OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS
LANGUAGE ACCESS ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
February 13, 2008
DLIR Conference Rooms #310/313
9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introductions

2. Roll Call

3. Approval of Minutes of January 8, 2008 Meeting

4. Director’s Report

5. Language Access Conference

6. Legislative Initiatives
   • Relating to Language Access – clarifies definitions; requires covered entities to file a language access plan and appoint language access coordinator; expands the language access advisory council from 11 to 15 members.
   • Appropriates funds to establish a statewide language access bank.
   • Resolution declaring the month of September of each year as Language Access Month in Hawaii.

7. Bilingual Staffing

8. New Business
   • Update on the Judiciary’s Language Access Program (Debi Tulang-De Silva)
   • Bill’s Concerns (Email Dated 1/24/08)

9. Meeting Schedule for 2008

10. Announcements

11. Adjournment

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