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AGENDA

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THURSDAY

Date: March 26, 2015
Time: 1:00 P.M.
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Public Hearing

HB 2252

Establishes requirements under which debt buyer may bring legal action to collect debt.

HB 2909

Prohibits person from sending to consumer check, draft, payment instrument or other negotiable instrument that is with, part of or related to solicitation for or offer of credit or loan, unless the consumer previously requested or consented to receive check, draft, payment instrument or other negotiable instrument.

HB 3057

Includes person that engages in business of purchasing delinquent or charged-off debt for collection purposes in definitions of "debt collector," "collection agency" and "out-of-state collection agency" for purposes of collections laws.

HB 3101

Permits individual who has filed claim with insurer for benefits under insurance policy or brought action to seek compensation or damages for injury individual suffered as result of accident or crime to send written notice to health care provider to which individual owes debt for medical care or medical services stating that claim or action is pending.

HB 3234

Requires collection agency to enter into or attempt to enter into mediation with debtor before bringing action to collect claim or account.

Note Change: HB 2663 has been removed and HB 3101 has been added to the agenda.

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