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- SB0001 RELATING TO HOUSING.
Introduced by: Chang S, Kanuha D, Moriwaki S, English J, Shimabukuro M, Nishihara C, Kahele K, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Baker R
Establishes provisions relating to aloha homes program. Establishes the aloha homes program for the purpose of providing low cost, high density leasehold homes for sale to Hawaii residents on state owned lands within a 1/2 mile radius of a public transit station. Establishes provisions relating to urban redevelopment district which includes all state oriented development areas or within 1/2 mile radius of public transit stations, if the city and county of Honolulu has not designated transit oriented development zones. Provides that if state lands under the control and management of other public agencies are required by the corporation for the purposes of this subpart, the agency having the control and management of with the approval of the governor, convey or lease such lands to the corporation upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed to by the parties. Authorizes any county, by resolution of its local governing body, body, to without public auction, sealed bids, or public notice, sell, lease, grant, or convey to the corporation any real property owned by it which the corporation certifies. Provides the sale, lease, grant, or conveyance shall be made with or without consideration and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by the county and the corporation. Requires the certification to be evidenced by a formal request from the corporation. Requires that before the sale, lease, grant, or conveyance may be made to the corporation, a public hearing shall be held by the local governing body to consider the same. Requires the corporation to, without recourse to public auction or public notice for sealed bids, lease for a term not exceeding 65 years all or any portion of the real or personal property constituting a commercial project to any person, upon such terms and conditions as may be approved by the corporation, provided that all revenues generated from the lease. Establishes the aloha homes revolving fund under the corporation. -- SB0001
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Jan=24 19 Multiple Re referral to HOU/ WTL/ GVO/ then WAM
- SB0020 RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0021 RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to AEN
- SB0022 RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to AEN
- SB0023 RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0024 RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to CPH
- SB0025 RELATING TO INSURANCE.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to CPH
- SB0026 RELATING TO PROFESSIONS AND VOCATIONS.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to CPH
- SB0027 RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to CPH
- SB0028 RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0029 RELATING TO BUSINESS REGULATION.

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SB0030 RELATING TO HEALTH.
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SB0031 RELATING TO HEALTH.
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SB0032 RELATING TO ENERGY.
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SB0033 RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
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SB0034 RELATING TO TOURISM.
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SB0035 RELATING TO EDUCATION.
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SB0036 RELATING TO EDUCATION.
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SB0037 RELATING TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES.
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SB0038 RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0039 RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0040 RELATING TO STATE AND GOVERNMENT OPERATION AND POLICY.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0041 RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0042 RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.
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SB0043 RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.
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- SB0044 RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION.
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- SB0045 RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0046 RELATING TO FINANCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.
Introduced by: English J
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Jan=17 19 Single Referral to HRE
- SB0047 RELATING TO HOUSING.
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- SB0048 RELATING TO HOUSING.
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- SB0049 RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.
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- SB0050 RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.
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- SB0051 RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.
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- SB0052 RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.
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- SB0053 RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.
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- SB0054 RELATING TO CRIME.
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- SB0055 RELATING TO ETHICS.
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- SB0056 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0057 RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.
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SB0058 RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE.
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SB0059 RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.
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SB0060 RELATING TO COUNTIES.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0061 RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0062 RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.
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SB0063 RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.
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SB0064 RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.
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SB0065 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.
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SB0066 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.
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SB0067 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.
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SB0068 RELATING TO WATER.
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SB0069 RELATING TO LAND.
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SB0070 RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0071 RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.
Introduced by: English J
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SB0072 RELATING TO FINANCES.
Introduced by: English J

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- SB0073 RELATING TO REVENUES.
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- SB0074 RELATING TO BONDS.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0075 RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.
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- SB0076 RELATING TO TAXATION.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0077 RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.
Introduced by: English J
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- SB0130 RELATING TO CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES.
Introduced by: Rhoads K, Shimabukuro M, Chang S, English J, Keith-Agaran G
Appropriation to the judiciary to purchase civil legal services for low and moderate income persons. (\$\$)
-- SB0130
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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- SB0195 RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AS AN OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII.
Introduced by: Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, English J
Amends provisions relating to county ordinances. Provides that nothing in the smoking law shall be construed to supersede or in any manner affect a county smoking ordinance or the ability of any county to adopt and enforce ordinances that regulate the sale or use of cigarettes, tobacco products, or electronic smoking devices; provided that the local law or ordinance is no less protective of public health. Repeals provisions relating to statewide concern. -- SB0195
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to HWN then WAM
- SB0196 RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT LAW.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Rhoads K
Amends provisions relating to applicability and requirements. Requires an environmental assessment to include historic places or the Hawaii register of historic places. Provides that notwithstanding anything in this environmental impact statements law to the contrary, if an action has not been implemented or completed within 15 years of the date of the determination of a finding of no significant impact, the agency that prepared the environmental assessment shall prepare a supplemental environmental assessment; and the acceptance of an environmental impact statement, the accepting authority shall require the preparation of a supplemental environmental impact statement. -- Amends provisions relating to rules. Requires the environmental council to include rules that prescribe procedures and criteria, as necessary, relating to supplemental environmental assessments and environmental impact statements. -- SB0196
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to AEN then WAM
- SB0197 RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Inouye L, Dela Cruz D, English J
Amends provisions relating to campaign funds only used for certain purposes. Prohibits funds to be used to make donations to any community service, educational, youth, recreational, charitable, scientific, or literary organization made from the date a candidate files nomination papers to the date of the general election, unless the candidate is declared to be duly and legally elected to the office for which the person is a candidate or deemed and declared to be duly and legally elected to the office for which the person is a candidate. Further prohibits the funds to be used to award scholarships to full time students attending an institution of higher education or a vocational education school in a program leading to a degree, certificate, or other recognized educational credential from the filing deadline for nomination papers to the date of the general election, unless the candidate is declared to be duly and legally elected to the office for which the person is a candidate or deemed and declared to be duly and

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legally elected to the office for which the person is a candidate. -- SB0197
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SB0212 RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.
Introduced by: Shimabukuro M, Chang S, Keohokalole J, English J, Kidani M
Amends provisions relating to collateral for loans under the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920.
Allows a lessee to use the value of a lease as collateral for a loan to build a dwelling on the tract of leased land. -- SB0212
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SB0218 RELATING TO BROADBAND.
Introduced by: Keohokalole J, English J, Wakai G
Requires the Hawaii technology development corporation to seek a public private partnership with a private organization to plan, build, and manage key strategic broadband infrastructure that benefits the state and attract cloud based companies to utilize this infrastructure. Exempts the partnership from the Hawaii public procurement code, and shall develop internal policies and procedures for the procurement of goods, services, and construction that are consistent with the goals of public accountability and public procurement. Requires that actions taken by the partnership to be exempt from certain state and county requirements, except to the extent that such requirements are mandated by the federal law or is necessary to protect eligibility for federal funding, services, or other assistance. Requires that the partnership to comply with all applicable safety and engineering requirements relating to the installation, improvement, construction, or development of infrastructure relating to broadband service. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0218
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=28 19 Multiple Re referral to TEC/ GVO/ then WAM

SB0219 RELATING TO ENTERPRISE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES.
Introduced by: Keohokalole J, English J
Amends provisions relating to office of enterprise technology services; chief information officer; information technology steering committee; establishment; responsibilities to review, refresh, and submit the state information technology strategic plan to the governor and legislature every 4 years. Report to the legislature. -- SB0219
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to TEC then WAM

SB0241 RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Chang S, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, English J, Wakai G
Amends provisions relating to public establishments; prohibition against denial of shelter. Prohibits public establishment to deny shelter to any person who is inside the public establishment or who is in the immediate vicinity of the public establishment whenever the State, or any portion thereof, is the subject of any emergency alert that advises the public to immediately seek shelter, including an alert of an incoming missile. Exempts pets. Requires the prohibition to remain in effect until a federal, state, or county emergency management official advises the public that the emergency condition no longer exists and that it is safe to resume normal activities. Exempts public accommodation or any of its agents or employees that provide shelter to be civilly liable for the death of or injury to persons, or property damage, that results from any act or omission in the course of providing shelter, except in cases of willful misconduct, gross negligence, or recklessness. Requires any owner of a public establishment to be financially compensated or reimbursed by the State for repairing any documented property damage to that owner's public establishment or its contents, or both, that is caused by any person who sought shelter at the public establishment during the emergency alert. Requires a complaint involving an alleged violation of to be made directly to the department of the attorney general. Requires the department of the attorney general to investigate complaints involving public establishments that have allegedly denied shelter to persons, in violation of this section. -- Amends provisions relating to exemption for providing emergency access to land, shelter, and subsistence during a disaster. Requires that if an owner of private property who, while providing a person with emergency access to land, shelter, or subsistence without remuneration or expectation of remuneration for the emergency access, receives any remuneration for providing the person with a service or incidental commodity during the disaster, that remuneration shall not diminish or void the exemption from civil liability; provided that if the owner of the private property increases the sale price of any such service or incidental commodity, whether at retail or wholesale, on the private property during the disaster, the exemption from liability shall be void. -- SB0241
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Jan=28 19 Multiple Re referral to PSM then JDC/ WAM/

SB0242 RELATING TO HEALTH.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Chang S, Rhoads K, Baker R, English J, Harimoto B, Ruderman R
Establishes provisions relating to autism; coverage; home and community based services. Prohibits the State's medicaid managed care and fee for service programs to deny coverage for home and community based services to individuals who have been diagnosed with autism. Establishes service programs coverage criteria. Requires services covered to be consistent with all federal and state

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privacy, security, and confidentiality laws. Provides that the provisions of this section shall comply with the applicable federal requirements related to utilization, coverage, and reimbursement for services provided to individuals who have been diagnosed with autism. Requires the department of human services to seek a waiver pursuant to section 1115 of the Social Security Act, title 42 US Code section 1315, and other approvals from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services that may be necessary to amend the state medicaid plan to provide home and community based services for medicaid eligible individuals who have been diagnosed with autism. -- SB0242

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SB0251

RELATING TO SPORTS MEDICINE.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, Kim D, English J, Keith-Agaran G, Ruderman R

Establishes provisions relating to sports teams; out-of-state physicians; exemption from licensure. Allows an out of state physician to be exempt from the licensure requirements under specified conditions. Requires an exemption granted to shall remain in force while the out of state physician is traveling with the sports team; provided that the exemption shall be valid for no longer than 10 days per individual sporting event. Allows, upon prior request by an out of state physician, the Hawaii medical board to grant the out of state physician additional time for the exemption permitted up to 20 additional days per sporting event. Prohibits the total number of days an out of state physician may be exempt to not exceed 30 days in a calendar year. Prohibits an out of state physician to provide care or consultation to any person residing in this State or practice medicine or provide care or consultation at any health care facility in the State. Allows the board to enter into agreements with medical and osteopathic licensing boards of other jurisdictions to implement this law. Allows agreements to include procedures for reporting potential medical license violations. -- SB0251

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SB0253

RELATING TO BROADBAND SERVICE.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, Chang S, English J, Rhoads K, Kanuha D, Harimoto B, Wakai G, Keith-Agaran G, Ruderman R

Establishes the broadband internet access service law. Requires a person engaged in the provision of broadband internet access service to publicly disclose accurate information regarding the network management practices, performance, and commercial terms of its broadband internet access services sufficient for consumers to make informed choices regarding use of such services and for content, application, service, and device providers to develop, market, and maintain internet offerings. Prohibits a person engaged in the provision of broadband internet access service in the State, insofar as such a person is so engaged to block lawful content, applications, services, or nonharmful devices, subject to reasonable network management; impair or degrade lawful internet traffic on the basis of internet content, application, or service, or use of a nonharmful device, subject to reasonable network management; engage in paid prioritization; or unreasonably interfere with or unreasonably disadvantage end users' ability to select, access, and use broadband internet access service or the lawful internet content, applications, services, or devices of their choice or edge providers' ability to make lawful content, applications, services, or devices available to end users. -- SB0253

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SB0255

RELATING TO AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, Keohokalole J, Chang S, Harimoto B, English J

Establishes provisions relating to automated external defibrillators; requirements; training under education law, private schools law, charter school law, and university of Hawaii system law and post secondary education authorization. Requires all public schools, private schools, charter schools, university of Hawaii system schools, and private colleges or universities to have an automated external defibrillator situated in a permanent location on campus; have an athletic trainer to ensure that at every sporting event, an additional automated external defibrillator is available and the athletic trainer is trained and certified at all times in the use of automated external defibrillators; and for schools that do not have an athletic trainer to have at least 2 faculty members who are trained and certified at all times in the use of automated external defibrillators. Requires the department of education to ensure that the automated external defibrillator is maintained and tested and checked for readiness after each use and at least once every 30 days if the automated external defibrillator has not been used in the preceding 30 days. -- Amends provisions relating to exception to liability. Provides that that an athletic trainer or faculty member who administers an automated external defibrillator shall be considered to be doing so in good faith, without remuneration or expectation of remuneration. -- SB0255

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SB0260

RELATING TO PLASTIC STRAWS.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, Rhoads K, English J, Chang S, Baker R, Harimoto B

Establishes provisions relating to plastic straws; prohibited. Prohibits an individual or business to distribute, sell, or otherwise provide a straw comprised in full or in part of plastic. Establishes fines. -- SB0260

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- SB0261 RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, English J, Riviere G, Kidani M, Wakai G, Keith-Agaran G
Appropriation to the university of Hawaii for the GoFarm Hawaii program to provide business consulting, technical assistance, and beginning farmer training on at least 4 islands. (\$\$) -- SB0261
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to AEN/ HRE/ then WAM
- SB0262 RELATING TO PUEO RESEARCH.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Baker R, English J, Rhoads K, Kanuha D, Riviere G, Keith-Agaran G
Appropriation to the department of land and natural resources to conduct, in collaboration with the university of Hawaii college of tropical agriculture and human resources, a breeding ecology study and foraging ecology study on the pueo statewide, including the hiring of necessary staff, equipment, and dissemination of research; provided that the studies shall be conducted in each county in a sequence of phases, with the next phase to begin upon completion of the previous phase. (\$\$) -- SB0262
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to WTL/ HRE/ then WAM
- SB0263 RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Baker R, Rhoads K, English J, Kanuha D, Keith-Agaran G
Amends provisions relating to Hawaii climate change mitigation and adaptation commission; general functions, duties, and powers. Requires the commission to assist state and county agencies to develop sea level rise adaptation plans in accordance with the sea level rise vulnerability and adaption report and to provide education and outreach to any community in the state to improve its resiliency to climate change, under the direction of the commission, the climate change mitigation and adaption coordinator shall assist state and county agencies to conduct an inventory of their existing and future facilities and determine if any are in or near a sea level rise exposure area, prepare a report that includes a discussion of any vulnerable facilities and their sensitivity to sea level rise impacts; prepare a budget that includes that cost of adapting to sea level rise by avoiding or minimizing development in a sea level rise exposure area, and report all findings to the commission, supervise necessary and relevant studies to help agencies reduce emissions, including through parking cash outs, clean fleet transitions for state and county car share programs, development and deployment for electric vehicle infrastructure, and initiate a public service advertising campaign for a program that will enable behavior change to support clean transportation and climate change issues. Appropriation to be expended by the department of land and natural resources. (\$\$) -- SB0263
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- SB0265 RELATING TO 'ULU.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Rhoads K, English J, Kanuha D, Kidani M, Baker R, Keith-Agaran G
Appropriation to the college of tropical agriculture and human resources at the university of Hawaii for the research, development, marketing, and conservation of breadfruit. (\$\$) -- SB0265
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to AEN/ HRE/ then WAM
- SB0266 RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Harimoto B, Rhoads K, English J
Amends provisions relating to tourism related activities under Hawaii tourism authority law. Requires the authority in promoting Hawaii as a destination that protects the environment, coral reefs, and marine life conservation districts and providing guidance on the dangers of sunscreen pollution to coral reefs, especially products that contain oxybenzone and octinoxate, and how tourists can help protect Hawaii's pristine environment, marine life conservation districts, and coral reef. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0266
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Multiple Referral to EET/ AEN/ then WAM
- SB0267 RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY.
Introduced by: Gabbard M, Rhoads K, English J
Establishes provisions relating to International Yoga Day. Requires June 21 of each year to be known and designated as International Yoga Day; provided that this day is not and shall not be construed to be a state holiday. -- SB0267
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=22 19 Single Referral to LCA
- SB0297 RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Gabbard M, Dela Cruz D, English J, Baker R, Inouye L, Keohokalole J
Establishes provisions relating to contracts for digital media accounts; prohibited provisions. Prohibits contracts that prohibit, limit or restrict the transfer of a person's digital media account, upon the person's death, to any devisee or devisees designated by the person's will, or, if none, to any heir or heirs of the person. -- Establishes provisions relating to the succession of digital media. -- SB0297
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- SB0298 RELATING TO TAX INCREMENT BONDS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Keohokalole J, Chang S, Baker R, Dela Cruz D, Wakai G
Amends provisions relating to State debt limit statement under the State bonds law. Increases the clauses from 1 through 9 to 1 through 10. -- SB0298
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Jan=22 19 Single Referral to WAM
- SB0299 RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Baker R, Inouye L, English J, Kanuha D
Amends provisions relating to board of education; community meetings. Increases the amount of meetings that the board shall hold to 6 with at least 1 community meeting in each county. Repealed on June 30, 2024 (sunset). -- Requires the board of education to include an open forum at the end of its meeting agenda to afford all interested persons an opportunity to present oral testimony on any matter not on the agenda; provided that the testimony is related to matters over which the board of education has supervision, control, jurisdiction, or advisory power. Report to the legislature. -- SB0299
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- SB0302 RELATING TO PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENTS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J
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- SB0303 RELATING TO GARDENS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Inouye L, Kanuha D, Dela Cruz D, Rhoads K, Gabbard M
Establishes provisions relating to gardening programs. Allows the department of education to develop programs that provide incentives for the development of gardens on school property provided the college of tropical agriculture and human resources of the university of Hawaii at Manoa shall be consulted regarding best practices in gardening, including vertical gardening, aquaponics, and community gardening. -- Amends provisions relating to urban gardening programs by changing it to gardening programs. Allows the Hawaii community development authority to provide incentives for the development of gardens in housing projects, communities, and schools. -- SB0303
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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- SB0409 RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES.
Introduced by: Inouye L, Harimoto B, English J, Keith-Agaran G, Kidani M, Baker R
Amends provisions relating to the state registration fee. Requires electric vehicles to pay an annual electric vehicle registration surcharge fee of ____ dollars which shall be deposited into the state highway fund. -- SB0409
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- SB0500 RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.
Introduced by: Kim D, Riviere G, Harimoto B, Keohokalole J, Keith-Agaran G, English J, Rhoads K
Amends provisions relating to office of the lieutenant governor. Adds the duties and functions to include all management and oversight of public tours of the state capitol, management of vacancies on state boards and commissions, processing of applications to serve on boards and commissions, and any other administrative duties relating to boards and commissions. -- SB0500
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to GVO then WAM
- SB0504 RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE.
Introduced by: Kim D, Rhoads K, Kahele K, Keith-Agaran G, English J, Ruderman R
Appropriation to the department of accounting and general services for the repair, restoration, and maintenance of the Iolani Palace's coronation pavilion. (\$\$) -- SB0504
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Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to LCA then WAM
- SB0506 RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.
Introduced by: Kim D, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, Ihara L, Riviere G, Moriwaki S, Keith-Agaran G, English J
Establishes provisions relating to counterfeit airbags. Prohibits a person to intentionally or knowingly manufacture, import, install, reinstall, distribute, sell, or offer for sale any counterfeit supplemental restraint system component, nonfunctional airbag, or airbag that does not meet federal safety requirements. Further prohibits a person to intentionally or knowingly sell, offer for sale, install, or reinstall in a motor vehicle any device that causes the motor vehicle's diagnostic systems to fail to warn that the motor vehicle is equipped with a counterfeit supplemental restraint system component or nonfunctional airbag or that no airbag is installed, as applicable. Makes it a class C felony. -- SB0506
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SB0520

RELATING TO POLYSTYRENE FOAM CONTAINERS.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, English J, Keith-Agaran G, Harimoto B, Ruderman R, Rhoads K
Establishes the polystyrene foam containers law. Prohibits a vendor operating in the State to serve prepared food using polystyrene foam containers. Prohibits restaurant operating within the State to serve prepared food using polystyrene foam containers. Allows the department of health to adopt administrative rules to include a requirement for food vendors to educate their customers regarding proper disposal of nonreusable food containers and litter reduction. -- SB0520

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SB0522

RELATING TO PLASTIC.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, English J, Keith-Agaran G, Harimoto B, Ruderman R, Rhoads K
Establishes provisions relating to single use plastic food items; prohibited. Prohibits a state or county agency to purchase, use, sell, or distribute single use plastic beverage bottles, utensils, stirring sticks, polystyrene foam containers, or straws after July 1, 2021. Prohibits a restaurant, hotel, standard bar, or any other business where food or beverages are sold to use, sell, or distribute single use plastic beverage bottles, utensils, stirring sticks, polystyrene foam containers, or straws after July 1, 2022. Prohibits an individual or business to distribute, sell, or otherwise provide any form of plastic bag after July 1, 2023. Prohibits an individual or business to distribute, sell, or otherwise provide any form of single use plastic beverage containers after July 1, 2025. Establishes within the department of health a plastic source reduction working group. Requires the working group to formulate a plan for eliminating single use plastic packaging from the Hawaii waste stream; develop strategies to encourage reuse in the food service industry, such as reusable container incentive programs for customers; and provide recommendations for composting plastics in Hawaii to encourage reuse of waste and create value added products to be used in regenerating Hawaii's agricultural potential. Requires the working group to work with the department of health, the carbon sequestration task force, private stakeholders, public stakeholders, or any other group or individuals the working group deems necessary. Report to the legislature. Working group to cease to exist on June 30, 2022 (sunset). Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0522

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SB0526

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.

Introduced by: Baker R, Inouye L, English J, Gabbard M, Chang S, Ruderman R, Rhoads K, Fevella K

Defines ohana zone to mean a place that has a program to address basic needs of individuals experiencing homelessness and where wrap around services, social and health care services, transportation, and other services may be offered with the goals of alleviating poverty and transitioning individuals experiencing homelessness into affordable housing. Appropriation to the department of human services to purchase, staff, and operate 2 mobile clinics to serve the persons residing in ohana zones. Requires matching funds from the city and county of Honolulu, The Queen's Medical Center, and Hawaii Homeless Healthcare Hui. Provides that the staff may include, 1 primary care provider, 1 nurse, 1 pharmacist, 1 psychiatrist, and other staff as needed, including a social worker, an outreach worker, and students pursuing a degree in medicine or nursing. Provides that the mobile clinics may provide, at minimum non emergency medical services for chronic, acute, and episodic conditions, testing for sexually transmitted diseases, human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), and hepatitis, family planning, child and family services, behavioral health and substance abuse services, mental health services, dental care, referral services, shower and laundry services, clean clothing, health insurance enrollment, pharmacy services, street medicine. Defines street medicine to mean the practice of directly delivering health care and related services to persons found on the streets, in parks, along river banks, on beaches, and in abandoned buildings, and other assistance services. Allows the director of human services to designate other political subdivisions or private organizations to participate in the program including the matching fund requirement. (\$\$) -- SB0526

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SB0527

RELATING TO CANNABIS FOR MEDICAL USE.

Introduced by: Baker R, Chang S, Ruderman R, Nishihara C, Rhoads K, English J
Amends provisions relating to definitions under food, drugs, and cosmetics law. Redefines food does not include edible cannabis products. Redefines manufactured cannabis product to mean any product that has been manufactured using cannabis. Requires the department to establish health, safety, and sanitation standards regarding the manufacture of manufactured cannabis products; to only be manufactured a facility that meets the minimum sanitary requirements adopted by the department of health that are at least equivalent to the standards for food establishments provided for in administrative rules law; cannabis products shall not be manufactured in any facility permitted by the department of health as a food establishment; and cannabis products shall not be manufactured in any home kitchen. -- Amends provisions relating to types of manufactured cannabis products. Adds edible cannabis products. -- Amends provisions relating to advertising and packaging. Provides that in the case of manufactured cannabis product including the establishment and adoption of a universal symbol to allow consumers to readily identify products containing cannabis or cannabinoid extracts. -- Amends provisions relating to medical cannabis dispensary rules. Requires the department to establish standards with respect that includes the implementation of a product recall system to ensure that any

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cannabis or manufactured cannabis product determined or suspected to be tainted or detrimental to the public health care be rapidly identified and returned, destroyed, or removed from retail. -- Amends provisions relating to public education. Requires the department to establish a mandatory standard pre purchasing education protocol to take place at the point of sale to all qualifying patients or qualifying out of state patients who have not previously consumed edible cannabis products, or their caregivers, to reduce the risk of inadvertent overconsumption and accidental intoxication; and employ at least 1 full time (1.00 FTE) staff member whose qualifications and duties include the provision of medical cannabis health education. -- SB0527

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SB0528

RELATING TO HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONERS.

Introduced by: Baker R, Rhoads K, Inouye L, English J, Keith-Agaran G

Amends the accident and health or sickness insurance contracts law and benefit societies law. Redefines orthodontic services to mean direct or consultative services provided by a licensed dentist who has completed an orthodontic residency program accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation. -- SB0528

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SB0534

RELATING TO HEALTHCARE.

Introduced by: Baker R, Ruderman R, Nishihara C, Rhoads K, English J, Riviere G

Requires the director of human services, on behalf of the State, is authorized to apply for membership in the Sovereign States Drug Consortium, and to apply for membership upon approval of this Act. Allows the department of human services and department of health to seek grants from private or federal sources to assist the department in funding membership of the State in the Consortium. -- SB0534

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SB0535

RELATING TO PHARMACISTS PRESCRIBING AND DISPENSING OF OPIOID ANTAGONIST.

Introduced by: Baker R, Chang S, Rhoads K, English J, Fevella K

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SB0538

RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH.

Introduced by: Baker R, Ruderman R, Rhoads K, English J

Amends provisions relating to mental health services relating to minors; diagnosis, counseling, and related activities. Allows a minor who is 14 years of age or older to consent to mental health treatment or counseling services provided by a mental health professional. -- SB0538

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SB0548

RELATING TO HEALTH.

Introduced by: Baker R, Chang S, Inouye L, English J

Establishes provisions relating to customized patient medication package. Allows a pharmacy to provide a customized patient medication package to any patient of an institutional facility or any member of the general public; provided that the pharmacy has obtained the consent of the patient, patient's caregiver, patient's guardian, or prescribing practitioner; and the consent is accompanied with the patient's current prescription and the customized patient medication package meets the requirements under provisions relating to drugs limited to dispensing on prescription. -- SB0548

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SB0574

RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Shimabukuro M, Rhoads K, Baker R, Kim D, Gabbard M

Amends provisions relating to judgments for support. Requires every judgment for child support, including a judgment for reimbursement or other arrears, to be enforceable until paid in full. -- SB0574

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SB0575

RELATING TO THE STATE COORDINATOR ON HOMELESSNESS.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Inouye L, Gabbard M, Baker R

Establishes provisions relating to state coordinator on homelessness; establishment; responsibilities. Established within the department of human services a state coordinator on homelessness to organize, manage, and oversee the coordination of statewide efforts to end homelessness. Requires the coordinator on homelessness to report directly to the lieutenant governor. Requires the coordinator to serve as the principal officer in state government responsible for the performance, development, and oversight of programs, policies, and activities relating to homelessness; be responsible for ensuring the development, implementation, and management of plans developed by the Hawaii interagency council on homelessness; coordinate with the homeless coordinator of each county to ensure statewide coordination, minimize duplication of efforts, and monitor and benchmark progress on the mitigation

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and management of homelessness in each county; communicate with departments and agencies providing rental subsidies and housing assistance; and develop and implement plans to increase affordable housing units through the identification of viable lands and supporting housing projects to ensure coordination and collaboration. Allows the coordinator to employ persons exempt from civil service law and collective bargaining in public employment law. Requires the office of the lieutenant governor to provide office space to the governor's coordinator on homelessness and related staff; provided that if the office of the governor is unable to provide adequate office space, the department shall provide adequate office space to the governor's coordinator on homelessness and related staff. -- Amends provisions relating to office of the lieutenant governor. Requires the lieutenant governor duties to include supervision of the state coordinator on homelessness. -- Amends provisions relating to membership under homeless program. Replaces the term governor's coordinator to State coordinator on homelessness. Appropriation to the department of human services to establish the state coordinator on homelessness as a full time equivalent (1.00 FTE) position and for other expenses of the state coordinator on homelessness, including hiring of necessary staff. (\$\$) -- SB0575

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SB0577

RELATING TO ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY ENTITLEMENTS.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Kanuha D, Gabbard M

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SB0579

RELATING TO TAX CREDITS.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Baker R

Amends the income tax credit for low income household renters by changing the credit. -- Provides an earned income tax credit of 20 per cent of the federal earned income tax credit of the Federal Internal Revenue Code allowed and properly claimed under the Code and reported as such. Requires the director of taxation to annually report to the legislature, the governor and the public. -- Amends provisions relating to earned income tax credit by changing it to nonrefundable earned income tax credit. Provides that the credit shall not apply to taxable years beginning after December 31, 2019 (sunset). -- Amends the refundable food / excise tax credit. Changes the tax credit and income thresholds for a single return and for head of a household, married individuals filing separate returns, and married couples filing joint returns after December 31, 2019. -- SB0579

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SB0580

RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Ruderman R, Inouye L

Establishes provisions relating to maintenance or repair of disputed public streets, roads, or highways; quitclaim. Requires that while ownership of a public streets, roads, or highway remains in dispute between the State and the county, no action by a government agency to maintain or repair a public street, road, or highway shall be used to establish the agency's ownership of, or jurisdiction over, the public street, road, or highway and the agency shall not be deemed to have assumed ownership of, or jurisdiction over, the public street, road, or highway solely because of action to maintain or repair a public street, road, or highway. Provides that if a county requests or requires title to a disputed public street, road, or highway, the State to quitclaim whatever interest it has in the public street, road, or highway to the county. -- Amends provisions relating to traffic regulation; repair and maintenance; public right to use public streets, roads, or highways whose ownership is in dispute. Repeals that any county and its authorized personnel may repair or maintain, in whole or in part, public streets, roads, or highways whose ownership is in dispute between the State and the county. Adds that while ownership of a public street, road, or highway remains in dispute between the State and a county, no action by a government agency to maintain or repair a public street, road, or highway shall be used to establish the agency's ownership of, or jurisdiction over, the public street, road, or highway and the agency shall not be deemed to have assumed ownership of, or jurisdiction over, the public street, road, or highway solely because of action to maintain or repair a public street, road, or highway. Provides that if a county requests or requires title to a disputed public street, road, or highway, the State may quitclaim whatever interest it has in the public street, road, or highway to the county. -- SB0580

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SB0581

RELATING TO LIABILITY.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Kidani M, Ruderman R, Wakai G, Inouye L

Establishes provisions relating to liability of State or county for maintenance of certain roads; immunity. Exempts the State or a county that repairs or maintains a street, of which the ownership or jurisdiction of the street is in dispute between the State and the county, to be immune from liability for personal injuries or property damage, or both, arising out of the repair or maintenance of that street as undertaken by the State or the county. -- SB0581

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SB0583

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Wakai G

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Amends provisions relating to school system financial accountability. Prohibits the department of education's administrative expenditures to exceed 5 per cent of the total department operating budget, excluding expenditures for agencies administratively attached to the department, unless approved by the legislature. Increases the percentage of appropriations for the total budget of the department, excluding debt service and capital improvement programs and appropriations for agencies administratively attached to the department that shall be expended by principals. -- SB0583

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SB0584

RELATING TO FUNDING FOR SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Dela Cruz D

Amends provisions relating to 6 year program and financial plan for school repair and maintenance. Requires the department of education to annually post on the department's website source of project funding and the amount of legislative appropriations for repair and maintenance used for some other purpose and the justification for such use. -- SB0584

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SB0588

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J

Amends provisions relating to authority to create temporary positions. Requires the department of education to annually report to the legislature. -- SB0588

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SB0589

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J

Amends provisions relating to department powers and duties. Repeals the department of education's power of operating and maintaining the capital improvement and repair and maintenance program for the department and school facilities. -- SB0589

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SB0593

RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Keohokalole J, Ruderman R

Establishes provisions relating to participation in extracurricular activities by home schooled children. Provides that a child who is home schooled shall be eligible to participate in extracurricular activities at the public school that the child would otherwise be required to attend. Requires a home schooled child who wishes to participate in an extracurricular activity to meet the participation requirements and restrictions for that activity, including maintaining appropriate grade point averages and paying appropriate fees. -- SB0593

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SB0594

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Inouye L, English J, Baker R

Requires the department of education to develop and implement a school meal subsidy program that targets children whose families are not otherwise eligible for the free and reduced price lunch program administered by the department of education's school food services branch. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0594

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SB0666

RELATING TO AN AIRPORTS CORPORATION.

Introduced by: Inouye L, Kidani M, Kanuha D, Moriwaki S, English J, Wakai G, Kahele K, Dela Cruz D, Harimoto B, Nishihara C, Baker R, Kouchi R, Fevella K

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SB0682

RELATING TO FOOD LABELING.

Introduced by: English J, Gabbard M, Chang S, Keith-Agaran G, Baker R

Establishes provisions relating to genetically engineered material; labeling requirement. Prohibits the sale of food or raw agricultural commodity that contains a genetically engineered material, or was produced with a genetically engineered material in the State unless it bears a label that provides a disclosure notice in bold face print not less than 10 point type. Exempts food served in restaurants or other establishment in which food is served for immediate human consumption; processed and prepared primarily in a retail establishment and is ready for human consumption, or a medical food. Establishes fines. -- SB0682

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SB0683

RELATING TO GENETIC ENGINEERING.

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Introduced by: English J

Establishes provisions relating to genetically engineered seeds and plant parts; environmental risks. Prohibits a person to plant a genetically engineered seed or plant part, the genetically engineered properties of which are capable of release to an offspring in an open field in this State. Authorizes the chairperson of the board of agriculture to grant exceptions. -- SB0683

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SB0684

RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS.

Introduced by: English J, Nishihara C, Keith-Agaran G, Baker R, Kanuha D, Gabbard M, Keohokalole J, Harimoto B, Chang S, Riviere G, Inouye L, Dela Cruz D, Ruderman R

Amends provisions relating to permitted interactions of members. Allows 2 or more members of board but less than the number of members which would constitute a quorum for the board, to jointly attend and speak at a community, educational, or informational meeting or presentation of another entity, including a legislative hearing, convention, seminar, or community meeting open to the public. -- SB0684

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SB0685

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.

Introduced by: English J, Gabbard M, Rhoads K

Appropriation to the department of land and natural resources to establish 5 permanent full time equivalent (5.00 FTE) invasive species technician positions at the department's division of forestry and wildlife, Maui branch, to address invasive plants and animals in east Maui. (\$\$) -- SB0685

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SB0686

RELATING TO MARIJUANA.

Introduced by: English J, Gabbard M, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, Chang S, Dela Cruz D, Kim D, Ruderman R

Establishes the legalization of marijuana for personal use law. Provides that personal use of marijuana (cannabis) shall not be the basis for arrest, seizure, or forfeiture of assets; possession, use, display, purchase, transfer or transporting marijuana accessories or marijuana paraphernalia for personal use shall be immune from criminal prosecution; the possession, growing, processing, or transporting of not more than 6 marijuana plants and possession of the marijuana produced by the plants on the premises where the plants are grown shall not be subject to criminal prosecution provided that the growing takes place in a secure space, the plants are not conducted openly or publicly, and is not made available for sale; the transfer of 1 ounce or less of marijuana with or without remuneration to a person who is 21 years of age or older is permitted. Establishes lawful operation of marijuana establishments and license requirements. Provides that an employer is not required to permit or accommodate the use, consumption, possession, transfer, display, transportation, sale, or growing of marijuana in the workplace and allows an employer to have policies restricting the use of marijuana by employees. Provides that this law shall not be construed to limit any privileges or rights of a medical marijuana qualifying patient, primary caregiver, or registered entity under medical use of marijuana law. Subjects marijuana establishment to income taxes and general excise taxes. Establishes provisions relating to legalization of marijuana under offenses against public health and morals law. Exempts marijuana from arrest, prosecution, and criminal culpability. -- SB0686

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB0687

RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED MATERIAL.

Introduced by: English J, Rhoads K, Chang S

Establishes provisions relating to genetically modified material. Requires a biotech company that sells any genetically modified animal, genetically modified plant, or genetically modified seed that the biotechnology company knows, or has reason to believe, will be used to produce an agricultural commodity to provide written notice to the purchaser that fully and clearly discloses the possible legal and environmental risks that the use of the genetically modified animal, genetically modified plant, or genetically modified seed may pose to the purchaser. Allows the chairperson of the board of agriculture to bring an action to recover a civil penalty against any person for violation. -- SB0687

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SB0688

RELATING TO EDUCATION FUNDING.

Introduced by: English J, Nishihara C, Keith-Agaran G, Gabbard M, Baker R, Rhoads K, Harimoto B, Riviere G, Inouye L, Kim D

Amends provisions relating to committee on weights. Requires the committee to report to the legislature detailing any changes to the funding formula within 30 days of the change. -- SB0688

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SB0689

RELATING TO GENETIC ENGINEERING.

Introduced by: English J, Rhoads K, Ruderman R, Keith-Agaran G

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SB0690

RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE.

Introduced by: English J, Inouye L, Kanuha D, Nishihara C, Keith-Agaran G, Gabbard M, Baker R, Rhoads K, Harimoto B, Chang S, Dela Cruz D, Kim D

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SB0691

RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING.

Introduced by: English J, Nishihara C, Keith-Agaran G, Baker R, Kanuha D, Gabbard M, Keohokalole J, Harimoto B, Chang S, Inouye L, Dela Cruz D

Establishes provisions relating to suicide prevention; in service training. Requires the department of education to require that in service training include at least 2 hours of suicide prevention education for all teachers and principals each school year. -- SB0691

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SB0692

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: English J, Inouye L, Fevella K, Keith-Agaran G, Baker R, Gabbard M

Establishes provisions relating to remote schools categorical funding. Defines remote school to mean any public high school, located at least a 1 hour drive away from the next nearest public high school or located on the island of Lanai, Molokai, or Niihau and that if a high school is combined with an elementary, middle, intermediate, or other lower level of schooling, that entire school shall be deemed a high school for the purpose of this provision. Provides that subject to legislative appropriations, a remote school may receive supplemental categorical funding to support additional instructional and support staff. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0692

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SB0693

RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE.

Introduced by: English J, Inouye L

Amends provisions relating to pedestrian control signals. Provides that if the pedestrian control signal is equipped with a countdown timer, any pedestrian who has partially completed the pedestrian's crossing while the countdown timer is operating shall complete the crossing to a sidewalk or safety island while the countdown timer is operating. -- SB0693

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB0694

RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION.

Introduced by: English J, Gabbard M

Establishes provisions relating to retail self service food; scales; availability. Requires that when retail self service food is sold by weight, the seller is to locate a scale for customer use before sale no further than 100 feet from the self service food being offered for sale. -- SB0694

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Single Referral to CPH

SB0695

RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT.

Introduced by: English J, Kim D, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, Ruderman R, Gabbard M

Requires the department of Hawaiian home lands with the assistance of the office of enterprise technology services to create a digital database of its applicant, beneficiary, and lessee records. Requires the database to contain relevant information on each individuals' homestead lease application status, number of applications, address, number of denied leases, designated successors, history of whether the individual obtained a lease as an applicant or as a successor, and other information as determined by the Hawaiian homes commission. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB0695

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to HWN then WAM

SB0696

RELATING TO CESSPOOLS.

Introduced by: English J, Keith-Agaran G, Baker R, Keohokalole J, Gabbard M

Amends Act 132, session laws of 2018, which establishes a cesspool conversion working group by extending the reporting date of reports to the legislature. Appropriation to the university of Hawaii for the university water resources research center in cooperation and consultation with the department of health to conduct a comprehensive statewide study of sewerage contamination in nearshore marine areas. Appropriation for the department of health to conduct research or gather technical assistance on other issues as identified by the working group in completing its comprehensive cesspool conversion plan. (\$\$) -- SB0696

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to CPH then WAM

SB0697

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.

Introduced by: English J, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Baker R, Gabbard M

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Appropriation to the department of land and natural resources to substantially reduce and eradicate the problem of invasive species in the county of Maui. (\$\$) -- SB0697

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB0698

RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS.

Introduced by: English J, Ihara L, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Baker R, Fevella K, Ruderman R, Chang S, Kouchi R, Nishihara C, Shimabukuro M, Moriwaki S, Harimoto B, Keohokalole J, Dela Cruz D, Kidani M, Thielen L, Kanuha D, Kim D, Gabbard M, Inouye L, Riviere G, Kahele K, Taniguchi B

Establishes provisions relating to sustainable development goals; no poverty; hunger, good health and well being; quality education; gender equity; clean water and sanitation; affordable and clean energy; decent work and economic growth; industry innovation and infrastructure; reducing inequities; sustainable cities and communities; responsible consumption and production; climate action; life below water; life on land; peace justice, and strong institutions; and partnerships for the goals. -- SB0698

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to GVO then WAM

SB0699

RELATING TO THE BERNICE PAUAHI BISHOP MUSEUM.

Introduced by: English J, Rhoads K

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to LCA then WAM

SB0700

RELATING TO A COAL-FREE HAWAII.

Introduced by: English J, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Baker R, Ruderman R, Gabbard M

Establishes provisions relating to no coal power purchase agreements. Prohibits the public utilities commission to approve any new, modified, or renewed power purchase agreement that proposes to burn or consume coal to generate electricity after June 30, 2019. -- Establishes provisions relating to use of coal for electricity generation. Allows the department of commerce and consumer affairs to issue or renew a permit to an owner or operator of a covered source that will burn or consume coal to generate electricity; provided that a condition of the permit shall be that all coal burning ceases on December 31, 2022 (sunset). -- SB0700

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SB0701

RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE.

Introduced by: English J, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Baker R, Keohokalole J, Fevella K, Gabbard M

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB0702

RELATING TO MARIJUANA DECRIMINALIZATION.

Introduced by: English J, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Ruderman R, Gabbard M

Amends provisions relating to schedule I. Repeals marijuana. Repeals tetrahydrocannabinols meaning. -- Amends provisions relating to sentence of imprisonment for class B and C felonies; ordinary terms; discretionary terms. Repeals any marijuana concentrate or any combination. -- Amends the offenses against public health and morals. Repeals any marijuana concentrate or any combination and promoting a harmful drug the 1st degree; 2nd degree; 3rd degree. Repeals marijuana and promoting a detrimental drug in the 3rd degree. -- Amends provisions relating to covered offenses under forfeiture law. Repeals commercial promotion of marijuana in the 1st degree and 2nd degree. -- SB0702

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM

SB0703

RELATING TO RESOURCE LAND ACQUISITION PLAN.

Introduced by: English J

Requires the department of land and natural resources to prepare a resource land acquisition plan no later than June 30, 2021, and submit report to the legislature. Further requires each report to contain a timeline for completing the preparation of the resource land acquisition plan; steps taken by the department to prepare the resource land acquisition plan; and proposed legislation, if any. -- SB0703

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to WTL then WAM

SB0751

RELATING TO THE HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, Harimoto B, Riviere G, English J, Keith-Agaran G

Appropriation out of the special land and development fund to the department of land and natural resources for the operational expenses and staffing costs of the Hawaii association of conservation districts. (\$\$) -- SB0751

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to WTL then WAM

SB0752

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

Introduced by: Gabbard M, Rhoads K, English J

Appropriation to the university of Hawaii college of tropical agriculture and human resources for statewide research and prevention of the spread of ornamental ginger pathogens. (\$\$) -- SB0752

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- SB0831 RELATING TO URBAN AGRICULTURE.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J
Amends provisions relating to county zoning. Requires full consideration be given to urban agriculture principles and policies. -- SB0831
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Single Referral to PSM/ WTL/ AEN/
- SB0832 RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Baker R, Dela Cruz D, Ruderman R
Appropriation to the department of business, economic development, and tourism for grants in aid to the counties for the identification and mapping of important agricultural lands. (\$\$) -- SB0832
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to WTL then WAM
- SB0834 RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Inouye L, Chang S, Baker R, Nishihara C
Establishes provisions relating to county authority to create solar easements. Allows the governing body of a county to create, by ordinance, a process for the recordation and enforcement of solar easements. -- Establishes provisions relating to county authority to require trimming of vegetation blocking solar energy. Allows the governing body of a county to require, by ordinance, the trimming of vegetation that blocks solar radiation from a solar energy device. Allows the ordinance to include but is not limited to a designation of responsibility for the costs of the trimming. Prohibits the ordinance to require the trimming of vegetation if the owner or occupant of the property on which the vegetation is located plants the vegetation before the installation of the solar energy device. -- SB0834
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to AEN/ PSM/ then WAM
- SB0835 RELATING TO THE STATE BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Inouye L, Keohokalole J, Gabbard M
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to WTL then WAM
- SB0837 RELATING TO FARMS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Nishihara C, Inouye L, Baker R, Dela Cruz D, Ruderman R
Provides an income tax deduction for the 1st 50,000 dollars of income received by a farmer. -- SB0837
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to AEN then WAM
- SB0838 RELATING TO THE LAND CONSERVATION FUND.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Ruderman R, Baker R
Amends provisions relating to the land conservation fund. Increases percentage of annual fund revenues that may be used for the operation, maintenance, and management of lands acquired by way of this fund. -- Amends provisions relating to disposition of conveyance taxes. Increases the maximum dollar amount that may be paid into the land conservation fund. -- SB0838
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to WTL then WAM
- SB0840 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Kidani M, English J
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0842 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Inouye L, Baker R, Chang S, Rhoads K, Nishihara C
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0843 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Nishihara C, Rhoads K, Wakai G, Baker R, Inouye L, Dela Cruz D, English J, Chang S, Gabbard M
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0844 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Baker R, Rhoads K
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Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM

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- SB0845 RELATING TO ELECTIONS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Kim D, English J, Inouye L, Baker R, Kidani M, Dela Cruz D, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, Gabbard M, Chang S
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0847 RELATING TO FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Baker R, Inouye L, English J, Keohokalole J
Establishes the fiduciary access to digital assets law. Establishes provisions for authority of personal representative over digital assets of a decedent, authority of guardian over digital assets of a ward, control by agent of digital assets, control by trustees of digital assets, and fiduciary access and authority. -- SB0847
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to TEC then CPH/ JDC/
- SB0851 RELATING TO DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Kim D, Nishihara C, Ruderman R, Baker R
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to CPH then WAM
- SB0856 RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, Inouye L, English J, Wakai G
Establishes provisions relating to financial and management audits. Requires the auditor to conduct a financial and management audit of the department of education, superintendent, board, and complex areas every 3 years. Report to the legislature. -- SB0856
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to EDU/ GVO/ then WAM
- SB0858 PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTIES TO ISSUE TAX INCREMENT BONDS AND TO EXCLUDE TAX INCREMENT BONDS FROM DETERMINATIONS OF THE FUNDED DEBT OF THE COUNTIES.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Keohokalole J, Chang S, Baker R, Dela Cruz D
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0860 RELATING TO COURT PROCEEDINGS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Baker R, Dela Cruz D
Establishes provisions relating to constitutional and statutory claims; legislature; right of intervention. Provides the legislature shall have standing to intervene in any court proceeding involving a claim that is based upon a constitutional or statutory provision. -- SB0860
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0862 RELATING TO JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Rhoads K, Nishihara C, Gabbard M
Amends Act 48, session laws of 2016, which amends provisions relating to the state water code law, conservation district law, land use commission law, and public utilities commission law by establishing provisions for contested cases by repealing the sunset date. -- SB0862
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Single Referral to JDC
- SB0864 PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO AMEND THE MANNER IN WHICH JUSTICES AND JUDGES ARE APPOINTED, CONSENTED TO, AND RETAINED.
Introduced by: Keith-Agaran G, English J, Rhoads K
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to JDC then WAM
- SB0910 RELATING TO HEALTH.
Introduced by: Kahele K, Inouye L, Kanuha D, English J, Keohokalole J, Chang S
Appropriation to the university of Hawaii John A. Burns school of medicine to provide stipends to students enrolled in the Imi Ho'ola (Hoola) program; provided that these funds may be expended, at the discretion of the department of native Hawaiian health, for any existing Imi Ho'ola student support program. (\$\$) -- SB0910
Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to HRE/ HWN/ then WAM
- SB0912 RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS.
Introduced by: Kahele K, Kidani M, Chang S, Inouye L, Shimabukuro M, Keohokalole J, English J, Ruderman R
Amends provisions relating to facilities funding under the public charter school law. Requires the

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legislature to consider making appropriation and bond authorization to the charter school commission to provide for rental or lease of facilities. Repeals the prioritization by the charter school facilities funding working group. Appropriation for the public charter school commission to allocate to charter schools, as determined by the commission, for the design, planning, construction, repair, and maintenance of public charter school improvements; the expansion or improvement of instructional space; the rental or lease of facilities; debt service for financing; the provision of food services; and the provision of restroom facilities. (\$\$) -- SB0912

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to EDU then WAM

SB0991

RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.

Introduced by: Wakai G, Keith-Agaran G, English J

Establishes provisions relating to public utility; basic exchange service; exemption; consumer complaints. Provides that except for any requirements under federal law and provisions relating to investigative powers and provisions relating to telecommunications providers and services, that no public utility providing basic exchange service to every county in the State or any affiliate or parent of such public utility shall be subject to the regulatory requirements of public utilities commission law or the jurisdiction of the public utilities commission or the consumer advocate. -- SB0991

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB0998

RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.; MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED; AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.

Introduced by: Wakai G, Kidani M, Keith-Agaran G, English J

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds, with the approval of the governor, to assist Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc., Maui Electric Company, Limited; and Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc., all Hawaii corporations, to continue multi project capital improvement programs, including costs to cover the acquisition of land or the construction or acquisition of facilities used or related to the production, transmission, or distribution of electricity, or any combination thereof; provided that the approval of the public utilities commission shall be required for any project financed by the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds under this Act. Authorizes the issuance of refunding special purpose revenue bonds to refund the special purpose revenue bonds. (\$\$) -- SB0998

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to CPH then WAM

SB1007

RELATING TO HAWAIIAN MUSIC AND DANCE.

Introduced by: Wakai G, Keith-Agaran G, Chang S, English J

Amends provisions relating to the transient accommodations tax. Changes the allocation for the operation of a Hawaiian center and the museum of Hawaiian music and dance at the Hawaii convention center to be for plan, design, and construction of a Hawaiian center and the museum of Hawaiian music and dance at the State of Hawaii museum of natural and cultural history. -- SB1007

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SB1023

RELATING TO AGING.

Introduced by: Ihara L, Harimoto B, Ruderman R, Keith-Agaran G, Keohokalole J, Rhoads K, Chang S, Moriwaki S, English J, Kim D, Fevella K, Kanuha D

Appropriation to the department of health for the kupuna care program; provided that any funds shall be in addition to the base budget of the executive office on aging. (\$\$) -- SB1023

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB1024

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCE CENTER.

Introduced by: Ihara L, Harimoto B, Kahele K, Rhoads K, Keith-Agaran G, Keohokalole J, English J, Chang S, Moriwaki S

Appropriation to the department of health for the aging and disability resource center. (\$\$) -- SB1024

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB1026

RELATING TO THE HEALTHY AGING PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM.

Introduced by: Ihara L, Harimoto B, Kahele K, Keohokalole J, Rhoads K, English J, Chang S, Moriwaki S, Fevella K, Kanuha D

Appropriation to the executive office on aging of the department of health for the healthy aging partnership program to further the program's important role in improving the health and well being of Hawaii's kupuna. (\$\$) -- SB1026

Current Status: Jan=18 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=24 19 Multiple Referral to CPH/ HMS/ then WAM

SB1028

RELATING TO RETIREMENT SAVINGS.

Introduced by: Ihara L, Harimoto B, Kahele K, Ruderman R, Keith-Agaran G, Keohokalole J, Rhoads K, Chang S, Moriwaki S, English J, Thielen L, Kim D, Fevella K, Kanuha D

Provides that before establishing the Hawaii retirement savings board and the Hawaii retirement

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savings program, the legislative reference bureau shall conduct a feasibility study b conducting a market analysis to determine the feasibility of the Hawaii retirement savings program and whether and to what extent plans or programs currently exist in the private market; obtaining legal advice regarding the applicability of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, to the Hawaii retirement savings program; investigating whether employers that are not required to participate in the Hawaii retirement savings program can make the program available to their employees; investigating methods to allow individuals who are not automatically enrolled in the Hawaii retirement savings program to opt in to the program and make contributions to an account, either through payroll contributions or another method of contribution; conducting an analysis of the potential costs to employers, including administrative costs, and costs associated with providing automatic payroll deductions for participation in the Hawaii retirement savings program, as well as making recommendations on how to eliminate or reduce those costs through incentives, tax credits, or other means; examining the potential effects of a state run retirement savings plan or program for private employees on the private market; examining other states with other voluntary, market based retirement savings plans or programs, including New Jersey and Washington; preparing a timeline for implementation of the Hawaii retirement savings program; and making recommendations to the legislature regarding ways to increase financial literacy in the State. Allows the bureau to issue a request for proposals for a 3rd party to conduct the market analysis. Preliminary and final report to the legislature. -- Establishes the Hawaii retirement savings program law. Establishes the Hawaii retirement savings board within the department of budget and finance. Establishes the Hawaii retirement savings program administrative fund. Annual report to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB1028

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SB1035

RELATING TO SEXUAL VIOLENCE.

Introduced by: Shimabukuro M, Nishihara C, Kidani M, Harimoto B, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, Thielen L, Kidani M, Baker R, English J, Inouye L, Kim D, Kanuha D, Gabbard M, Nishihara C, Fevella K, Dela Cruz D

Amends provisions relating to civil action arising from sexual offenses; application; certificate of merit. Prohibits an action or recovery of damages based on physical, psychological, or other injury or condition suffered by a minor arising from the sexual abuse of the minor by any person to be commenced against the person who committed the act of sexual abuse more than 22 years after the 18 birthday of the minor or the person committed the act of sexual abuse attains the age of majority, whichever occurs later, or 10 years after the date the minor discovers or reasonably should have discovered that psychological injury or illness occurring after the age of minor's 18th birthday was caused by the sexual abuse. -- SB1035

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SB1044

RELATING TO BREAST CANCER SCREENING.

Introduced by: Baker R, Kidani M, Thielen L, Inouye L, Fevella K, Rhoads K, English J, Nishihara C, Chang S

Amends the accident and health or sickness insurance contracts law and benefit societies law by requiring coverage for 3 D mammography imaging (tomosynthesis) for breast cancer patients every 3 months or as recommended by the patient's physician. -- SB1044

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SB1094

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1095

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1096

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1097

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1098

RELATING TO FINANCES.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1099

RELATING TO FINANCES.

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SB1100

RELATING TO REVENUES.

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SB1101

RELATING TO REVENUES.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1102

RELATING TO BONDS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1103

RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1104

RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1105

RELATING TO TAXATION.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1106

RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1107

RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.

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SB1108

RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1109

RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1127

RELATING TO THE FESTIVAL OF PACIFIC ARTS.

Introduced by: English J

Current Status: Jan=24 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
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SB1154

RELATING TO THE LANDLORD-TENANT CODE.

Introduced by: Kim D, Riviere G, English J

Establishes provisions relating to writ of possession; holdover tenants. Requires that in any summary proceeding for recovery of the possession of a dwelling unit and when a landlord has complied with all notice requirements and the tenant becomes a holdover tenant, the court shall address the complaint for summary possession during the 1st court appearance of the parties before the court, and not continue the matter unless good cause is shown by the requesting party. Prohibits a writ of possession, that has been issued by the court, to allow the tenant more than 15 days to vacate the premises and return full possession of the premises to the landlord within that time frame. -- Amends provisions relating to the termination of tenancy; landlord's remedies for holdover tenants. Requires the court to

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expedite the proceeding so that the landlord is not unduly prejudiced by the delay in returning possession of the dwelling unit to the landlord. -- SB1154

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SB1331

RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

Introduced by: Baker R, English J, Chang S, Keith-Agaran G, Kidani M

Requires the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation to immediately initiate negotiations with 3,900 Corporation, leasehold fee owner of the parcel designated, or its successor in interest, and front street affordable housing partners, fee owner of the parcel designated, or its successor in interest, to acquire each respective parcel. Allows the corporation to partner with private for profit or nonprofit developers for the acquisition of the front street apartments project. Provides that 70 rental units to be retained at affordable rents for households whose incomes do not exceed 50 per cent of the median family income for the area as determined by the US department of housing and urban development, and 71 rental units to be retained at affordable rents for households whose incomes do not exceed 60 per cent of the median family income for the area as determined by the US department of housing and urban development. Reports to the legislature. Appropriation. (\$\$) -- SB1331

Current Status: Jan=24 19 Introduction/Passed First Reading - Senate
Jan=28 19 Multiple Referral to HOU/ JDC/ then WAM

SB1388

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Introduced by: Harimoto B, Baker R, Gabbard M, Inouye L, English J, Kanuha D

Establishes provisions relating to cardiopulmonary resuscitation education. Requires the department of education to provide instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to high school students and that the such instruction be included in at least 1 health education class required for graduation. -- Establishes provisions relating to cardiopulmonary resuscitation education. Requires all private schools to provide instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to high school students and that the such instruction be included in at least 1 health education class required for graduation. -- Establishes provisions relating to cardiopulmonary resuscitation education. Requires all charter schools to provide instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to high school students and that the such instruction be included in at least 1 health education class required for graduation. -- SB1388

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SB1403

RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.

Introduced by: Baker R, Keith-Agaran G, English J, Rhoads K, Riviere G

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SB1432

RELATING TO THE LAND CONSERVATION FUND.

Introduced by: English J, Rhoads K, Harimoto B, Baker R

Amends provisions relating to disposition of conveyance taxes. Repeals the maximum dollar amount that may be paid into the land conservation fund. -- SB1432

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SB1433

RELATING TO TAXATION.

Introduced by: English J, Inouye L, Ruderman R, Baker R, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Chang S, Nishihara C

Amends provisions relating to the county surcharge on state tax. Extends the deadline to establish the surcharge. -- SB1433

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SB1450

RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Introduced by: English J

Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds for appropriation for capital improvement projects for the 7th senatorial district to the department of accounting and general services for Hana courthouse repair and restoration; to the department of education for Ha'iku (Haiku) elementary school, Hana high and elementary school, Kaunakakai elementary school, Kilohana elementary school, Kualapu'u (Kualapu'u) public conversion charter school, Lana'i (Lanai) high school, Moloka'i (Molokai) high school, Moloka'i middle school, and Paia elementary school; to the department of health for Hana health center construction of modern health center and support service facilities; to the department of land and natural resources for Moloka'i irrigation system, upcountry Maui watershed, and Wai'anapanapa (Wai'anapanapa) state park cabins and facility improvements; and to the department of transportation for Hana airport, Hana highway rockfall mitigation, Kahului airport, Lana'i airport, Maui state highways, Moloka'i airport, and Moloka'i state highways. (\$\$) -- SB1450

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SB1451

RELATING TO STATE HOLIDAYS.

BILLS INTRODUCED BY SENATOR ENGLISH

Introduced by: English J, Shimabukuro M, Riviere G, Inouye L, Dela Cruz D, Rhoads K, Keohokalole J, Kouchi R, Keith-Agaran G, Ihara L, Chang S, Fevella K, Kahele K, Kanuha D, Nishihara C, Kidani M, Wakai G, Ruderman R

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SB1467

RELATING TO PROPERTY FORFEITURE.

Introduced by: Rhoads K, Keith-Agaran G, English J, Gabbard M, Ruderman R

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SB1488

RELATING TO PROTECTION OF STREAMS.

Introduced by: English J

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SB1501

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.

Introduced by: Shimabukuro M, Inouye L, Keith-Agaran G, Ruderman R, Baker R, Chang S, Keohokalole J, English J, Kidani M, Fevella K

Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds for appropriation for capital improvement projects to the department of Hawaiian home lands for fiscal year 2019 - 2020 and fiscal year 2020 - 2021 including lot development, loans, and rehabilitation projects. (\$\$) -- SB1501

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SB1531

RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE.

Introduced by: Kim D, Inouye L, Keith-Agaran G, Rhoads K, Kanuha D, English J, Dela Cruz D, Harimoto B, Baker R, Fevella K, Ruderman R

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