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AGENDA

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THURSDAY

Date: February 7, 2013
Time: 3:00 P.M.
Room: HR C

Possible Introduction of Committee Measures

Informational Meeting

Overview of Collaborative Forest Landscape Restoration Program and Forest Stewardship Contracting Program

- Brett Brownscombe, Natural Resources Policy Advisor, Governor's Natural Resources Office
- Additional speakers to be announced

Public Hearing and Work Session

SB 31

Allows representatives of certain landowners to serve on forestland classification committees.

Public Hearing

SB 257 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Creates fund to allow State Board of Forestry to issue loans to United States Forest Service to prepare for and conduct sale of forest products to be harvested from federal forestlands within state.

SB 422

Authorizes rural fire protection districts and state or local law enforcement agencies to contract for agencies to provide district with special law enforcement services as requested by district.

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