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**HAWAI'I COUNTY COUNCIL
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND
PARKS AND RECREATION
9th Session**

DATE: September 20, 2005 (Tuesday)
PLACE: Sheraton Keauhou Bay Resort & Spa
78-128 Ehukai St.
Kailua-Kona, Hawaii
TIME: 9:00 a.m.

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CALL TO ORDER

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

REFERRALS

Comm. 425: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15, ARTICLE 1, SECTION 15-7, OF
(Bill 147) THE HAWAI'I COUNTY CODE 1983 (2005 EDITION), RELATING TO PARKS
Postponed AND RECREATION (changes the penalty for violations of any provision in
Indefinitely Chapter 15 by removing "imprisonment not to exceed ninety days")
From Councilmember Bob Jacobson, dated September 1, 2005, transmitting the above
bill. The Prosecutor's Office staff requested this amendment, with the impetus being
feedback from judges and juries in the court system: imprisonment for failure to obtain
a camping permit is so extreme that individuals cited for a violation are compelled to
challenge the citations in court; and large number of these cases are not viewed as a
good use of the court's time.

ADJOURNMENT

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