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AGENDA

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MONDAY

Date: April 5, 2021
Time: 1:00 P.M.
Room: Remote D

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Public Hearing and Possible Work Session

HB 2490

(1:05 pm) Authorizes Public Utility Commission to consider differential energy burden and other inequities of affordability in rates.

HB 2603

(1:20 pm) Requires owners or operators of undersea fiber optic telecommunication cables to obtain financial assurances and create plan for removal of cable.

HB 2143 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

(1:30 pm) Changes annual fees for all power claimants to match annual fees for other hydroelectric projects.

AGENDA (cont.) April 5, 2021

Public Hearing

HB 3106

(1:40 pm) Provides that, for purposes of electric companies' planning and pursuit of energy efficiency resources, energy efficiency programs include programs for assisting retail electricity consumers with replacing building heating, appliances and other technologies powered by any energy source with higher-efficiency electric heating, appliances and other technologies.

HB 2189

(1:55 pm) Directs Public Utility Commission to conduct study related to renewable energy and to provide results of study in report to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to energy no later than September 15, 2021.

HB 2241

(2:10 pm) Requires Department of Environmental Quality to approve at least three businesses to provide water quality permit application review services.

HB 3100

(2:20 pm) Increases number of beverage containers returned by any one person during one day that dealer that occupies a space of 5,000 or more square feet must accept and pay refund value for.

HB 3375 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

(2:40 pm) Establishes goal of planning for development of three gigawatts of commercial scale floating offshore wind energy projects within federal waters off Oregon Coast by 2030.

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