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**MEETING OF THE
COMMITTEE ON BENEFICIARY ADVOCACY AND EMPOWERMENT**

DATE: Wednesday, March 6, 2019
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Maui Ola Boardroom
Nā Lama Kukui
560 N. Nimitz Highway
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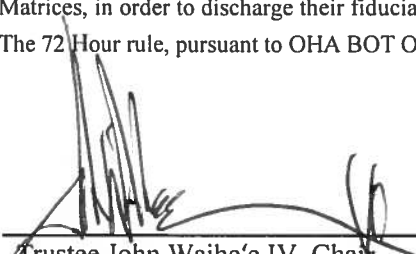
- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Testimony*
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - A. February 13, 2019
- IV. Unfinished Business
 - A. 2019 OHA Legislative Package Updates - Matrix 1**†
- V. New Business
 - A. 2019 OHA Legislative Positioning - Matrix 2**†
- VI. Community Concerns*
- VII. Announcements
- VIII. Adjournment

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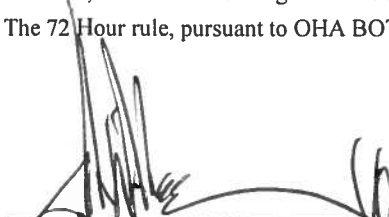
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MINUTES**

February 13, 2019 1:00 p.m.

ATTENDANCE:

Chairperson John Waihe'e, IV
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Sylvia Hussey, Ka Pou Nui
Anuheia Patoc, PP
Jocelyn Doane, PP
Mehana Hind, COO
Monica Morris, PP
Reyna Hayashi, PP
Wayne Tanaka, PP

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Lei-Ann Durant
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GUESTS:

Walter Ritte

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Waihe'e calls the Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment meeting for Wednesday, February 13, 2019 to order at **1:00 p.m.**

Chair Waihe'e notes for the record that **PRESENT** are:

| MEMBERS | | | AT CALL TO ORDER (1:00 p.m.) | TIME ARRIVED |
|------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| CHAIR | JOHN | WAIHE'E, IV | PRESENT | |
| VICE-CHAIR | KALEIHIKINA | AKAKA | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | LEI | AHU ISA | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | DAN | AHUNA | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | KELI'I | AKINA | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | BRENDON KALEI'AINA | LEE | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | ROBERT | LINDSEY | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | COLETTE | MACHADO | PRESENT | |
| TRUSTEE | CARMEN HULU | LINDSEY | | Arrived at 1:09 p.m. |

At the Call to Order, **EIGHT (8) Trustees are PRESENT**, thereby constituting a quorum.

Chair Waihe'e would like the record to show that some materials were received more recently than 72 hours ago, and that the deadline, per practice, has been duly-waived.

II. PUBLIC TESTIMONY

None

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

None

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. 2019 OHA Legislative Package Updates – Matrix 1†**

Chair Waihe'e turns it over to Ka Pou Nui Sylvia Hussey.

Ka Pou Nui Hussey calls on Public Policy Manager Jocelyn Doane to present, as well as Wayne Tanaka, Lead Advocate.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Aloha Trustees. I wanted to go over the status of our package, and the legislative calendar. Today is the 13th, this Friday is the lateral deadline which means that any bill that has more than one referral has to get through its second to the last referral; basically it can only have one more Committee Referral after this week. This week there are a flurry of hearings in order to meet that deadline. In the next two weeks there will be Committee Hearings for the last committee; that's usually reserved for WAM, Judiciary and Finance with a couple exceptions. As it relates to our package, our Public Land Trust Bill is moving in the Senate and not in the House. The 35 million dollar bill has moved both in the House and the Senate. Our Mental Health Bill is dead in the House, but can be heard within the next two weeks in the Senate. Our Bail Bill is moving really nicely, we're excited about that still. There's a Judiciary hearing on our House Bill tomorrow and then it will have to go to the money committee after that. Our Budget Bill has a decision-making hearing today at 4pm in the House so it will meet its deadline assuming it gets moved and the Senate version has already met its deadline. The resolutions just got referrals, so we're not really worried about them moving at this point.

Chair Waihe'e: *Are there any questions on the package members?* Ok hearing none, let's move into New Business.

V. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2019 OHA Legislative Positioning – Matrix 2**†

Chair Waihe'e turns it back over to Public Policy Manager Jocelyn Doane.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Ok, so I have a couple of changes that I would like to recommend on the matrix. We just got drafts yesterday and today on a bunch of bills, so that's the reason why these positions are not updated in the matrix now.

Page 5, Item 27 – HB1025 and its companion SB1251; we're recommending changing the position from Comment to OPPOSE and I'll have Wayne explain why.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: This measure purportedly expands lease extension authority that was granted for commercial leases on Banyan Drive last year, except that this provision would apply to commercial industrial resort and government leases anywhere in the State. It would allow for 40-year lease extensions for these kinds of leases that are based on substantial improvements to the properties. The intent is to enable lessees to get financing to maintain infrastructure and facilities on these projects, but this bill would essentially allow these lessees to get 40-year extensions and there's no cap on the extensions so they could keep renewing these extensions. As we've seen, these kinds of long-term multi-generational leases often lead to the significant pressure to alienate public lands including ceded lands, so for those reasons we would recommend OPPOSE on this measure.

Public Policy Manager Doane: The next measure is on Page 87, Item 390 – SB1; This is the ALOHA Homes bill. We just had a chance to look at the amendments this morning. I think it still needs some amendments, however we've had some really good traction working with the committee on this bill and other bills, so we're recommending COMMENT. The bill as it is now clarifies that appropriate revenues are subject to OHA's pro-rata share.

Just for everybody's information we do not currently receive revenue from affordable housing projects as it relates to the rent. We do however claim receipts to any sort of commercial aspects of a project – so if there's a store in the building or a laundromat or parking receipts we would claim 20% of that. HHFDC has been saying in hearings that they give us revenue from the commercial projects, but I don't actually think they currently transfer. So the good news is that the Executive Director seems to think that at least the commercial receipts are subject to OHA's pro-rata share. I bring this up because ALOHA Homes and actually HHFDC's current projects envision both affordable housing and commercial development. HHFDC currently does that, it's usually part of the same project. It seems like that's what they're envisioning here and so the committees understood that we would continue to claim receipts from the commercial revenue. So they added a provision to note that in the special fund.

They also noted in the special fund that appropriate receipts for OHA's pro-rata share could be satisfied in ways other than cash. We've had a lot of discussion over time about being open to non-cash options to satisfy our pro-rata share. This doesn't change the statute that exists now, but basically what it's doing is making a statement that in terms of these affordable housing projects, they would like to consider whether or not non-cash options are on the table. One of the things that the Chair of the Housing Committee has been mulling over is the transferring of units to OHA or DHHL. So in the initial version of SB1 there was a waiting list priority for Homesteaders and then in the proposed SD1 and the current SD1 it envisions a possibility that units would be transferred to OHA and DHHL.

We have some lingering concerns that we want to continue to make as this bill moves. It's similar to the other HHFDC bills that we've Commented on; one is the lease lengths (the 99-year leases). After doing some research we figured out that HHFDC can actually already do 99-year leases for the lands that they currently own. What we also found out was that in order to get FHA mortgages, a developer would have to have a 75-year lease. So my recommendation is that we COMMENT on the draft moving forward, recommending they cap the leases to 75 years because of the qualifications for the federal mortgage loan guarantees which make it cheaper for the developer.

The other thing that needs to be fixed in this bill is the same as the other HHFDC bills, HRS 171-64.7 which creates a process, they're not envisioning any fees to be sold. That's not what the bill is about, but we want to make sure that we close that loophole in case it ever exists. We would be making that recommendation as well. So those are the comments that we will make and we're recommending changing our position from Oppose to COMMENT because we got good feedback from the Chairs of the Committee, and they actually just amended all of the HHFDC bills yesterday.

Trustee Lee: Two things; it does say in here about establishing provisions related to sale and the other is *do we currently have a policy of accepting something other than cash?*

Public Policy Manager Doane: It envisions leasehold sales only, not in fee. We do not have a policy on that, this bill moving doesn't change our position, but what it would do is down the line, if this project moves, it would put us in a position to potentially negotiate for that. It doesn't change existing statutes and executive orders as it relates to the cash aspect. What it does is it creates a potential future conversation; that's my interpretation of the bill.

Trustee Lee: So they initiated the conversation as to *would OHA be open to taking something other than cash?*

Public Policy Manager Doane: Yes, it is related to but not conditioned upon the recommendation that we're making and that I have made in person to the Chair. Currently there's a provision in here that envisions possible transfers of units to DHHL and OHA and I had specifically recommended that they make that mandatory rather than discretionary and it was something that the Chair was interested in. So as it moves I think that will be a part of the conversation.

Trustee Lee: Since we'll be taking this measure with the full vote, I will make my comments now. I'm ok with changing it to Comment as long as it still leans very heavily on that side of *"Yes we're commenting and we're not opposing anymore, but...we have a very hard line in the sand. So don't take our opposition being off the table as a sense of ok...good OHA's on our side now."*

Public Policy Manager Doane: There are a couple different bills that, well what we've decided to do is Comment on trying to get the amendments and if the amendments don't happen then we come back to the Board to recommend Oppose, because there have been such amenable conversations I think that is appropriate here.

The next measure we're recommending a change to on the matrix is on Page 119, Item 556 – SB919; this is related to the Board of Regents. The measure slightly changed from the last bill to reduce the number of the regents from 15 to 9. It no longer creates a specific seat for a qualified practitioner, but it does require that at least one of the nine have that qualification. It was Support last week and we're recommending a position change to MONITOR for this week.

Those were the three changes that needed to be made to the matrix. Now we'll go through three new bills in the matrix that name OHA.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: Page 5, Item 25 – HB990; the intent of this measure is to clarify that the State Department of Defense can use the revenue it generates from renting its facilities for maintenance, administration and other overhead costs with the net proceeds going to the general fund. The preamble names OHA and acknowledges that OHA may have a right to a certain share of revenues generated from these facilities, which could be helpful in terms of recognizing that we do have a right to pro-rata share from Public Land Trust lands under the Department of Defense's jurisdiction. The statutory amendments it proposes are otherwise pretty unexciting, it just clarifies what kinds of entities can rent DOD facilities and we had our Corp. Counsel look at it and we are recommending MONITOR for this bill.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Page 8, Item 35 – HB1236 it also has a companion SB1435; this bill is related to Makua Valley. It would establish a Makua Valley Task Force within DLNR to prepare for a potential transition when the general lease expires. It requires a member of OHA's Board to be on the Task Force, we are recommending a position of SUPPORT. We don't know if the lease is going to expire without an extension, but if it is we think it would be good for OHA to be on the task force to help ensure that the right community folks are engaged.

Page 10, Item 40 – HB1391; this bill is related to DHHL's Land & Asset Management Task Force, and we're recommending a position of MONITOR. Basically what's happening is, Representative Ward has asked for this task force to be created within DHHL as a result of his broken promises initiative to review their current operations and practices regarding use and distribution of land assets and provide suggestions and solutions to end the waiting list. OHA is named to be on the task force along with DHHL, as well as representatives from banking, business and loan programs.

Trustee Lee: *In the bill does it state how the task force will be funded? Are they tasking DHHL to pay for this or will the State pay for it?*

Public Policy Manager Doane: It's within DHHL, so usually when it's housed within a department they pay for the administrative cost.

Trustee Lee: We should monitor this.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Right, so those are the three new bills that name OHA. We'll move on to the new significant bills.

Page 3, Item 16 – HB730; this is related to Charter School lunches, it's an appropriation for Charter School meal services. This is one of those exceptions that we request to make because we're asking for support on an appropriations bill. Basically, what we know is that in terms of funding gaps, facilities is the number one funding gap, but transportation and food services are other funding gaps for the Charter Schools. The DOE also has meal service appropriations for non-Charter Schools so we can't imagine that they would not support this as well. Right now, most Charter Schools do provide some level of food sources, twenty of them participate in federally-funded programs. One is a subsidy program and another is the USDA Community eligibility program which provides free breakfast and lunch every day to six of the schools, but that leaves 17 schools that may not be accessing those federal funds. The reason in part why they may not be accessing those federal funds is because they may not have a USDA-certified kitchen. We think that lunch is an important part of school and learning, so we want to support those schools' assistance which would probably be prioritized by the commission. It may be eventually that they just need assistance accessing a USDA-certified kitchen.

Page 4, Item 22 – HB918; this is identical to SB1303 for the purposes of our recommendation of OPPOSE. Back in 2013 the legislature set up a pilot program so that the Board of Education could approve three sites where DOE schools exist on to lease out for the purposes of generating money for the 21st Century Schools program; so basically the DOE needs funds. The legislature enacted a pilot program in 2013 that would allow them to lease out DOE lands to private developers for up to 55 years. This bill would extend the maximum allowable lease term from 55 to 99 years for parcels used to implement the Act. It seems as though the revenue would be subject to OHA's pro-rata share, but there's a theme happening here where for all kinds of reasons the State is looking at really long leases of Public Lands. We don't think it's appropriate, there's no justification as far as I can see about why they need to lease out these lands for longer than 55 years. If we get more information to that point, we'll bring it back to the trustees.

Page 5, Item 24 – HB958; this measure is related to sales of individual lots in fee from HHFDC. As a reminder, the BOT has a policy to oppose the sale and fee of any ceded lands; there are a couple exceptions to that. The exceptions include HHFDC individual housing projects that were approved prior to us filing our OHA v. HHFDC lawsuit in 1994, so if a housing project started and envisioned sales and fees prior to 1994 the BOT position is that we would not oppose that. The other exception is if a project is substantially sold, so the lots listed in this measure and its Senate companion are all lots that we've vetted that either fall within one of those exceptions or are not ceded. So we're recommending a position of COMMENT.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: Page 8, Item 34 – HB1219; we're recommending a position of COMMENT. This measure would set up the framework for statutorily created redevelopment districts and would create a redevelopment district for Waiakea in Hilo. Within these redevelopment districts there would be a planning committee that would be in charge of planning, land uses and also for negotiating and renegotiating Public Land leases in these districts. There are actually some provisions for these leases that are somewhat encouraging. For instance, they would require that lease rents be tied to inflation, require for bonds insurance, it would clarify what counts as default and what the consequences are for lessees to default. However, the leasing provisions are silent on total lease lengths, whether leases can be renewed and how leases will be appraised. Our comments would be to ask for clarification on those matters.

Page 10, Item 43 – HB1510; this is related to Agricultural Villages. We are recommending OPPOSE. Essentially what this would do is it would legitimize the development of cluster housing in the agricultural district and not require Land Use Commission review. This measure would not only remove oversight but also potentially facilitate the development and residential development of agriculture lands, which may drive up the cost of agricultural lands, the cost of farming and also impacts of food security.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Page 13, Item 55 – SB379; this is Senator Dela Cruz's bill, it has been introduced for a couple of years now. What it would do is it would ask the Governor to reclassify and negotiate exchange of State lands within half a mile of the rail station with private developers to acquire agricultural lands and in exchange it would be State lands that would be suitable for affordable workforce and other housing. So the State lands to be exchanged will be designated as urban (at the end of the exchange), and the development on lands going to the private hands must be in compliance with State and County Health Safety and Building Permits.

For any reclassification and rezoning proposals, the Governor must submit them to the County Planning Director and the Land Use Commission, and any such reclassification shall be adopted within thirty days of receipt. So that's different from the current process in that for reclassifications larger than 15 acres - those processes already go to the Land Use Commission. This does streamline that process and that always raises red flags for us, but because the purpose of the exchange is housing and agriculture, that slightly diminishes our concerns. However, we think that there should be concrete affordable housing requirements, so if the private landowner is going to acquire State lands then they should be required to do a minimum amount of affordable housing. Also, most of the land on the rail line is urban and there will be some agriculture. Senator Dela Cruz is envisioning that we acquire good Ag lands, so I can't imagine that his goal here would be to get rid of good Ag lands. With that said, we do think there needs to be a little more process involved if there's going to be an exchange. So what we're recommending is the Land Use Commission, the County Planning Directors and the public be given an opportunity to review and comment on the reclassifications. In other words, we don't object to the idea of minimal streamlining, but the Land Use Commission plays an important role in reviewing potential impacts to resources and practitioners and we think that even with in a streamlined fashion there needs to be some process there. So we would be recommending that there be a process included for input by the Land Use Commission specifically, the public and of course OHA.

Trustee Lee: *If I understand correctly Senator Dela Cruz has submitted this bill in previous years, what has OHA's position been?*

Public Policy Manager Doane: Our position has been COMMENT, so this would be consistent with our position, and they've actually taken our recommendations in the past.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: Page 18, Item 83 – SB1370; we're recommending a position of SUPPORT on this. This measure would establish a grant program to assist DHHL lessees with cesspool upgrades. There's currently a statute that requires all cesspools to be upgraded by 2050 so this would help our beneficiaries with the cost of that mandate. The grants program would also help address some of the water pollution issues, especially for our beneficiaries in coastal homesteads.

Page 19, Item 84 – SB1482; we're recommending a position of COMMENT on this measure. This would set up a Harbors Authority; kind of like the Airport Authority to manage our commercial harbors. It would remove lands under the Harbors Authority jurisdiction from the definition of Public Lands under 171-2, but it does reinsert those lands into 171-64.7 which is the statute requiring legislative approval before any sale of Public lands.

Trustee Lee: *Have we had a position on this before? Was it OPPOSE?*

Public Policy Manager Doane: No, we had a position of OPPOSE on the Airport Corporation Bill until they incorporated the language that is in this bill. So the Department of Transportation envisioned that we would react to this bill and they put the language that we had asked for in the Airport Corporation Bill into this one as well. The language that ended up in the Airport Corporation Bill was really a compromise, we wanted them to insert the provisions in the statute itself and they did not. If we were being consistent with the Airport Corporation position then we would've been satisfied, but because we actually receive money from Harbors, which we don't actually receive from the airport, my concern about the leasing provisions is heightened. This was deferred yesterday, but as we know deferred bills can come back.

Page 19, Item 86 – SB1501; this bill would provide General Obligation (GO) bonds to DHHL for FY20 & FY21 for \$214 million and \$224 million for CIP projects, which would include lot development, loans and rehabilitation projects. Last biennium was the first time that we know of, in a long time, that DHHL received Capital improvement funds. They got \$46 million and almost \$28 million, so this is substantially more than that. According to DHHL, this money would lead to development of over 1,300 lots and mortgage capitalization for low-to-moderate income families. We are recommending a position of SUPPORT.

The next two measures are GMs; Page 19, Item 88 – GM511 we're recommending a position of MONITOR on the Water Commission appointment.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: This GM would nominate Wayne Katayama from Kaua'i to the Water Commission. He would take the seat of Michael Buck who is a farmer from Waimanalo. Currently Mr. Katayama is the President of the Kaua'i Coffee Company. We would like to monitor for possible conflicts of interest in that regard. He has been the Planning Commission Chair and has overseen some water issues such as the Kaua'i Springs issue where the Planning Commission denied building and use permits for a water bottling company because of lack of consistency with the Public Trust, so that is somewhat encouraging. It isn't really clear whether he'll be a strong advocate for Native Hawaiian interests in the Water Commission.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Page 19, Item 89 – GM571; This is for Alapaki Nahale-a to the Board of Regents for the Hawai'i County seat. We're recommending a position of SUPPORT. He is a Kamehameha graduate, a UPENN grad and a former Hawaiian Homes Commission Chair. His past community, educational and volunteer work makes him highly qualified.

We have a few Bill Position Changes in the matrix. Page 20, Items 90 & 91 – HB591 & SB1325; We're recommending changing our position from Oppose to MONITOR.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: This measure originally would've prohibited the DLNR from establishing or amending watershed projects without the approval of the Game Management Advisory Commission (GMAC). We recommended the position of Oppose last week because even though GMAC has an important advisory role in terms of representing the hunting interest including the subsistence hunting interests of the public and our beneficiaries, they may not necessarily have the full expertise needed to properly evaluate these watershed management proposals. The amendments to both of these measures now just provides that the DLNR should provide GMAC with notice of new watershed management plans and amendments, so we recommend changing our position from Oppose to MONITOR.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Page 21, Item 92 – HB1347; We're recommending changing our position from Monitor to SUPPORT. Basically the current Charter School Law requires Charter Schools to do annual independent financial audits, and the schools choose the auditor. The original version of this bill which we only Monitored because it was quite intrusive. What it would do is it would require Charter Schools to provide access of its records to the authorizer, which is the Commission right now, the legislature and other state agencies like B & F and DOE. It also required the annual Charter School audits to be performed by an auditor that the authorizer selects.

So what's happening is the Commission isn't getting access or information from the auditor because their client is the school and not the Commission. So this bill was amended to remove the access to the legislature and the State agencies, but still require annual Charter School audits to be performed by an auditor that is selected by the authorizer. This position may not be super popular with some of our Charter School friends, however the Commission in its testimony to the House Finance Committee noted that the US DOE Inspector General is currently investigating two schools for possible financial irregularities including comingling of State and Federal funds and potentially comingling of private funds. The Commission has a lot of discretion about where they house their funds. They basically deposit State appropriations and other funds into private bank accounts which the Commission doesn't have access to. We think this is a good bill not targeted at any school specifically. It would result in more transparency and accountability against the misuse of funds.

Moving on to some updates. Page 70, Item 313 – HB1114; This is the Public funding bill. Basically it will increase the amount of Public funding available to OHA Trustee Candidates, but places OHA Candidates in the same category as those for the State Legislature. The Campaign Spending Commission looked at the fundraising of the different Trustee Candidates and made a recommendation based on their findings, their calculation is that \$21,000 will be available rather than the current \$1,500. That's a significant increase, but also not the really high amount that's available to the Governor. It also increases the minimum qualifying contributions from \$1,500 to \$5,000. We still have a position of SUPPORT on this measure as it moves.

Trustee Lee: I just want to make a comment about us supporting this measure, not that I'm against it but I'm not really happy with the message that it sends. We run a statewide race so we should be entitled to statewide funds.

Public Policy Manager Doane: I defer to the Trustees regarding their position on this.

Trustee Lee: It's giving us access to more money, but it's not giving us access to fair money; there's a difference.

Trustee Hulu Lindsey: Our office is not as important as the Governor or Lieutenant Governor.

Trustee Lee: Then let us run legislative races.

Chair Waihe'e: Maybe we should change it to COMMENT?

Trustee Hulu Lindsey: Let's COMMENT!

Trustee Akaka: Yes, to COMMENT would be best.

Trustee Lee: I agree.

Chair Waihe'e: Does everyone agree with changing our position from Support to COMMENT?

The Committee is in consensus.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Ok, we'll move on to the next item Page 70, Item 315 – HB1116; this is the Randomizing of Ballots bill. That measure is moving, so is the measure that would randomize ballots for all elections.

Chair Waihe'e: *Why is OHA being singled-out, out of all the races on the ballot?*

Trustee Hulu Lindsey: I actually think that one of the candidates of OHA probably asked for the introduction of this bill.

Public Policy Manager Doane: *So the difference between the OHA race and every other race besides the County races is that it's non-partisan right?* So they're going to be really long lists, particularly in the primary so it is slightly different. The most analogous race to the OHA race is the Maui County race, where the County members have to live in every district, but yet everybody can vote. We know that these bills were introduced at the request of a beneficiary. It may be unneeded if Senator Rhoads' bill, which would apply to all the races, moves anyway.

Page 112, Item 522 – SB727; this is the bill that has the Collective Bargaining component in it. I just checked if the updated version was available before I came over, it was not. It looks like some of our concerns were addressed and others were not so there's still some work that we'll need to do and I'll review the draft when it becomes available and we'll see if we'll have a different recommendation for next week.

Page 136, Item 653 – SB1446; this bill is the one that would require Trustees to hire the CFO, HR Manager and the Corporation Counsel and that we had a position of OPPOSE for. They had deferred this bill when we were at the hearing last week, but it's being scheduled for decision-making tomorrow. We had made comments based on our Corp. Counsel's assessment that we were concerned that the bill was potentially unconstitutional and I think they got an opinion from the AG suggesting it's not. So we're going to see if we can get a copy of that.

Page 143, Item 672 – SB1514; this bill is the one that would prohibit all State agencies from forming a corporate entity and the bill moved with amendments yesterday. We haven't gotten a draft yet of what the amendments were.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: Page 30, Item 136 – HB265; this is the bill regarding the axis deer in Maui County. The amendments clarify that eradication isn't the ultimate goal of the appropriations, it should be for management. Axis deer is still in the bill, but there's specific language to axis deer to say that resources should be focused on management as opposed to eradication.

Public Policy Manager Doane: So we're still recommending a position of MONITOR on that. That's all we had for this week, unless anyone had questions.

Chair Waihe'e: *Ok members, is there any discussion or questions about the Positioning Matrix?*

There are no responses.

Vice-Chair Akaka moves to approve Administration's recommendations on *NEW BILLS* (Items 1 - 89) and *BILL POSITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION* (Items 90 - 92), where Item 92, HB1347 changes from Monitor to SUPPORT along with the following revisions:

CHANGE Items:

- 27 / 77; HB1025 / SB1251 from Comment to OPPOSE;
- 313 / 523; HB1114 / SB728 from Support to COMMENT;
- 390; SB1 from Oppose to COMMENT; and
- 556; SB919 from Support to MONITOR

on the OHA Legislative Positioning Matrix dated February 13, 2019, as amended.

| Bills that were discussed | | | | | |
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| ITEM # | BILL# | REPORT | DESCRIPTION | POSITION | IN BAE MEETING CHANGE |
| | | | New Bills | | |
| 1 | HB188 | RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. | Establishes a task force to provide for the orderly transfer of jurisdiction over state highways to the county in which the highway is located, provided that the county has a population greater than five hundred thousand. | MONITOR | |
| 2 | HB261 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. | Clarifies definition of "qualified agricultural costs." Extends through the 2029 taxable year the time in which the Department of Agriculture may certify important agricultural lands qualified agricultural cost tax credits. Applies to taxable years beginning after 12/31/2019. | MONITOR | |

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| 3 | HB344 | RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS. | Provides that where public access is required as a condition of a subdivision, either the county must accept dedication of and maintain the access or identify an entity to own and maintain the access. Authorizes the county to require the subdivider to establish a stewardship fund for maintenance purposes. | MONITOR | |
| 4 | HB374 | RELATING TO THE STATE COORDINATOR ON HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes the position of state coordinator on homelessness and requires the state coordinator on homelessness to report directly to the lieutenant governor. Makes an appropriation. | MONITOR | |
| 5 | HB375 | RELATING TO URBAN AGRICULTURE. | Requires the counties to incorporate urban agriculture principles and policies in land use planning. | MONITOR | |
| 6 | HB458 | RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS. | Authorizes the transfer of operations, administration, management, and maintenance of the Kihei Launch Ramp from BLNR to the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission. Preserves DLNR authority to issue permits and collect fees due to the Boating Special Fund. | MONITOR | |
| 7 | HB473 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes the long-term rental assistance pilot program to be administered by the department of health. Appropriates funds for the administration of the pilot program. | MONITOR | |
| 8 | HB479 | RELATING TO HOUSING. | Establishes the ALOHA homes authority to facilitate the development of low-cost homes for sale to Hawaii residents on state-owned and county-owned land near rail stations of the Honolulu rail transit system, to be known as the urban redevelopment district. Establishes guidelines within the urban redevelopment district. Establishes provisions related to the sale of leasehold interest of ALOHA homes. | OPPOSE | |
| 9 | HB545 | RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION. | Specifies that a government agency does not assume ownership or jurisdiction over a disputed road solely through maintenance or repair activities. Authorizes the State to quitclaim ownership of roads in favor of counties. | MONITOR | |
| 10 | HB547 | RELATING TO FARMS. | Creates an exclusion from income tax for the lesser of fifty-one per cent of gross annual income or \$50,000 of gross annual income earned by a farmer from farming activities. | MONITOR | |
| 11 | HB568 | RELATING TO HOUSING. | Establishes a three-year pilot program which authorizes nonprofit organizations in a county with a population of 500,000 or more to provide shelter to homeless persons, including by hosting temporary encampments on property owned by the organization. Prohibits the host county from enacting ordinances designed to deter the provision of shelter. Limits county liability. | COMMENT | |

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| 12 | HB574 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Appropriates funds to the outreach program, rapid re-housing program, housing first program, family assessment centers, law enforcement assisted diversion program, and coordinated statewide homelessness initiative. Establishes and appropriates funds for a short-term rental assistance pilot program and a long-term rental assistance pilot program. | MONITOR | |
| 13 | HB643 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Appropriates funds to the outreach program, rapid re-housing program, housing first program, family assessment centers, law enforcement assisted diversion program, and coordinated statewide homelessness initiative. Establishes and appropriates funds for a short-term rental assistance pilot program and a long-term rental assistance pilot program. | MONITOR | |
| 14 | HB684 | RELATING TO THE GOVERNOR'S COORDINATOR ON HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes in statute the position of Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness. Attaches the Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness to the Department of Human Services for administrative purposes, but requires the position to report to the Governor. Appropriates funds. | MONITOR | |
| 15 | HB685 | RELATING TO GROUP LIVING FACILITIES. | Specifies that until the department of health establishes the clean and sober homes registry, group living facility operators shall be permitted to operate upon providing notice of operation to the applicable county. | MONITOR | |
| 16 | HB730 | RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS. | Appropriates funds to the public charter school commission to allocate to charter schools for meal service costs. | SUPPORT | |
| 17 | HB849 | RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE SHORELINE IN SOUTH MAUI. | Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in collaboration with the county councilmember representing the south Maui residency area, Kihei Community Association, and 'Aha Moku O Kula Makai, to develop a master plan to expand public access to the shoreline in south Maui, particularly state-owned land. Appropriates funds. | MONITOR | |
| 18 | HB876 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Directs the department of human services to develop and implement residential campgrounds for the homeless. | COMMENT | |
| 19 | HB882 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Human Services for the Coordinated Statewide Homeless Initiative. Requires the Department to procure the services of a master contractor to manage subcontracts and expenditures for services provided through the initiative. | MONITOR | |

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| 20 | HB903 | RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY. | Requires the Judiciary to implement a program that offers any qualifying person the option to fulfill any court-ordered financial obligation through: (1) installment payments in a payment plan; or (2) the performance of community service. Prohibits the courts from taking certain actions against a person solely because of that person's inability to pay if the person has entered into and is in compliance with the programs. Reinstates driver's licenses that were suspended for nonpayment under certain circumstances. | MONITOR | |
| 21 | HB910 | RELATING TO BANYAN DRIVE. | Requires the Office of Planning to conduct a study on the infrastructure of the Banyan Drive area on the Waiakea Peninsula on the island of Hawaii. Appropriates funds. | MONITOR | |
| 22 | HB918 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS. | Extends the lease term for public-school lands from 55 to 99 years. (HB918 HD1) | OPPOSE | |
| 23 | HB933 | RELATING TO CRISIS INTERVENTION. | Creates a crisis intervention and diversion program in the department of health to divert those in need to appropriate health care and away from the criminal justice system. | MONITOR | |
| 24 | HB958 | RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE. | Exempts from legislative approval the sale of the leased fee interest in certain affordable leasehold developments by the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation. | COMMENT | |
| 25 | HB990 | RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FACILITIES. | Allows the Department of Defense to recoup operating costs when the Adjutant General permits temporary facility use of department facilities to the public. Currently, the law requires that "all moneys received from the rentals shall be deposited into the general fund of the State." | MONITOR | |
| 26 | HB998 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. | Excludes from the definition of "public lands" in section 171-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, lands set aside by the governor to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority (HPHA) or lands to which the HPHA holds title. Requires legislative approval of the sale of lands to which the HPHA holds title. | MONITOR | |
| 27 | HB1025 | RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND. | Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. Sunsets on June 30, 2029. (HB1025 HD1) | COMMENT | Comment > OPPOSE |
| 28 | HB1031 | RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBOR FACILITIES. | Clarifies that certain fees for state small boat harbors shall be established by appraisal by a state-licensed appraiser approved by the Department of Land and Natural Resources and shall be set at fair market value. Clarifies fees charged for vessels used for commercial purposes. | MONITOR | |

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| 29 | HB1032 | RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES. | Allows the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) to lease any existing state boating facility in its entirety, and fast lands and submerged lands within any existing state boating facility, by public auction, request for proposals, or direct negotiation for private development, management, and operation. Requires the Board to make a finding regarding certain sea level rise factors before awarding any such lease. Clarifies that legislative approval is not required to award a lease, except that the Board may request approval from the Legislature in extraordinary circumstances, by concurrent resolution, where the Board has not made findings regarding sea level rise factors. Repeals fast lands and submerged lands lease requirements specific to Ala Wai Boat Harbor. | COMMENT | |
| 30 | HB1088 | RELATING TO SCHOOL IMPACT FEES. | Exempts affordable housing units, additions to existing dwelling units, accessory dwelling units, ohana dwelling units, housing developed by the Hawaii Public Housing Authority, and certain housing units developed by self-help housing nonprofit organizations from school impact fee requirements. (HB1088 HD1) | MONITOR | |
| 31 | HB1100 | RELATING TO EMERGENCY ACCESS TO SHELTER. | Prohibits public establishments from denying shelter to any person when an emergency alert advises the public to immediately seek shelter. Clarifies that any remuneration paid to owners of private property for services or incidental commodities during the disaster does not void the exemption from civil liability afforded to these owners except where owners increase the sale price of any service or incidental commodity. (HB1100 HD1) | MONITOR | |
| 32 | HB1117 | RELATING TO STATE LANDS. | Requires the Board of Land and Natural Resources, Board of Agriculture, and the Agribusiness Development Corporation to ensure the timely collection of lease payments, track lessees that are in arrears of lease payments, and offer payment plans for lessees in arrears. Prohibits land leased by the Agribusiness Development Corporation from being assigned or sublet without corporation approval. (HB1117 HD1) | MONITOR | |
| 33 | HB1128 | RELATING TO TRANSITIONAL HOUSING. | Requires the Department of Human Services to establish, construct, and operate a transitional shelter comprising micro units beneath the Nimitz Viaduct or other areas on the island of Oahu, and to submit a report on the establishment of the transitional shelter to the Legislature. Makes an appropriation. | MONITOR | |
| 34 | HB1219 | RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. | Authorizes the designation of areas or regions of public lands classified as commercial, industrial, resort and hotel, and the establishment and implementation of guidelines for the redevelopment of the areas or regions that will: (1) modernize the policies for the management of public lands in the designated area; (2) establish a plan for the designated area, including district-wide improvements, that is coordinated with state and county land use and planning policies; and (3) implement asset and property management concepts that can optimize income from the properties and evolve in response to changing principles of property administration. Designates the public lands on the Waiakea peninsula on the island of Hawaii as the Waiakea Peninsula Redevelopment District. Repeals the Waiakea Peninsula Redevelopment District on 6/30/2029. Appropriates funds. | COMMENT | |
| 35 | HB1236 | RELATING TO MAKUA VALLEY. | Establishes a Makua Valley Task Force to prepare for the transition of the Makua Military Reservation from the United States Army upon the expiration of the Army's lease for the land. | SUPPORT | |

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| 36 | HB1311 | PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO AMEND THE MANNER IN WHICH JUSTICES AND JUDGES ARE APPOINTED, CONSENTED TO, AND RETAINED. | Proposes amendments to the Constitution of the State of Hawaii relating to the appointment and retention of justices and judges. Changes the required time frames from thirty to ninety days for the process to appoint and consent to a justice or judge. Harmonizes the senate consent procedures for district court judgeship nominees to mirror the senate consent procedures relating to supreme court justices and intermediate court of appeals and circuit court judges. Authorizes the senate to approve or reject subsequent terms of office for justices and judges. | MONITOR | |
| 37 | HB1314 | RELATING TO STATE PLANNING. | Includes objectives and policies and implementation guidelines for planning for the lei of green in the Hawaii state plan. | MONITOR | |
| 38 | HB1375 | RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII MUSEUM OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY. | Increases the amount of transient accommodations tax revenues allocated for the tourism special fund. Allocates \$1,500,000 of the tourism special fund for the operation of the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. Requires the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism to calculate an adjusted allocation each year. Appropriates funds. | MONITOR | |
| 39 | HB1390 | RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE. | Phases out parking of motor vehicles on the grounds of Iolani Palace. Requires DAGS to remove the blacktop, parking area, and parking meters adjacent to Iolani Palace. Requires DLNR to develop and maintain a pedestrian area adjacent to Iolani Palace. Requires DAGS and DLNR to report cost analysis to the legislature. | COMMENT | |
| 40 | HB1391 | RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOMELANDS. | Establishes a task force to examine the current operation and practices of the Department of Hawaiian Homelands, particularly as it relates to use and distribution of its land assets, and to further provide suggestions and innovative solutions to end the waitlist issue and assist with initiatives designed to increase self-funding through better leveraging of assets. | MONITOR | |
| 41 | HB1407 | RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT. | Expands the scope of the carbon offset program and authorizes six new positions within the program. Establishes a carbon offset revolving fund to assist in the fulfillment of the purposes of the carbon offset program. Appropriates funds. (HB1407 HD1) | MONITOR | |
| 42 | HB1413 | RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST E OLA MAU NA LEO O KEKAHA. | Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds (SPRB) to assist E Ola Mau Na Leo O Kekaha with the acquisition, remediation, and development of the old Kekaha Sugar Mill in Kekaha, Kauai, Hawaii. | MONITOR | |
| 43 | HB1510 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL VILLAGES. | Authorizes an applicable county planning commission to issue special permits for agricultural villages without approval from the Land Use Commission. | OPPOSE | |

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| 44 | HB1551 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Establishes a minimum-security housing program in a county with a population of more than 750,000 for short-term adult offenders. Provides capacity for a furlough program. Appropriates funds. (HB1551 HD1) | COMMENT | |
| 45 | HB1567 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes the fifteen-year Hale Kokua Project and Hale Kokua Special Fund under the Department of Human Services with the aim of incentivizing homeowners to provide rental units to homeless persons. Amends the basis and rate of tax, and disposition of the conveyance tax to support the Hale Kokua Special Fund. | MONITOR | |
| 46 | SB39 | RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES. | Short form bill. | MONITOR | |
| 47 | SB44 | RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION. | Specifies that the attorney general shall represent the University of Hawaii in any litigation, render legal counsel to the university, and draft legal documents for the university. Repeals the authority of the board of regents of the University of Hawaii to appoint or retain general counsel independent of the attorney general to provide legal services for the university. Repeals the general counsel of the University of Hawaii. Appropriates funds. (SD1) | MONITOR | |
| 48 | SB45 | RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS. | Short form bill. | MONITOR | |
| 49 | SB46 | RELATING TO FINANCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. | Short form bill. | MONITOR | |
| 50 | SB218 | RELATING TO BROADBAND. | Requires the Hawaii technology development corporation to seek to establish a public-private partnership to plan, build, and manage key strategic broadband infrastructure and attract cloud based companies to Hawaii. Makes an appropriation to establish an open access, carrier neutral cable landing station. | MONITOR | |
| 51 | SB229 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Authorizes \$125,000,000 in general obligation bonds to be expended for purposes set forth in section 201H-202, Hawaii Revised Statutes; appropriates \$75,000,000 from the general fund to be expended by the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to build new low-income rental housing units or to apply funds to existing programs or projects targeting the chronically homeless or low-income renters facing eviction. | MONITOR | |

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| 52 | SB241 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Prohibits public establishments from denying shelter to any person when an emergency alert advises the public to immediately seek shelter. Clarifies that remuneration or expectation of remuneration paid to owners of private property for goods or services other than emergency access to land, shelter, or subsistence, including services or incidental commodities to the emergency access, does not void the exemption from civil liability afforded to these owners except where owners increase the sale price of the service or incidental commodities. | MONITOR | |
| 53 | SB313 | MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. | Makes an appropriation for two full-time equivalent positions for the wayfinding education program at the imiloa astronomy center. | MONITOR | |
| 54 | SB344 | RELATING TO HARBORS. | Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to sell long-term leasehold interests for berths at the Keehi Boat Harbor and Ala Wai Boat Harbor. | COMMENT | |
| 55 | SB379 | RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE. | Allows the governor to negotiate land exchanges to acquire lands that are suitable for long-term diversified agricultural production. Requires a report to the legislature. | COMMENT | |
| 56 | SB381 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS. | Requires the counties to adopt supplemental rules on condominium property regimes, including those that involve agricultural lands. | MONITOR | |
| 57 | SB471 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Appropriates funds to the outreach program, rapid re-housing program, housing first program, family assessment centers, law enforcement assisted diversion program, and coordinated statewide homelessness initiative. Establishes and appropriates funds for a short-term rental assistance pilot program and a long-term rental assistance pilot program. | MONITOR | |
| 58 | SB526 | RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. | Appropriates funds for the Department of Human Services to purchase, staff, and operate two mobile clinics to serve the homeless persons residing in ohana zones. Requires matching funds. | MONITOR | |
| 59 | SB559 | RELATING TO STATE SMALL BOAT HARBORS. | Requires moorage fees for non-commercial mooring use permits at state small boat harbors to be determined by appraisal and set at fair market value. Establishes effective date for state small boat harbor moorage fee increases. Effective August 1, 2019. | MONITOR | |
| 60 | SB575 | RELATING TO THE STATE COORDINATOR ON HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes the position of state coordinator on homelessness and requires the state coordinator on homelessness to report directly to the lieutenant governor. Makes an appropriation. | MONITOR | |

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| 61 | SB599 | RELATING TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM. | Establishes the Criminal Justice Assessment Commission within the Department of Public Safety to recommend methods that will promote collaboration among the state and county criminal justice entities. Appropriates moneys. | MONITOR | |
| 62 | SB646 | RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT. | Requires the Department of Health to establish residential substance abuse treatment facilities and appropriates funds for that purpose. | MONITOR | |
| 63 | SB745 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Requires the department of education to contract with a firm that specializes in school finance to study the adequacy of education in Hawaii. Appropriates moneys for the study. | MONITOR | |
| 64 | SB763 | RELATING TO ADVERTISING AND MARKETING. | Requires the department of business, economic development, and tourism, in consultation with the department of agriculture, to conduct a study calculating the economic impact and gross domestic product lost by the State as a result of companies exploiting the Hawaii brand and selling products in the United States using place-based marketing without any material ties to the State. Appropriates funds for the study. | MONITOR | |
| 65 | SB803 | RELATING TO HAWAIIAN CULTURE. | Removes a provision designating the Hawaii convention center as the location for operation of a Hawaiian center and the museum of Hawaiian music and dance. | MONITOR | |
| 66 | SB937 | RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS. | Appropriates funds to the state public charter school commission to allocate to charter schools for meal service costs. (SD1) | SUPPORT | |
| 67 | SB969 | RELATING TO COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION. | Beginning in the 2022-2023 school year, requires each public elementary school or public charter elementary school to offer instruction in the basics of computer science and computational thinking. Beginning in the 2023-2024 school year, requires each public middle or intermediate school or public charter middle or intermediate school to offer instruction in exploratory computer science. Establishes reporting requirements. | MONITOR | |
| 68 | SB1007 | RELATING TO HAWAIIAN MUSIC AND DANCE. | Redirects the \$1,000,000 of transient accommodations tax revenues currently allocated to operate a Hawaiian center and the museum of Hawaiian music and dance at the Hawaii convention center to have the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History plan, design, and construct such a facility on their property. | MONITOR | |
| 69 | SB1019 | RELATING TO YOUTH. | Establishes and appropriate funds for a safe places for youth pilot program. Requires and appropriates funds for the office of youth services to reduce the use of status offense laws and implement a status offense diversion program. | COMMENT | |

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| 70 | SB1031 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes the long-term rental assistance pilot program to be administered by the department of health. Appropriates funds for the administration of the pilot program. | MONITOR | |
| 71 | SB1133 | RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS. | Requires developers of condominium projects in the agricultural district to declare in their public report that the project plan was disclosed and that the developer offered to, or conducted, a presentation disclosing the project plan to the respective community association or neighborhood board at least sixty days prior to registration of the project. | MONITOR | |
| 72 | SB1135 | RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION. | Provides the Land Use Commission with the power to amend, revise, or modify a decision and order granting a district boundary amendment, or fine a petitioner, when there has been a finding by the Land Use Commission that a petitioner or its successors or assigns have not adhered to the conditions imposed by the commission, regardless of whether there has been substantial commencement of use of the land. Defines "substantial commencement". | MONITOR | |
| 73 | SB1185 | RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE. | Exempts from legislative approval the sale of the leased fee interest in certain affordable leasehold developments by the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation. | COMMENT | |
| 74 | SB1216 | RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FACILITIES. | Allows the Department of Defense to recoup operating costs when the Adjutant General permits temporary facility use of department facilities to the public. Currently, the law requires that "all moneys received from the rentals shall be deposited into the general fund of the State." | MONITOR | |
| 75 | SB1224 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. | Excludes from the definition of "public lands" in section 171-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, lands set aside by the governor to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority (HPHA) or lands to which the HPHA holds title. Requires legislative approval of the sale of lands to which the HPHA holds title. | MONITOR | |
| 76 | SB1239 | RELATING TO INVOLUNTARY HOSPITALIZATION. | Permits the Director of Health to designate emergency departments to which persons requiring emergency mental health treatment may be taken by law enforcement. | MONITOR | |
| 77 | SB1251 | RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND. | Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, or resort use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. Repeals on June 30, 2024. | COMMENT | Comment > OPPOSE |

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| 78 | SB1257 | RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBOR FACILITIES. | Clarifies that certain fees for state small boat harbors shall be established by appraisal by a state-licensed appraiser approved by the Department of Land and Natural Resources and shall be set at fair market value. Clarifies fees charged for vessels used for commercial purposes. | MONITOR | |
| 79 | SB1258 | RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES. | Allows the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) to lease any existing state boating facility in its entirety, and fast lands and submerged lands within any existing state boating facility, by public auction, request for proposals, or direct negotiation for private development, management, and operation. Requires the Board to make a finding regarding certain sea level rise factors before awarding any such lease. Clarifies that legislative approval is not required to award a lease, except that the Board may request approval from the Legislature in extraordinary circumstances, by concurrent resolution, where the Board has not made findings regarding sea level rise factors. Repeals fast lands and submerged lands lease requirements specific to Ala Wai Boat Harbor. | COMMENT | |
| 80 | SB1303 | RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. | Part I: Allows the department of education to lease public school lands for a term of not more than ninety-nine years per lease. Part II: Amends Act 210, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, by adding an additional parcel to the list of transferred lands from the city and county of Honolulu to the department of education. Part III: Amends Act 206, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, to allow the city and county of Honolulu to transfer lands under existing department of education facilities directly to the department of education, rather than to the department of land and natural resources. | OPPOSE | |
| 81 | SB1327 | RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE SHORELINE IN SOUTH MAUI. | Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in collaboration with the county councilmember representing the south Maui residency area, Kihei Community Association, and 'Aha Moku O Kula Makai, to develop a master plan to expand public access to the shoreline in south Maui, particularly state-owned land. Appropriates funds. | MONITOR | |
| 82 | SB1367 | RELATING TO PROMOTING DANGEROUS DRUGS. | Establishes the misdemeanor offense of promoting a dangerous drug in the fourth degree for first time offenders who possess smaller amounts of a dangerous drug. Amends related provisions for the promotion of the promotion of dangerous drugs in the second and third degree for consistency. | MONITOR | |
| 83 | SB1370 | RELATING TO CESSPOOLS. | Establishes a grant program and special fund to assist lessees on Hawaiian home lands with cesspool upgrade, conversion, or connection costs. Establishes that a recipient of a cesspool upgrade grant shall not be eligible for the cesspool upgrade, conversion, or connection income tax credit and vice versa. Appropriates moneys for the grant program. | SUPPORT | |
| 84 | SB1482 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMERCIAL HARBORS AUTHORITY. | Establishes the Hawaii commercial harbors authority. Transfers jurisdiction and functions relating to commercial harbors and commercial maritime operations from the department of transportation to the Hawaii commercial harbors authority. Appropriates funds. | COMMENT | |

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| 85 | SB1484 | RELATING TO HIKING TRAILS. | Appropriates funds for the department of land and natural resources to devise an appropriate plan to create a hiking trail from Malaekahana state park, along the coast, to Turtle Bay Resort passing makai of the James Campbell National Wildlife Refuge and continuing from Kawela Bay along the coast of Waialeale to Sunset Beach. | MONITOR | |
| 86 | SB1501 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. | Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and appropriates funds for department of Hawaiian home lands capital improvement projects. | SUPPORT | |
| 87 | SB1541 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Establishes a minimum-security housing program in a county with a population of more than 750,000 for short-term adult offenders. Provides capacity for a furlough program. Appropriates funds. | COMMENT | |
| 88 | GM511 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on Water Resource Management, Gubernatorial Nominee, WAYNE KATAYAMA, for a term to expire 06-30-2022. | MONITOR | |
| 89 | GM571 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, ALAPAKI NAHALE-A, for a term to expire 06-30-2023. | SUPPORT | |
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| | | | Bill Positions for Reconsideration | | |
| 90 | HB591 | RELATING TO WATERSHED AREAS. | Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to give prior notice to the Game Management Advisory Commission when designating an area as a watershed, conducting a new watershed project, or amending a watershed management plan within a game management area or a public hunting area. (HB591 HD1) | OPPOSE > MONITOR | |
| 91 | HB1325 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Requires DLNR to give prior notice to the Game Management Advisory Commission when establishing or amending watershed projects or management plans on state lands or pursuant to a water rights lease and suspend all aerial shooting activity until final adoption of watershed management rules that integrate Commission recommendations. (HB1325 HD1) | OPPOSE > MONITOR | |
| 92 | HB1347 | RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS. | Requires that annual charter school audits be performed by an auditor selected by the authorizer. Requires charter schools to provide access to all or any part of its records to its authorizer without payment of a fee. (HB1347 HD1) | SUPPORT > MONITOR (This is a typo/reversed) | MONITOR > SUPPORT |

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| | | | 2019 Legislative Session (All positions previously approved) | | |
| 313 | HB1114 | RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. | Increases the amount of money available from partial public funding to candidates running for the board of trustees, office of Hawaiian affairs, to match the amount available to candidates running for the office of lieutenant governor. | SUPPORT | Support > COMMENT |
| 390 | SB1 | RELATING TO HOUSING. | Establishes the ALOHA homes program under the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to facilitate the development of low-cost homes for sale to Hawaii residents on state-owned and county-owned land near rail stations of the Honolulu rail transit system, to be known as the urban redevelopment district. Establishes guidelines within the urban redevelopment district. Establishes provisions related to the sale of leasehold interest of ALOHA homes. Exempts land set aside or leased to the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation from the definition of public lands in section 1712, HRS. Establishes the ALOHA homes revolving fund. Authorizes the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes. | OPPOSE | Oppose > COMMENT |
| 523 | SB728 | RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. | Increases the maximum amount of public funds available to each candidate running for the board of trustees of the office of Hawaiian affairs to fifteen per cent of the expenditure limit established for each election. Increases the amount each board of trustees candidate must raise in order to qualify for public funds. (SD1) | SUPPORT | Support > COMMENT |
| 556 | SB919 | RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS. | Amends the composition of the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, reduces the number of board members from fifteen members to nine members, and shortens term length from five years to four years. Specifies terms of holdover board members. Specifies that the Board of Regents shall hold the president of the University of Hawaii and university administration accountable for decisions, actions, and leases that incur additional costs to the university. Prohibits any law, rule, or permission requirement related to permitting discussions between a board member and members of the legislature. (SD1) | SUPPORT | Support > MONITOR |

Trustee Ahuna seconds the motion.

Chair Waihe'e asks if there is any discussion. There is none.

Chair Waihe'e calls for a **ROLL CALL VOTE**.

| | | | | | | | 2:00 p.m. |
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| TRUSTEE | | 1 | 2 | 'AE (YES) | A'OLE (NO) | KANALUA (ABSTAIN) | EXCUSED |
| LEI | AHU ISA | | | X | | | |
| DAN | AHUNA | | 2 | X | | | |
| VICE-CHAIR KALEI | AKAKA | 1 | | X | | | |
| KELI'I | AKINA | | | X | | | |
| BRENDON KALEI'ĀINA | LEE | | | X | | | |
| CARMEN HULU | LINDSEY | | | X | | | |
| ROBERT | LINDSEY | | | X | | | |
| COLETTE | MACHADO | | | X | | | |
| CHAIR JOHN | WAIHE'E | | | X | | | |
| TOTAL VOTE COUNT | | | | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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VI. COMMUNITY CONCERNS*

Walter Ritte: Aloha Trustees, I was at the legislature this morning and one of the bills this year that concern the people of Moloka'i is the one regarding invasive species. The government looks at the deer as invasive species, our testimony was that this was a gift to our Ali'i over 150 years ago. We've been hunting the deer for many years, it's part of our community and a very important part of our lifestyle; we see it as part of our culture.

The other word that was in the bill that concerned us is "eradicate", no one has come to Moloka'i to talk to us about it; the State has an Aha Moku System that should advise the DLNR on these kinds of issues. We're trying to figure out how to resolve this issue. I'm hoping we can look at the deer in a positive way and the end result is that they change the word "eradicate" to "manage". It is important for us to manage the deer, but we don't want to look at them as being an invasive species.

The other issue I wanted to bring up, was just to update you guys about what's happening on Moloka'i. We had a community meeting on Moloka'i last week Monday and we had over 150 people show up at the meeting. One of the classes presented a survey of about 500 people that they did online and it indicated really strong support; I think over 80% of the people surveyed support the idea of us becoming our own County. After they presented the survey on the screen showing all the different results, there was a raise of hands of who was in support, it was almost the whole room, maybe less than 10 people present didn't raise their hand. This whole initiative is not coming from the legislature or OHA, it's coming from the Community. So we have to figure out how do we get this initiative from the Community up to legislature which is the body that will say yes or no. It's been difficult trying to find the right path to take; we've had some hiccups. When we first talked to Senator English he said he would support it and then later on he changed his mind, that was rough. We've tried to go through OHA, and I don't blame OHA for not agreeing with the legislature telling them to do this or that with their own money (appropriations). I would like to get support from OHA and am thinking that OHA could do a resolution that would say that OHA could do a feasibility study on Moloka'i becoming its own County.

We have until March 8th for resolutions to be submitted, so we have some time to try and figure it out. I want to at least let this body know that for the betterment of Native Hawaiians, Molokai would be a really big asset in allowing Hawaiians on being able to control their future. We go from being on Moloka'i where we have no voice, to actually having control over our own island and that's a huge step for us. We were surprised and glad that so many people support the idea. Before, many didn't support it because we thought we couldn't afford to be our own County. The community-organizing is going really well and we're just trying to figure out how we can convince the State that it's a good idea and that it's feasible for us to do.

Chair Waihe'e: Thank you Mr. Ritte.

VII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Trustee Hulu Lindsey moves to adjourn the BAE meeting.

Vice-Chair Akaka seconds the motion.

Chair Waihe'e asks if there is any discussion. There is none.

Chair Waihe'e asks if any members vote NO or ABSTAIN. There are no dissenting votes.

| | | | | | | | 2:10 p.m. |
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| TRUSTEE | | 1 | 2 | 'AE (YES) | A'OLE (NO) | KANALUA (ABSTAIN) | EXCUSED |
| LEI | AHU ISA | | | X | | | |
| DAN | AHUNA | | | X | | | |
| VICE-CHAIR KALEI | AKAKA | | 2 | X | | | |
| KELI'I | AKINA | | | | | | Departed at 2:01 p.m. |
| BRENDON KALEI'ĀINA | LEE | | | X | | | |
| CARMEN HULU | LINDSEY | 1 | | X | | | |
| ROBERT | LINDSEY | | | | | | Departed at 2:01 p.m. |
| COLETTE | MACHADO | | | X | | | |
| CHAIR JOHN | WAIHE'E | | | X | | | |
| TOTAL VOTE COUNT | | | | 7 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

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Chair Waihe'e adjourns the BAE meeting at 2:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Wennihan
Trustee Aide
Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment

As approved by the Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment on March 6, 2019.

Trustee John Waihe'e, IV
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ATTACHMENT(s):

None

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Nā Lama Kukui
560 N. Nimitz Highway
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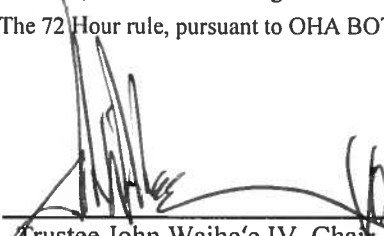
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Date

2019 OHA LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE

| OHA NO. | BILL NO. | MEASURE TITLE | DESCRIPTION | STATUS | REFERRAL |
|---------|-----------|---|--|---|---------------|
| OHA 1 | HB172 HD1 | RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. | Appropriates funds for Fiscal Biennium 2019-2021 for the Office of the Trustees (OHA150), Office of Hawaiian Affairs Administration (OHA160), and Beneficiary Advocacy (OHA175). Requires an expenditure of trust funds to pay for the auditor to conduct a financial and management audit. (HB172 HD1) | H 3/1/2019: Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1250), recommending passage on Third Reading. | WLH, FIN |
| OHA 1 | SB190 SD1 | RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. | Appropriates funds for Fiscal Biennium 2019-2021 for operations of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs divisions. Includes operating budgets for Office of Trustees - OHA150; Administration - OHA160; and Beneficiary Advocacy -OHA175. (SD1) | S 2/21/2019: The committee on WAM deferred the measure. | HWN, WAM |
| OHA 2 | HCR3 | | REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO REPORT ON THE CRITERIA DEVELOPED AND PRIORITIZATION ADVISED FOR CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES FUNDING PURSUANT TO SECTION 302D-29.5, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES. | H 2/11/2019: Referred to LHE, FIN, referral sheet 20 | LHE, FIN |
| OHA 2 | SCR2 | | REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO REPORT ON THE CRITERIA DEVELOPED AND PRIORITIZATION ADVISED FOR CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES FUNDING PURSUANT TO SECTION 302D-29.5, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES. | S 1/24/2019: Referred to EDU, WAM. | EDU, WAM |
| OHA 3 | HB173 | RELATING TO STRENGTHENING THE FOUNDATION FOR ENSURING A FAIR AND JUST PAYMENT AMOUNT FOR THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS' PRO RATA SHARE OF THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST. | Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to use certain reporting and accountability procedures in implementing the public land trust reporting requirements of Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2006. Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to consult with the Office of Hawaiian Affairs to ensure that the accounting and reporting is accurate and inclusive. | H 1/22/2019: Referred to WLH, JUD, FIN, referral sheet 2 | WLH, JUD, FIN |

2019 OHA LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE

| OHA NO. | BILL NO. | MEASURE TITLE | DESCRIPTION | STATUS | REFERRAL |
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| OHA 3 | SB191 SD1 | RELATING TO STRENGTHENING THE FOUNDATION FOR ENSURING A FAIR AND JUST PAYMENT AMOUNT FOR THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS' PRO RATA SHARE OF THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST. | Requires the Department of Budget and Finance to use certain reporting and accountability procedures in implementing the public land trust reporting requirements of Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2006. Requires the Department of Budget and Finance to consult with the Office of Hawaiian Affairs to ensure that the accounting and reporting is accurate and inclusive. Establishes and requires the Department of Budget and Finance to request funding every fiscal year for a specific budget line item for a public land trust reporting and accountability officer position. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1) | S 3/1/2019: One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL/HWN, WAM |
| OHA 4 | HB174 | RELATING TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE STATE COUNCIL ON MENTAL HEALTH. | Requires the State Council on Mental Health to comprise at least 3 members with demonstrated knowledge of or work experience involving Native Hawaiian concepts of well-being, culturally grounded mental health methodologies, or traditional healing or health practices. | H 1/22/2019: Referred to WLH/HLT, CPC, referral sheet 2 | WLH/HLT, CPC |
| OHA 4 | SB193 | RELATING TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE STATE COUNCIL ON MENTAL HEALTH. | Requires the State Council on Mental Health to comprise at least 3 members with demonstrated knowledge of or work experience involving Native Hawaiian concepts of well-being, culturally grounded mental health methodologies, or traditional healing or health practices. | S 3/1/2019: One Day Notice 03-05-19. | CPH/HWN |
| OHA 5 | HB175 HD2 | RELATING TO BAIL. | Authorizes a defendant in custody to petition a court for unsecured bail. (HB175 HD2) | H 2/15/2019: Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 2 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Aquino, DeCoite, Nakamura, Quinlan, Thielen excused (5). | PVM, JUD, FIN |
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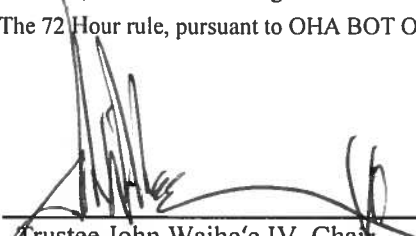
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THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

| ITEM# | BILL# | REPORT | DESCRIPTION | STATUS | REFERRALS | POSITION |
|------------------|-------|---------------------------------|--|---|-----------------|----------|
| New Bills | | | | | | |
| 1 | SB12 | RELATING TO TEACHER HOUSING. | Authorizes the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to develop and implement a housing voucher program for full-time teachers employed at a hard-to-fill public school, including a public charter school, as identified by the Department of Education. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU/HOU, WAM | SUPPORT |
| 2 | GM582 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Game Management Advisory Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, GLENNON GINGO, for a term to expire 06-30-2022. | 2/28/2019 S Nominee Glennon Gingo withdrawn by Governor. (Gov. Msg. No. 633) | WTL | MONITOR |
| 3 | GM608 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Chair of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Gubernatorial Nominee, SUZANNE D. CASE, for a term to expire 12-31-2022. | 2/28/2019 S Referred to WTL. | WTL | MONITOR |
| 4 | GM609 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Deputy to the Chair of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Gubernatorial Nominee, ROBERT K. MASUDA, for a term to expire at noon on 12-05-2022. | 2/28/2019 S Referred to WTL. | WTL | MONITOR |
| 5 | GM610 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Maui and Lana'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, LEAHI HALL, for a term to expire 06-30-2023. | 2/28/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN has scheduled a public hearing on 03-14-19 1:17PM in conference room 016. | HWN | SUPPORT |
| 6 | GM622 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Kaua'i and Ni'ihau, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHNNETTE KAHALEKAI, for a term to expire 06-30-2019. | 2/28/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN has scheduled a public hearing on 03-14-19 1:17PM in conference room 016. | HWN | MONITOR |

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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| 7 | GM623 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Kaua'i and Ni'ihau, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHNNETTE KAHALEKAI, for a term to expire 06-30-2023. | 2/28/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN has scheduled a public hearing on 03-14-19 1:17PM in conference room 016. | HWN | MONITOR |
| Bill Positions for Reconsideration | | | | | | |
| 8 | HB439 | RELATING TO LAND USE. | Exempts lands set aside by the Governor to the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation for the primary purpose of developing affordable housing from classification as public land subject to DLNR management. (HB439 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with Representative(s) Thielen voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH, FIN | COMMENT > OPPOSE |
| 9 | HB1526 | RELATING TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS BUDGET. | Appropriates funds for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 operating budget for Department of Education programs relating to charter schools under the purview of the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Lower and Higher Education. (HB1526 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LHE, FIN | MONITOR > SUPPORT |
| 10 | SB874 | RELATING TO HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. | Authorizes the use of the Hawaiian Home Loan Fund and Hawaiian Home General Loan Fund to assist qualifying lessees purchasing or leasing micro housing units on approved Hawaiian home lands. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, WAM | COMMENT > MONITOR |

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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| 11 | SB1385 | RELATING TO THE KANEOHE BAY REGIONAL COUNCIL. | Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to provide administrative support to the Kaneohe Bay regional council. Requires that the chairperson be selected by the members on an annual and rotating basis. Requires the council to meet quarterly. Appropriates moneys to the Department for a 0.5 FTE staff position to assist the council during meetings. Effective 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | SUPPORT > COMMENT |
| 2019 Legislative Session (All positions previously approved) | | | | | | |
| 12 | HB32 | RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE. | Extends the deadline for the Legislative Reference Bureau to submit the sunrise analysis required by Act 109, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, from September 1, 2019, to November 13, 2019. (HB32 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LAB, FIN | MONITOR |
| 13 | HB125 | RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS. | Abolishes various non-general funds and accounts of the Department of Land and Natural Resources and transfers the unencumbered balances to the general fund. (HB125 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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| 14 | HB159 | RELATING TO CRIME. | Increases criminal penalties for anyone who knowingly keeps or maintains any structure or place for the purpose of using controlled substances or which is used for keeping or selling them in violation of controlled substance laws. Increases criminal penalties for those who knowingly profit from, advance, or participate in gambling. (HB159 HD1) | 2/28/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). | JUD | MONITOR |
| 15 | HB201 | RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. | Clarifies that state, county, and authorized agents have authority to enter private property to control and eradicate invasive species when there is a reasonable suspicion that invasive species are present on the property. (HB201 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | EEP, JUD | MONITOR |
| 16 | HB218 | RELATING TO MINORS. | Grants a circuit court, when sentencing a minor for a criminal offense, the discretion to: (1) impose a sentence that includes a period of incarceration that is as much as fifty per cent shorter than any mandatory minimum; and (2) in certain cases, decline to impose a mandatory enhanced sentence. (HB218 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | HSH, JUD | SUPPORT |
| 17 | HB245 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Expands the powers of the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board to include approving professional development courses and programs necessary for teacher reclassification. (HB245 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LHE, FIN | MONITOR |

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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| 18 | HB246 | RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS. | Provides funding for rental or lease of facilities under legislative appropriations and bond authorizations to the State Public Charter School Commission for the design, planning, construction, repair, and maintenance of public charter school improvements. Appropriates general funds for infrastructure costs, rental or lease assistance, and the repair and maintenance of network infrastructure for charter schools. (HB246 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | LHE, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 19 | HB250 | RELATING TO SCHOOL-BASED HEALTH SERVICES. | Formally establishes the Hawaii Keiki: Healthy and Ready to Learn program and special fund within the Department of Education. Appropriates funds for positions and a vision screening and eye assessment tool, and to implement, expand, and sustain the program. (HB250 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | LHE/HLT, FIN | MONITOR |
| 20 | HB295 | RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE. | Amends the definition of domestic abuse under Hawaii's insurance laws and domestic abuse protective order statutes to include emotional abuse between family or household members. Defines emotional abuse. (HB295 HD1) | 2/28/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). | CPC/JUD | SUPPORT |
| 21 | HB320 | RELATING TO OFFENDER REENTRY. | Requires the Department of Public Safety to issue certificates to inmates who complete rehabilitation programs. (HB320 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | PVM, JUD | MONITOR |
| 22 | HB329 | RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF. | Amends the Kauai flooding disaster relief appropriation made in Act 12, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, to include flood mitigation measures. Extends the lapse date of the appropriation to June 30, 2020. Exempts the appropriation from certain restrictions on transfers of or changes to appropriations. (HB329 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | PVM, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 23 | HB330 | RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION. | Appropriates moneys for youth suicide early intervention, prevention, and education initiatives in Kauai and Hawaii counties. (HB330 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | HLT, FIN | COMMENT |
| 24 | HB334 | RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNTS. | Expands eligibility for state-funded individual development accounts to households with income up to 100 percent of the area median income. Expands allowable uses of account funds to rental housing and transportation. Clarifies reporting requirements for fiduciary organizations. Requires the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism to certify the tax credits for contributions. Reactivates the tax credit for the five-year period from 2020 through 2024. (HB334 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | HSH, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 25 | HB336 | RELATING TO HAWAII STATE AND CONTRACTED CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES. | Requires the Director of Public Safety, in the event of the death of an inmate who is in a state or contracted correctional facility, or death of a correctional facility or community correctional center employee, to provide a report to the Governor and Legislature with certain information regarding the death, subject to state and federal laws. Requires the collection and preservation of any human biological specimens if there is any indication of sexual assault leading to the death. (HB336 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty- eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | PVM, JUD | SUPPORT |

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| 26 | HB398 | RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. | Requires the University of Hawaii system to create additional distance-learning classes in teaching for students who are pursuing undergraduate degrees in education. (HB398 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LHE, FIN | MONITOR |
| 27 | HB402 | RELATING TO INCREASING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS' PRO RATA SHARE OF PUBLIC LAND TRUST FUNDS. | Establishes the OHA's pro rata share of the public land trust. Transfers funds to OHA for underpayment of the public land trust funds for 7/1/2012 to 6/30/2019. Requires the DLNR to provide an annual accounting of receipts from public land trust lands. Appropriates funds. (HB402 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1251), recommending passage on Third Reading. | WLH, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 28 | HB419 | RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS . | Provides that a county shall be eligible to receive funds from the State for the purpose of enforcing all applicable laws and ordinances relating to transient accommodations, provided that no funds shall be released to a county until it has satisfactorily complied with specified conditions. Makes an allocation from TAT revenues. Requires reports from counties receiving funds for enforcement of transient accommodations and short-term vacation rentals ordinances. (HB419 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | TIA, FIN | MONITOR |
| 29 | HB420 | RELATING TO HAWAIIAN CULTURE. | Removes a provision designating the Hawaii Convention Center as the location for operation of a Hawaiian Center and the Museum of Hawaiian Music and Dance. (HB420 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | TIA/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 30 | HB449 | RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY. | Establishes a statewide sustainability division within the Office of Planning to ensure long-term planning, coordination, and implementation of Hawaii's sustainability goals and policies. Appropriates funds. (HB449 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP/EDB, FIN | MONITOR |
| 31 | HB453 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. | Excludes lands set aside by the Governor to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority and lands to which HPHA holds title from the definition of public lands in section 171-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Requires prior legislative approval for the sale of lands to which HPHA holds title. (HB 453 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 32 | HB454 | RELATING TO KAHOO LAWE ISLAND RESERVE. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources to support native dryland forest restoration, management, and maintenance on Kahoolawe Island Reserve. (HB454 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | WLH/EEP, FIN | MONITOR |
| 33 | HB455 | RELATING TO THE KAHOO LAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for support of the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission, including 2 full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) permanent positions. (HB455 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 34 | HB460 | RELATING TO THE COUNTIES. | Prohibits a county from accepting a discounted payment of a fine levied by the county planning and permitting department or agency. Requires the State Auditor to conduct an annual audit of the fines levied and collected by the counties. (HB460 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representative(s) Okimoto voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite, Nakashima excused (2). | FIN | MONITOR |
| 35 | HB461 | RELATING TO SEA LEVEL RISE. | Requires the Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission to conduct certain activities to address the impacts of sea level rise and report to the Legislature before the 2021 Regular Session. Appropriates funds. (HB461 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEO/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 36 | HB529 | RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES. | Prohibits any vehicle, except a low-range, four-wheel drive vehicle, from being driven through or in Waipio Valley, except under certain circumstances. (HB529 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | TRN, JUD | MONITOR |

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| 37 | HB548 | RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX. | Allocates funds from TAT revenue to the Hawaii Tourism Authority, rather than the Special Land and Development Fund, to improve certain state resources and services. Requires DLNR to submit to HTA, an annual list of proposed projects in relation to the HTA Strategic Plan. (HB548 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | TIA/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 38 | HB549 | RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT. | Requires new developments to plan for the impacts of projected sea level rise and prohibits development in areas significantly affected by projected sea level rise. (HB549 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 39 | HB551 | RELATING TO CESSPOOLS. | Extends lapse date for funds appropriated to the University of Hawaii to conduct a comprehensive statewide study of sewage contamination in nearshore marine areas. Extends lapse date for funds appropriated to the Department of Health to conduct research or gather technical assistance relating to the cesspool conversion working group's comprehensive cesspool conversion plan. | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 40 | HB593 | RELATING TO LAND USE. | Authorizes the development of utility scale solar projects on certain lands, subject to certain requirements. (HB593 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with Representative(s) Creagan, Gates, Holt, Nakamura, San Buenaventura, Wildberger voting aye with reservations; Representative(s) Eli, Hashimoto, Kitagawa, B. Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Matsumoto, McKelvey, Okimoto, Onishi, Perruso, Quinlan, Tarnas, Thielen voting no (13) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 41 | HB594 | RELATING TO AN APPROPRIATION FOR A KUNIA WELLS IV EXPLORATORY WELL. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources (LNR141) for the design and construction of one exploratory well to meet future potable water requirements for diversified agriculture. (HB594 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 42 | HB622 | RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS. | Establishes new reporting requirement for charter schools. Requires establishment of a purchase order system to pay charter school expenses. Requires authorizers to select the independent auditors. Prohibits affiliations between Board of Education or Charter School Commission members and charter schools. (HB622 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | LHE, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 43 | HB629 | RELATING TO MEDICAL RELEASE. | Creates a medical release program within the Department of Public Safety for certain ill, disabled, and geriatric inmates who pose a low risk to public safety. (HB629 HD2) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | PVM, JUD, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 44 | HB655 | RELATING TO HEALTH. | Designates the month of September of each year as Suicide Prevention and Awareness Month. (HB655 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | HLT, JUD | SUPPORT |
| 45 | HB664 | RELATING TO GENDER IDENTITY. | Clarifies that the ban on sexual orientation change efforts applies to conversion therapy practices or treatments that seek to change an individual's sexual orientation or gender identity. (HB664 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | HLT, JUD/CPC | MONITOR |
| 46 | HB762 | RELATING TO SINGLE-USE PLASTIC STRAWS. | Prohibits a full-service restaurant from providing a single-use plastic straw to a consumer unless requested by the consumer. (HB762 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | EEP, CPC, JUD | COMMENT |
| 47 | HB786 | RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH EXAMINATIONS. | Requires the Department of Health to submit a report on improving and expediting mental health evaluations of specific defendants. (HB786 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | PVM, JUD | MONITOR |
| 48 | HB807 | RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION. | Amends the misdemeanor offense of unsworn falsification to authorities to include knowingly making a false statement to a state investigator or county inspector in certain circumstances. (HB807 HD1) | 2/28/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). | JUD | COMMENT |

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| 49 | HB808 | RELATING TO SHARK AND RAY PROTECTION. | Prohibits, establishes criminal penalties, and establishes administrative fines for any person who knowingly captures, takes, possesses, abuses, entangles, or kills any shark within state marine waters. Expands the existing protection for rays within state marine waters. Provides certain exemptions. (HB808 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Reported from JUD (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1180), recommending passage on Third Reading. | WLH, JUD | SUPPORT |
| 50 | HB813 | RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROMISE PROGRAM PLUS. | Establishes the University of Hawaii Promise Program Plus to provide scholarships for the unmet direct cost needs of qualified students enrolled in a bachelor's degree at the University of Hawaii who are (1) graduates of a University of Hawaii community college who received a Hawaii Community College Promise Program Scholarship; and (2) enrolled at any University of Hawaii campus. Appropriates funds to establish and implement the program. (HB813 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LHE, FIN | MONITOR |
| 51 | HB821 | RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS. | Authorizes DBEDT to enter into a public-private partnership to plan, build, and manage key strategic broadband infrastructure that benefits the State, including a cable landing station in Kakaako, on the island of Oahu, and to encourage cloud-based companies to take advantage of this infrastructure. Exempts the station from certain state and county permitting and land use laws. Appropriates funds. (HB821 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | EDB/IAC, FIN | MONITOR |
| 52 | HB861 | RELATED TO LAND USE. | Requires the Office of Planning, in consultation with the Land Use Commission, Real Estate Commission, and the Department of Planning and Permitting, to study and report on deficiencies in the land subdivision and condominium property regime laws, as these laws interact with county zoning ordinances, that may result in land being developed contrary to the legislative intent of those laws. (HB861 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | WLH, CPC, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 53 | HB893 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS BUDGET. | Appropriates funds for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 operating budget of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands programs under the purview of the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Water, Land, and Hawaiian Affairs. (HB893 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 54 | HB896 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES STATE BUDGET. | Appropriates funds for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 operating budget of the Department of Land and Natural Resources programs under the purview of the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Water, Land, and Hawaiian Affairs. (HB896 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 55 | HB897 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife. (HB897 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | EDB, FIN | MONITOR |
| 56 | HB903 | RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY. | Requires the Judiciary to establish a financial hardship task force. (HB903 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 57 | HB910 | RELATING TO BANYAN DRIVE. | Requires the Office of Planning to conduct a study on the infrastructure of the Banyan Drive area on the Waiakea Peninsula on the island of Hawaii. Appropriates funds. (HB910 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 58 | HB917 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS. | Requires the City and County of Honolulu to transfer to the Department of Education fee simple title to the property on which the Department's Student Transportation Service Office - Young Street is located. Appropriates funds. (HB917 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | LHE/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 59 | HB990 | RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FACILITIES. | Allows the Department of Defense to recoup operating costs when the Adjutant General permits temporary facility use of department facilities to the public and requires remaining net proceeds to be deposited into the general fund. (HB990 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1256), recommending passage on Third Reading. | PVM, FIN | MONITOR |
| 60 | HB996 | MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO MAINTAIN AND CONTINUE THE CURRENT FEDERALLY FUNDED CHARTER SCHOOL PREKINDERGARTEN CLASSROOMS. | Appropriates moneys for fiscal year 2019-2020 to the State Public Charter School Commission to maintain and continue the current federally funded eighteen existing charter school prekindergarten classrooms that were provided for by a federal preschool development grant. (HB996 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | LHE, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 61 | HB1013 | RELATING TO INVOLUNTARY HOSPITALIZATION. | Establishes an involuntary hospitalization task force to examine certain sections of chapter 334, HRS, and make recommendations to the legislature to reduce unnecessary emergency department admissions and improve access for MH-1 patients to the most appropriate level of care. (HB1013 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | HSH, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 62 | HB1016 | RELATING TO SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL GOALS. | Updates the Department of Health's solid waste management goals to align with the Aloha+ Challenge. (HB1016 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | EEP, JUD | SUPPORT |
| 63 | HB1025 | RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND. | Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. Sunsets on June 30, 2029. (HB1025 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with Representative(s) Gates, Matsumoto, Okimoto, Perruso voting aye with reservations; Representative(s) Eli, Thielen voting no (2) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH, FIN | OPPOSE |
| 64 | HB1028 | RELATING TO THE ENDANGERED SPECIES TRUST FUND. | Expands the type of revenue that can be deposited into the Endangered Species Trust Fund. (HB1028 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 65 | HB1032 | RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES. | Requires the Board of Land and Natural Resources to obtain prior authorization from the Legislature to lease any existing state boating facilities, fast lands, and submerged lands by public auction, request for proposals, or by direct negotiation for private development, management, and operation. (HB1032 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | WLH/EEP, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 66 | HB1042 | RELATING TO TAX REPORTING. | Revises the manner in which person authorized to collect rent provides information to the Department of Taxation and requires (as opposed to permits) them to report the total amount of rent collected under sections 237-30.5 and 237D-8.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes. | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | FIN | MONITOR |
| 67 | HB1116 | RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. | Amends ballot requirements to display candidates for the Board of Trustees of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs by residency and non-residency requirements. Requires the names of the candidates in each group to be randomized on individual ballots and on ballots across precincts. (HB1116 HD1) | 2/28/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). | JUD | MONITOR |
| 68 | HB1121 | RELATING TO WATER SECURITY. | Requires the Commission on Water Resource Management to conduct an update of the statewide framework for the Hawaii water plan to provide guidance for Hawaii's future water plan. Makes an appropriation. (HB1121 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite, Nakamura excused (2). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH/EEP, FIN | MONITOR |
| 69 | HB1133 | RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS. | Limits access to any marine life conservation district not accessible by land to 50 percent of commercial permit holders at any given time. (HB1133 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 70 | HB1165 | RELATING TO GENDER IDENTIFICATION. | Requires a license or state identification card to include a person's full legal name, date of birth, gender designation, residence address, and license number. Specifies gender designation options of F, M, or X. (HB1165 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | TRN, JUD | SUPPORT |
| 71 | HB1171 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Appropriates funds for the operating budget for the Department of Land and Natural Resources for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021. (HB1171 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP, FIN | MONITOR |
| 72 | HB1177 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Appropriates funds to purchase the Honolulu Federal Detention Center. (HB1177 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | PVM/LAB, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 73 | HB1178 | RELATING TO THE FISCAL BIENNIUM 2019-2021 BUDGET REQUESTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Department of Land and Natural Resources budget items. (HB1178 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | PVM, FIN | MONITOR |
| 74 | HB1209 | RELATING TO HOUSING. | Requires the Commission to file annual reports on the status of the progress of five-year boundary review. Requires counties to file annual updates to general plans, development plans, or community plans. (HB1209 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1246), recommending passage on Third Reading. | HSG, WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 75 | HB1219 | RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. | Allows the designation of areas or regions of public lands according to certain categories. Allows the establishment and implementation of guidelines for the redevelopment of the areas or regions. Establishes and appropriates funds for the Waiakea Peninsula Redevelopment District Revolving Fund. (HB1219 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | WLH, FIN | COMMENT |
| 76 | HB1261 | RELATED TO JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS. | Extends for two years the requirement that decisions in contested case hearings of the Commission on Water Resource Management, Land Use Commission, Public Utilities Commission, Hawaii Community Development Authority, and those involving conservation districts be appealed directly to the Supreme Court, with certain exceptions. (HB1261 HD1) | 2/28/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). | JUD | MONITOR |
| 77 | HB1277 | RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROMISE PROGRAM. | Provides scholarships for the unmet direct cost needs of qualified students at any four-year University of Hawaii campus who meet certain eligibility criteria. Makes an appropriation for the Hawaii Promise Program. (HB1277 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | LHE, FIN | MONITOR |
| 78 | HB1289 | RELATING TO CRIMINAL PRETRIAL REFORM. | Implements recommendations of the Criminal Pretrial Task Force convened pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 134, House Draft 1, Regular Session of 2017. (HB1289 HD2) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | PVM, JUD, FIN | SUPPORT |

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| 79 | HB1307 | RELATING TO AN OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS. | Requires the Legislative Reference Bureau to conduct a study on establishing a state central hearing agency to be known as the Office of Administrative Hearings and submit a report of its findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the Legislature prior to the Regular Session of 2020. | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 80 | HB1325 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Requires DLNR to give prior notice to the Game Management Advisory Commission when establishing or amending watershed projects or management plans on state lands or pursuant to a water rights lease. Requires DLNR to suspend all aerial shooting activity if BLNR has not adopted rules incorporating recommendations by the Commission. (HB1325 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with Representative(s) Okimoto voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | WLH/EEP, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 81 | HB1326 | RELATING TO WATER RIGHTS. | Allows for ten consecutive one-year holdovers of water permits under section 171-58(c), HRS. Makes conforming amendments to the reporting requirement in Act 126 (2016). Extends the repeal and reenactment provision for Act 126 (2016) by seven years, from June 30, 2019 to June 30, 2026. (HB1326 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | WLH, FIN | OPPOSE |

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| 82 | HB1347 | RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS. | Requires that annual charter school audits be performed by an auditor selected by the authorizer. Requires charter schools to provide access to all or any part of its records to its authorizer without payment of a fee. (HB1347 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LHE, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 83 | HB1349 | RELATING TO RESERVED HOUSING. | Prohibits the Hawaii Community Development Authority from allowing satisfaction of a development project's affordable housing requirement through a cash payment in lieu of providing reserved housing. (HB1349 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | HSG, FIN | MONITOR |
| 84 | HB1375 | RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII MUSEUM OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY. | Appropriates funds to support the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History; provided that the appropriation shall not reduce DBEDT's base budget for the Hawaii Museum. (HB1375 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | TIA/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 85 | HB1413 | RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST E OLA MAU NA LEO O KEKAHA. | Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds (SPRB) to assist E Ola Mau Na Leo O Kekaha with the acquisition, remediation, and development of the old Kekaha Sugar Mill in Kekaha, Kauai, Hawaii. (HB 1413 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 86 | HB1416 | RELATING TO HEALTH. | Establishes a Suicide Prevention Commission to develop a strategic plan to reduce suicides within Hawaii's correctional system. (HB1416 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | HLT, FIN | MONITOR |
| 87 | HB1417 | RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. | Requires the Department of Human Services to use an integrated and multigenerational approach to delivering human services to reduce the incidence of intergenerational poverty and dependence on public benefits. (HB1417 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | HSH, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 88 | HB1433 | RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY. | Appropriates funds for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) positions, operating costs, and equipment to support the Attorney General's Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center in administering the Address Confidentiality Program. (HB1433 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 89 | HB1468 | RELATING TO THE WAIANAE COAST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER. | Appropriates moneys to the Department of Health to provide the Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center with funding for an advanced practice registered nurse position and various infrastructure improvements for its school-based health center at Nanakuli High and Intermediate School. (HB1468 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | HLT, FIN | MONITOR |
| 90 | HB1487 | RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE. | Establishes the Honolulu shoreline climate protection pilot project to develop a plan to protect urban Honolulu from the acute impacts of sea level rise, floodwater, storms, and other impacts of a rapidly changing climate. Appropriates funds. (HB1487 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EEP, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 91 | HB1497 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. | Establishes the Stadium Development District comprising all state land under the Stadium Authority's jurisdiction. Authorizes HCDA to facilitate the development of all state property within the District including building a new stadium. Authorizes the issuance of revenue bonds and general obligation bonds. Appropriates funds. (HB1497 HD3) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | LAB, WLH, FIN | MONITOR |
| 92 | HB1503 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. | Requires the Department of Agriculture to establish a 2-year Agricultural Theft and Vandalism Pilot Project to examine the effectiveness of prosecuting agricultural theft and agricultural vandalism cases in the County of Hawaii. Appropriates funds. (HB1503 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 03-05-19. | AGR, JUD, FIN | MONITOR |
| 93 | HB1537 | RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF MAUNA KEA MANAGEMENT. | Appropriates funds to the University of Hawaii for an unspecified number of FTE positions within the Office of Mauna Kea Management. (HB1537 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with Representative(s) Perruso voting aye with reservations; Representative(s) Har, Say, Tokioka voting no (3) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LAB, FIN | MONITOR |
| 94 | HB1548 | RELATING TO RAPID OHIA DEATH. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources to study and combat rapid ohia death. (HB1548 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | EOP/WLH, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 95 | HB1551 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Establishes a minimum-security housing program in a county with a population of more than 750,000 for short-term adult offenders. Provides capacity for a furlough program. Appropriates funds. (HB1551 HD1) | 3/1/2019 S Passed First Reading. | PVM, JUD, FIN | COMMENT |
| 96 | HB1552 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Establishes the Hawaii Correctional System Oversight Commission. Creates a position for an Oversight Coordinator for the Commission. Transfers all rights, powers, functions, and duties of the Reentry Commission and Corrections Population Management Commission to the Hawaii Correctional System Oversight Commission. (HB1552 HD2) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | PVM, JUD, FIN | SUPPORT |
| 97 | HB1582 | RELATING TO CONCESSIONS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY. | Exempts from the bidding requirements of Chapter 102, HRS, concessions on public property whose operations provide historical and cultural information, goods, and services within the State Capitol District. (HB1582 HD1) | 3/1/2019 H Passed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) DeCoite excused (1). Transmitted to Senate. | LAB, FIN | MONITOR |

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| 98 | SB1 | RELATING TO HOUSING. | Establishes the ALOHA homes program under the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation (HHFDC) to facilitate the development of low-cost homes for sale to Hawaii residents on state-owned and county-owned land near rail stations of the Honolulu rail transit system, to be known as the urban redevelopment district. Establishes guidelines within the urban redevelopment district and provisions related to the sale of leasehold interest of ALOHA homes. Exempts lands to which HHFDC holds title and land set aside or leased to HHFDC from the definition of public lands in section 1712, HRS, except for purposes of accounting for receipts from ceded lands. Establishes and appropriates funds into and out of the ALOHA homes revolving fund. Authorizes HHFDC to sell the leasehold interest in residential condominium units located on state lands for lease terms of 99 years. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU/WTL/G VO, WAM | COMMENT |
| 99 | SB9 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. | Requires the Hawaii public housing authority to adopt rules without regard to chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Appropriates an unspecified amount to the Hawaii public housing authority to reimburse landlords who participate in the section 8 housing choice voucher program for repair costs of tenant-caused property damage when such repair costs exceed the tenant's security deposit and for one full time-equivalent position to assist and administer the reimbursement program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | HOU, WAM | |
| 100 | SB11 | RELATING TO POLYSTYRENE FOAM CONTAINERS. | Prohibits restaurants from serving prepared foods using polystyrene foam containers statewide. Authorizes the Department of Health to adopt rules. Takes effect on December 31, 2020. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, CPH | SUPPORT |

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| 101 | SB50 | RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. | Appropriates funds to the University of Hawaii for the Hawaii Nutrition Employment and Training Program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HMS/HRE, WAM | MONITOR |
| 102 | SB90 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. | Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the Department of Education. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 103 | SB114 | RELATING TO TEACHER HOUSING. | Establishes the teacher home assistance program to be administered by the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to provide housing vouchers to full-time teachers employed by the Department of Education, including teachers at public charter schools, who teach at a hard-to-fill school, as determined by the Department of Education, and whose household income does not exceed 80% of the area median income. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU/EDU, WAM | SUPPORT |
| 104 | SB126 | RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET. | Appropriates funds and positions to fulfill requests made by the Governor. Appropriates funds. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WAM | MONITOR |
| 105 | SB130 | RELATING TO CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES. | Appropriates funds for the judiciary to purchase civil legal services for low- and moderate-income persons. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | JDC, WAM | MONITOR |
| 106 | SB171 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Creates a county education task force to establish a process for the transfer of jurisdiction over all public schools, including all state public education functions and funding, from the State to the county in which the public school is located. Requires report to legislature prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2021. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU/PSM, WAM | MONITOR |
| 107 | SB221 | RELATING TO CESSPOOLS. | Authorizes the Department of Health to coordinate with each county wastewater agency to establish a low interest loan program to upgrade or convert cesspools to septic systems or aerobic treatment unit systems, or to connect cesspools to existing sewer systems or other wastewater treatment systems approved by the department. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN | MONITOR |

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| 108 | SB223 | RELATING TO IRRIGATION. | Transfers operational authority over portions of the east Kauai irrigation system operated and maintained by the east Kauai water users' cooperative as of 7/1/19, to the Department of Agriculture. Establishes staffing positions. Authorizes general obligation bonds for a state irrigation system capital improvement project. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 109 | SB226 | RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION. | Appropriates moneys for youth suicide early intervention, prevention, and education initiatives in Kauai, Hawaii, and Maui counties. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, WAM | COMMENT |
| 110 | SB230 | RELATING TO MINORS. | Provides that a minor may consent to emergency shelter if a provider of no cost emergency shelter and services is coordinating with child welfare service. | 2/11/2019 S Report adopted; Passed Second Reading and referred to JDC. | HMS, JDC | MONITOR |
| 111 | SB277 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Appropriates funds for the Department of Land and Natural Resources priority projects, including the industrial and business park at Pulehunui, East Kapolei/University of Hawaii, west Oahu campus transit station development, and the Hawaii district land office. Effective 7/1/2050. | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 112 | SB313 | MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. | Makes an appropriation for 2 full-time equivalent positions for the wayfinding education program "Imiloa Astronomy Center. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HRE/EET, WAM | MONITOR |
| 113 | SB330 | RELATING TO AN EARNED INCOME DISREGARD PROGRAM. | Requires the Department of Human Services to implement an earned income disregard program as an intermediate step to implementing a medicaid buy-in program. Requires reports to the legislature. Takes effect upon approval by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HMS, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 114 | SB335 | RELATING TO PUBLIC MEETINGS. | Requires public meeting notices to include instructions regarding accommodations for persons with disabilities. Requires boards to post public meeting notices on an electronic calendar on a state maintained website, file a copy with the office of the lieutenant governor or the appropriate county clerk's office, retain a copy of proof of filing, and post a notice in the board's office. Requires the office of the lieutenant governor or the appropriate clerk's office to timely post paper or electronic copies of all meeting notices in a central location in a public building. Requires a meeting to be canceled when the written public notice is posted on an electronic calendar less than six days prior to the meeting. Requires an emergency meeting agenda to be filed with the office of the lieutenant governor or the appropriate county clerk's office and posted in the board's office. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | GVO, JDC | MONITOR |
| 115 | SB364 | RELATING TO TOURISM. | Establishes a professional tour guide certification task force to determine whether it is appropriate to require persons who use various state resources for commercial purposes or apply for various commercial use permits to hold and maintain certification or meet certain minimum requirements, recommend existing certificates or certification programs that may be appropriate, and make recommendations and plans regarding any necessary certifications and certification renewals. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET/HRE/WT L, WAM/CPH | MONITOR |

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| 116 | SB367 | RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. | Prohibits food service businesses and stores from the sale, use, or distribution of polystyrene foam containers, expanded polystyrene food service products, plastic straws, and plastic bags. Takes effect 7/1/2021. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/CPH, JDC/WAM | SUPPORT |
| 117 | SB379 | RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE. | Allows the governor to negotiate land exchanges to acquire lands that are suitable for long-term diversified agricultural production in return for state lands to be developed for housing. Requires a report to the legislature. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL/AEN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 118 | SB381 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS. | Requires the counties to adopt supplemental ordinances and rules on condominium property regimes, including agricultural lands held in condominium property regimes. Requires the declaration that must be executed and recorded when creating a condominium property regime in the agricultural district to include an additional statement declaring that the condominium property regime complies with applicable county subdivision ordinances and rules. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | PSM/AEN, CPH | MONITOR |
| 119 | SB383 | RELATING TO YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION. | Requires the Board of Education to establish a mandatory youth suicide awareness and prevention training program and model risk referral protocol, based on existing materials created by the Department of Health, for all public schools, including charter schools. Requires complex areas and charter schools to provide the training program and risk referral protocol to all school personnel who work directly with students in department schools and charter schools, respectively. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU/HMS, CPH/WAM | MONITOR |

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| 120 | SB387 | RELATING TO TEACHER RENTAL HOUSING. | Authorizes the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to assist the Department of Education in developing teacher housing projects. Authorizes the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to, in addition, contract or sponsor with any state department or agency. Requires the Department of Education to lease land and contract with private entities for the development, revitalization, maintenance, and management of teacher housing. Permits the Department of Education to lease teacher housing to other eligible tenants if occupancy of teacher housing falls below 95%. Appropriates funds for deposit into the dwelling unit revolving fund. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU/EDU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 121 | SB388 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Authorizes parents and guardians of vulnerable students and students exhibiting behavioral issues to request a clinical or psychoeducational evaluation. Requires the Department of Education, after expelling a student, to provide the suspended student's parents or guardians with the option to request an assessment of the student to uncover contributing factors that may have led to the suspension and that may mitigate future disciplinary issues or concerns, including receiving special education services. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 122 | SB393 | RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT. | Amends coastal zone management laws to further protect against impacts of sea level rise and coastal erosion. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 123 | SB429 | RELATING TO GENDER IDENTIFICATION. | Requires a license to include a person's full legal name, date of birth, gender category, residence address, and license or identification card number. Includes a third option of gender identification for driver's license and state identification card applicants. Effective 7/1/2020. | 3/1/2019 S Deferred until 03-05-19. | TRS, JDC | SUPPORT |

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| 124 | SB471 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Appropriates funds to the outreach program, rapid re-housing program, housing first program, family assessment centers, law enforcement assisted diversion program, and coordinated statewide homelessness initiative. Establishes and appropriates funds for a long-term rental assistance pilot program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HMS/HOU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 125 | SB477 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Allows the Department of Education to provide sexual abuse and sex trafficking prevention training to certain staff. Requires DOE to make available to certain staff explanatory information about protocols that DOE has approved for providing services to victims of sexual abuse and sex trafficking. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, JDC/WAM | SUPPORT |
| 126 | SB489 | RELATING TO SHARK AND RAY PROTECTION. | Establishes an offense of knowingly capturing, taking, possessing, abusing, entangling, or killing a shark in state marine waters, along with penalties and fines. Expands the existing prohibition on knowingly capturing or killing a manta ray in state marine waters to apply to all rays and to also include knowingly taking, possessing, abusing, or entangling a ray. Provides certain exemptions. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC | SUPPORT |
| 127 | SB504 | RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE. | Appropriates funds for the repair, restoration, and maintenance of Iolani Palace's coronation pavilion, two pergolas, and fountain. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | LCA, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 128 | SB523 | RELATING TO BIOSECURITY. | Creates the invasive species rapid response special fund. Adds 10 full-time equivalent (10.0 FTE) positions to the Department of Land and Natural Resources per the Hawaii interagency biosecurity plan. Adds 4 full-time equivalent (4.0 FTE) positions to the Department of Agriculture and requires the Department submit a report to the Legislature. Appropriates funds for positions and for execution of the Hawaii interagency biosecurity plan. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 129 | SB526 | RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. | Appropriates funds for the Department of Human Services to purchase, staff, and operate 2 mobile clinics to serve homeless persons; provided that 1 of the mobile clinics shall be allocated to the county of Hawaii. Requires matching funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HMS, WAM | MONITOR |
| 130 | SB549 | RELATING TO HEALTHY BEVERAGES FOR CHILDREN. | Requires restaurants that sell children's meals that include a beverage to make the default beverage a healthy beverage. Effective 1/1/2020. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH | MONITOR |
| 131 | SB554 | RELATING TO STATE WATER CODE PENALTIES. | Adds a minimum penalty of \$50 per violation of the state water code and makes each day that a violation exists or continues a separate offense. Requires the Commission on Water Resource Management to determine the amount of the penalty based on the circumstances of the violation. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |

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| 132 | SB560 | RELATING TO ELECTIONS. | Enacts voting by mail uniformly across all counties for all elections commencing in 2022. Establishes a limited number of voter service centers that would remain open from the tenth business day preceding an election through the day of the election to receive personal delivery of mail-in ballots, accommodate voters with special needs, offer same day registration and voting, and provide other election services. Allows for additional places of deposit for personal delivery of mail-in ballots. Appropriates funds for the implementation and administration of the election by mail system. Requires the office of elections to submit a report to the legislature prior to the convening of each regular session from 2020 through 2025, regarding the implementation of a vote by mail system. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | JDC, WAM | MONITOR |
| 133 | SB567 | RELATED TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT. | Requires an individual to be examined upon commitment to a psychiatric facility for involuntary hospitalization, admission to a psychiatric facility for voluntary inpatient treatment, or transported for emergency examinations, to determine whether an assisted community plan is indicated and, if so, requires the department of the attorney general to assist with the petition for assisted community treatment and related court proceeding. Requires the department of health to convene a mental health emergencies task force. Effective 3/15/2094. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |
| 134 | SB572 | RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. | Requires the auditor to conduct a performance audit of certain offices and programs within the Department of Public Safety. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | PSM, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 135 | SB642 | RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AS AN OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF THE STATE OF HAWA'I. | <p>Inserts article thirteen of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples into the Hawaii Revised Statutes. Requires that Hawaiian be used for public acts and transactions.</p> <p>Directs the office of language access to provide services to Hawaiian language speakers. Requires the Hawaiian version of a law be held binding if the law in question was originally drafted in Hawaiian and then translated into English. Requires that 'okina and kahako be used, when appropriate, in documents prepared by or for state or county agencies or officials, with certain exceptions.</p> <p>Amends existing law so that any rule, order, policy, or other act, official or otherwise, that prohibits or discourages the use of 'okina and kahako, except those specifically designed for the benefit of native speakers of Hawaiian, shall be void. (SD2)</p> | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, JDC | SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENTS |
| 136 | SB651 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. | <p>Gives the Board of Agriculture authority to decide on a case-by-case basis which entities qualify for a non-agricultural park lease. Establishes certain conditions and qualifications that must be met in order for the Board to deem an entity eligible for a lease.</p> <p>Effective 7/1/2050. Sunsets on 6/30/2024. (SD2)</p> | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, WAM | COMMENT |

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| 137 | SB666 | RELATING TO AN AIRPORTS CORPORATION. | Authorizes establishment of the Hawaii Airports Corporation within the Department of Transportation for administrative purposes. Sets out appointment of members to the board of directors and powers and duties of the Hawaii Airports Corporation. Transfers aeronautics functions of the Department of Transportation to the Hawaii Airports Corporation by the established transfer completion date agreed upon by the Hawaii Airports Corporation, Director of Transportation, and Governor, which shall be no later than 12/31/2022. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | TRS, WAM | COMMENT |
| 138 | SB674 | RELATING TO GENDER IDENTITY. | Prohibits persons licensed to provide professional counseling from engaging in or advertising gender identity change efforts. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, JDC | MONITOR |
| 139 | SB695 | RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT. | Requires the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to digitize its applicant, beneficiary, and lessee records. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 140 | SB696 | RELATING TO CESSPOOLS. | Extends various reporting deadlines and the sunset date of the cesspool conversion working group established pursuant to Act 132, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018. Appropriates additional funds for the conduct of the comprehensive statewide study of sewage contamination in nearshore marine areas and for research and technical assistance necessary for completion of the comprehensive cesspool conversion plan. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 141 | SB698 | RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS. | Codifies sustainable development goals based on the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals and indicators. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | GVO, WAM | SUPPORT |

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| 142 | SB699 | RELATING TO THE BERNICE PAUAHI BISHOP MUSEUM. | Beginning with the 2021-2023 fiscal biennium and each fiscal biennium thereafter, requires the governor to include in the executive budget a minimum amount per fiscal year as a recurring cost to be allocated to the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. Appropriates funds to support the work of the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | LCA, WAM | MONITOR |
| 143 | SB701 | RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE. | Requires any Hawaiian words or names included in public acts and transactions to be accurate, appropriate, and authentic. Requires all newly created, replaced, or reprinted letterheads, documents, symbols, and emblems of the State and other political subdivisions that include Hawaiian words or names to include accurate, appropriate, and authentic Hawaiian words, names, spelling, and punctuation. Establishes references for accurate, appropriate, and authentic Hawaiian names and words, including proper Hawaiian spelling and punctuation. Clarifies that the full text of bills and other official documents are not required to be written in Hawaiian and that misspelled or incorrectly punctuated Hawaiian words and names shall not invalidate the documents or render them unenforceable and no cause of action shall arise accordingly. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, JDC | SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENTS |
| 144 | SB728 | RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. | Increases the maximum amount of public funds available to each candidate running for the board of trustees of the office of Hawaiian affairs to fifteen per cent of the expenditure limit established for each election. Increases the amount each board of trustees candidate must raise in order to qualify for public funds. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, JDC/WAM | COMMENT |

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| 145 | SB740 | RELATING TO HOUSING DENSITY. | Authorizes each county to adopt ordinances establishing a minimum housing density on state lands that are within an urban district and zoned for development or redevelopment. Allows developers to be exempt from this requirement under certain conditions. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | PSM/HOU, WAM | |
| 146 | SB759 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. | Requires the Department of Agriculture to establish a 2-year Agricultural Theft and Vandalism Pilot Project to examine the effectiveness of prosecuting agricultural theft and agricultural vandalism in the counties of Hawaii and Maui. Appropriates funds. Takes effect 3/15/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |
| 147 | SB763 | RELATING TO ADVERTISING AND MARKETING. | Requires the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism, in consultation with the Department of Agriculture, to conduct a study calculating the economic impact and gross domestic product lost by the State as a result of companies exploiting the Hawaii brand and selling products in the United States using place-based marketing without any material ties to the State. Appropriates funds for the study. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET/AEN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 148 | SB804 | RELATING TO PALLIATIVE CARE. | Establishes the culturally competent palliative care pilot program within the Department of Health to promote palliative care, gather health care utilization data, and conduct bidding for at least two pilot programs for home or community based palliative care, one of which must be located in a county with less than two hundred thousand residents. Requires reports to the legislature. Establishes an advisory group to oversee implementation of the pilot program. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 149 | SB856 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. | Requires the Auditor to perform a financial and management audit of the Department of Education, Superintendent, Board of Education, and complex areas every three years. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU/GVO, WAM | MONITOR |
| 150 | SB871 | RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources division of forestry and wildlife for invasive species technician positions on the island of Hawaii to address invasive plants and animals. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 151 | SB878 | RELATING TO HOUSING. | Establishes the qualified nonprofit housing trust program to authorize the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to provide loans to qualified nonprofit housing trusts and nonprofit community development financial institutions to develop affordable housing units. Makes an appropriation into and out of the qualified nonprofit housing trust revolving fund. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | HOU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 152 | SB898 | RELATING TO LAND RECORDATION. | Clarifies requirements for land recordation of deregistered lands by the bureau of conveyances to include a plan of the parcels or parcels sought to be deregistered that includes a map and description prepared by a licensed professional surveyor. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC | MONITOR |
| 153 | SB908 | RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY. | Establishes a statewide sustainability division within the Office of Planning to ensure long-term planning, coordination, and implementation of Hawaii's sustainability goals and policies. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET/WTL/GV O, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 154 | SB919 | RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS. | Amends the composition of the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, reduces the number of board members from 15 members to 9 members, and shortens term length from 5 years to 4 years. Specifies terms of holdover board members. Specifies that the Board of Regents shall hold the president of the University of Hawaii and university administration accountable for decisions, actions, and leases that incur additional costs to the university. Prohibits any law, rule, or permission requirement related to permitting discussions between a board member and members of the legislature. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HRE, WAM | MONITOR |
| 155 | SB921 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL. | Creates a division within the Department of the Attorney General to provide legal advice regarding Hawaiian shoreline public access rights. Makes an appropriation. Effective 3/15/2094. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC/WAM | SUPPORT |
| 156 | SB923 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 157 | SB924 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. | Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 158 | SB928 | PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION, TO MODIFY THE APPOINTMENT PROCESS FOR THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. | Proposes an amendment to article X, section 6, of the Hawaii State Constitution to modify the appointment process for the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii. Repeals the Candidate Advisory Council for the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii. | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | HRE, JDC | MONITOR |
| 159 | SB931 | RELATING TO MARINE AQUARIUM FISHING. | Prohibits harvesting aquatic life for commercial aquarium purposes by any means effective 3/1/2024. Excludes activities pursuant to special activity permits and aquaculturist licenses. Takes effect 3/15/2094. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC/WAM | COMMENT |
| 160 | SB934 | RELATING TO CONSERVATION DISTRICTS. | Prohibits any waste or disposal facility from being located in a conservation district. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | SUPPORT |
| 161 | SB938 | RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII. | Appropriates funds for (4.0) FTE positions for services and programs at the University of Hawaii at Manoa Native Hawaiian Student Services. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HRE/HWN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 162 | SB941 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS. | Requires an owner or occupier of agricultural land to notify the Land Use Commission of the agricultural uses for which land was subdivided. Grants the Commission enforcement authority over conditions, restrictions, uses, and subdivision of agricultural lands, including the right to enter and inspect lands, issue orders, and impose fines or liens for violations. Appropriates funds. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/WTL, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |

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| 163 | SB944 | RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE. | Requires the Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission to prioritize nature-based solutions in its climate change mitigation and adaptation efforts and assess risk transfer market mechanisms that promote investments in nature to reduce the risks of climate change. Defines "nature-based solutions". Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/WTL, WAM | COMMENT |
| 164 | SB967 | RELATING TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION. | Authorizes the state public charter school commission to establish and fund charter school prekindergarten classrooms. Makes an appropriation. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WAM | SUPPORT |
| 165 | SB971 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. | Appropriates funds for a scholarship program to be directed and administered by the Department of Education to make awards to students pursuing teaching degrees at state accredited institutions of higher education who successfully complete one course in computer science. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 166 | SB975 | RELATING TO COUNTY LAND USE REQUIREMENTS. | Requires public notice of sale of agricultural or preservation property subdivided as a condominium property regime in a planned community association within 90 days of subdivision and sale. Prohibits any residential use for any period of structures on agricultural and preservation land. In a county with a population of 750,000 or more, allows for county enforcement of state and county requirements on subdivided agricultural land based on community reports of suspected violations. Permits consideration of infrastructure and environmental impacts on applications for condominium projects on agricultural land. Requires the declaration in a condominium project developer's public report to specify that the project is in compliance with section 205-4.5(f), HRS. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, WAM/CPH | MONITOR |
| 167 | SB976 | RELATING TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES. | Establishes a pilot program to generate revenue through the lease of public library lands to meet the mission of the public libraries. Establishes the library facilities fund. Requires the Board of Education to report to the Legislature. Appropriates funds for a comprehensive planning study. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU/WTL, WAM | OPPOSE |
| 168 | SB983 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Renames the teacher national board certification incentive program the national certification incentive program. Expands program eligibility to include school psychologists. Clarifies requirements and incentives of the program. Clarifies that teacher incentives, bonuses, and compensation beyond regular wages are excluded from the per-pupil request and included as separate line item in the budget for public charter schools. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WAM | SUPPORT |

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| 169 | SB997 | RELATING TO THE STADIUM AUTHORITY. | Establishes the stadium development district, which includes all state property under the jurisdiction of the stadium authority. Transfers title of lands under the jurisdiction of the Stadium Authority to the Stadium Authority. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and reimbursable general obligation bonds and appropriates funds. Exempts the stadium development district from section 206E-5, HRS. Exempts lands owned by the Stadium Authority from the definition of public lands. Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources to give written concurrence, based on a phased review, on any project in the stadium development district for historical preservation purposes. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET/GVO, WAM | MONITOR |
| 170 | SB1009 | RELATING TO FLAVORED TOBACCO PRODUCTS. | Bans the sale of flavored tobacco products. Effective 1/1/2020. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, JDC | SUPPORT |
| 171 | SB1016 | RELATING TO SALES OF TOBACCO. | Prohibits a business from seeking a new retail tobacco permit or renewal of an existing permit if the place of business is located within 750 feet of a preschool, school, or public playground. Beginning January 1, 2020, prohibits the sale of tobacco products and electronic smoking devices by businesses that are located within 750 feet of a preschool, school, or public playground. Codifies the Department of Taxation's administrative rule specifying when the Department may suspend, revoke, or decline to renew a retail tobacco permit. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH/JDC, WAM | SUPPORT |

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| 172 | SB1019 | RELATING TO YOUTH. | Establishes and appropriates funds for a safe places for youth pilot program. Requires and appropriates funds for the office of youth services to reduce the use of status offense laws and implement a status offense diversion program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HMS/JDC, WAM | COMMENT |
| 173 | SB1020 | RELATING TO RENTAL ASSISTANCE. | Requires the Department of Human Services to establish a housing homeless children rental assistance pilot program to assist families with minor children experiencing, or at imminent risk of, homelessness due to domestic violence. Requires each family member to obtain financial management and budget counseling services. Requires the Department of Human Services to participate in the Continuum of Care's Coordinated Entry system for homeless services. Requires inputting of data into the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development's Homeless Management Information System. Appropriates funds for the pilot program. Requires report to the Legislature. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU/HMS, WAM | MONITOR |
| 174 | SB1031 | RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS. | Establishes the long-term rental assistance pilot program to be administered by the Department of Health. Appropriates funds for the administration of the pilot program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HMS/HOU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 175 | SB1033 | RELATING TO THE LICENSURE OF MIDWIVES. | Establishes licensure of midwives. Exempts Native Hawaiian healers from licensure requirements. Requires registration for current practicing midwives by 1/1/2024, and thereafter full licensure must be obtained. Provides provisional licensure until full licensure can be obtained. Provides penalties for violation of registration and licensure requirements. Appropriates funds from the compliance resolution fund. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |

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| 176 | SB1046 | RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. | Allows an employee to take family leave in addition to victim leave when the leave is related to domestic or sexual violence against the employee or the employee's minor child. Requires an employee to submit certification related to domestic or sexual violence of the employee or the employee's minor child. Requires employer confidentiality of information related to domestic or sexual violence against the employee or the employee's minor child. Effective 1/1/2023. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | LCA, JDC | SUPPORT |
| 177 | SB1051 | RELATING TO HOMELESS INDIVIDUALS WITH SEVERE MENTAL ILLNESS. | Requires the department of human services to establish a task force to determine specific implementation requirements necessary to establish a pilot program to provide shelter and mental health treatment for homeless individuals with severe mental illness or severe co-occurring mental illness and substance use disorders who are subject to court-ordered guardianship. Appropriates funds. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | HMS/CPH, JDC/WAM | COMMENT |
| 178 | SB1054 | RELATING TO PLANNING. | Requires the State and counties to incorporate predictions of sea level rise and other climate change hazards and mitigation opportunities into applicable plans, strategies, and mapping. Requires the Public Utilities Commission, and any public utility regulated by the Public Utilities Commission, to consider the findings in the Hawaii Sea Level Rise Vulnerability and Adaptation Report. Encourages each county to participate in the community rating system developed by the National Flood Insurance Program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | PSM/AEN/W TL, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 179 | SB1064 | RELATING TO AGRICULTURE. | Prohibits, in any county where one-third or less of the county's land is classified in the state agricultural land use district, the following: the creation of a condominium property regime on agricultural land twenty-five acres or greater; an existing condominium property regime on agricultural land greater than twenty-five acres from being amended to allow a single-family dwelling; and the subdivision of agricultural land twenty-five acres or greater for the purpose of creating a condominium property regime. Exempts agricultural park and non-agricultural park lands projects under chapter 166 or 166E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, from the condominium property regime prohibitions. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL/PSM, CPH | MONITOR |
| 180 | SB1077 | RELATING TO HAWAII STATE AND CONTRACTED CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES. | Requires the Director of Public Safety, in the event of any death of an inmate who is in a state or contracted correctional facility or correctional facility or community correctional center employee, to provide a report to the Governor, and the Governor report to the Legislature, with certain information regarding the death. Authorizes Director to withhold disclosure of decedent's name under specific conditions. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | PSM | SUPPORT |
| 181 | SB1121 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. | Requires the Department of Health to establish a working group to examine and advise on amendments that can be made to the statutory description of the Department's powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities. Authorizes the working group to evaluate the health impact assessment tool. Appropriates funds to support the activities of the working group. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 182 | SB1126 | RELATING TO REAL ESTATE DISCLOSURE. | Beginning on November 1, 2019, requires all vulnerable coastal property sales or transfers to include a sea level rise hazard exposure statement to ensure that new property owners and transferees understand the special hazards, requirements, and limitations that may affect the property. Requires sellers to include whether property is within a sea level rise exposure area in the disclosure statement provided to the buyer. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, CPH | MONITOR |
| 183 | SB1134 | RELATING TO HEEIA STATE PARK. | Makes an appropriation for a Heeia State Park community-based long-range plan and planning and design of the education center for the Heeia National Estuarine Research Reserve System. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 184 | SB1135 | RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION. | Provides the Land Use Commission with the power to amend, revise, or modify a decision and order granting a district boundary amendment, or fine a petitioner, when there has been a finding by the Land Use Commission that a petitioner or its successors or assigns have not adhered to a representation made by the petitioner or a condition imposed by the commission, regardless of whether there has been substantial commencement of use of the land. Defines "substantial commencement". Effective 1/1/2020. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC | MONITOR |
| 185 | SB1150 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Agriculture for feral pig control. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 186 | SB1190 | RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONDOMINIUMS ON LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE. | Authorizes the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation (HHFDC) to enter into 75-year leases of units in residential condominiums located on state lands. Subjects lands set aside by the governor or lands leased to HHFDC by any agency or department of the State to the legislative approval requirement prior to the sale or gift of the lands. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU/WTL, WAM | COMMENT |

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| 187 | SB1221 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD. | To clarify wording regarding delegation of powers to the Hawaii Teacher Standard Board's Executive Director to timely approve license and permit applications, to include comprehensive reporting of data from Hawaii Department of Education, Charter School Commission, and Charter Schools, of the number of classrooms without a licensed teacher during the school year. | 3/1/2019 H Received from Senate (Sen. Com. No. 24). | EDU | MONITOR |
| 188 | SB1224 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY. | Excludes lands set aside by the governor to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority and lands to which the Hawaii Public Housing Authority holds title from the definition of "public lands" in section 171-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, provided that the lands are not sold in fee simple. Requires legislative approval of the sale of lands to which the Hawaii Public Housing Authority holds title. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | HWN/HOU/WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 189 | SB1227 | RELATING TO POVERTY. | Requires the Department of Human Services to use an integrated and multigenerational approach to delivering human services to reduce the incidence of intergenerational poverty and dependence on public benefits. | 3/1/2019 S Deferred until 03-05-19. | HMS | SUPPORT |
| 190 | SB1242 | RELATING TO SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL GOALS. | Amends the Department of Health's solid waste management goals by repealing outdated goals and adding an updated goal of reducing total solid waste prior to disposal, by any means, by seventy per cent by 2030. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN, CPH | SUPPORT |

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| 191 | SB1251 | RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND. | Authorizes the BLNR to extend the rental period or term of leases of public lands for commercial or industrial use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements as long as the length of any extension granted does not extend the original lease term by more than 40 years. Establishes causes of economic hardship for which BLNR may modify or eliminate any of the existing statutory restrictions, extend or modify the rental period, or extend the term of these leases and amends the conditions for BLNR's approval of any modification, elimination, or extension. Repeals on Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â . Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL/WAM | OPPOSE |
| 192 | SB1252 | RELATING TO RENTALS FOR PUBLIC LAND LEASES. | Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to approve rental reductions or waivers for lease rentals on public lands that require substantial demolition or infrastructure improvement costs in order for the lessee to utilize the premises. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | COMMENT |
| 193 | SB1254 | RELATING TO THE ENDANGERED SPECIES TRUST FUND. | Expands the type of revenue that can be deposited into the Endangered Species Trust Fund. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 194 | SB1257 | RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBOR FACILITIES. | Establishes that liveaboard fees for state small boat harbors shall be established by appraisal by a state-licensed appraiser approved by the Department of Land and Natural Resources and shall be set at fair market value. Clarifies fees charged for vessels used for commercial purposes. Effective 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 195 | SB1258 | RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES. | Allows the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) to lease any existing state boating facility in its entirety, and fast lands and submerged lands within any existing state boating facility, by public auction, request for proposals, or direct negotiation for private development, management, and operation after making a finding that the lessee has met certain community involvement requirements. Clarifies that legislative approval is not required to award a lease. Repeals fast lands and submerged lands lease requirements specific to Ala Wai Boat Harbor. Takes effect on 12/31/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL/WAM | MONITOR |
| 196 | SB1268 | RELATING TO TAX REPORTING. | Revises the manner in which persons authorized to collect rent provide information to the Department of Taxation and requires (as opposed to permits) them to report the total amount of rent collected under sections 237-30.5 and 237D-8.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 H Pass First Reading | WAM | MONITOR |
| 197 | SB1287 | RELATING TO STATE PLANNING. | Includes objectives and policies and implementation guidelines for planning for the lei of green in the Hawaii State Planning Act. Appropriates funds for costs associated with researching, compiling, and submitting the status report on the lei of green policy, including (1.0) FTE temporary planner position within the Office of Planning. Effective 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 198 | SB1292 | RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS | <p>Part I: Describes the purpose of this Act. Part II: Adds definitions to the TAT law. Amends the definition of "transient accommodations" to include additional forms of transient accommodations. Part III: Makes it unlawful for a hosting platform to provide, and collect a fee for, booking services regarding transient accommodations if the operator is not registered with the Department of Taxation. Part IV: Amends requirements relating to transient accommodations tax certificates of registration to ensure greater transparency. Part V: Allows a transient accommodations broker to register as a GET and TAT tax collection agent for its operators and plan managers. Effective 3/15/2094. (SD2)</p> | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET/CPH, JDC/WAM | SUPPORT |
| 199 | SB1296 | RELATING TO THE KAHOOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for support of the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission, including two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) permanent positions. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 200 | SB1303 | RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS. | <p>Part I: Allows the department of education to lease public school lands for a term of not more than an unspecified number of years per lease. Part II: Amends Act 206, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, to allow the city and county of Honolulu to transfer lands under existing department of education facilities directly to the department of education, rather than through the department of land and natural resources. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD2)</p> | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WTL | OPPOSE |

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| 201 | SB1310 | RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL HOUSING ACCOUNTS. | <p>Establishes the individual housing accounts savings board to administer the individual housing accounts savings program and individual housing accounts savings program administrative fund.</p> <p>Requires the board to annually report to the governor and legislature. Requires a taxpayer to pay a penalty of ten per cent of any amounts distributed before three hundred sixty-five days from the date the amounts were made as a contribution. Allows taxpayers to open an individual housing account in the name of the taxpayer's dependent upon birth. Authorizes the use of an individual housing account to provide assistance during economic hardships or for capital improvement for homeownership, cemetery and mortuary services, and senior housing. Authorizes the establishment an individual housing account to make payments for first month's rent or a rental deposit or to provide funding for downpayment assistance or closing costs on a principal residence.</p> <p>Includes community development financial institutions as authorized trustees of individual housing accounts. Authorizes the director of taxation to adopt rules to implement the individual housing accounts deduction. Makes an appropriation. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)</p> | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU, WAM/JDC | MONITOR |
| 202 | SB1370 | RELATING TO CESSPOOLS. | <p>Establishes a grant program to assist lessees on Hawaiian home lands with cesspool upgrade, conversion, or connection costs.</p> <p>Establishes that a recipient of a cesspool upgrade grant shall not be eligible for the cesspool upgrade, conversion, or connection income tax credit and vice versa. Appropriates moneys for the grant program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)</p> | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/HWN, WAM | SUPPORT |

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| 203 | SB1371 | RELATING TO LAY NETS. | Prohibits the use of lay nets to take aquatic life, except under a permit obtained by the department of land and natural resources. Establishes the use of lay nets to take aquatic life as a misdemeanor offense. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, JDC | COMMENT |
| 204 | SB1380 | RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY. | Requires the Office of Planning to update the Hawaii 2050 Sustainability Plan and submit the updated plan to the Legislature prior to the Regular Session of 2021 and every 10th session thereafter, using the goal and priority guidelines of the State Plan and the Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Initiative as guiding principles. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET/WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 205 | SB1389 | RELATING TO TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT ZONES. | Authorizes the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation, at the request of the Hawaii Community Development Authority (HCDA), to establish and operate transit-oriented development infrastructure improvement zone subaccounts within the dwelling unit revolving fund for the benefit of infrastructure improvement projects within a transit-oriented development infrastructure improvement zone. Requires HCDA to develop a transit-oriented development infrastructure improvement zone program to foster infrastructure development by strategically investing in public facilities. Appropriates funds to HCDA for staff necessary to develop and manage the transit-oriented development infrastructure improvement zone program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HOU/TRS, WAM | MONITOR |
| 206 | SB1403 | RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS. | Prohibits the issuance of more than 40 access permits for any marine life conservation district not accessible by land. Limits access to the district to no more than 50% of permit holders. Effective 12/31/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 207 | SB1405 | RELATING TO ELECTRONIC SMOKING PRODUCTS. | Establishes the offense of unlawful shipment of e-liquid products. Includes e-liquid and electronic smoking devices containing e-liquid within the definition of "tobacco products", as used in the cigarette tax and tobacco tax law. Increases the license fee for persons engaged as a wholesaler or dealer of cigarettes and tobacco products. Increases the retail tobacco permit fee for retailers engaged in the retail sale of cigarettes and tobacco products. Allocates a portion of funds collected from excise taxes on tobacco products to health education and prevention programs about the risks and dangers of the use of electronic smoking devices for youth. Repeals certain provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes relating to electronic smoking devices. Effective 3/15/2030. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |
| 208 | SB1422 | RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT. | Specifies that law enforcement officers have the discretion to issue citations, in lieu of making an arrest, for non-violent class C felonies, misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors, and violations. | 3/1/2019 S Deferred until 03-05-19. | PSM/JDC | SUPPORT |
| 209 | SB1423 | RELATING TO PAYMENT OF BAIL. | Permits defendants for whom a monetary amount of bail has been set to pay the bail amount on a twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week basis and be released from custody forthwith upon posting or payment of bail. | 3/1/2019 H Received from Senate (Sen. Com. No. 27). | PSM/JDC | SUPPORT |
| 210 | SB1438 | RELATING TO HEALTH. | Ensures access to information about multiple midwifery pathways. Requires birth practitioners to provide all pertinent birth education information and materials in a manner that is comprehensible by the consumer. | 1/28/2019 S Referred to CPH/JDC. | CPH/JDC | MONITOR |
| 211 | SB1451 | RELATING TO STATE HOLIDAYS. | Reestablishes La Ku'oko'a, Hawaiian Recognition Day, as an official state holiday. Repeals Good Friday as a state holiday. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, JDC | SUPPORT |

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| 212 | SB1459 | RELATING TO THE STATE SURFING COMMISSION. | Establishes the state commission on surfing. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET, WAM | SUPPORT |
| 213 | SB1462 | RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY. | Appropriates funds for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) positions, operating costs, and equipment to support the Attorney General's Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center in administering the Address Confidentiality Program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | JDC, WAM | MONITOR |
| 214 | SB1474 | RELATING TO TAXATION. | Increases the general excise tax and use tax by 0.5% to provide a dedicated funding source for the department of education and the University of Hawaii. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU/HRE, WAM | MONITOR |
| 215 | SB1494 | RELATING TO HEALTH. | Establishes a working group to evaluate current behavioral health care and related systems to promote effective integration of services and improve response and coordination of care for persons experiencing substance abuse, mental health conditions, and homelessness. Makes an appropriation. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | CPH/HMS, WAM | MONITOR |
| 216 | SB1495 | RELATING TO ACTIONS FOR QUIET TITLE. | Authorizes the Office of Hawaiian Affairs to intervene upon official action of the board of trustees in any action to quiet title in which any portion of the land claimed by the plaintiff is kuleana land. Takes effect 3/15/2094. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, JDC | SUPPORT |
| 217 | SB1501 | RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. | Appropriates funds to the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to implement the cesspool compliance grant program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | HWN, WAM | SUPPORT |

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| 218 | SB1502 | RELATING TO THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION. | Adds the chairperson of the Hawaiian Homes Commission or the chairperson's designee to serve as an ex officio, voting member of the Commission on Water Resource Management. | 3/1/2019 S Deferred until 03-05-19. | HWN/WTL | SUPPORT |
| 219 | SB1515 | RELATING TO EDUCATION. | Establishes the Hawaii three to six out-of-school program for grades kindergarten through twelve. Authorizes the department of education to contract with private providers to furnish out-of-school programs for grades kindergarten through twelve, conducted during after-school hours, on weekends, and during inter-sessions on the premises of the private providers. Specifies the Hawaii three to six out-of-school program special fund is to be administered by the department of education. Makes appropriations. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EDU, WAM | MONITOR |
| 220 | SB1526 | RELATING TO CONSERVATION ENFORCEMENT. | Appropriates funds for one DOCARE DLNRTip app administrator position and software upgrades and app enhancements to improve the DLNRTip app. Takes effect 7/1/2050. (SD1) | 3/1/2019 S One Day Notice 03-05-19. | WTL, WAM | MONITOR |
| 221 | SB1529 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII ENERGY AND CLIMATE CHANGE OFFICE. | Establishes the Hawaii state energy office. Establishes the deputy director of energy. Ends funding for the Hawaii clean energy initiative from the energy security special fund. Increases the distribution of tax revenue to the energy systems development special fund. Appropriates funds from the general fund for the Hawaii state energy office. Takes effect 7/1/2050. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | AEN/EET/WTL, JDC/WAM | MONITOR |

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| 222 | SB1530 | RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. | Establishes the stadium development district, which includes all state property under the jurisdiction of the stadium authority. Transfers title of lands under the jurisdiction of the Stadium Authority to the Stadium Authority. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and reimbursable general obligation bonds and appropriates funds. Exempts the stadium development district from section 206E-5, HRS. Exempts lands owned by the Stadium Authority from the definition of public lands. Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources to give written concurrence, based on a phased review, on any project in the stadium development district for historical preservation purposes. (SD2) | 3/1/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | EET, WAM | MONITOR |
| 223 | SB1539 | RELATED TO BAIL HEARINGS. | Adds provision that, upon formal charge and detention, and upon motion by either party, defendants shall have the right to a prompt bail hearing concerning release or detention and whether any condition will reasonably assure the defendant's appearance. Allows defendants to be represented by counsel at the hearing, or have one appointed if they are financially unable to obtain representation. Allows defendants to present evidence and witnesses and to cross-examine witnesses who appear at the hearing. Effective 3/15/2094. (SD1) | 2/28/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 03-05-19. | PSM, JDC | SUPPORT |
| 224 | SCR17 | | REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PERFORM AN ACTUARIAL STUDY ON THE SIZE OF THE CURRENT AND PROJECTED FUTURE POPULATIONS OF HAWAIIANS ELIGIBLE TO LEASE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. | 2/12/2019 S The committee on HWN deferred the measure. | HWN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 225 | SCR18 | | URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO BUILD ALTERNATIVE HOUSING OPTIONS FOR LESSEES. | 2/12/2019 S The committee on HWN deferred the measure. | HWN, WAM | MONITOR |

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| 226 | SR12 | | REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PERFORM AN ACTUARIAL STUDY ON THE SIZE OF THE CURRENT AND PROJECTED FUTURE POPULATIONS OF HAWAIIANS ELIGIBLE TO LEASE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS. | 2/12/2019 S The committee on HWN deferred the measure. | HWN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 227 | SR13 | | URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO BUILD ALTERNATIVE HOUSING OPTIONS FOR LESSEES. | 2/12/2019 S The committee on HWN deferred the measure. | HWN, WAM | MONITOR |
| 228 | GM511 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on Water Resource Management, Gubernatorial Nominee, WAYNE KATAYAMA, for a term to expire 06-30-2022. | 1/28/2019 S Referred to WTL. | WTL | MONITOR |
| 229 | GM571 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, ALAPAKI NAHALE-A, for a term to expire 06-30-2023. | 2/5/2019 S Referred to HRE. | HRE | SUPPORT |
| 230 | GM573 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of Moloka'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, LAAKEA POEPOE, for a term to expire 06-30-2021. | 2/26/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN deferred the measure until 03-14-19 1:16PM in conference room 016. | HWN | SUPPORT |
| 231 | GM574 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of O'ahu, Gubernatorial Nominee, LURLINE NAONE-SALVADOR, for a term to expire 06-30-2020. | 2/26/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN deferred the measure until 03-14-19 1:16PM in conference room 016. | HWN | SUPPORT |
| 232 | GM575 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of O'ahu, Gubernatorial Nominee, WILLIAM MILLS, for a term to expire 06-30-2021. | 2/26/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN deferred the measure until 03-14-19 1:16PM in conference room 016. | HWN | SUPPORT |

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| 233 | GM583 | | Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, RANDALL HIGA, for a term to expire 06-30-2021. | 2/26/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN deferred the measure until 03-14-19 1:16PM in conference room 016. | HWN | SUPPORT |