Tsuji C, Yamashita K, Brower T, Hanohano F, Manahan J, Chang J, Yamane R  
Appropriation to the department of land and natural resources for drought mitigation projects and measures in each county of the state. (\$\$) -- HB0400 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 418 (AGR) HSCR 1008 (FIN) SSCR 1071 (WAH) SSCR 1619 (WAM) CCR 164  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB0402 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 80) RELATING TO THE LAND CONSERVATION FUND.  
Introduced by: Tsuji C, Brower T, Manahan J, Hanohano F  
Amends provisions relating to land conservation fund. Authorizes the use of the fund for the acquisition of agricultural easements and for payment of any debt service on state financial instruments relating to the acquisition of interests or rights in land having value to the State. -- Amends provisions relating to conservation easement defined to include preserve and protect land for agricultural use. -- HB0402 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 547 (WLH/ AGR/) HSCR 1101 (FIN) SSCR 1087 (WAH) SSCR 1578 (WAM) CCR 80  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 173A-5, 198-1
- HB0421 HD1 (HSCR 767) RELATING TO SHORT TERM INVESTMENT OF COUNTY MONEYS.  
Introduced by: Herkes R, Yamashita K, Carroll M  
Amends provisions relating to short term investment of county moneys to include commercial paper and bankers' acceptances. -- HB0421 HD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 767 (FIN) SSCR 1053 (IGM) SSCR 1460 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-18 07 Approved by Governor (Act 24 2007)  
Section Affected: 46-50
- HB0426 HD2 (HSCR 1056) RELATING TO PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION.  
Introduced by: Lee M, Takai K, Cabanilla R, Morita H, Mizuno J, Green J  
Amends provisions relating to psychotropic medication. Allows advanced practice registered nurses with prescriptive authority duly licensed in the state to prescribe psychotropic medications. Requires that the department of human services to annually report to the legislature the number of prescriptions written, cost and impact of psychiatrists, physicians, or advanced practice nurses prescribing medications that are not part of the existing formulary and the overall utilization of psychotropic medication. Amends Act 239, session laws of 2005. -- HB0426 HD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 337 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 1056 (FIN) SSCR 1163 (HTH/ HSP/) SSCR 1665 (CPH)  
Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-25 07 Approved by Governor (Act 39 2007)  
Section Affected: 346-59.9, ACT 239 2005, ACT 311 2006
- HB0429 HD1 (HSCR 1037) RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SACRED HEARTS ACADEMY.  
Introduced by: Oshiro M  
Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Sacred Hearts Academy, a not for profit corporation, to finance the construction and improvement of its educational facilities in the State. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB0429



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Committee Reports: HSCR 73 (EDN) HSCR 1037 (FIN) SSCR 1204 (EDU) SSCR 1440 (WAM)

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HB0436 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 126)

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.

Introduced by: Nishimoto S

Establishes provisions relating to chiropractic coverage under medical assistance programs. Provides that medical assistance programs, including Medicaid and QUEST, shall cover services administered by a person licensed to practice chiropractic, provided that the department of human services may negotiate rates or establish payment and reimbursement rates. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0436 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 255 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 1118 (FIN) SSCR 1284 (HSP/ CPH/) SSCR 1556 (WAM) CCR 126

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 346- (1 SECTION) CHIROPRACTIC COVERAGE UNDER MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

HB0487 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 62)

RELATING TO HOUSING PROGRAMS.

Introduced by: Shimabukuro M

Amends provisions relating to housing and community development corporation of Hawaii by replacing it with the Hawaii housing finance development corporation and the Hawaii public housing authority respectively. Amends Act 291, session laws of 1980, as amended by Act 304, session laws of 1996, and as amended by Act 185, session laws of 2004. Amends Act 274, session laws of 1998. Amends Act 100, session laws of 2001. Amends Act 198, session laws of 2005. -- HB0487 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 336 (HSH) HSCR 1053 (FIN) SSCR 1598 (CPH) CCR 62

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 10-13.6, 26-14.6, 29-15.5, 46-1.5, 46-4, 46-15.1, 46-15.2, 53-17, 104-2, 171-18.5, 171-19.5, 201H-10, 205-4, 206-1, 237-23, 237-29, 247-7, 321-15.6, 346-152, 467-2, 480-11, 514A-14.5, 514A-108, 514B-99.5, 516-1, 516-31, 516-104, 521-7, 201H-38, 201H-202, 356D-3, 356D-44, 356D-91, 356D-92, ACT 100 2006, 201H-1, 26-14, 26-18, 91-13.5, 257-7, 302A-831, ACT 291 1980, ACT 304 1996, ACT 185 2004, ACT 274 1998, ACT 100 2001, ACT 198 2005

HB0497 HD2 SD2 (SSCR 1649)

RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.

Introduced by: Bertram J, Nishimoto S, Sonson A, Meyer C, Pine K

Amends provisions relating to State highway fund. Requires at least 2 per cent of eligible federally funds and in addition to other state highway fund moneys as available to be expended to establish multi use paths, bicycle paths and bicycle lanes and install signage and safety devices along bikeways. Requires planning for any mass transit system to include accommodations for bicycle lanes, bikeways, and bicycle routes, bicycle racks a on mass transit vehicles, to enable mass transit users to connect conveniently by bicycle to transit stations and bus stops. Requires that the department of transportation to involve representatives of the bicycling community. -- HB0497 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 243 (TRN) HSCR 939 (FIN) SSCR 1111 (TIA) SSCR 1649 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 248-9, 264-18

HB0500 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 93)

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

General Appropriations Act of 2007 (state budget). Appropriations for general operating and capital improvement funds for the support of state government operations over the 2007 - 2009 fiscal biennium. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds. (\$\$) -- HB0500 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 1215 (FIN) SSCR 1586 (WAM) CCR 93

Current Status: May-01 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: ACT 178 2005, ACT 160 2006, ACT 316 1989, ACT 299 1990, ACT 289 1993, ACT 252 1994, ACT 218 1995, ACT 287 1996, ACT 328 1997, ACT 116 1998, ACT 91 1999, ACT 281 2000, ACT 259 2001, ACT 177 2002, ACT 200 2003, ACT 41 2004, (1 SECTION)

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- HB0504 RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR LE JARDIN ACADEMY.  
Introduced by: Chong P, Lee M, Yamane R, Oshiro B, Yamashita K, Ito K, Waters T  
Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Le Jardin Academy, in financing and refinancing the construction, and improvement, and quipping of its facilities in the state of Hawaii. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB0504  
Committee Reports: HSCR 74 (EDN) HSCR 971 (FIN) SSCR 1205 (EDU) SSCR 1456 (WAM)  
Current Status: May=01 07 Passed Legislature
- HB0506 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 127) RELATING TO ETHANOL.  
Introduced by: Souki J, Mizuno J, McKelvey A, Tsuji C, Morita H, Caldwell K, Yamashita K, Brower T, Carroll M, Nishimoto S  
Extends the ethanol production facility income tax credit to January 1, 2017 (sunset). -- HB0506 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 373 (EEP) HSCR 1041 (FIN) SSCR 1072 (ENE) SSCR 1342 (EDT) SSCR 1444 (WAM) CCR 127  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 235-110.3
- HB0507 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1513) RELATING TO BOATING.  
Introduced by: Souki J  
Amends board of land and natural resources, powers and duties. Prohibits the board to transfer its jurisdiction, management, or operations of the small boat harbors to any other department or agency or any county in any manner unless expressly provided by law. -- HB0507 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 249 (WLH) HSCR 478 (LMG) HSCR 1021 (FIN) SSCR 1091 (WAH) SSCR 1513 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 200-2
- HB0513 SD1 (SSCR 1488) RELATING TO GRANTS-IN-AID.  
Introduced by: Nakasone B  
Amends provisions relating to standards for the award of grants and subsidies. Provides that if a grant or subsidy is used by an organization for the acquisition of land, when the organization discontinues the activities or services on the land acquired for which the grant or subsidy was awarded and disposes of the land in fee simple or by lease, the organization shall negotiate with the expending agency for a lump sum or installment repayment to the State of the amount of the grant or subsidy used for the acquisition of the land. Requires that the restriction shall be registered, recorded, docketed, and indexed with the assistant registrar of the land court as an encumbrance on the property and that amounts received from the repayment of a grant or subsidy shall be deposited into the general fund. -- HB0513 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 761 (FIN) SSCR 1488 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 42F-103
- HB0528 HD2 (HSCR 909) RELATING TO MINORS.  
Introduced by: Mizuno J, Marumoto B, Thielen C, Shimabukuro M, Green J, Cabanilla R, Bertram J, Manahan J  
Establishes the primary medical care for minors without support law. Authorizes a licensed health care practitioner to provide medical care and services to a minor who consents and who the practitioner believes is at least 14 years of age but less than 18 and who is not under the care, supervision, or control of a parent, custodian, or legal guardian. -- HB0528 HD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 338 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 909 (JUD) SSCR 1212 (HTH) SSCR 1552 (JDL)  
Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-23 07 Approved by Governor (Act 35 2007)  
Section Affected: (2 SECTIONS) PRIMARY MEDICAL CARE FOR MINORS WITHOUT SUPPORT
- HB0531 HD3 SD2 CD1 (CCR 135) RELATING TO CHILDREN.  
Introduced by: Mizuno J, Marumoto B, Thielen C, Evans C, Pine K, Awana K, Shimabukuro M, Meyer C, Ching C, Manahan J

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Establishes a Hawaii 3 - 5 transition task force and provides a mechanism to study the feasibility of expanding Hawaii's early intervention section to continue services for children 3 to 5 years of age. Requires the department of health to convene the task force. Requires both the department of health and education to provide staff to support the task force. Report to the legislature. Requires the University of Hawaii center on disability studies to serve as the advisory committee facilitator and to provide the necessary research, as well as conduct the needs assessment for the feasibility study. Report to the legislature. Requires the task force to cease to exist upon the adjournment sine die of the 2008 regular session (sunset). Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0531 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 169 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 614 (EDN) HSCR 1119 (FIN)  
SSCR 1165 (HTH/ HSP/) SSCR 1643 (WAM) CCR 135

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB0575 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 167)

RELATING TO EMERGENCIES.

Introduced by: Yamane R, Manahan J, Yamashita K, Hanohano F, Marumoto B, Tsuji C, Chang J, Brower T

Establishes provisions relating to tourism emergencies. Authorizes the board of directors of the Hawaii tourism authority to submit a request to the governor to declare that a tourism emergency exists and, upon declaration by the governor that a tourism emergency exists, the authority may develop and implement measures to respond to the tourism emergency, including providing assistance to tourist visitors during the emergency. Establishes the Hawaii tourism emergency trust fund administered by the board to be used for the development and implementation of emergency measures. Amends provisions relating to the transient accommodations tax. Provides that revenues left in the tourism special fund shall be deposited into the emergency trust fund. -- HB0575 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 328 (TAC/ PSM/) HSCR 1098 (FIN) SSCR 1100 (TSG/  
IGM/) SSCR 1480 (WAM) CCR 167

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 201B- (2 SECTIONS), 201B-3, 237D-6.5

HB0581 HD1 (HSCR 1038)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HANALANI SCHOOLS.

Introduced by: Yamane R, Chong P, Lee M, Finnegan L

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Hanalani Schools, to finance and refinance the planning, acquisition, construction, and improvement of its facilities. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB0581 HD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 75 (EDN) HSCR 1038 (FIN) SSCR 1206 (EDU) SSCR  
1555 (WAM)

Current Status: May=01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0598 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 133)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Takumi R

Establishes an online learning task force to be attached to the department of education to develop a systematic plan to expand opportunities for online learning, to enhance the learning experiences of students across the state. Requires the plan to include proposals for regulatory policies appropriate to online learning programs. Report to the legislature. Task force to terminate on June 30, 2008 (sunset). Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0598 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 72 (EDN) HSCR 982 (FIN) SSCR 1232 (EDU/ EDT/)  
SSCR 1517 (WAM) CCR 133

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0613

RELATING TO VETERANS.

Introduced by: Evans C

Amends provisions relating to veterans rights and benefits. Provides that the policy advisory board on veteran's services consist of 9 members, 2 members for the county Hawaii, 1 member that reside in east Hawaii and 1 member that reside in west Hawaii. Further provides that 1 member reside in each of the counties of Maui and Kauai. Adds the director for the office of veteran's services as an ex-officio voting member. -- HB0613

Committee Reports: HSCR 788 (PSM) SSCR 1048 (IGM)

Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-09 07 Approved by Governor (Act 12 2007)

Section Affected: 363-3.5

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- HB0657 HD1 (HSCR 940) RELATING TO WAIVER OF ABANDONED VEHICLE PUBLIC AUCTION REQUIREMENTS.  
Introduced by: Morita H, Thielen C, Waters T, Chong P  
Amends provisions relating to waiver of public auction requirements for abandoned vehicles. Provides for a waiver when the vehicle is missing major components or materially damaged to be inoperable and the registration has expired. -- HB0657 HD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 88 (TRN) HSCR 940 (FIN) SSCR 1197 (TIA/ IGM)  
Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-09 07 Approved by Governor (Act 8 2007)  
Section Affected: 290-5
- HB0659 HD2 (HSCR 1071) RELATING TO TARO.  
Introduced by: Morita H, Waters T, Carroll M, Chong P, Awana K  
Establishes provisions relating to state plant. Establishes kalo, the Hawaiian word for taro, to be adopted, established, and designated as the official plant of the State. -- HB0659 HD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 356 (TAC/ WLH/) HSCR 1071 (JUD) SSCR 1613 (WAH)  
Current Status: Apr-12 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-24 07 Approved by Governor (Act 36 2007)  
Section Affected: 5- (1 SECTION) STATE PLANT
- HB0667 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 90) RELATING TO KUKUI GARDENS RENTAL HOUSING COMPLEX.  
Introduced by: Rhoads K  
Amends Act 291, session laws of 1980, as amended by Act 304, session laws of 1996, as amended by Act 185, session laws of 2004, by changing references to the housing and community development corporation of Hawaii to the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation, and changes the appropriation amount. -- Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds for appropriation to the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to acquire an interest in the land and improvements of the Kukui Gardens property. -- (\$\$) -- HB0667 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 259 (HSH) HSCR 1058 (FIN) SSCR 1263 (CPH) SSCR 1560 (WAM) CCR 90  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 291 1980, ACT 304 1996, ACT 185 2004
- HB0692 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 63) RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.  
Introduced by: Tsuji C  
Amends Act 131, session laws of 2004, relating to issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Aloun Farms. Extends the lapse date of special purpose revenue bonds to June 30, 2010 (sunset). -- HB0692 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 150 (AGR) HSCR 485 (AGR) HSCR 915 (FIN) SSCR 1088 (WAH) SSCR 1453 (WAM) CCR 63  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 131 2004
- HB0714 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 55) RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES.  
Introduced by: Carroll M, Chang J  
Amends provisions relating to blue lights prohibited for motor vehicles, motorcycles, motor scooters, bicycles, mopeds. Exempts department of land and natural resources, division of conservation and resources enforcement vehicles that are authorized by the chairperson of the board of land and natural resources. Exempts factory installed instrument illuminations. Amends provisions relating to definitions of the statewide traffic code. Redefines authorized emergency vehicles to include public safety law enforcement vehicles, and conservation and resources enforcement vehicles authorized and approved pursuant to provisions relating to blue lights prohibited for motor vehicles, motorcycles, motor scooters, bicycles, mopeds. -- HB0714 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 591 (TRN) HSCR 875 (JUD) SSCR 1092 (WAH/ TIA/) CCR 55  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 291-31.5, 291C-1
- HB0718 SD2 CD1 (CCR 129) RELATING TO KAKAAKO.  
Introduced by: Brower T, Mizuno J, McKelvey A, Thielen C, Pine K, Shimabukuro M, Green J, Hanohano F, Waters T, Ching C, Tokioka J, Bertram J, Ito K, Manahan J  
Directs the Hawaii community development authority to set aside TMK: (1st Division) 2-1-058:041 and 2-1-058:116, comprising of approximately 15,000 square feet, at

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Kewalo basin cove and known as the former ice chute for use by the Kewalo Keiki Fishing Conservancy. Requires the Hawaii community development authority to determine whether any environmental remediation is required and, if required, to establish the parameters for any necessary corrective action for the environmental remediation required. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0718 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 758 (WLH) SSCR 1090 (WAH) SSCR 1693 (WAM) CCR 129

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0751 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 145)

RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY.

Introduced by: Caldwell K, Oshiro M, Chong P, Lee M, Chang J

Amends Act 190, session laws of 2006, relating to employment security. Amends provisions relating to the appropriation from the department of labor and industrial relations for the workforce investment boards of Oahu, Maui, Kauai, and Hawaii. Repeals provision that a portion of the appropriation be for the funding of positions to identify additional funds and resources. Adds appropriation to the department of labor and industrial relations for administrative purposes to include but not limited to the cost of providing oversight, monitoring and reporting. -- Further adds that each of the county workforce investment boards and the workforce development council may use a portion of the sums allocated. Requires that the department, the county board and the council negotiate compensation for the administrative expenses. Provides that all money appropriated shall not lapse until June 30, 2009 (sunset). (\$\$) -- HB0751 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 162 (LAB) HSCR 1159 (FIN) SSCR 1258 (JDL) SSCR 1567 (WAM) CCR 145

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: ACT 190 2006

HB0767 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 187)

RELATING TO THE RUNNING START PROGRAM FOR COLLEGE PREPARATION.

Introduced by: Chang J, Yamane R, Oshiro B

Establishes provisions relating to running start credits. Requires the department of education to provide students participating in the running start program with guidance in earning credit toward high school graduation upon satisfactory completion of university of Hawaii courses at the 100 level and above. Appropriation to the university of Hawaii scholarship and assistance special fund. Appropriation out of the fund to the university to provide scholarships to students who are members of underrepresented populations in higher education, as determined by the university, to participate in the running start program. (\$\$) -- HB0767 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 70 (HED/ EDN/) HSCR 889 (FIN) SSCR 1115 (EDU) SSCR 1483 (WAM) CCR 187

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 302A- (1 SECTION) RUNNING START CREDITS

HB0776 SD1 (SSCR 1538)

RELATING TO TICKET SALES.

Introduced by: Har S, McKelvey A, Oshiro B, Karamatsu J, Mizuno J, Lee M, Evans C, Chang J, Oshiro M, Tsuji C

Establishes provisions relating to unfair and deceptive business practices. Prohibits ticket brokers from charging a fee for the use of a credit card to purchase tickets without 1st disclosing that a fee will be charged. Requires a ticket broker to refund any and all service fees charged for the purchase of a ticket when the public exhibition, game, contest, or performance for which the ticket was purchased is canceled. -- HB0776 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 388 (CPC) SSCR 1538 (CPH)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 481B- (1 SECTION) TICKET BROKERS

HB0777 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 188)

RELATING TO THE HAWAII EDUCATOR LOAN PROGRAM.

Introduced by: Har S, McKelvey A, Oshiro B, Nishimoto S, Mizuno J, Waters T, Berg L, Manahan J, Chang J, Evans C, Karamatsu J, Tokioka J, Belatti D, Hanohano F, Ito K, Awana K

Amends provisions relating to educator loans by adding the educator loans forgiveness program and repayment. Provides that the Hawaii educator loan program administered by the university of Hawaii be in partnership with a financial institution. Includes financial support to students and teachers who complete a state approved teacher education program and who agree to teach as a full time teacher for a period determined by the university in hard to fill positions including special education, regular education shortage categories, or Title I schools or at a school located in a rural area as determined by the superintendent of education. Provides that loans shall bear a 5 per cent simple interest.

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Provides that 10 per cent of the loan and interest shall be waived for the 1st 5 years of repayment and 25 per cent of the total amount of the loan and interest shall be waived for the 6th and 7th years of repayment. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0777 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 183 (HED) HSCR 890 (FIN) SSCR 1156 (EDU) SSCR 1635 (WAM) CCR 188  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 304A-701, 304A-702

HB0791 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 69)

RELATING TO GASOLINE.  
Introduced by: Meyer C, Marumoto B, Brower T  
Requires all distributors to report to the department of business, economic development, and tourism, in a format prescribed by the department, on their distribution and availability of gasoline that does not contain ethanol. Report to the legislature. -- HB0791 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 374 (EEP) HSCR 995 (CPC) SSCR 1251 (ENE) SSCR 1666 (CPH) CCR 69  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0807 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 158)

RELATING TO CAREGIVING.  
Introduced by: Mizuno J, Thielen C, Awana K, Meyer C, Sonson A, Ching C, Pine K, Finnegan L, Hanohano F, Carroll M, Ward G  
Establishes provisions relating to wilful interference; prohibited. Prohibits any individual including any long term care facility or long term care facility employee, who willfully interferes with or impedes the long term care ombudsman or designee in the performance or duties shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Establishes provisions relating to posting and distribution of information. Requires that the long term care ombudsman to provide brochures and a poster with information regarding the office of the long term care ombudsman's name, address and telephone number and a brief description of services to each long term care facility. Establishes the office of the long term care ombudsman within the executive office on aging to protect the health, safety, welfare, and rights of residents of long term care facilities in accordance with state and federal law. Requires the office to be headed by the long term care ombudsman. Amends access to long term care facilities. Requires long term care facility that receives public funds to permit immediate access to the long term facility and to the residents of the long term care facility to the long term care ombudsman or designee at any time deemed necessary and reasonable by the long term care ombudsman. Prohibits retaliatory acts by facilities or facility employees for any person seeking advocacy assistance as provided for or making a complaint concerning a long term care facility or any of its employees on behalf of a resident of a long term care facility to be subject to any retaliatory act by the long term care facility or any of its employees for seeking advocacy assistance or making a complaint and requires that a violation be reported by the long term care ombudsman. -- HB0807 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 730 (HLT/ HSH/) HSCR 1026 (FIN) SSCR 1285 (HSP) SSCR 1593 (WAM) CCR 158  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 349- (2 SECTIONS), 349-12, 349-13, 349-14

HB0831 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 150)

RELATING TO VETERAN BURIAL GRANTS.  
Introduced by: Magaoay M, Manahan J, Karamatsu J, Evans C, Pine K, Sonson A, Mizuno J, McKelvey A, Herkes R, Sagum R, Finnegan L, Cabanilla R, Ito K  
Establishes provisions relating to disbursement of World War II Filipino veterans burial grant funds. Provides that the office of veterans' services shall receive, review, and, as appropriate, approve requests for payments for providing funeral and burial services for a Filipino veteran who died after June 30, 1994 and transporting the remains of a Filipino veteran to the Philippines. Defines World War II Filipino veteran to mean a Filipino veteran who enlisted in World War II between October 6, 1945, and June 30, 1947, and who at the time of the veteran's death, was a US citizen and a resident of Hawaii. Appropriation to the department of defense, office of veterans services for deceased WWII Filipino veteran burial grant funds. (\$\$) -- HB0831 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 675 (PSM) HSCR 929 (FIN) SSCR 1047 (IGM) SSCR 1447 (WAM) CCR 150  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 363- (1 SECTION) DISBURSEMENT OF WORLD WAR II FILIPINO VETERANS BURIAL GRANT FUNDS

HB0833 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 142)

RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT.

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Introduced by: Sonson A, Cabanilla R, Karamatsu J  
Amends provision relating to the worker's compensation law, temporary disability insurance law, prepaid health care act, and Hawaii employment security law. Defines recipient of social service payment to mean person who is an eligible recipient of social services such as attendant care and day care services and a corporations and private agencies that contracts directly with the department of human services to provide attendant care and day care authorized under the social security act . Provides that employment shall not include domestic in home and community based services for persons with developmental disabilities and mental retardation under the medicaid home and community based services program authorized by the department of human services under the social security act, performed by an individual in the employ of recipient of social service payments. Requires the department of labor and industrial relations to submit a report to the legislature on the financial impact and consequences of the exclusions from the employment related laws established under this act for service providers who provide Medicaid home and community based services for persons with developmental disabilities and mental retardation. Report to the legislature. -- HB0833 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 138 (LAB/ HSH/) HSCR 1163 (FIN) SSCR 1282 (HSP)  
SSCR 1668 (JDL) CCR 142

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 383-1, 386-1, 392-3, 393-3, 383-7, 392-5, 393-5

HB0835 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 91)

RELATING TO HOUSING.

Introduced by: Magaoay M, Berg L, Sagum R, Finnegan L, Pine K, Sonson A, Cabanilla R, Manahan J, Ito K, Karamatsu J

Establishes the pineapple workers and retirees housing assistance fund. Establishes in the State treasury the pineapple workers and retirees housing assistance fund to provide mortgage payments or rent subsidies for eligible Del Monte Fresh Produce pineapple workers and retirees and their families who are displaced or affected by the closure of Del Monte Fresh Produce. Provides that the fund shall be administered by the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation. Appropriations. (\$\$) -- HB0835 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 335 (HSH) HSCR 1059 (FIN) SSCR 1603 (CPH/ WAM/)  
CCR 91

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 201H- (1 SECTION) PINEAPPLE WORKERS AND RETIREES  
HOUSING ASSISTANCE FUND

HB0843 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 159)

RELATING TO KAHUKU HOSPITAL.

Introduced by: Magaoay M, Chang J, Herkes R, Sonson A, Ito K, Karamatsu J  
Establishes provisions relating to acquisition of Kahuku hospital. Authorizes the Kahuku hospital to be assimilated into the Hawaii health systems corporation. Allows the corporation to retain any or all medical and non medical staff working at Kahuku hospital. -- Requires the director of health to be an honest broker to help facilitate the successful acquisition of the hospital by the corporation during the transition period. Repealed on notification of successfully completed acquisition and issuance of a proclamation by the governor (sunset). Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0843 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 222 (HLT) HSCR 1029 (FIN) SSCR 1250 (HTH) SSCR  
1564 (WAM) CCR 159

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 323F- (1 SECTION) ACQUISITION OF KAHUKU HOSPITAL

HB0853 HD2 (HSCR 925)

RELATING TO PUBLIC WORK PROJECTS.

Introduced by: Sonson A, Caldwell K, Chong P, Magaoay M, Oshiro M  
Amends provisions relating to violations; penalties under wage and hours of employee on public works. Repeals 1st, 2nd, or 3rd violation refers to each investigation involving 1 or more projects and replaces it with 1st, 2nd, or 3rd violation refers to each project in which the department of labor and industrial relations finds that a contractor has failed to comply with this chapter. -- HB0853 HD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 164 (LAB) HSCR 448 (EDB) HSCR 925 (FIN) SSCR 1035  
(JDL)

Current Status: Apr-13 07 Vetoed

May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House

Section Affected: 104-24

HB0854 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1544)

RELATING TO CONTINUED TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS TO

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### INJURED EMPLOYEES.

Introduced by: Sonson A, Meyer C, Caldwell K, Chong P, Magaoay M, Oshiro M, Pine K

Amends provisions relating to temporary total disability benefits under workers' compensation law. Provides that payment shall only be terminated upon order of the director of labor and industrial relations or if the employee's treating physician determines that the employee is able to resume work and the employer has made a bona fide offer of work within the employee's medical restrictions. Requires the director to indicate if temporary total disability benefits should have been discontinued and, if so designate the date after which temporary total disability benefits should have been discontinued when rendering a decision. Allows employer to request for a credit for benefits paid. Prohibits previously paid temporary total disability benefits prior to the effective date of the directors' decision to be recoverable by employers . -- HB0854 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 645 (LAB) HSCR 868 (FIN) SSCR 1544 (JDL)

Current Status: May-01 07 Vetoes

May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House

Section Affected: 386-31

HB0855 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 141)

### RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.

Introduced by: Sonson A, Caldwell K, Oshiro M, Lee M

Amends provisions relating to medical care, services and supplies under workers' compensation law. Provides that when a dispute exists between an injured employee and the employer or employer's insurer regarding the proposed treatment plan or whether medical services should be continued, the injured employee shall continue to receive essential medical services prescribed by the treating physician necessary to prevent deterioration of the injured employee's condition or further injury until the director determines that medical services pursuant to the treatment plan shall be discontinued. Provides that the employer or the employer's insurer may recover from the claimant's personal health care provider or other appropriate occupation or non occupational insurer all the sums paid for medical services rendered after the employer, the employee, and the provider receives notification of the director's decision. Prohibits charges to claimant for the disallowed services. Amends rule making powers. Requires the director to submit any proposed adoption, amendment, or repeal or rules under this chapter to both houses of the legislature for approval before submitting to the governor.

-- HB0855 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 626 (LAB) HSCR 849 (FIN) SSCR 1583 (JDL) CCR 141

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 386-21, 386-72

HB0861 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1326)

### RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS.

Introduced by: Sonson A, Caldwell K, Lee M, Chong P, Magaoay M, Oshiro M

Establishes provisions relating to the public work project; issuance of special purpose revenue bonds; report to department of labor and industrial relations required. Requires any issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to be promptly reported to the department of labor and industrial relations so that the department may expeditiously carry out its duties. Further provides that the report shall be in a form and contain such information as the director of labor and industrial relations may prescribe. -- Amends provisions relating to applicability; wages, hours, and other requirements. Provides that for any public work project that is subject to the wages and hours of employers on public works law but not directly caused by a governmental contracting agency, the director shall be responsible for enforcement. Further provides that when a project party enters into a project agreement involving special purpose revenue bonds and the project party has a collective bargaining agreement with a bona fide labor union, the terms shall be deemed the prevailing wages and terms serving as the basis of compliance for work on the project by the project party's workforce. -- HB0861 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 33 (LAB) HSCR 347 (EDB) HSCR 926 (FIN) SSCR 1326 (JDL) SSCR 1698 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House

May=03 07 Veto Overridden - Senate

Section Affected: 39A- (1 SECTION), 104-2

HB0863 HD1 (HSCR 927)

### RELATING TO PUBLIC WORK PROJECTS.

Introduced by: Sonson A, Caldwell K, Lee M, Hanohano F, Magaoay M

Establishes provisions relating to public work requirements; private construction contracts. Provides that public work includes a construction contract between private persons if more than 50 per cent of the assignable square feet of a project is leased or



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assigned for use by the State, any county, or any agency of the State or any county for its use, whether or not the property is privately owned. Provides that prior to the start of construction on any direct project, the construction project owner shall sign a lease or other agreement with the State, county, or any agency of the State or county that includes provisions that require compliance with the wages and hours of employees on public works law and certification that prevailing wages shall be paid. Provides that copies of the lease or other agreement shall be filed with the department of labor and industrial relations and the department of accounting and general services. The construction project owner shall submit weekly certified payrolls to the government leasing agency or the governmental agency accepting the construction project for its use, which shall be the governmental contracting agency for the construction project.

-- HB0863 HD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 48 (LAB) HSCR 314 (EDB) HSCR 927 (FIN) SSCR 1547 (JDL)

Current Status: May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House  
May=03 07 Veto Overridden - Senate

Section Affected: 104- (1 SECTION) PUBLIC WORK REQUIREMENTS

HB0869 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 98)

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STUDY ON ENERGY EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION STRATEGIES.

Introduced by: Morita H, Sagum R, Thielen C

Requires the Hawaii energy policy forum at the university of Hawaii at Manoa to conduct a study on energy efficient transportation strategies in conjunction with the department of business, economic development, and tourism. Report to the legislature. Appropriation to the university of Hawaii, social sciences public policy center. (\$\$) -- HB0869 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 200 (EEP) HSCR 1107 (FIN) SSCR 1180 (TIA/ EDU/ ENE/) SSCR 1474 (WAM) CCR 98

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB0870 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1159)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF OAHU.

Introduced by: Morita H, Say C, Carroll M

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Honolulu Seawater Air Conditioning LLC in the design and construction of seawater air conditioning district cooling systems. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB0870 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 439 (EEP) HSCR 1043 (FIN) SSCR 1159 (ENE) SSCR 1442 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB0895 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 72)

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.

Introduced by: Souki J, McKelvey A, Lee M, Nishimoto S, Luke S

Amends provisions relating to motor vehicle registration. Provides that other related activities includes storage fees that are negotiated between each county and a towing company contracted by the county to remove and dispose of abandoned or derelict vehicles. Amends provisions relating to abandoned vehicles. Increases the maximum additional fee that counties may establish for each certificate of registration for all motor vehicles other than U drive motor vehicles. Reduces notification time to vehicle owner following a tow. Increases maximum fees towing companies may charge. -- HB0895 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 89 (TRN) HSCR 1152 (FIN) SSCR 1543 (IGM/ TIA/) CCR 72

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 286-51, 290-11

HB0899 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 138)

RELATING TO INTEGRATED STRATEGIES FOR STATEWIDE FOOD AND ENERGY CROP PRODUCTION.

Introduced by: Tsuji C, Magaoay M, Karamatsu J, Evans C

Requires scientists with the university of Hawaii center for conservation research and training to conduct research and development and monitor the ecological impact of strategies being researched and tested to identify and test charcoal additive strategies. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB0899 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 286 (AGR/ EEP/) HSCR 1121 (FIN) SSCR 1184 (ENE/ WAH/) SSCR 1443 (WAM) CCR 138

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

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- HB0910 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1545) RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to requirements of disclosure. Requires that financial disclosure statements for members of the board of agriculture; the Hawaii community development authority; the board of trustees of the employees' retirement system; the Hawaiian homes commission; the board of land and natural resources; the land use commission; the public utilities commission; the board of directors of the research corporation of the University of Hawaii; the board of regents of the university of Hawaii; and the Hawaii tourism authority. -- HB0910 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 800 (JUD) SSCR 1545 (JDL)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Vetoes  
Section Affected: 84-17
- HB0928 HD1 SD2 CD2 (SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 29 OR HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 15) RELATING TO SOCIAL SERVICES.  
Introduced by: Shimabukuro M  
Amends provisions relating to applications for public assistance; manner, form, conditions. Exempts persons eligible for federal supplemental security income benefits aid to the aged, blind or disabled, or general assistance to households without minors and not consider as income or resources any funds deposited into a family self sufficiency escrow account on behalf of a participant under a federal housing choice voucher family self sufficiency program as required or allowed under federal law. Requires the department of human services to disregard income or resources any funds deposited into a family self sufficiency escrow account on behalf of a participant under a federal housing choice voucher family self sufficiency program as required or allowed under federal law. Appropriation for the Hawaii public housing authority to increase outreach to increase enrollment in the section 8 homeownership option and the housing choice voucher family self sufficiency programs; increase administrative support for the programs, provide matching rents or loan forgiveness to section 8 homeownership option program participants to help with down payments, and provide additional state matches to housing choice voucher family self sufficiency program participants to help participants build homeownership savings. Amends provisions relating to determination of amount of assistance. Increases the state supplemental payment for adult residential care home classified as facility type I, licensed developmental disabilities domiciliary homes, community care foster family homes and certified adult foster homes to not exceed 641 dollars and 90 cents and for adult residential care homes classified as a facility type II not exceed 749 dollars and 90 cents. Adds that the state supplemental payment for skilled nursing facilities and intermediate facilities shall not exceed 20 dollars. (\$\$) -- HB0928 CD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 29 (HSH) HSCR 899 (FIN) SSCR 1273 (HSP) SSCR 1514 (WAM) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 10 CCR 96 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 29 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 15  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 346-29, 346-53
- HB0964 HD1 SD2 CD2 (SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 28 OR HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 13) RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE.  
Introduced by: Magaoay M, Chang J  
Amends provisions relating to substance abuse on site screening test. Redefines substance abuse on site screening test to mean a portable substance abuse test that is manufactured by a facility that is minimally certified as meeting the ISO 13485 standard established by the international organization for standardization and which may be used by an employer in the workplace. Amends substance abuse on site screening tests, testing procedures, and confidentiality. Requires that employers to administer the test according to the package insert that accompanies the substance abuse on site screening test; any indication of the presence of drugs, alcohol, or the metabolites of drugs by the substance abuse on site screening test shall not be used to deny or deprive a person of employment or any benefit, or result in any adverse action against the employee or prospective employee, unless a substance abuse test is conducted according requirements. -- Further provides that the employer shall have the employee or prospective employee report within 4 hours to a laboratory licensed by the department of health. Provides any information concerning the test shall be strictly confidential. Amends unlawful suspension, discharge or discrimination. Prohibits an employer to suspend, discharge, or discriminate against any of the employer's employees because an employee tested positive for the presence of drugs, alcohol, or the metabolites of drugs in a substance abuse on site screening test unless the employee fails or refuses to report to a laboratory for a substance abuse test. -- HB0964 CD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 305 (LAB) HSCR 837 (JUD) SSCR 1246 (HTH) SSCR

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1672 (JDL) CCR 67 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 28  
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 13

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 329B-2, 329B-5.5, 378-32

HB1003 HD3 SD2 CD1 (CCR 155)

RELATING TO ENERGY.

Introduced by: Morita H, Herkes R, Rhoads K, Oshiro B, Tsuji C, Karamatsu J, Cabanilla R, Caldwell K, Evans C, Belatti D, Saiki S, Manahan J, Luke S, Takumi R, Nishimoto S, Waters T, Yamane R, Chang J, Magaoay M, Chong P, Sonson A, Shimabukuro M, Bertram J, Takai K, Yamashita K, Mizuno J, Lee M, Ito K, Carroll M, Souki J, Tokioka J, Sagum R, Wakai G, Berg L, Hanohano F, Oshiro M, Brower T  
Establishes provisions relating to the Hawaii natural energy institute within the university of Hawaii. Provides that the institute shall be administered by a director appointed by the board of regents of the university of Hawaii. Requires the institute to establish an advisory council to make recommendations to the director on the award of contracts and grants. -- Establishes the energy systems development special fund to develop an integrated approach and portfolio management of renewable energy project that will reduce Hawaii's dependence on fossil fuel and imported oil and other imported energy resources and move Hawaii toward energy self sufficiency. Annual report to the legislature. Special fund repealed on June 30, 2012 ( sunset). Repeals Act 235, session laws of 1974. -- Requires the department of business, economic development, and tourism to develop and prepare a bioenergy master plan. Interim and final report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB1003 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 283 (EEP) HSCR 680 (HED) HSCR 1045 (FIN) SSCR 1268 (ENE/ EDU/) SSCR 1680 (WAM) CCR 155  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 304A- (5 SECTIONS) HAWAII NATURAL ENERGY INSTITUTE, ACT 235 1974

HB1004 HD2 SD1 CD2 (SENATE  
FLOOR AMENDMENT 30 OR  
HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 23)

RELATING TO CONSUMER ADVOCACY.

Introduced by: Morita H, Sonson A, Magaoay M, Oshiro B, Herkes R, Rhoads K, Green J, Tsuji C, Mizuno J, Caldwell K, Cabanilla R, Evans C, Wakai G, Yamashita K, Ito K, Carroll M, Souki J, Lee M, Sagum R, Tokioka J, Belatti D, Luke S, Takai K, Manahan J, Waters T, Yamane R, Chong P, Chang J, Berg L, Say C, Oshiro M, Nishimoto S  
Requires the division of consumer advocacy, department of commerce and consumer affairs to restructure its operations as provided for in the division's report to the legislature required pursuant to Act 143, session laws of Hawaii 2006. Amends provisions relating to division of consumer advocacy; personnel. Provides that the director of commerce and consumer affairs may employ up to 10 utility analysts who shall be exempt from civil service laws. Appropriations out of the public utilities commission special fund to be deposited into the compliance resolution fund. Appropriations out of the compliance resolution fund for 2 permanent utility analyst positions in the division of consumer advocacy, department of commerce and consumer affairs. Appropriations out of the public utilities commission special fund to be deposited into the compliance resolution fund. Appropriations out of the compliance resolution fund to send the professional staff of the division of consumer advocacy to specialized training seminars to obtain a general understanding of the subject matter and receive regular updates of regulatory condition changes. Appropriation out of the compliance resolution fund to the office of the auditor for research and support services by developing additional deterrents for identity theft, and in particular those related to the compromise of electronic data and information, and social security numbers in public records. Amends Act 137, session laws of 2006. (\$\$) -- HB1004 CD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 184 (CPC/ EEP/) HSCR 916 (FIN) SSCR 1226 (CPH) SSCR 1676 (WAM) CCR 100 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 30 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 23  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 269-52, ACT 137 2006

HB1005 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 87)

RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

Introduced by: Morita H, Sagum R, Herkes R, Rhoads K, Oshiro B, Green J, Tsuji C, Karamatsu J, Caldwell K, Cabanilla R, Evans C, Belatti D, Saiki S, Luke S, Takumi R, Nishimoto S, Lee M, Mizuno J, Manahan J, Carroll M, Waters T, Yamane R, Chang J, Magaoay M, Chong P, Sonson A, Shimabukuro M, Yamashita K, Ito K, Souki J, Tokioka J, McKelvey A, Takai K, Wakai G, Berg L, Hanohano F, Say C, Oshiro M, Brower T  
Establishes provisions relating to consideration of renewable energy. Requires the public utilities commission consider the need for increased renewable energy use in

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exercising its authority and duties. Amends provision relating to employment of assistants by adding the chief of policy and research, chief of administrative support, chief of consumer affairs and compliance, and utility analysts who shall be exempt from civil service law. Requires the commission to restructure its operation as provided for in part IV of the commission's report to the legislature required pursuant to Act 143, session law of 2006. Provides upon request from the commission, the state and county agencies are required to assist the commission in carrying out the provision of this act. Requires the department of human resources development to work cooperatively with the commission in renaming or re describing job descriptions as is deemed necessary by the commission. -- HB1005 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 185 (CPC/ EEP/) HSCR 917 (FIN) SSCR 1227 (CPH) SSCR 1481 (WAM) CCR 87

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 269- (1 SECTION), 269-3

HB1007

RELATING TO FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY.

Introduced by: Shimabukuro M, Mizuno J, Rhoads K, Oshiro B, Herkes R, Yamashita K, Berg L, Green J, Caldwell K, Tsuji C, Evans C, Luke S, Manahan J, Takumi R, Nishimoto S, Morita H, Waters T, Say C, Yamane R, Belatti D, Takai K, Magaoay M, Chang J, Ito K, Chong P, Carroll M, Souki J, Lee M, McKelvey A, Brower T, Oshiro M Establishes provisions relating to family self sufficiency escrow accounts; asset test exemption. Provides that the department of human services shall not consider funds within an escrow account established under the family self sufficiency program of the US department of housing and urban development and disregard when determining eligibility for assistance or other benefits. - HB1007

Committee Reports: HSCR 367 (HSH) HSCR 856 (FIN) SSCR 1272 (HSP) SSCR 1450 (WAM)

Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-20 07 Approved by Governor (Act 30 2007)

Section Affected: 346- (1 SECTION) FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY ESCROW ACCOUNTS

HB1008 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 200)

RELATING TO CHILDREN'S HEALTH CARE.

Introduced by: Green J, McKelvey A, Hanohano F, Berg L, Takai K, Tokioka J, Shimabukuro M, Mizuno J, Souki J, Yamashita K, Brower T, Belatti D, Tsuji C, Oshiro B, Caldwell K, Yamane R, Magaoay M, Herkes R, Morita H, Manahan J, Nishimoto S, Takumi R, Waters T, Evans C, Chong P, Say C, Rhoads K, Karamatsu J, Cabanilla R, Luke S, Lee M, Ito K, Wakai G, Oshiro M, Carroll M

Establishes the Hawaii infant health care program as a temporary 3 year pilot program to provide continuous, quality health care services to uninsured newborn children who are 1 day, but not more than 30 days of age, up to 10,000 dollars of health care assistance per eligible child, subject to the appropriation of general funds for the program. Requires the department of human services or its designated contractor to directly reimburse any health care provider or managed care plan providing the services to infants under the a Hawaii infant health care program. Authorizes that the department to contract with an appropriate entity to provide these services. Report to the legislature. Establishes that the Hawaii children's health care program as a temporary 3 year pilot program to provide health care coverage to uninsured children who live in Hawaii. Requires the department of human services to provide health care coverage through a public private partnership, established as a contract to provide health and human services to 1 or more managed care plans in the state, that offers accidental health or sickness insurance plans. Provides that a child must be at least 31 days to less than 19 years old, have been uninsured continually for at least 6 months and have been ineligible during the 6 months the child was uninsured for any other state or federal health care coverage and be currently ineligible for any other state or federal health care coverage. Provides the department and the managed care plans shall share equally in the cost of the premium for each child enrolled in the program. Report to the department and legislature. Amends medical assistance to other children. Requires the department to provide state funded medical assistance free of charge to persons 19 years of age or younger whose family income is at or below 300 percent of the federal poverty level for Hawaii and to children 19 years or younger whose family income is at or above 250 per cent and does not exceed 300 per cent of the federal poverty level for Hawaii and who are otherwise eligible for Quest Net benefits. Appropriations. Act to be repealed on June 30, 2010 (sunset). (\$\$) -- HB1008 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 224 (HLT/ HSH/) HSCR 1030 (FIN) SSCR 1281 (HSP/ HTH/) SSCR 1641 (WAM) CCR 200

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Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 346-59.4

HB1014 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 189)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Chang J, Oshiro B, Caldwell K, Lee M, Ito K, Magaoay M, Mizuno J, Evans C, Hanohano F

Appropriation to the department of education for a maximum of 5 complex areas to establish the capacity to coordinate and expand complex level resources for professional development, alignment of curriculum, and mentoring in schools, provided that funds be allocated to each complex area based on the per pupil enrollments in each complex area. Requires complexes to be those that have schools where there is a high turnover of teachers in hard to fill vacancies and have few other resources for professional development. Appropriation for the teach America program. (\$\$) -- HB1014 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 354 (HED/ EDN/) HSCR 891 (FIN) SSCR 1207 (EDU)  
SSCR 1455 (WAM) CCR 189

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1018 HD2 SD2 (SSCR 1663)

RELATING TO LIQUOR.

Introduced by: Yamane R, Yamashita K, Manahan J, Chang J

Establishes provisions relating to special conditions; condominium hotel licenses. Requires a condominium hotel operator to submit to the liquor commission, a copy of the information on the initial application for registration of the condominium hotel operator approved by the real estate commission, if required, and shall maintain for inspection by any authorized employee of the commission, a list of the units being utilized for transient lodgings from time to time as part of the condominium hotel. Defines condominium hotel as an establishment consisting of 1 or more buildings which includes guest rooms defined under condominium law to provide transient lodging for periods of less than 30 days under written contract with the owners of a unit in the condominium hotel operation; guest rooms owned or managed by the condominium hotel operator providing transient lodging for periods of less than 30 day which are offered for adequate pay to transient guests; and a suitable and adequate kitchen and dining room where meals are regularly prepared and served to guests and other customers; a condominium hotel does not include a hotel that may be part of a condominium property regime established under condominium laws, that does not have guest rooms that are separate units as defined in condominium definitions. Defines a condominium hotel operator as any person who operates a condominium hotel, including but not limited to a condominium hotel operator registered under registration, licenses and bonding required to operate condominium hotel. -- Amends the definition of premises relating to the condominium law to include that in the case of a class 15 condominium hotel license, premises includes apartments which are used to provide transient lodging for periods of less than 30 days under a written contract with the owner or owners of each apartment under the condominium hotel operation. -- Amends provisions relating to licenses, classes. Establishes the class 15 condominium hotel licenses under the intoxicating liquor law. Provides a license to sell liquor in a condominium hotel shall authorize the licensee to provide entertainment and dancing on the condominium hotel premises and to sell all liquors for consumption on the premises. -- Amends provisions relating to place of business; exception; solicitors' and representatives' permits. Provides units that are used to provide transient lodging under a class 15 license may change from time to time; provided that the condominium hotel operator shall submit quarterly to the commission the list of units being utilized as part of the condominium hotel and maintains a current list pursuant to intoxicating liquor provisions at a condominium hotel for inspection by any authorized employee of the commission. Disallows a condominium operator under a class 15 license a change of premises under any issued license. -- HB1018 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 316 (EDB/ TAC/) HSCR 1089 (FIN) SSCR 1099 (TSG/ IGM/) SSCR 1663 (CPH)

Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor

May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 53 2007)

Section Affected: 281- (1 SECTION), 281-1, 281-31, 281-39, 281-39.5, 281-57

HB1044 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1594)

RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.

Introduced by: Mizuno J

Amends provisions relating to Medicaid preauthorization exemption for certain physicians. Repeals the provision that this section shall not apply to the Quest medical plans. Requires that the department of human services to prepare an economic impact

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assessment report to include information obtained from insurance providers who provide Medicaid and QUEST coverage on the additional cost incurred as a result of providing access to immunosuppressant medication to QUEST patients, recommendations, and any proposed legislation. Report to the legislature. Act to be repealed on July 1, 2013 (sunset). -- HB1044 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 365 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 857 (FIN) SSCR 1287 (HSP) SSCR 1594 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 346-352

HB1063 SD1 CD1 (CCR 76)

RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD.

Introduced by: Evans C

Amends Act 178, session laws of 2005, as amended by Act 160, session laws of 2006, by changing the appropriation amount for amelioration of physical disasters. -- HB1063 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 453 (PSM) HSCR 860 (FIN) SSCR 1238 (IGM) SSCR 1699 (WAM) CCR 76

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: ACT 178 2005, ACT 160 2006

HB1073

RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

Introduced by: Say C

Establishes provisions relating to employees of the legislature; exempt from mandatory enrollment. Requires any person who is employed as a session employee by the legislature or any legislative service agency after October 31, 2006, to provide services during any session of the legislature and who is not subject to service while legislative employee, to be excluded from membership in the employees' retirement system throughout the person's employment as a session employee. Defines session employee as a person who is not subject to service while legislative employee and who is employed by the legislature or any legislative agency to provide services during any session of the legislature, including a reasonable period immediately prior to and after that session as the legislature and legislative service agencies determines. -- Redefines employee to include year round legislative employees who are employed on a full time basis excluding session employees of the legislature employed after October 31, 2006. -- Amends provisions relating to membership service generally. Exempts session employees. -- HB1073

Committee Reports: HSCR 210 (FIN) SSCR 316 (WAM)

Current Status: Feb-15 07 Received by the Governor

Mar-05 07 Approved by Governor (Act 2 2007)

Section Affected: 88- (1 SECTION), 88-21, 88-51

HB1081

RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS.

Introduced by: Say C

Amends provisions relating to civil action. Provides that the following civil actions may be instituted in any court of competent jurisdiction; an action for injunctive and other relief against an employer that fails to pay the prevailing wage to its employees as required by the wages and hours of employees on public works law, by a joint labor management committee established pursuant to the federal labor management cooperation act of 1978. -- HB1081

Committee Reports: HSCR 26 (LAB) HSCR 348 (EDB) HSCR 851 (FIN) SSCR 1195 (JDL)

Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor

Apr-13 07 Became Law Without Governor's Signature (Act 16 2007)

Section Affected: 104-28

HB1083 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 184)

RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY.

Introduced by: Say C

Establishes in the Hawaii strategic development corporation a research and development follow on funding program for Hawaii based small businesses that received federal funding in through the Hawaii Technology Development Venture or the National Defense Center of Excellence for Research in Ocean Sciences to provide accelerated economic development in the fields of science and engineering of defense related dual use technology by providing follow on funding to successful research and development projects; provide capital to sustain high growth new venture company infrastructure development to assist the enterprise toward commercial success; promote high quality,

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high income job opportunities for Hawaii's residents and graduates of Hawaii's educational institutions; reverse the brain drain by allowing talented scientists and engineers to return home to living wage jobs in Hawaii; and keep the high technology companies in Hawaii by limiting the need to seek out of state venture capital, which dilutes local ownership. Allows the Hawaii Technology Development Venture to subcontract with selected companies and provide program oversight. Annual report to the legislature. Appropriation to the Hawaii strategic development corporation through a contract with the Pacific International Center for High Technology Research. (\$\$) -- HB1083 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 691 (EDB/ WLH/) HSCR 1190 (FIN) SSCR 1325 (EDT)  
SSCR 1679 (WAM) CCR 184

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1095 HD1 (HSCR 902)

RELATING TO HOUSING.

Introduced by: Say C

Amends provisions relating to housing; county powers. -- Amends provisions relating to housing; additional county powers. -- Amends provisions relating to revenue bonds by redefining loan program to include or to provide loans to private nonprofit organizations, public instrumentalities, or wholly owned affiliates thereof, for the development of low and moderate income housing. -- HB1095 HD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 629 (HSH) HSCR 902 (FIN) SSCR 1217 (IGM/ CPH/)  
SSCR 1696 (WAM)

Current Status: Apr-11 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-24 07 Approved by Governor (Act 37 2007)

Section Affected: 46-15.1, 46-15.2, 49-1

HB1103 SD1 (SSCR 1490)

RELATING TO ASIAN LUNAR NEW YEAR COMMEMORATION.

Introduced by: Say C

Establishes the Asian lunar new year commemoration week. Requires the 1 week period following the day of the Chinese new year to be known and designated as the Asian lunar new year week of commemoration in Hawaii, not to be construed as a state holiday. -- HB1103 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 790 (TAC/ INT/) SSCR 1490 (TSG)

Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor  
May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 48 2007)

Section Affected: 8- (1 SECTION) ASIAN LUNAR NEW YEAR  
COMMEMORATION WEEK

HB1108 HD1 (HSCR 807)

RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends or repeals various provisions of the Hawaii revised statutes and the session laws of Hawaii for the purpose of correcting errors, clarifying language, correcting references, and deleting obsolete or unnecessary provisions. Amends Act 184, session laws of 2006. -- HB1108 HD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 807 (JUD) SSCR 1126 (JDL)

Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-09 07 Approved by Governor (Act 9 2007)

Section Affected: 6E-11, 36-27, 36-30, 84-17, 132D-16, 134-2, 134-3, 134-9,  
195F-4, 211G-13, 235-51, 235-110.7, 367D-8, 412:3-201,  
412:3-202, 412:3-206, 417E-1, 706-606.2, 707-711, 27-42,  
231-3.2, 231-8.6, 235-110.4, 235-110.45, 235-110.92,  
237-29.65, 237-29.75, 239-13, ACT 184 2006

HB1130 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 71)

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to elections. Establishes reporting deadlines. Redefines contribution and expenditure to exclude an individual or committee engaging in internet activities for the purposes of an election. Requires each candidate or noncandidate committee to register with the election commission by filing an organizational report. Requires a candidate for the board of education to file an election report by electronic means. Amends provisions relating to fundraisers and fundraising activities. -- HB1130 CD1

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Committee Reports: HSCR 796 (JUD) SSCR 1611 (JDL) CCR 71  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 11- (1 SECTION), 11-191, 11-194, 11-195, 11-203, 11-204.5,  
11-207.5, 11-212, 11-213

HB1138 RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to right of entry for inspection; unlawful to obstruct. Requires that the county fire chief or the chief's designees to make an inspection of all state owned or county owned buildings and facilities, except state owned airport facilities. -- HB1138  
Committee Reports: HSCR 753 (TRN) SSCR 1196 (IGM/ TIA/)  
Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
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Section Affected: 132-5, 132-6

HB1155 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1606) RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROPERTY DAMAGE.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to criminal property damage in the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd degree. Provides that when calculating the amount of damages to agricultural products, the amount of damages includes future losses and the loss of future production. -- HB1155 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 459 (AGR) HSCR 1074 (JUD) SSCR 1606 (JDL)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 708-820, 708-821, 708-822

HB1157 RELATING TO DANGEROUS DRUGS.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to promoting a dangerous drug in the 2nd degree. -- HB1157  
Committee Reports: HSCR 772 (JUD) SSCR 1368 (JDL)  
Current Status: Apr-04 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-20 07 Approved by Governor (Act 27 2007)  
Section Affected: 712-1242

HB1158 RELATING TO ARSON.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Establishes provisions relating to special sentencing considerations for arson; other actions not prohibited. Provides a person commits the offense of arson which involves fire set to brush, grass, and vegetation on the land resulting in damage to 10,000 square feet of property or more. Provides a person commits the offense of arson in the 4th degree if the person intentionally, knowingly, or recklessly sets fire to or causes to be burned property and thereby damages the property of another without the other's consent. -- HB1158  
Committee Reports: HSCR 773 (JUD) SSCR 1128 (JDL)  
Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-09 07 Approved by Governor (Act 11 2007)  
Section Affected: 706-606.2, 708-8254

HB1171 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 153) RELATING TO GOVERNMENT.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to civil service and exemptions. Includes positions or contract for personal services with private persons or entities for services lasting no more than 1 year and at a cost of no more than 750,000 dollars. -- HB1171 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 963 (FIN) SSCR 1585 (WAM) CCR 153  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 76-77

HB1200 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 95) RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Office of Hawaiian Affairs Appropriations Act of 2007 (OHA budget). Appropriations to the office of Hawaiian affairs for the 2007 - 2009 fiscal biennium. (\$\$) -- HB1200 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 734 (WLH) HSCR 1213 (FIN) SSCR 1296 (WAH) SSCR 1587 (WAM) CCR 95  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB1204 RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.



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Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to arrest; how made. Limits the arrest citation requirement to the last 4 digits of the offender's social security number. -- Amends provisions relating to complaint; form of warrant. Provides for the submission of an arrest warrant by declaration in accordance with the rules of court. -- HB1204

Committee Reports: HSCR 390 (JUD) SSCR 1194 (JDL)

Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor

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Section Affected: 803-6, 805-1

HB1207 SD1 (SSCR 1487)

RELATING TO DISHONORED PAYMENTS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to assessment and collection of service charges for dishonored items by changing it to assessment and collection of service charges for dishonored payments. Increases the service charge for any remittance for payment that is dishonored to 25 dollars. Authorizes referral to a bonded collection agency. Repeals interest on the service charge. Prohibits interest charged on any penalty. -- HB1207 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 762 (FIN) SSCR 1487 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 40-35.5

HB1210 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1581)

RELATING TO JURORS AND PROSPECTIVE JURORS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to jurors. Defines circuit as a judicial circuit under circuit courts. Defines disability as the state of having a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits 1 or more of a person's major life activities, having a record of such an impairment, or being regarded as having such. Defines felony according to grades and classes of offenses; if a person convicted thereof may be sentenced to imprisonment for a term which is in excess of 1 year. Defines clerk and clerk of the court as the chief court administrator for a circuit, any authorized deputy chief court administrator, and any other person designated by the chief court administrator or the court. -- Requires a juror or prospective juror to be at least 18 years of age. Exempts jurors and prospective jurors from parking violations while on jury duty or appearing in court in response to a summons for jury duty. Repeals the requirement for jurors to state on oath the number of miles traveled. Requires the court to compile a master list containing identifying information of the persons listed. Allows the clerk to return the juror qualification form with instructions to the prospective juror to make additions or corrections. Requires the court to draw a list with a sufficient number of additional names so that alternate grand jurors may be designated to serve in case of any vacancy. Provides the grand jury shall serve for a period of 1 year, or longer, after being impaneled to complete any matter. Provides the clerk shall randomly select names of prospective jurors from a certified list, compile the list, and submit to the judge the selected names in alphabetical sequence. Provides that all names need not be exhausted before other names may be used and the names of additional prospective jurors may be summoned and present. Provides for the use of data processing or any other method to ensure random selection of jurors. -- HB1210 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 822 (JUD) SSCR 1581 (JDL)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 612-2, 612-3, 612-4, 612-7, 612-8, 612-9, 612-11, 612-13, 612-14, 612-15, 612-16, 612-17, 612-18, 612-19, 612-21, 612-22, 612-26, 612-27

HB1211 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 140)

RELATING TO FAMILY COURT.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to appointment of counsel and guardian ad litem; compensation. Provides an increase of fees for court appointed counsel and guardians ad litem, in family court cases, from 40 dollars to 90 dollars per hour for legal services and 60 dollars per hour for nonlegal services. Increases maximum allowable fees for predisposition to 3,000 dollars; postdisposition to 1,000 dollars; and 3,000 dollars for cases involving the uniform probate code, family court, annulment, divorce, separation, and uniform parentage acts. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB1211 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 308 (JUD) HSCR 1153 (FIN) SSCR 1103 (JDL) SSCR 1571 (WAM) CCR 140

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 571-87

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- HB1212 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 94) RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Judiciary appropriations Act of 2007 (judiciary budget). Appropriations to the judiciary for the 2007 - 2009 fiscal biennium. (\$\$) -- HB1212 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 566 (JUD) HSCR 1214 (FIN) SSCR 1330 (JDL) SSCR 1588 (WAM) CCR 94  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 1 2001 1SP, ACT 91 2002, ACT 110 2005, ACT 120 2006
- HB1220 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 163) RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL MARKETING.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Establishes provisions relating to seal of quality special fund. Establishes the fund within the state treasury into which shall be deposited all revenues from the operations of the seal of quality program, fines collected, and any appropriations made by the legislature to the fund. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB1220 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 490 (AGR/ EDB/) HSCR 1123 (FIN) SSCR 1297 (WAH) SSCR 1684 (WAM) CCR 163  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 148- (1 SECTION) SEAL OF QUALITY SPECIAL FUND
- HB1221 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 139) RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Establishes the livestock revitalization program law. Provides grants to reimburse a qualified producer of milk, poultry products, pork, or beef a percentage of feed expenses. Appropriation for the agricultural development division of the department of agriculture to disburse funds to qualified producers of milk, pork, poultry, and beef for the cost of feed for beef cattle, dairy cows, hogs, or poultry and for administrative costs for the program. (\$\$) -- HB1221 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 561 (AGR) HSCR 1014 (FIN) SSCR 1303 (WAH) SSCR 1655 (WAM) CCR 139  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (3 SECTIONS) LIVESTOCK REVITALIZATION PROGRAM
- HB1225 RELATING TO SALARY PAYMENTS.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to salary and pension payments. Repeals the salaries of the comptroller and deputy comptroller to be paid by the director when due provided upon checks approved by the governor. -- HB1225  
Committee Reports: HSCR 763 (FIN) SSCR 1485 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-20 07 Approved by Governor (Act 28 2007)  
Section Affected: 40-53
- HB1226 HD1 (HSCR 950) MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ELECTRICITY PAYMENTS STATEWIDE.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of accounting and general services to pay electricity bills. (\$\$) -- HB1226 HD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 950 (FIN) SSCR 1336 (WAM)  
Current Status: Mar-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-03 07 Approved by Governor (Act 5 2007)
- HB1227 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1491) MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR RISK MANAGEMENT.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of accounting and general services for deposit into the state risk management revolving fund. -- Appropriation out of the foreign trade zone special fund, tourism special fund, US air force MORD-HEVDP, high technology special fund, Hawaii community development revolving fund, airports division, highways division, Hawaii health systems, Hawaii health systems corporation operating, and rental housing program to be paid into the state risk management revolving fund. -- Appropriation out of the state risk management revolving fund. (\$\$) -- HB1227 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 951 (FIN) SSCR 1491 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1231 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 89) MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES.

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Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Appropriation to the department of the attorney general for the purpose of satisfying claims for legislative relief to persons, firms, corporations, and entities which have claims against the State for the overpayment of taxes, refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities. -- Appropriation to the department of transportation, highways division, for the purpose of satisfying claims for legislative relief to persons, for claims against the State or its officers or employees for payments judgments or settlements, or other liabilities. (\$\$) -- HB1231 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 196 (JUD) HSCR 1187 (FIN) SSCR 1257 (JDL) SSCR 1687 (WAM) CCR 89

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB1246 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 70)

RELATING TO METAL.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Establishes provisions relating to theft of copper. Provides that a person commits the offense if the person commits theft of property that contains copper, the weight of which is equal to or exceeds 1 pound and it will be a class C felony. -- Amends provisions relating to statement required. Requires the seller to provide a receipt or notarized declaration that describes the exact item, receipt issuer, date of sell, and price to the dealer. Prohibits the sale to the dealer without a receipt or notarized declaration. Requires the scrap dealer to keep any of the receipts or declarations and photographs or the copper items. Requires that any scrap dealer, when purchasing copper from an individual to require the individual to present valid identification. Establishes fines for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd offenses. Act to be repealed on July 1, 2009 (sunset). -- HB1246 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 818 (JUD) SSCR 1605 (JDL) CCR 70

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 445-231, 445-233, 445-235, 708- (1 SECTION)

HB1248 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1191)

RELATING TO NAME CHANGES.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to change of name procedures. Prohibits any person who is subject to the registration requirements of a covered offender to obtain a name change, unless a court determines it is in the best interest of justice to grant the petition and will not adversely affect public safety. -- HB1248 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 393 (JUD) SSCR 1191 (JDL)

Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor

May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 47 2007)

Section Affected: 574-5

HB1253 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1131)

RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Establishes rules of evidence for admissibility of expressions of sympathy and condolence. Provides that evidence of statements or gestures that express sympathy, commiseration, or condolence concerning the consequences of an event in which the declarant was a participant is not admissible to prove liability for any claim for the event. Provides this rule does not require the exclusion of an apology or other statement that acknowledges or implies fault.. -- HB1253 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 819 (JUD) SSCR 1131 (JDL)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 626-1 RULE (1 SECTION) ADMISSIBILITY OF EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCE

HB1256 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1075)

RELATING TO THE PERFECTION OF APPEALS TO THE TAX APPEAL COURT.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to appeal to tax appeal court. Provides that an appeal to the court is properly commenced by filing and by service of the notice of appeal on the director of taxation and in the case of appeal from a decision involving the county as a party, the real property assessment division of the county involved. -- Amends provisions relating to appeals from boards of review to tax appeal court. Provides that an appeal is properly commenced by the filing by the taxpayer, the county, or the director of taxation within 30 days after the filing of the decision. -- HB1256 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 565 (JUD) HSCR 848 (FIN) SSCR 1075 (EDT/ IGM/) SSCR 1551 (JDL)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 232-16, 232-17

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- HB1264 SD1 CD1 (CCR 57) RELATING TO HOUSING.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to real property; restrictions on transfer; waiver of restrictions. Authorizes the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to waive restrictions if the sale or transfer is of real property subject to a sustainable affordable lease. -- HB1264 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 776 (HSH) SSCR 1539 (CPH) CCR 57  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 201H-47
- HB1270 HD2 SD2 CD2 (SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 25 OR HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 21) RELATING TO STATE PLANNING.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Establishes provisions relating to statewide geospatial information and data integration special fund. Establishes the geospatial information and data integration special fund within the state treasury to be used to help defray the costs of programs and activities, and operating costs of the statewide geospatial information system. Requires the office of planning to gather, analyze, and provide information to the governor to assist in the overall analysis and formulation of state policies and strategies to provide central direction and cohesion in the allocation of resources and effecuation of state activities and programs and effectively address current or emerging issues and opportunities. -- Amends provisions relating to fees for statewide geographic information system services by changing it to fees for statewide geographic information system services and products. Requires all fees collected for geographic information system analyses and other related services to be deposited into the statewide geospatial information and data integration special fund. Appropriation. -- Appropriation to the office of the auditor for additional funding for the Hawaii 2050 sustainability task force to develop a Hawaii 2050 sustainability plan. Report to the legislature. (\$\$) -- HB1270 CD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 171 (EDB) HSCR 1154 (FIN) SSCR 1188 (WAH) SSCR 1656 (WAM) CCR 186 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 25 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 21  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 225M- (1 SECTION), 225M-2, 225M-6
- HB1278 HD1 (HSCR 1047) RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL SITE CLEANUP.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends Act 173, session laws of 2002, relating to the Hawaii brownfields cleanup revolving loan fund, by deleting the sunset date. -- HB1278 HD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 330 (EEP) HSCR 1047 (FIN) SSCR 1158 (ENE) SSCR 1518 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
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Section Affected: ACT 173 2002
- HB1287 RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to unclaimed property by repealing the escheat process. -- HB1287  
Committee Reports: HSCR 764 (FIN) SSCR 1082 (TSG) SSCR 1462 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-20 07 Approved by Governor (Act 29 2007)  
Section Affected: 523A-3.5
- HB1291 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1572) RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to pension and retirement systems. Requires that regular interest be credited to a class C member on any deductions erroneously made from the compensation of the member and paid into the annuity savings fund. Redefines children by repealing foster child. Provides that if a member has not attained age 55 at the date of retirement, the member's retirement allowance shall be reduced, for each month the member's age at the date of retirement is below age 55, provided that no reduction shall be made if the member has at least 25 years of credited service as a firefighter, police officer, corrections officer, investigator of the department of the prosecuting attorney, investigator of the department of the attorney general, narcotics enforcement investigator, public safety investigations staff investigator, sewer worker, or water safety officer, of which the last 5 or more years prior to retirement is credited service in these capacities. Provides that if the beneficiary of the retirant who retired after November 30,

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2004, and dies after June 30, 2007, elects to receive the allowance in lieu of the lump sum balance, there shall also be payable to the beneficiary an additional allowance as a post retirement allowance. Requires claims made by a retirant's or member's beneficiary for benefits upon the death of the retirant or member to be filed no later than 3 years from the date of death. Provides that a retirant who returns to service and dies during the period of reemployment shall be considered to have retired again effective as of the 1st day of the month following the month in which the death occurs, except for death during the month of December when the effective date of retirement may be the last day of the month. Prohibits a retirant from changing the retirant's designated beneficiary when returning to service or upon retiring again if the retirant's designation of a beneficiary was irrevocable upon the initial retirement. Provides that if the beneficiary died prior to the retirant, all further payment shall cease upon the death of the retirant. Prohibits an election of retirement allowance option if there are individuals who are eligible to receive death benefits and who have made a claim for the benefits at the time of the member's death. Provides that the increase in the retirant's benefit under options 2, 3, and, if applicable, 4, upon the death of the designated beneficiary shall be effective the 1st day of the month following the date of death of the beneficiary. Requires the retirant to notify the system in writing and provide a certified copy of the beneficiary's death certificate. Repeals refund of additional contributions. -- HB1291 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 303 (LAB) HSCR 1165 (FIN) SSCR 1152 (JDL) SSCR 1572 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 88- (1 SECTION), 88-21, 88-29, 88-51, 88-59.5, 88-62, 88-74, 88-74.6, 88-76, 88-79, 88-81, 88-81.5, 88-83, 88-84, 88-90.5, 88-93, 88-98, 88-251, 88-273, 88-283, 88-301, 88-322, 88-333, 88-334, 88-336, 88-338, 88-342, 88-344, 88-72

HB1294

RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to state and county contributions; retired employees. Provides that if the Hawaii employer union health benefits trust fund board of trustees adopts a rate structure that provides for other than self and family rates for the health benefit plans, the base monthly contribution for the rate structure adopted by the board shall be adjusted to provide the equivalent underwriting cost as the base monthly contribution. -- HB1294

Committee Reports: HSCR 503 (LAB) HSCR 974 (FIN) SSCR 1136 (JDL) SSCR 1461 (WAM)

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Section Affected: 87A-33

HB1306 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1223)

RELATING TO ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR SECURITIES VIOLATIONS COMMITTED AGAINST ELDERS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Establishes provisions relating to additional administrative penalties for securities violations committed against elders. Provides that if a person commits a violation directed toward, targets, or is committed against a person who at the time of the violation is 62 years of age or older, the commissioner, in addition to any other administrative penalty, may impose an administrative penalty not to exceed 50,000 dollars for each violation except for registered dealers. -- Establishes provisions relating to additional civil penalties for securities violations committed against elders. Provides that if a person commits a violation directed toward, targets, or is committed against a person who at the time of the violation is 62 years of age or older, the commissioner of financial institutions, in addition to any other administrative penalty, may impose an administrative penalty not to exceed 50,000 dollars for each violation except for registered broker dealers. -- HB1306 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 512 (CPC) HSCR 877 (JUD) SSCR 1223 (CPH) SSCR 1550 (JDL)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 485- (2 SECTIONS), 485A- (2 SECTIONS)

HB1307 HD2 (HSCR 871)

RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provision relating to application for certificate of authority under the nonprofit corporation act. Requires foreign limited liability company applications filing for

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certificate of authority include the name of its registered agent at its registered office in the state. Amends provision relating to application for certificate of authority under the uniform limited liability company act. Requires foreign limited liability company applications filing for certificate of authority include the name of its registered agent at its registered office in the state. -- HB1307 HD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 340 (EDB) HSCR 871 (CPC) SSCR 1959 (CPH)

Current Status: May=01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 414D-273, 428-1002

HB1322 SD1 CD1 (CCR 83)

RELATING TO INSURANCE LICENSING.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to fees. Adds limited line motor vehicle rental company producer's license: fee of 1,000 dollars. Amends fees for services of the department of commerce and consumer affairs of 600 dollars per year for all services (including extension of license) for a regularly licensed limited line motor vehicle rental company producer. Amends place of business. Provides that the place of business of every licensed adjuster and independent bill reviewer to be the place where the licensee principally conducts transactions under the licensee's license. -- HB1322 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 188 (CPC) HSCR 869 (FIN) SSCR 1229 (CPH) SSCR 1620 (WAM) CCR 83

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 431:7-101, 431:9-228

HB1323 SD1 (SSCR 1505)

RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to taxation. Provides that the tax on gross premiums paid by each captive insurance company shall be 0.00 per cent on more than 250 million dollars of gross premiums for insurance written on all risks or property resident and on risks and property situated elsewhere upon which no premium tax is otherwise paid during the year ending on the preceding December 31, less return premiums and less any reinsurance accepted and that the annual maximum aggregate tax on gross premiums shall not exceed 200,000 dollars. -- HB1323 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 189 (CPC) HSCR 1131 (FIN) SSCR 1228 (CPH) SSCR 1505 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 431:19-116

HB1328 HD2 SD2 (SSCR 1589)

RELATING TO SENTENCING OF REPEAT OFFENDERS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to sentencing of repeat offenders to include worker's compensation insurance fraud violations and penalties, health insurance fraud violations and penalties, motor vehicle insurance fraud violations and penalties, mutual benefit societies health insurance, insurance fraud violations and penalties, and health maintenance organizations (HMOs) health insurance fraud violations and penalties. -- HB1328 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 191 (CPC) HSCR 913 (JUD) SSCR 1224 (CPH) SSCR 1589 (JDL)

Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor

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Section Affected: 706-606.5

HB1334 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1230)

RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING FEES.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to state service fees; increase or decrease of. Extends the authority of the respective directors to increase or decrease fees or nontax revenues. -- HB1334 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 435 (CPC) HSCR 919 (FIN) SSCR 1230 (CPH) SSCR 1454 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 92-28

HB1336 SD1 (SSCR 1557)

RELATING TO SANCTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS BY MORTGAGE BROKERS AND SOLICITORS COMMITTED AGAINST ELDERS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Establishes provisions relating to additional sanctions for violations committed against elders. Provides that if a person who in the course of engaging in conduct that requires

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a license commits a violation directed toward, targets, or is committed against an elder, may be fined an amount not to exceed 10,000 dollars for each violation in addition to any other fine or penalty. -- HB1336 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 786 (CPC/ JUD/) SSCR 1225 (CPH) SSCR 1557 (JDL)  
Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: 454- (1 SECTION) ADDITIONAL SANCTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS COMMITTED AGAINST ELDERS

HB1337 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 61)

RELATING TO THE DEATH CARE INDUSTRY.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Establishes provisions relating to the cancellation; default and termination; refund. Provides that any time before pre need funeral services or pre need interment services are received by the purchaser or the purchaser's contract beneficiary, the purchaser of a contract may cancel the pre need contract in writing of the purchaser's desire to cancel the contract. Establishes conditions for the termination of contract because of delinquent payment. -- Amends provisions relating to map or plat required; unique identifier. Requires that the cemetery authority include file and maps or plats required by the office of the bureau of conveyances or the office of the assistant registrar of land court, and maintain a copy of all files maps as a permanent record of the cemetery authority and to maintain a permanent, accurate record of the identity of each person whose remains are located in the cemetery, together with the corresponding unique identifier that indicates the location of the person's remains within the cemetery and to specify the unique identifier of a plot, crypt, or niche in any document that provides for the sale, transfer, or disposition of the plot, crypt, or niche. Amends mortgages and liens by adding consumer contracts; sales prohibited whether the property has been set aside for by adding contracts containing pre need interment services. Amends sale of plots after dedication; sale of encumbered plots prohibited unless encumbrance subordinate to dedication. Amends inspecting of cemetery or pre need funeral authority books. Requires that the cemetery authority record any and all notifications from purchasers or representatives regarding any change in address and cancellations. -- HB1337 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 814 (CPC/ JUD/) SSCR 1599 (CPH) CCR 61

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 441- (1 SECTION), 441-3, 441-12, 441-13, 441-22.5, 441-24, 441-45

HB1338 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1231)

MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Appropriation out of the public utilities commission special fund to be deposited into the compliance resolution fund. Appropriation out of the compliance resolution fund to the department of commerce and consumer affairs to investigate the power outages that occurred on October 15, 2006 on the islands of Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii. Report to the legislature by the division of consumer advocacy. (\$\$) -- HB1338 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 510 (CPC) HSCR 920 (FIN) SSCR 1231 (CPH) SSCR 1516 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1345 HD2 SD3 CD1 (CCR 149)

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR NATURAL DISASTERS.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Appropriation to the department of defense for operational expenses associated with earthquake disaster recovery efforts, including but not limited to national guard personnel on state active duty and helicopter operating expenses. -- Appropriation out of the emergency and budget reserve fund for earthquake disaster recovery projects to include the 25 percent non federal cost share for earthquake disaster recovery projects made eligible under the Federal Emergency Management Agency's public assistance program. -- Report to the legislature by departments or agencies expending funds. (\$\$) -- HB1345 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 401 (PSM) HSCR 1106 (FIN) SSCR 1254 (IGM) SSCR 1617 (WAM) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 14 CCR 149

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1352 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 170)

ESTABLISHING A COMMISSION TO PLAN FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HAWAII STATEHOOD.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

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Establishes a temporary commission to be known as the 50th anniversary of statehood commission within the office of the governor. Commission to develop, plan, and coordinate various program activities to celebrate and commemorate the 50th anniversary of the admission of Hawaii to statehood, including a series of events for August 2009. Report to the legislature. Appropriation. Commission shall cease to exist after December 31, 2009 (sunset). (\$\$) -- HB1352 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 235 (TAC) HSCR 1148 (FIN) SSCR 1083 (TSG) SSCR 1510 (WAM) CCR 170

Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1361 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1278)

RELATING TO HOUSING.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provision relating to general powers. Defines tenant to mean any person occupying a dwelling unit or living quarters in any public housing project, under or by virtue of any tenancy lease or rental agreement under or for the authority. Amends termination and eviction. Requires the Hawaii public housing authority to inform the tenant written notice that the tenant has 10 business days, from receipt to request a grievance hearing and if the tenant fails the authority has the right to proceed with the eviction hearing. Establishes provisions relating to temporary emergency housing. Requires the authority to develop in consultation with the 4 counties, a procedure for identifying locations to be used for temporary emergency shelters for homeless individuals and families and actively partner with and monitor the efforts of the counties. Requires the authority to work with landowners and the local redevelopment authority on the use of barracks and other facilities located in the Kalaeloa community development district that are suitable for temporary emergency housing for homeless individuals and families. Annual report to the legislature. -- HB1361 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 576 (HSH) HSCR 905 (FIN) SSCR 1278 (HSP/ IGM/) SSCR 1458 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 356D-1, 356D-92, 521-7, 356D-97, 356D- (1 SECTION)

HB1364 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 79)

RELATING TO THE STATE RENT SUPPLEMENT PROGRAM.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to rent supplements. Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to make, and contract to make, annual payments to housing owner on behalf of a qualified tenant in amounts and under circumstances as are prescribed by the Hawaii public housing authority. Repeals the maximum amount of rent supplement that housing and community development corporation of Hawaii may pay. Amends qualified tenant; defined; preference income limit as determined by the authority provided that the income shall not exceed 95 per cent of the area median income as determined by the US department of housing and urban development and requires the authority to give preference to qualified tenants with incomes at or below 80 per cent of the annual median income. -- HB1364 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 534 (HSH) HSCR 906 (FIN) SSCR 1277 (HSP) SSCR 1451 (WAM) CCR 79

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 356D-151, 356D-153

HB1368 SD1 CD1 (CCR 162)

RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL FACILITIES SPECIAL FUND.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Changes the hospital and medical facilities special fund to the office of health care assurance special fund. Requires that the department of health to administer the special funds and to expend the fund to offset operating costs, improve program and community development and educate other departments within the state, as well as staff and providers, health care facilities and agencies. -- HB1368 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 221 (HLT) HSCR 854 (FIN) SSCR 1174 (HTH) SSCR 1449 (WAM) CCR 162

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 321-1.4, 321-11.5, 321-15.6

HB1370 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 58)

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE ADULT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Appropriation to the department of health for ongoing services provided by the adult mental health division. (\$\$) -- HB1370 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 318 (HLT) HSCR 1031 (FIN) SSCR 1172 (HTH) SSCR



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- 1509 (WAM) CCR 58  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1372 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 75) MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND INJURY PREVENTION SYSTEM BRANCH.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of health to reimburse costs associated with the delivery of service by the Hawaii army national guard or other provider. (\$\$) -- HB1372 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 406 (HLT) HSCR 1032 (FIN) SSCR 1173 (HTH) SSCR 1477 (WAM) CCR 75  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1376 RELATING TO PETROLEUM-CONTAMINATED SOIL.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Repeals provisions prohibiting the transportation of petroleum contaminated oil without a permit. -- HB1376  
Committee Reports: HSCR 756 (EEP) SSCR 1484 (ENE)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-19 07 Approved by Governor (Act 25 2007)  
Section Affected: 342H-4.5
- HB1377 MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of Hawaii health systems corporation to increase the expenditure ceiling of the health systems special fund to pay for operational costs that will exceed the current expenditure ceiling. (\$\$) -- HB1377  
Committee Reports: HSCR 319 (HLT) HSCR 1132 (FIN) SSCR 1166 (HTH) SSCR 1519 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-16 07 Approved by Governor (Act 17 2007)
- HB1379 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 51) RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Establishes provisions relating the treatment of Indian tribes under employment security law. Provides that benefits based on service in employment shall be payable in the same amount, on the same terms and subject to the same conditions as benefits payable on the basis of other service. Further provides that financing of benefits to apply in the same manner and under the same terms and conditions in rates of contributions, financing benefits paid to government employees and employees of nonprofit organizations. Amends excluded service. Provides that employment shall not include agricultural labor performed by an alien if such agricultural labor is performed by an individual who is an alien admitted to the US to perform agricultural labor. -- HB1379 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 624 (LAB) HSCR 987 (FIN) SSCR 1549 (WAM) CCR 51  
Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 383- (1 SECTION), 383-7
- HB1393 RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT (MODIFIED).  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to disclosure required. Requires certified payroll record on public works contracts to not disclose personal residence addresses of individuals. -- HB1393  
Committee Reports: HSCR 392 (JUD) SSCR 1127 (JDL)  
Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-09 07 Approved by Governor (Act 14 2007)  
Section Affected: 92F-12
- HB1399 SD1 (SSCR 1269) RELATING TO INCARCERATED PERSONS.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to compensation for labor or training by committed persons. Adds that any committed person other than persons on work furlough shall not be considered an employee or in employment. Amends provisions relating to excluded service under workers' compensation law. Redefines employment to exclude services performed by an inmate or any person committed to a penal institution. -- HB1399 SD1

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- Committee Reports: HSCR 198 (PSM/ LAB/) HSCR 864 (FIN) SSCR 1269 (PBS)  
SSCR 1554 (JDL)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 353-19, 383-7
- HB1400 RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to the powers and duties of the director. Allows that the director of the department of public safety to sell uniforms and uniform accessories to adult corrections officers. -- HB1400  
Committee Reports: HSCR 694 (PSM) HSCR 865 (FIN) SSCR 1138 (PBS) SSCR 1452 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-05 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-17 07 Approved by Governor (Act 19 2007)  
Section Affected: 354D-4
- HB1411 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1068) RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amendment relating to conforming the Hawaii income tax law to the Federal Internal Revenue Code. -- HB1411 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 768 (FIN) HSCR 952 (FIN) SSCR 1068 (EDT) SSCR 1445 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 235-2.3
- HB1414 HD1 SD2 (FLOOR AMENDMENT 9) MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION COUNTY SURCHARGE IMPLEMENTATION COSTS.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Appropriation to the department of taxation for costs incurred in implementing and administering the county surcharge in state general excise tax, including the costs of the computer vendor. (\$\$) -- HB1414 SD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 300 (TRN) HSCR 1109 (FIN) SSCR 1052 (IGM) SSCR 1069 (EDT) SSCR 1446 (WAM) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 9  
Current Status: Apr-20 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-27 07 Approved by Governor (Act 45 2007)
- HB1427 RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.  
Introduced by: Say C (BR)  
Amends provisions relating to number plates (license plates). Repeals the minimum height of 12 inches from the ground. -- Amends provisions relating to lights for motor vehicles, motorcycles, motor scooters, and motorized bicycles. Reduces the minimum height of head lamps from 24 to 22 inches above the road surface. -- HB1427  
Committee Reports: HSCR 755 (TRN) SSCR 1129 (TIA)  
Current Status: Mar-23 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-09 07 Approved by Governor (Act 7 2007)  
Section Affected: 249-7, 291-25
- HB1435 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 166) RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII ENDOWMENT FUND.  
Introduced by: Oshiro M  
Amends Act 97, session laws of 2006, which provides an appropriation to the department of accounting and general services for deposit into the state of Hawaii endowment fund for the production of music by an Oahu based symphony orchestra to be matched dollar for dollar by private funds, by allowing pledges. (\$\$) -- HB1435 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 233 (TAC) HSCR 1158 (FIN) SSCR 1321 (EDT) SSCR 1633 (WAM) CCR 166  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 97 2006
- HB1477 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 160) RELATING TO RURAL PRIMARY HEALTH CARE TRAINING.  
Introduced by: Green J, McKelvey A, Chang J, Evans C, Carroll M, Yamashita K  
Appropriation to the university of Hawaii John A. Burns school of medicine to support and expand the family medicine residency program of the department of family medicine and community health to provide rural primary healthcare services and to develop a statewide rural primary healthcare training program to provide family physicians to rural areas and to improve healthcare access. (\$\$) -- HB1477 CD1

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Committee Reports: HSCR 213 (HLT) HSCR 717 (HED) HSCR 1177 (FIN) SSCR  
1248 (HTH/ EDU/) SSCR 1478 (WAM) CCR 160  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1493 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1104)

RELATING TO THE CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION COMMISSION.

Introduced by: Lee M

Amends provisions relating to commission staff of the crime victim compensation commission. Establishes that supervisory, administrative and clerical personnel shall be appointed without regard to civil service law provided that no position filled currently shall be affected. Further provides that upon becoming vacant any position filled shall be filled by an employee appointed without regard to civil service law. -- HB1493 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 49 (LAB) HSCR 741 (JUD) HSCR 988 (FIN) SSCR 1104  
(JDL) SSCR 1697 (WAM)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 351-69

HB1500 HD2 SD2 (SSCR 1646)

RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY.

Introduced by: Nakasone B

Amends provisions relating to weekly benefit amount; computation, minimum and maximum under unemployment compensation. Establishes that for the benefit years beginning January 1, 2008, and ending December 31, 2010, 75 per cent of the average weekly wage shall constitute the maximum weekly benefit amount and shall apply to all claims for benefits filed by an individual qualifying for payment at the maximum weekly benefit amount in the benefit year commencing on or after the 1st day of the calendar year immediately following the determination of the maximum weekly benefit amount.

-- Amends provisions relating to weekly benefit for unemployment. Provides that effective for weeks beginning January 1, 2008, and thereafter, each eligible individual who is unemployed under Hawaii employment security law, in any week shall be paid, with respect to that week, a benefit in an amount equal to the individual's weekly benefit amount, less that part of the wages, if any, payable to the individual with respect to that week which is in excess of 150 dollars. Amends payment of contributions; wages not included. Adds for calendar years 2008, 2009, and 2010 only, the term wages as used in this part does not include remuneration in excess of 13,000 dollars paid with respect to employment to an individual by an employer so long as the balance of the unemployment trust funds does not fall below the adequate reserve fund. Changes the effective date of the definition of adequate reserve fund from calendar year 1992 to calendar years 1992 through 2007 and from calendar year 2011 and thereafter. Requires the department of labor and industrial relations submit a report to the 2011 legislative session detailing the effect of this bill on the unemployment compensation fund. Report to the legislature. -- HB1500 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 506 (LAB) HSCR 1171 (FIN) SSCR 1329 (JDL) SSCR  
1646 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 383-22, 383-23, 383-61, 383-63

HB1503 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 68)

RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT.

Introduced by: Takamine D, Takumi R, Mizuno J, Morita H, Takai K

Amends provisions relating to notification and establishes penalty. Defines divestiture to mean the transfer of any covered establishment from 1 employer to another because of the sale, transfer, merger, and other business takeover or transaction of business interests that causes the covered establishment's employees to become dislocated workers. Requires that employers provide written notification to each employee and the director of labor and industrial relations of any divestiture. Provides that an employer who violates this section shall be liable to each affected employee for an amount equal to back pay and benefits for the period of violation not to exceed 60 days and subject to civil penalty not to exceed 500 dollars for each day of the violation. Exempts an employer of a covered establishment which is actively seeking a buyer for a sale, transfer, or merger until such time the sale, transfer or merger results in a divestiture. -- HB1503 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 135 (LAB) HSCR 1075 (JUD) SSCR 1604 (JDL) CCR 68

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 394B-2, 394B-9, 394B-12

HB1513 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1133)

RELATING TO ELECTION OFFENSES.

Introduced by: Manahan J, Chang J, Magaoay M, Tokioka J, Rhoads K, Finnegan L, Mizuno J, Lee M, Brower T, Tsuji C, McKelvey A, Waters T

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Amends provisions relating to penalties; disqualification for, removal from office; reports of convictions to chief election officer. Increases fines ranging from 100 to 1,000 dollars, to 1,000 to 5,000 dollars for those persons found guilty of an election fraud. -- HB1513 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 395 (JUD) SSCR 1133 (JDL)  
Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor  
May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 55 2007)  
Section Affected: 19-4

HB1518 HD1 SD2 CD1 (CCR 65)

RELATING TO DESIGN PROFESSIONALS.

Introduced by: Magaoay M

Establishes design claims conciliation panel LAW. Provides that design claim conciliation panels shall be formed for each claim filed against a design professional to review and render findings and advisory opinions on the issues of liability and damages in tort claims against the design professional licensed to practice under professional engineers, architects, surveyors, and landscape architects law. Annual report to the legislature by the director of commerce and consumer affairs. -- HB1518 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 437 (CPC) HSCR 1076 (JUD) SSCR 1260 (CPH) SSCR 1590 (JDL) CCR 65  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (17 SECTIONS) DESIGN CLAIMS CONCILIATION PANEL

HB1529 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 202)

RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

Introduced by: Chang J, Lee M, Herkes R, Sonson A, Rhoads K, Hanohano F, Marumoto B, McKelvey A, Ching C, Carroll M, Mizuno J, Karamatsu J, Wakai G, Nishimoto S, Green J, Manahan J

Establishes provisions relating to the Senator Hiram L. Fong scholarship program and endowment trust. Establishes the Senator Hiram L. Fong scholarship program to be administered by the university of Hawaii to provide financial support to students enrolled at any campus of the university of Hawaii. Provides that the program shall be funded by proceeds from an endowment trust established with initial funding by an appropriation and administered by the board of regents of the university of Hawaii. -- Establishes provisions relating to the Senator Oren E. Long scholarship program and endowment trust. Establishes the Senator Oren E Long scholarship program to be administered by the university of Hawaii to provide financial support to students enrolled at any campus of the university of Hawaii. Provides that the program shall be funded by proceeds from an endowment trust established with initial funding by an appropriation and administered by the board of regents. Appropriations. (\$\$) -- HB1529 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 108 (HED) HSCR 1040 (FIN) SSCR 1107 (EDU) SSCR 1470 (WAM) CCR 202  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 304A- (2 SECTIONS) THE SENATOR HIRAM L. FONG SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

HB1567 SD1 CD1 (CCR 144)

RELATING TO STATE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES EXCLUDED FROM COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER ADJUSTMENTS.

Introduced by: Sonson A

Appropriation to the state ethics commission, office of the auditor, office of the legislative reference bureau, and office of the ombudsman for salary increases and other cost adjustments for officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining. (\$\$) -- HB1567 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 780 (FIN) SSCR 1137 (JDL) SSCR 1573 (WAM) CCR 144  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1568 SD1 CD1 (CCR 148)

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.

Introduced by: Sonson A

Appropriation to the director of finance for salary increases and other cost adjustments for negotiated collective bargaining cost items for public employees in collective bargaining unit 5 (teachers and other personnel of the department of education) and for state officers and employees in the department of education excluded from collective bargaining. (\$\$) -- HB1568 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 781 (FIN) SSCR 1144 (JDL) SSCR 1575 (WAM) CCR 148  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature

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- HB1569 SD1 CD1 (CCR 147) MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.  
Introduced by: Sonson A  
Appropriation to the director of finance and chief justice for salary increases and other cost adjustments for negotiated collective bargaining cost items and for Hawaii employer union health benefits trust fund costs for public employees in collective bargaining unit 10 (nonprofessional hospital and institutional workers), for state officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining, and for state employees in unit 10 assigned to the Hawaii health systems corporation. (\$\$) -- HB1569 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 782 (FIN) SSCR 1145 (JDL) SSCR 1616 (WAM) CCR 147  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1570 SD1 (SSCR 1647) MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.  
Introduced by: Sonson A  
Appropriation to the director of finance for salary increases and other cost adjustments for negotiated collective bargaining cost items and for Hawaii employer union health benefits trust fund costs for public employees in collective bargaining unit 11 (firefighters), and for state officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining unit 11. (\$\$) -- HB1570 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 783 (FIN) SSCR 1146 (JDL) SSCR 1647 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1572 SD1 CD1 (CCR 146) MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.  
Introduced by: Sonson A  
Appropriation to the director of finance and chief justice for salary increases and other cost adjustments for negotiated collective bargaining cost items and for Hawaii employer union health benefits trust fund costs for public employees in collective bargaining unit 1 (nonsupervisory blue collar employees), for state officers and employees excluded from collective bargaining, and for state employees in unit 1 assigned to the Hawaii health systems corporation. (\$\$) -- HB1572 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 784 (FIN) SSCR 1147 (JDL) SSCR 1574 (WAM) CCR 146  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1605 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 92) RELATING TO TRAFFIC CONTROL.  
Introduced by: McKelvey A, Bertram J  
Appropriation out of the state highway fund to the department of transportation for the development and implementation of an intelligent transportation system architectural plan for Maui, including a Maui traffic control center. This project deemed necessary to qualify for federal aid financing, or reimbursement, or both. (\$\$) -- HB1605 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 301 (TRN) HSCR 1110 (FIN) SSCR 1098 (TIA) SSCR 1650 (WAM) CCR 92  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1608 SD3 CD1 (CCR 59) RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.  
Introduced by: McKelvey A, Carroll M, Bertram J, Awana K, Har S, Evans C  
Establishes provisions relating to emergency powers; traffic emergency zones. Provides that in the event that the governor or the director of transportation in the case of a state highway or the mayor of the county or the county director of transportation in the case of a county highway determines that substantial endangerment to public health and safety is or is highly likely to be caused by temporary closure of or the lack of adequate access to, an area by a county highway or state highway which requires immediate action, the governor or director of transportation, or mayor of a county or the county director of transportation, in the case of a county highway, without a public hearing may designate the area to be a traffic emergency zone and may take any and all other action as may be necessary until access to the designated area has been established. Requires a hearing to be held before the state director of transportation or the county director of transportation, not later than 24 hours thereafter. -- HB1608 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 324 (TRN/ PSM) HSCR 1078 (JUD) SSCR 1095 (TIA) SSCR 1674 (JDL) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 18 CCR 59  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 264- (1 SECTION) EMERGENCY POWERS
- HB1612 SD1 CD1 (CCR 60) RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES.  
Introduced by: Waters T  
Amends provisions relating to security freeze by consumer reporting agency. Allows any consumer who is a resident of this state to place a security freeze on the consumer's credit report instead of a consumer who has been the victim of identity theft by making

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a request in writing by certified mail to a consumer credit reporting agency with a valid copy of a police report, investigative report, or complaint the consumer had filed with a law enforcement agency about unlawful use of the consumer's personal information by another person. Prohibits a consumer credit reporting agency from charging a victim of identity theft a fee for placing, lifting, or removing a security freeze on a credit report but may charge any other consumer a fee not to exceed 5 dollars for each request by the consumer to place, lift, or remove a security freeze from the consumer's credit report. -- HB1612 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 787 (CPC/ JUD/) SSCR 1541 (CPH) CCR 60  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 489P-3

HB1614 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 99)

RELATING TO DRUGS.

Introduced by: Waters T, Tokioka J, Caldwell K, Magaoay M

Appropriation to the drug nuisance abatement unit of the department of the attorney general for 1.5 investigator positions and 1.0 clerk typist position. (\$\$) -- HB1614 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 385 (JUD) HSCR 1094 (FIN) SSCR 1256 (JDL) SSCR 1595 (WAM) CCR 99

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB1628 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 53)

RELATING TO HAWAII MACADAMIA NUT PRODUCT LABELING.

Introduced by: Herkes R

Amends provisions relating to macadamia nuts; labeling requirements. Requires the label on a consumer package to be worded Hawaii grown macadamia nuts if a portion of the raw or processed macadamia nuts contained in the package were grown in Hawaii, preceded by the per cent by weight of the macadamia nuts contained in the package that were grown in Hawaii, to appear on the principal display panel of the package. Further requires the per cent by weight of the macadamia nuts in the package to be the percentage calculated by dividing the weight in pounds of the macadamia nuts grown in Hawaii that are in the package, by the weight in pounds of all macadamia nuts in the package and multiplying the quotient by 100. Prohibits labels representing that all of the macadamia nuts in the package were grown in Hawaii if any portion of the nuts contained in the package are not grown in the State. -- HB1628 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 375 (AGR) HSCR 872 (CPC) SSCR 1292 (WAH) SSCR 1667 (CPH) CCR 53

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 486-120.5

HB1630 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 131)

RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.

Introduced by: Yamashita K, Chong P, Tsuji C, Yamane R, Karamatsu J, Say C, Caldwell K, Manahan J, Chang J, Wakai G

Appropriation to the Economic Development Alliance of Hawaii, Inc. and implemented in partnership with county economic development boards to be deposited into the Hawaii 3Ts school technology laboratories fund. Appropriation out of the Hawaii 3Ts school technology laboratories fund to maintain the project EAST (environmental and spatial technology) program in existing schools and to expand the program to schools statewide. Requires matching funds. (\$\$) -- HB1630 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 227 (EDN) HSCR 983 (FIN) SSCR 1077 (EDT) SSCR 1561 (WAM) CCR 131

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature

HB1631 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 199)

RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY BUSINESS INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT.

Introduced by: Yamashita K, Chong P, Tsuji C, Wakai G, Manahan J, Karamatsu J, Say C, Yamane R

Requires a qualified high technology business that accepts an investment for which the high technology business investment income tax credit may be claimed to complete and file an annual survey on electronic forms prepared by the department of taxation with the director of taxation. Requires the department of use the information to measure the effectiveness of the tax credit. Establishes penalties for failure to file. -- Amends provisions relating to the tax administration special fund. -- Amends provisions relating to the high technology business investment income tax credit. Provides that by accepting an investment for which the credit may be claimed, a qualified high technology business consents to the public disclosure of the qualified high technology business' name and status as a beneficiary of the credit. -- Requires the department of taxation to prepare and submit a report to the legislature summarizing the data submitted by qualified high technology businesses on form N-317 for all previous years available.

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Requires the report to include a summary descriptive statistics regarding the nature of qualified research activities, job creation, and salaries paid by high technology businesses. Act to be repealed on January 1., 2011 (sunset). -- HB1631 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 604 (EDB) HSCR 1111 (FIN) SSCR 1317 (EDT) SSCR 1506 (WAM) CCR 199  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 235-20.5, 235-110.9

HB1641 HD2 SD2 (SSCR 1662)

RELATING TO PESTICIDES.  
Introduced by: Tsuji C, Brower T  
Amends provisions relating to Hawaii pesticides law. Defines structural pest control operator as a commercial pesticide applicator that possesses a valid license for pest control. Prohibits the exposure to or offer for sale or to solicit or receive orders for the sale of restricted use pesticides by a pesticide dealer to any pest control operator or to an employee of the pest control operator acting on the pest control operator's behalf without satisfactory proof that the pest control operator holds, or has held within the previous 120 days, a pest control license and, when applicable, without satisfactory proof that the employee is employed by the pest control operator. -- HB1641 SD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 496 (EEP/ AGR/) HSCR 967 (CPC) SSCR 1252 (ENE) SSCR 1662 (CPH)  
Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 149A-2, 149A-11, 149A-31

HB1646 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 52)

RELATING TO PESTICIDES.  
Introduced by: Caldwell K, Tsuji C  
Establishes provisions relating to pesticide information signs. Requires retailers of pesticides to the public to post a warning sign which includes information of the proper handling, storage, and disposal of all pesticides sold, emergency telephone number to call in case of poisoning from the pesticides, and other related information the department of agriculture deems helpful and appropriate for consumers. Defines distribute or sell. -- HB1646 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 476 (EEP/ AGR/) HSCR 943 (CPC) SSCR 1523 (ENE/ WAH/) CCR 52  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 149A- (1 SECTION), 149A-2

HB1659 HD2 SD1 CD1 (CCR 185)

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.  
Introduced by: Oshiro M  
Amends provisions relating to application of this chapter. Provides that any moneys received by, on behalf of, or for the benefit of a government body pursuant to a solicitation of funds by the government body to cover the costs and expenses of a state sponsored enterprise, including trips and other endeavors to generate business opportunities and goodwill for the state shall be deposited into the general fund and disbursed pursuant to legislative appropriation. Appropriation to the department of business, economic development, and tourism to cover the costs and expenses of state sponsored trips and other state sponsored endeavors. (\$\$) -- HB1659 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 526 (EDB) HSCR 1091 (FIN) SSCR 1084 (TSG) SSCR 1515 (WAM) CCR 185  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 103D-102

HB1670 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 183)

RELATING TO THE INGENUITY CHARTER.  
Introduced by: Yamashita K, Oshiro M, Yamane R, McKelvey A, Karamatsu J, Caldwell K, Say C, Chong P, Tsuji C, Souki J, Magaoay M, Ito K, Manahan J, Chang J  
Establishes the ingenuity charter law. Establishes the ingenuity company as a private, for profit, non stock, limited liability company. Provides that the company shall acquire, invest in, license, use, and sell intellectual property and other property for the overall benefit of investors, labor unions, and public educators; enforce the intellectual property rights of inventors to encourage and reward innovation as well as to forge an anchor for good jobs; engage in any lawful business that is of potential benefit to inventors, labor unions, or public educators; promote Hawaii's role as a center of innovation; support the teaching of innovation and its application for the common good; and use the right to exclude conferred by intellectual property and raise global labor and environmental standards. Provides that income of the company shall not be subject to income taxes. Annual report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- HB1670 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 173 (EDB) HSCR 443 (EDN/ LAB/) HSCR 1112 (FIN)

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SSCR 1307 (EDT/ EDU/) SSCR 1637 (WAM) CCR 183  
Current Status: May=03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (19 SECTIONS) INGENUITY CHARTER

HB1672

RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE AGENCIES.

Introduced by: Say C (BR)

Amends provisions relating to assistance and staff. Provides that the salary of the deputy auditor shall be not more than 92 per cent of the auditor, the salary of the 1st assistant of the legislative reference bureau shall be not more than 92 per cent of the director, and the salary of the 1st assistant ombudsman shall be not more than 92 per cent of the ombudsman. -- HB1672

Committee Reports: HSCR 82 (LMG) HSCR 640 (LAB) HSCR 853 (FIN) SSCR 1335 (WAM)

Current Status: May-01 07 Veto Overridden - House  
May=03 07 Veto Overridden - Senate

Section Affected: 23-8, 23G-2, 96-3

HB1719 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 169)

RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.

Introduced by: Yamane R, Chang J, Souki J

Amends provisions providing a general excise tax exemption to include amounts received by a submanager of an association of apartment owners of a condominium property regime or a nonprofit homeowners or community association in reimbursement for sums paid for common expenses. Further provides a general excise tax exemption for amounts received by the operator of a hotel from the owner of the hotel to include amounts from a timeshare association and amounts received by the suboperator of a hotel from the owner of the hotel, from a timeshare association, or from the operator of the hotel. Act to be repealed on December 31, 2007 (sunset). -- HB1719 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 179 (TAC) HSCR 1099 (FIN) SSCR 1309 (EDT/ TSG/) SSCR 1507 (WAM) CCR 169

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 237-24.3, 237-24.7

HB1721 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1558)

RELATING TO VIOLENCE AGAINST EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL.

Introduced by: Yamane R, Lee M

Amends provisions relating to assault in the 2nd degree. Provides that a person commits the offense of assault in the 2nd degree if the person intentionally or knowingly causes bodily injury to any emergency medical services personnel who is engaged in the performance of duty. -- Amends provisions relating to terroristic threatening in the 1st degree if the person commits terroristic threatening against any emergency medical services personnel who is engaged in the performance of duty. -- HB1721 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 405 (HLT) HSCR 879 (JUD) SSCR 1244 (HTH) SSCR 1558 (JDL)

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

Section Affected: 707-711, 707-716

HB1746 SD2 (SSCR 1644)

RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS.

Introduced by: Takumi R, Morita H, Takai K, Hanohano F

Amends Act 245, session laws of 2005, relating to voluntary employees' beneficiary association trusts (VEBA). Extends the sunset date to 2009 (sunset). Requires any employee organization to report to the legislature the status of the trust no later than 150 days after 2 full years of implementation, then annually. -- HB1746 SD2

Committee Reports: HSCR 310 (LAB) HSCR 975 (FIN) SSCR 1328 (JDL) SSCR 1644 (WAM)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor

Section Affected: ACT 245 2005, 89-2, 89-3, 89-6, 89-9, (1 SECTION)

HB1750 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1546)

RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.

Introduced by: Saiki S, Belatti D, Luke S, Oshiro B, Caldwell K, Meyer C, Morita H, Takai K

Amends provisions relating to citizenship and residence; exceptions. Changes the requirement that applicants must be a resident of Hawaii at the time of application to require that the applicant shall become residents of the State within 30 days after beginning their employment. -- HB1750 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 646 (LAB) HSCR 969 (JUD) SSCR 1546 (JDL)

Current Status: Apr-16 07 Received by the Governor



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- Section Affected: May-01 07 Approved by Governor (Act 52 2007)  
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- HB1756 RELATING TO COUNTY CONCESSIONS.  
Introduced by: Souki J, McKelvey A  
Amends provisions relating to contracts for concessions; bid required, exception. Provides an exemption to nonprofit corporations organized under the Hawaiian Nonprofit Corporation Act from the 15 year limit on the grant of county concessions or concession space, upon approval of the county council. -- HB1756  
Committee Reports: HSCR 956 (FIN) SSCR 1334 (IGM)  
Current Status: Mar-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Apr-13 07 Approved by Governor (Act 15 2007)  
Section Affected: 102-2
- HB1757 HD1 SD3 CD2 (SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 22 OR HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 19) RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.  
Introduced by: Souki J, Nishimoto S  
Amends provisions relating to penalties; traffic violations. Increases all fines and repeals provisions for subsequent violations. Requires rather than authorizes the department of transportation to institute a system where the fine may be mailed in when the citation or penalty is not to be contested. -- Provides a general excise tax exemption from the sale of alcohol fuels for consumption or use by the purchaser and not for resale. Requires a producer, wholesaler, or retailer of alcohol fuels to pass any savings from this exemption on to the end consumer. Establishes fine for any producer or wholesaler for violations. Repealed on June 30, 2009 (sunset). -- Amends provisions relating to fuel tax by increasing the taxes for liquid fuel and diesel oil. -- HB1757 CD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 159 (TRN) HSCR 618 (JUD) HSCR 1100 (FIN) SSCR 1096 (TIA) SSCR 1673 (JDL) - filed FLOOR AMENDMENT 17  
CCR 152 - filed SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT 22 HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT 19  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: 291-37, 237- (1 SECTION), 243-4
- HB1764 HD1 SD1 CD1 (CCR 190) RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION OR ANY OF ITS REGIONAL SUBSIDIARY CORPORATIONS.  
Introduced by: Nakasone B  
Authorizes the issuance of revenue bonds to assist the Hawaii health systems corporation, its regional system boards, or any of its regional subsidiary corporations, to finance in whole or in part the cost of acquisition, construction, improvement, betterment, or extension (including the replacement and purchase of equipment) of healthcare facilities on Maui, including Maui's proposed heart, brain, and vascular center. (\$\$) -- HB1764 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 721 (HLT) HSCR 1035 (FIN) SSCR 1168 (HTH) SSCR 1508 (WAM) CCR 190  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature
- HB1787 HD1 SD2 (SSCR 1636) RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES.  
Introduced by: Morita H, Saiki S, Shimabukuro M  
Amends provisions relating to energy resources. Replaces definition of energy savings performance contracts with energy performance contracts and includes commissioning and retro commissioning. Extends the maximum term of an energy performance contract from 15 to 20 years. -- HB1787 SD2  
Committee Reports: HSCR 359 (EEP) HSCR 1051 (FIN) SSCR 1209 (ENE) SSCR 1636 (WAM)  
Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 196-11, 196-21, 196-22
- HB1818 HD2 SD1 (SSCR 1610) RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.  
Introduced by: Waters T  
Amends provisions relating to selection and terms of single executives as heads of departments. Provides that upon the expiration of the term of a single executive, there shall be a vacancy that shall be filled by the renomination or a nomination by the governor not later than the 41st day of the regular session of the legislature immediately following the expiration of the term creating the vacancy. Amends provisions relating to performance of duties of vacant office. -- HB1818 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 445 (LAB) HSCR 989 (FIN) SSCR 1610 (JDL)

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Current Status: Apr-20 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 26-31, 26-33

HB1830 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 66)

### RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION.

Introduced by: Mizuno J, Oshiro B, Thielen C, Green J, Hanohano F, Nishimoto S, Sonson A, McKelvey A, Ward G, Awana K, Marumoto B, Evans C, Berg L, Morita H, Karamatsu J, Ito K, Shimabukuro M, Takumi R, Takai K, Cabanilla R

Establishes the safe place for newborns law. Allows a person to leave a new born child with the personnel at a hospital, fire station, police station, or emergency services personnel without prosecution for abandonment of a child if the newborn was born within 72 hours of being left and the newborn is left in an unharmed condition. Requires the hospital personnel, fire station, or police station or emergency services personnel to make an effort to solicit information from the person leaving the newborn child and to provide the person leaving the newborn child with information on how to contact relevant social service agencies. Requires notification of law enforcement that a newborn was received for purposes of matching the child with missing children reports. Further requires the department of human services to be informed that a newborn has been left within 24 hours. Upon receiving custody of a newborn, the department may reunify the newborn with the newborn's parents. Allows the department to search for the newborn's relatives as a placement or permanency option, or other placement requirements that give a preference to relatives. Provides that a child left at a hospital, fire station, or police station shall not be considered an abandoned child and does not constitute a violation. -- HB1830 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 608 (HSH/ HLT/) HSCR 1142 (JUD) SSCR 1283 (HSP) SSCR 1670 (JDL) CCR 66

Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (7 SECTIONS) SAFE PLACE FOR NEWBORNS, 709-902

HB1833 HD1 SD1 (SSCR 1600)

### RELATING TO UNFAIR BUSINESS PRACTICES.

Introduced by: Caldwell K, Waters T

Establishes provisions relating to directed suretyship; coercion of contractors. Prohibits any person to require as a condition precedent to the granting, awarding, or issuing a contract for the construction or renovation of improvements to real property, that the person whose obligation under such contract to provide, construct or renovate improvements to real property is to acquire or negotiate a surety bond or other contract guaranteeing completion of such improvements through a particular surety insurer or group of surety insurers, or a particular producer or group of producers. Requires the insurance commission to examine and investigate insurance related activities. -- HB1833 SD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 511 (CPC) HSCR 1141 (JUD) SSCR 1600 (CPH)

Current Status: Apr-27 07 Received by the Governor  
Section Affected: 431:10F- (1 SECTION) DIRECTED SURETYSHIP

HB1866 HD3 SD2 CD1 (CCR 168)

### RELATING TO MIXED MARTIAL ARTS.

Introduced by: Chang J, Green J, Karamatsu J, Manahan J, Cabanilla R

Establishes provisions relating to mixed martial arts contests. Authorizes the director of commerce and consumer affairs to have sole jurisdiction, direction, management, and control over all mixed martial arts contests to be conducted, held, or given within the State. Establishes requirements to hold mixed martial arts contest. Repeals provisions related to no rules combat or similar contests. Appropriation out of the compliance resolution fund to the department of commerce and consumer affairs for operational and administrative expenses. (\$\$) -- HB1866 CD1

Committee Reports: HSCR 181 (TAC) HSCR 683 (CPC) HSCR 1182 (FIN) SSCR 1265 (CPH) SSCR 1675 (WAM) CCR 168

Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: (30 SECTIONS) MIXED MARTIAL ARTS CONTESTS, 440D-1, 440D-2, 440D-3, 440D-4, 440D-5, 440D-6

HB1899 HD2 SD2 CD1 (CCR 97)

### RELATING TO KAWAI NUI MARSH.

Introduced by: Chong P, Yamashita K, Waters T

Provides that the estate, right, title, and interest, and any appurtenance thereto, of the city and county of Honolulu relating to Kawai Nui marsh, lot 3, as shown on land division parcel map file no. 18-3-3-13 and the levee system that runs from Kailua road to the Oneawa canal, shall be vested in the State in fee simple. Requires the State to enter into a sub agreement with the County to assume responsibility for the performance of and compliance with the local cooperation agreement between the US Department of

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the Army and the County for construction of the Kawai Nui Marsh Flood Control Project. Requires transfers to be completed by September 1, 2007. Repeals Act 314, session laws of 1990, as amended by Act 47, session laws of 1998. -- HB1899 CD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 679 (WLH) HSCR 1179 (FIN) SSCR 1305 (WAH) SSCR 1576 (WAM) CCR 97  
Current Status: May-01 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 314 1990, ACT 47 1998

HB1902 SD1 (SSCR 1266)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST UTILITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC.  
Introduced by: Say C  
Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc., Maui Electric Company, Limited and Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc., Hawaii corporations, to continue multi project capital improvement programs, including the acquisition of land, facilities used to produce electricity, transmission and distribution facilities, and other electric systems and facilities, or any combination thereof, provided that public utilities commission approval be required for any project. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB1902 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 450 (EDB/ EEP/) HSCR 1082 (FIN) SSCR 1266 (CPH) SSCR 1436 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature

HB1907 HD1 (HSCR 1060)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES.  
Introduced by: Say C  
Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Craigsid Retirement Residence, a Hawaii not for profit corporation, for the purchase of land, and for the planning, design, and construction of a senior housing community. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- HB1907 HD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 423 (HSH) HSCR 1060 (FIN) SSCR 1176 (HTH) SSCR 1459 (WAM)  
Current Status: May=01 07 Passed Legislature

HB1931 SD1 (SSCR 1489)

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.  
Introduced by: Hanohano F  
Amends Act 263, session laws of 1993, as amended by Act 135, session laws of 1998 and Act 80, session laws of 2002, relating to special purpose revenue bonds for projects on the island of Hawaii, by changing the sunset date to June 30, 2011. -- HB1931 SD1  
Committee Reports: HSCR 315 (EDB) HSCR 1083 (FIN) SSCR 1489 (WAM)  
Current Status: May-03 07 Passed Legislature  
Section Affected: ACT 263 1993, ACT 135 1998, ACT 80 2002