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HI H 139 **AUTHOR:** Cabanilla (D)
TITLE: Public Private Partnerships and Transportation
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:
Allows the State to enter into agreements with private entities to build, operate, own, or finance transportation facilities including toll highways.
STATUS:
01/22/2009 INTRODUCED.
01/23/2009 To HOUSE Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 530 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Collective Bargaining
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
Provides that a state employer and exclusive representative may enter into a supplemental or memorandum of agreement to establish a furlough program for state employees from 7/1/09 to 6/30/11.
STATUS:
01/23/2009 INTRODUCED.
01/26/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 541 **AUTHOR:** Takumi (D)
TITLE: Civil Service Benefits and Department Of Education
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
Ensures that civil service benefits for department of education civil service employees are the same as those provided to civil service employees of other executive branch employees until 6/30/12.
STATUS:
01/23/2009 INTRODUCED.
01/26/2009 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
02/02/2009 Withdrawn from HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
02/02/2009 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
02/02/2009 Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
02/04/2009 In HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION: Voted do pass.
02/04/2009 In HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT: Voted do pass.
Position: Support
Priority: 1

HI H 693 **AUTHOR:** Yamane (D)
TITLE: Health Systems Corporation
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Health Committee
SUMMARY:
Grants the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation greater flexibility in administration of hospital services by repealing provisions in the Hawaii Revised Statutes that require the Legislature to be informed of and approve of any reduction or elimination of direct patient care services.
STATUS:

01/23/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/26/2009 To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 696 **AUTHOR:** Yamane (D)
TITLE: Health Systems Corporation
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Health Committee
SUMMARY:
 Creates a separate collective bargaining unit for employees of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation.
STATUS:
 01/23/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/26/2009 To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH.
 02/06/2009 In HOUSE Committee on HEALTH: Voted do pass with amendment.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 701 **AUTHOR:** Yamane (D)
TITLE: Health Systems Corporation
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Health Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires specific actions to be taken before any planned substantial reduction or elimination of direct patient care services at a facility of the Hawaii health systems corporation can be implemented.
STATUS:
 01/23/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/26/2009 To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH.
 02/06/2009 In HOUSE Committee on HEALTH: Voted do pass with amendment.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 821 **AUTHOR:** Nishimoto (D)
TITLE: Tax Expenditures
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Finance Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires an annual review of all state tax expenditures.
STATUS:
 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/28/2009 To HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.
Position: Support
Priority: 1

HI H 1105 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Governors Package Bill - Contracts For Services
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Procurement, State and County Contracts.
STATUS:
 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1106	AUTHOR: Say (D) TITLE: Governors Package Bill - Public Employment DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee SUMMARY: (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Public Employment and Furloughs. STATUS: 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED. 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT. Position: Oppose Priority: 1
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HI H 1108	AUTHOR: Say (D) TITLE: Governors Package Bill - Interest Arbitration DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee SUMMARY: (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Interest Arbitration and Cost Considerations. STATUS: 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED. 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT. Position: Oppose Priority: 1
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HI H 1287	AUTHOR: Rhoads (D) TITLE: Public Employment and Exempt Civil Service DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee SUMMARY: Amends various sections of HRS to comply with Act 253, Session Laws of Hawaii 2000, which places restrictions on the creation of civil service exempt positions and requires an annual review of exempt positions to determine whether they should be converted to civil service positions. STATUS: 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED. 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT. 02/06/2009 In HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT: Voted do pass with amendment. Position: Support Priority: 1
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HI H 1372	AUTHOR: Yamane (D) TITLE: Hawaii Health Systems Corporation and Regional System DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Health Committee SUMMARY: Authorizes a facility or regional health care system under the Hawaii health systems corporation to transition into a new legal entity, including a nonprofit or for-profit corporation, municipal facility, or public benefit corporation. STATUS: 01/27/2009 INTRODUCED. 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH. 02/06/2009 In HOUSE Committee on HEALTH: Voted do pass. Position: Oppose Priority: 1
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HI H 1582	AUTHOR: Say (D)
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TITLE: Vacation Allowance and Exemptions
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires state executive department and state legislative branch employees who are exempt from chapter 76, HRS (civil service law) to use or donate accumulated and accrued vacation allowance prior to discharge, or to forfeit remaining vacation allowance and any compensation in lieu of retaining vacation allowance upon discharge; sunsets December 31, 2010.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1715 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Employees' Retirement System
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Increases, for new public employees, the minimum age and length of service for an unreduced service retirement allowance.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
AssignedTo: Susan 02/02/2009
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1
Subject: ERS

HI H 1718 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Medicare Part B Premiums
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Specifies that the requirement that the State and the counties reimburse retired employees for medicare part B premiums through the employer-union trust fund applies only to the employees who retire prior to 12/31/09.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Commentary:
 EUTF - specifies that the requirement that the State & the counties reimburse retired employees for Medicare part B premiums through the EUTF applies only to the employees who retire prior to 12/31/09.
AssignedTo: Susan 01/30/2009
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1
Subject: EUTF

HI H 1719 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Retirement Prior To Medicare Age
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Suspends state and county contributions to the EUTF for all state and county employee-beneficiaries who retire after 7/1/09, regardless of date of hire and years of service, if the employee retires before the employee's medicare retirement age; resumes coverage after medicare retirement age; allows employee to retain health coverage through the EUTF by paying the respective state or county share of premiums until medicare retirement age.
STATUS:

01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
AssignedTo: Susan 01/30/2009
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1
Subject: EUTF

HI H 1720 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Medicare Part B Premiums
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Specifies that the requirement that the State and the counties reimburse retired employees for medicare part B premiums through the employer-union trust fund applies only to the employees who retire prior to 07/01/09; further specifies that there will be no reimbursement for employees who retire after 06/30/09 between the date of their retirement and 06/30/15.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1721 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Hawaii Employer-union Health Benefits Trust Fund
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires the board of trustees of the Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund to design and provide a health benefits plan for active employees and their dependent-beneficiaries that does not exceed a specified maximum projected cost.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1722 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Employer-union Trust Fund and Health Benefits Plan
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires, from 7/1/2009 until 6/30/2015, the employer-union trust fund to provide to active employees and their dependent-beneficiaries the minimum health benefits plan required under the Hawaii prepaid health care act; states that it does not affect retired employees and their dependent-beneficiaries.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Priority: 1

HI H 1723 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Employer-union Health Benefit Trust Fund
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Makes employer contributions to the employer-union health benefits trust fund non-negotiable under collective bargaining; establishes employer contributions for active public employees at 55 per cent of monthly cost of the health benefits plan.

STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1725 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Public Employees' Health Benefits Plan
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Prohibits, as specified, health benefits plan of the employer-union health benefits trust fund from providing prescription drug coverage; allows board of trustees to make prescription drug benefits available through drug coverage plans that are paid for entirely by employee-beneficiaries.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1726 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Hawaii Employer-union Health Benefits Trust Fund
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Prohibits the Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund from providing group life insurance benefits if any of the premiums are paid by the State or a county; allows the trust fund to contract with a group life insurer to make available group life insurance benefits to employee-beneficiaries provided that none of the premiums are paid by the State or any county and the insurer pays a fee to the board of trustees.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1727 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Public Employees' Health Benefits Plan
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Prohibits the health benefits plan of the employer-union health benefits trust fund from providing dental and vision coverage from 07/01/2009 until 06/30/2015; allows the board of trustees to make dental and vision benefits available to employee-beneficiaries at no cost to the employers.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1737 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Compensation
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Excludes certain forms of pay in computing compensation for retirement purposes.

STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI H 1738 **AUTHOR:** Say (D)
TITLE: Employees' Retirement System
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Labor and Public Employment Committee
SUMMARY:
 Deletes the sunset date of 1/2/11 on the prohibition on approving employees' retirement system benefit enhancements while an unfunded accrued liability exists.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
Priority: 1

HI S 728 **AUTHOR:** Sakamoto (D)
TITLE: Civil Service Benefits and Department Of Education
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Labor
SUMMARY:
 Ensures that civil service benefits for department of education civil service employees are the same as those provided to civil service employees of other executive branch employees until 6/30/12.
STATUS:
 01/23/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/28/2009 To SENATE Committee on LABOR.
Position: Support
Priority: 1

HI S 923 **AUTHOR:** Hanabusa (D)
TITLE: Government Contracts For Services
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Judiciary and Government Operations Committee
SUMMARY:
 (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Procurement and State and County Contracts.
STATUS:
 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To SENATE Committee on LABOR.
 01/30/2009 Additionally referred to SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI S 924 **AUTHOR:** Hanabusa (D)
TITLE: Governors Package Bill - Public Employment
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Labor
SUMMARY:
 (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Public Employment; relates to furloughs.
STATUS:
 01/26/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To SENATE Committee on LABOR.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI S 925	AUTHOR: TITLE: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY: (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Grievance arbitration and awards. STATUS: 01/26/2009 01/30/2009 Position: Priority:	Hanabusa (D) Uniform Arbitration Act Pending Senate Labor INTRODUCED. To SENATE Committee on LABOR. Oppose 1
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HI S 926	AUTHOR: TITLE: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY: (Governor's Package Bill) Relates to Interest Arbitration Cost Considerations. STATUS: 01/26/2009 01/30/2009 01/30/2009 Position: Priority:	Hanabusa (D) Interest Arbitration Pending Senate Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee INTRODUCED. To SENATE Committee on LABOR. Additionally referred to SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION, INTERNATIONAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS. Oppose 1
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HI S 1122	AUTHOR: TITLE: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY: Amends various sections of HRS to comply with Act 253, Session Laws of Hawaii 2000, which places restrictions on the creation of civil service exempt positions and requires an annual review of exempt positions to determine whether they should be converted to civil service positions. STATUS: 01/26/2009 01/30/2009 Position: Priority:	Takamine (D) Public Employment and Exempt Civil Service Pending Senate Labor INTRODUCED. To SENATE Committee on LABOR. Support 1
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HI S 1197	AUTHOR: TITLE: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY: Requires the department of taxation to provide an annual report on tax expenditures to the legislature on or before September 15th of each odd-numbered year. STATUS: 01/27/2009 01/30/2009 Position: Priority:	Fukunaga (D) State Tax Expenditures and Annual Report Pending Senate Ways and Means Committee INTRODUCED. To SENATE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS. Support 1
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HI S 1271	AUTHOR: TITLE:	Kim (D) Vacation Allowance and Exemptions
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DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Labor

SUMMARY:
 Requires state executive department and state legislative branch employees who are exempt from chapter 76, HRS (civil service law) to use or donate accumulated and accrued vacation allowance prior to discharge, or to forfeit remaining vacation allowance and any compensation in lieu of retaining vacation allowance upon discharge; sunsets December 31, 2010.

STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To SENATE Committee on LABOR.
Position: Oppose
Priority: 1

HI S 1678 **AUTHOR:** Fukunaga (D)
TITLE: Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Amendments
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Economic Development and Technology Committee
SUMMARY:
 Adopts amendments to Hawaii tax laws to implement the streamlined sales and use tax agreement.
STATUS:
 01/28/2009 INTRODUCED.
 01/30/2009 To SENATE Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY.
 02/06/2009 In SENATE Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY: Voted do pass with amendment.
Position: Support
Priority: 1

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