THIRTY-FIRST DAY

Thursday, March 14, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:15 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Reverend Bob Gillchrest of the Kalihi Baptist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Peters, who was excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirtieth Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

Sen. Com. No. 383, transmitting S.C.R. No. 64, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE NOMINATION AND CONFIRMATION OF PATRICIA F. SAIKI AS ADMINISTRATOR OF THE UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, WASHINGTON, D.C.," which was adopted by the Senate on March 13, 1991, was read by the Clerk and placed on file.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.C.R. No. 64 was adopted.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Arakaki introduced a group of exchange students from Okinawa, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and colleagues, it's not very often that we get to see the fruition of some of our many resolutions that we offer. Last year, we accepted a resolution which asked the Department of Education to establish an exchange program with our Sister State or Prefecture of Okinawa. And today we see the fruition of that resolution.

"We have some students from Okinawa who are the initial group to start this exchange, and in June our students from Hawaii will do the second half and visit Okinawa"

Accompanying the group were Mr. Morihiko Tokuyama, Assistant Chief of the Senior High School Education Section of the Okinawa Prefectural Board of Education; Mr. Shinsei Shinjo, teacher/consultant with the High School Education Section of the Prefectural Board of Education; Mr. Hiroshi Oshiro and Miss Yasuko Nakamura, English teachers; Leslie David, Micki Nihipali, Dailan Souza, Tanya Canady and Kalualani Moniz, local host students from Kahuku High School; Mr. Ralph Ige, host for the day; and Mr. Isaac Hokama, President-elect of the United Okinawan Association of Hawaii.

Representative Arakaki continued his remarks, saying:

"Mr. Speaker, this program was made possible by the Department of Education, the United Okinawan

Association of Hawaii, and the legislators of Okinawan ancestry in the House: Representatives D. Ige, M. Ige, Oshiro, Takamine and Yonamine."

Representative Isbell introduced "some interesting people from Rongelap Atoll, and they are people who, in 1954, were there when the largest hydrogen bomb experiment called Bravo was set off in the Bikini Atoll. These people were never removed at that time and they suffered the fallout from it. Fifty hours later, they were finally removed and three years later were taken back and, of course, the Congress and the United States decided that it wasn't safe at that time either. So these people from Rongelap Atoll are here on their way back from Washington, D.C., where they have been trying to get some help for their people because they have been in exile and it is truly one of the tragedies of the American people on another people."

Representative Isbell then asked the following visitors from Rongelap Atoll, who are in exile on the Marshall Islands, to stand to be recognized: Senator Zeton Anjain, Mayor Edison Anjain, Elmira Matayoshi and Alvo Locobo. They were accompanied by Rosina Ryer from Iling, Laplap.

Representative Bellinger then introduced Christina Henrickson, Lowell Chrisler and Kim Stewart, participants in the legislative "shadowing" program from Kahuku High School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following Senate Bills were disposed of as follows:

S.B. Nos. Referred to:

- 8 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 9 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 12 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 18 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 23 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 25 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 33 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 62 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

63 Committee on Judiciary

94 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

103 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

104 Committee on Judiciary

107 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary

113 Jointly to the Committees on Ocean and Marine Resources and Health, then to the Committee on Finance

115 Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

121 Committee on Judiciary

125 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

130 Committee on Judiciary

133 Committee on Judiciary

139 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

140 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary

148 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

153 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

154 Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

159 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

163 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

178 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

179 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

180 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary

193 Committee on Judiciary

200 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce; Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs; and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

212 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

215 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary

246 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

248 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

249 Jointly to the Committees on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs and Human Services, then to the Committee on Housing

276 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary

277 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

339 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

348 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

353 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary; Transportation; and Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

355 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

356 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

363 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Housing

369 Committee on Judiciary

372 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

388 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

389 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

390 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

393 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

401 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

402 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

408 Committee on Education

420 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

430 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

431 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Planning and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Finance

440 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

 $\mbox{ 442 } \mbox{ Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance}$

472 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental

Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	732 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
479 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	733 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
480 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	740 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
484 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	741 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Labor and Public
487 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	750 Committee on Judiciary
502 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	765 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
532 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	767 Committee on Judiciary
539 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	771 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
543 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	788 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
544 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	789 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
546 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	791 Committee on Judiciary
558 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary	795 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
560 Committee on Consumer Protection and	800 Committee on Judiciary
Commerce Commerce	801 Committee on Judiciary
584 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	802 Committee on Judiciary
597 Committee on Judiciary	803 Committee on Judiciary
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603 Committee on Judiciary	806 Committee on Judiciary
621 Committee on Education, then to the	808 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
Committee on Finance 626 Committee on Education, then to the	809 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
Committee on Finance	813 Committee on Judiciary
631 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	817 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
648 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	818 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
689 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	819 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
693 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	827 Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to
695 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce
699 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary	831 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
721 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	864 Committee on Planning and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Finance

870 Committee Ocean 1130 Committee on Judiciary, then to the on Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Finance Committee on Labor and Public Committee on Water, Land Use and Employment, then to the Committee on Finance Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Energy and Environmental Committee on Health, then to the Protection, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Finance 940 Committee on Higher Education and the 1158 Committee on Water, Land Use and Arts, then to the Committee on Finance Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance 952 Committee on Judiciary 1167 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance 955 Committee on Judiciary 1168 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce 963 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance Jointly to the Committees on Agriculture; 976 Committee on Housing, then to the Health; and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Finance Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Committee on Water, Land Use and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance then to the Committee on Finance Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Committee on Judiciary, then to the Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental Committee on Finance Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance 1188 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary 1045 Committee on Higher Education and the Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Arts, then to the Committee on Finance 1198 Protection and Commerce and Judiciary Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Consumer Protection and 1204 Commerce 1052 Committee on Water, Land Use and 1205 Hawaiian Affairs Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance 1206 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, then to the 1207 Committee on Consumer Protection and Committee on Finance Commerce 1073 Committee on Labor and 1209 Committee on Consumer Protection and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance 1076 Committee Labor and Public 1210 Committee on Consumer Protection and on Employment, then to the Committee on Finance Commerce Committee on Labor Public 1211 Committee on Consumer Protection and and Employment, then to the Committee on Finance Commerce Committee Labor **Public** 1212 Committee on Consumer Protection and on and Employment, then to the Committee on Finance Commerce 1089 Committee on Judiciary 1213 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Housing, then to the 1093 1216 Committee on Finance Committee on Finance Committee on Judiciary, then to the 1110 1218 Committee on Consumer Protection and Committee on Finance Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary 1222 Committee on Consumer Protection and and Health, then to the Committee on Finance Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance 1123 Committee on Consumer Protection and 1223 Committee on Finance Commerce 1224 Jointly Committees the on to Committee on Health, then to the 1126 Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Judiciary 1226 Committee on Finance

- 1230 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1239 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1241 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1243 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1248 Committee on Housing
- 1249 Committee on Housing
- 1250 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1251 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1255 Jointly to the Committees on Housing; Consumer Protection and Commerce; and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1258 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1262 Committee on Judiciary
- 1268 Committee on Judiciary
- 1269 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1270 Committee on Judiciary
- 1271 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 1273 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1278 Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1279 Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1280 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1282 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1285 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1286 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1289 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1294 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1296 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1297 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

- 1303 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1304 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1305 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1306 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1307 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1309 Committee on Transportation
- 1310 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1311 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1312 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1313 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1314 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1316 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1317 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1320 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1329 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 1330 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1332 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1333 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1334 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1335 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1336 Committee on Education
- 1337 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1338 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1340 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

1344 Jointly to the Committees on Planning and Economic Development; Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs; and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1346 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1347 Committee on Judiciary

1348 Committee on Housing

1349 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1351 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1352 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1353 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1354 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1356 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1359 Committee on Health

1366 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1372 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1373 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1377 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1378 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs

1379 Committee on Finance

1381 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1382 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services; Housing; and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1383 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services; Housing; and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1388 Committee on Planning and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Finance

1390 Committee on Planning and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Finance

1393 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1396 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Transportation

1398 Committee on Finance

1399 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs

1404 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1408 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1410 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1417 Committee on Judiciary

1424 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1434 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1435 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1449 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1460 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1462 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1469 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1484 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1498 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1511 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1516 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1522 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1523 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1524 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1525 Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

1529 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1534 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1536 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1537 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

1539 Committee on Judiciary

1543 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

1567 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1572 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1573 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1595 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1596 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

1612 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1624 Committee on Judiciary

1628 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1630 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1634 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1649 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1657 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

1681 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary; Education; and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1683 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1702 Committee on Finance

1706 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1714 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1718 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

1719 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce

1726 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

1736 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1737 Committee on Planning and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Finance

1757 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1766 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

1775 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1776 Committee on Judiciary

1778 Committee on Finance

1792 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1797 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1801 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1811 Committee on Judiciary

1812 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

1819 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs

1822 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1837 Committee on Judiciary

1839 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1841 Committee on Judiciary

1842 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1845 Committee on Judiciary

1847 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1850 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1852 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1858 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1861 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1892 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

1901 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

1902 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1907 Jointly to the Committees on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1909 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1914 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

1915 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1951 Committee on Health

1956 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1962 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1965 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1998 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

2006 Committee on Judiciary

2007 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

2008 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2013 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2050 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

2053 Committee on Agriculture

2055 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2085 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2086 Jointly to the Committees on Housing and Consumer Protection and Commerce

2095 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

2097 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2099 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2114 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance

2122 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2135 Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2144 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

2145 Committee on Judiciary

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 905 on H.B. No. 598, HD 2:

Representative Souki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 598, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Say.

Representative Metcalf rose and requested that his remarks, in favor of the bill, be inserted into the Journal and the Chair, noting that there were no objections, "so ordered."

"Mr. Speaker, this bill is particularly significant, for when your Committee on Judiciary began deliberations on it, our nation was in the midst of a war in the Middle East. We were also beginning to feel the effects of a sharp decline in our primary industry, tourism, and the shock waves of a recession which had started on the East Coast and which was working its way west.

"The decade of the eighties which we have just closed brought many of us growth and prosperity. But trailing behind all those changes, there also arose a marked increase in demand for services in many sectors. The Judiciary and corresponding ancillary services, programs, and functions were no exception.

"The task of balancing this increasing demand against an uncertain economic future and forecasts of declining revenues caused your Committee to scrutinize every budget item closer, and often more than once or twice. The following budget, therefore, is a reflection of our research which was sometimes compounded by the lack of sufficient information and data to justify certain requests, making our job and our decisions even more difficult.

"We recognize that continued growth in planning indicators, such as population projections, will exert increased demands for judicial services. We believe that those services must be calculated not merely for today's need, but for 10 and 20 years into the future. In this regard, a judgeship at the First Circuit Court level and necessary support positions were approved. It is hoped that the additional judgeship will further reduce the court backlog and facilitate a faster caseflow through our judicial system.

"In addition to the more traditional requests for judicial personnel, we are pleased that an educational component was included in the Judiciary's request. The establishment of a judicial training office will meet the needs of newly appointed judges and support personnel, and the ongoing need for professional development on the part of senior judges and support staff.

"The Judiciary's request for additional positions to meet the needs of the new adoption records program and the adult protection division were, in large, approved.

"While fiscal austerity was a constant in our deliberations, necessary programs and services were not to be compromised. In this regard, current community-based services provided by the Judiciary were continued, and a handful of new programs were funded as well. Among new programs are the Family Crisis Shelter's 'In-Community Treatment Services for Violence Affected Adolescents,' the Hawaii Island YWCA Teen Court

Program, and the Family Peace Center Children's Program.

"In the Telecommunications and Information Services Division, we are in agreement with policy directions which indicate that computers and technology are essential tools for a modern and efficient judicial system. Additional positions and funds for the biennium should assist the reorganized Telecommunication and Information Services in carrying out the recommendations of the 1989 Legislative Auditor's report.

"Mr. Speaker, I spoke earlier of the growth in the eighties and the resulting demands for services. We believe this bill will help our Judiciary address the latter. We see the nineties as a time to better focus our funds and human resources as we prepare to enter the 21st century."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 598, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Peters being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 598 had passed Third Reading at 11:32 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 906 on H.B. No. 701, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 701, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Peters being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 701 had passed Third Reading at 11:33 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 139, HD 1:

Representative Souki moved that H.B. No. 139, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Say.

Representative Souki rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I have some prepared remarks that I would want to enter into the Journal," and the Chair, noting that there were no objections, "so ordered."

Representative Souki continued, saying:

"If I could just make a few observations."

Directed by the Chair to "proceed," Representative Souki stated:

"First of all, I would want to thank the Speaker and the House leadership who provided us the leadership in providing for this budget which we thank all of the subject matter chairs who were very patient, very diligent in preparing their respective budgets.

"And Mr. Speaker and members, I would also wish to thank the vice chair here, Calvin Say, for being very supportive and worked very hard during the budgetary process. And, of course, the Finance Committee members who worked for long hours, diligently and provided good input into the budget -- very, very valuable input.

"And Mr. Speaker and members, the unsung heroes -the ones who worked from dawn to dusk in the
preparation of the budget...lot of people don't know that
the House is responsible for the preparation of the budget.
When it comes to us, it's just messages and some figures
and we need to put it into place. We need to make some
analysis and to work from scratch to what we have right
here. And that requires a lot of work and the ones who
do most of this work here is the staff. And the leaders of
the staff are Robin Matsunaga and Denise -- would you
please rise?"

Representative Souki then asked his staff -- "those who worked right in the room, right around the clock" -- to stand to be recognized.

"And most of all to all the members of the House for all your patience.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Souki's remarks are as follows:

"Disagreement and criticism are expected whenever decisions involving the allocation of limited resources are made. Even during the past few yers, when the State General Fund was flush, it was impossible to satisfy everyone.

"This year, the State General Fund will experience the negative impacts of the national recession and the conflict in the Middle East. As you know, the Council on Revenues in January of this year revised their previous estimates of State revenue growth, based on the recession. Their revised estimates translated into \$150-million less in revenues for the State General Fund for the upcoming biennium.

"This downward revision did not take into account the impact that the Persian Gulf conflict was to impose on the State's largest industry -- tourism. On Friday, the Council will be reporting once more to update their projections. Based on what I have heard from the visitor industry, I anticipate that the Council will be further lowering their estimates of State growth, to reflect an additional \$20-30-million less in general fund tax revenues for the biennium.

"With less financial resources to allocate to increasing requests for funding, I expect even greater criticism than in the past. While I accept the criticism of those who disagree with the decisions made by the Committee, I feel that much of the criticism is a result of the public's lack of information on the fiscal constraints placed on the Finance Committee.

"First and foremost, the Finance Committee must provide a balanced budget. In other words, we cannot put the State into a deficit spending situation like the federal government. In addition, in order to serve as a cushion against unforeseen downturns in the State's economy, such as what we are currently experiencing, and to help maintain the State's bond rating, a minimum fund balance of approximately \$100-million is generally considered to be necessary.

"Looking more specifically at the current fiscal framework, total general funds available for the upcoming biennium are currently estimated at \$5.86-billion. While this may appear to be a lot of money, \$5.26-billion of this total is needed just to maintain the current level of services being provided now. In addition, there are severl expenditures for which there is little discretion, such as the mandatory tax credit, collective bargaining cost items, payment of claims against the State, and

payment of compensation for criminal injuries. Taking into account the recommended minimum fund balance of \$100-million, this leaves only \$475-million left for new or expanding programs.

"Competing for these remaining funds are the various programs of the Executive Branch, Judiciary, and Office of Hawaiian Affairs. \$475-million for the biennium, which represents less than 10 percent of the current level base budget of the Executive Branch, is not very much when you consider that the additional funding requests for the human services, health, and lower education areas exceeded \$1-billion in the FIRST year of the biennium.

"Requests for funding always have, and always will, exceed the amount of funds available. The difficulty is not in figuring how much funds are available, but in deciding which requests get funded and which do not. This budget before you was developed after thorough review of each funding request and incorproates the recommendations of the various Housing Standing Committees. It is a comprehensive, responsible budget which addresses as many of the needs of the State with the few dollars which are available. If requests are not funded, it does not necessarily mean that they are not important. In most cases, it just means that there weren't any funds left."

Representative Anderson rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would like to say that I feel for every subject committee chairmen and I feel for the Finance Chairman because we have to go through all bills at one time and not just the budget. Some of the members, over the years, have been frustrated because, really, what goes into the budget -- they don't have full knowledge of what's there and how it works. And the second year, prior to 1968, the second year of our session is for non-budgetary items and in that way there, we would have one session to work on the budget. And what makes it frustrating is because we have everything two years in a row, we work on budgets like it is going out of style. Every dollar comes into it and non-budgetary items are also, at the same time, being worked on.

"I think that with the new audit that I was reading also in the past that we have to summarize and improve on making it more readable. And that's true, Mr. Speaker, for a lot of people. If they had to go over this budget, we would be lost. It's a good thing that we have people within the Finance Committee that works hard, that gives us all of the information. But for some of the other legislators, it's difficult to find out what's there, why it's there, and how did they get there in the first place.

"Your subject matter committees, the chairmen understand, but a lot of the members that sit on that committee, they don't understand where these dollars come from and how they get into the budget. Judiciary, for instance -- we have grown over the years with that particular budget. I get lost in finding out exactly what's going on because when I sat on in Judiciary, I also had six other committees that I sat on, and I didn't know exactly what went in to that particular budget because I was working on other issues in other committees. And it makes it difficult.

"So, I would hope that if there is a resolution which I hope to put in, Mr. Speaker, that looks at changing the Constitution, that we go back to the old way and one year is strictly for working on the budget and anything that pertains to the budget. And the second year, we can work on non-budgetary items and do a better job and we might even have to extend to make sure that with the 3,000 bills, that we take a little longer, understand what

we're working on, and do a much better job than we are doing right now.

"But I thank all of you. Mr. Chairman, I thank you very, very much, and all of your staff, and I do thank my staff in research that has to dissect this particular bill so that we understand what's going on also.

"Thank you very, very much."

Representative Thielen then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would also like to thank Chairman Souki, the members of his committee, his staff, and also the subject chairs that have had so much input and dealt with this matter.

"However, I find it is necessary to state one consideration. When you look at a pie and you look at the percentage of total funds by program areas, I am very concerned that environmental protection ends up being an infinitesimal sliver -- .08 of the total pie. And I hope that as we move forward in the Legislature, that we can take a harder look at that and take a look at allocating our priorities and giving more attention to the environment in our State.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Shon then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, health is guesstimated to be the fourth largest industry in the State and I think there is some very significant things which the Chairman of Finance included in this bill which I would like to share with you.

"Very briefly, there are a number of very important trends happening in health which the provisos in this budget begin to hint at, in terms of restructuring of how we fund health services. Quite apart from comments made on the purchases of service bill the other day, these include: number one, that we are now debating the future and the management of our community hospital system as it pertains to the neighbor islands. And in conjunction with that, the establishment of primary care centers in which we would rebundle various services that we fund through purchases of service, and services that we fund through our hospitals, to create so-called federally qualified health centers which, in fact, could generate millions and millions more dollars from federal medicaid funds that would come into the State.

"We also have been presented this year with a major proposal on long-term care financing with an emphasis on home care, and we are also, as we heard the other day, struggling with the issue of how to better coordinate on an interagency basis and a peer review basis the various services we fund to non-profits. We have as well a very interesting proposal for a union between our universities and the health care system where the residents of the Medical School, the Nursing School, Social Work and Public Health, will be doing their residencies in primary care clinics instead of just in hospitals. This is further going to strengthen the trend of federal funding and State initiatives as we restructure the way in which we deliver health care and finance it.

"We are just about to see the convening of a Governor's Blue Ribbon Panel on health care cost containment. It's yet to have its first cocktail party, I understand, but we have many hopes for this that it is going to examine the economics of how people make money in health, how institutions make money, where

those dollars go, and how the consumer can be best served.

"We also know that there is a significant trend for outpatient services in clinics, in doctors' offices, in surgeons' centers, in this and that, and the resources that we have provided for a State Health Planning and Development Agency should help encourage them to keep an eye on these trends. We have many professional readjustments in health care professions among psychologists, psychiatrists, and chiropractors and nurses, and a whole variety of professions that, in the past, have been seen as a hierarchical lineup, and more and more increasingly are being seen as complementary, as part of a co-equal team to deliver health care in the most efficient manner.

"We also have in this budget a major sort of a breakthrough, in my view, in that we usually refrain from shifting around the program areas within the budget a great degree. But the Chairman of Finance and his Committee agreed with the proposals of the Health Committee, that in a whole variety of areas in the Health Department which rhetorically indicate that they are serving native Hawaiians, we have shifted those people -- those full-time equivalents and those funds -- into the Office of Hawaiian Health to better ensure that indeed those services are delivered.

"And the final interesting trend which we have seen with our international relations with the Pacific and Asia is that Hawaii has the potential to become an international center of training and education for health care workers. And this is not only pertinent to bringing people here and creating industries — it is also pertinent to all those health professionals who tend to burn out after a number of years and have nowhere to go.

"I believe very firmly that one of the options for health care workers and health care professionals in the future will be that they will be able to become trainers and educators for health care throughout the Pacific and in other areas of the world.

"As I indicated, the provisos in this budget which restructured the coordination of services with a very strong indication for primary care may be the opening shots in a lot of efforts which is going to happen in the next year or so which could create a system that delivers a lot more health care for the same amount of dollars. And this will be very essential as we look at continuing problems with deficits, continuing rise in the cost of health care.

"I would like to thank the Chairman of Finance for supporting all the administration initiatives and most of the Health Committee initiatives and that we'll have more conversations about the ones that were left out, I am sure. But this is a very interesting year for the structure of health, and I wanted to share that with you because, particularly for neighbor islanders, I would see a system of rebundling our financing and our services and our programs which could be very exciting and very different and very challenging.

"Thank you."

Representative Tam then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker and fellow colleagues, I would like to express my support for House Bill 139, HD 1.

"My remarks are directed to the education budget recommended by the Finance Committee, Representative Joe Souki of the House of Representatives, which prepares our youngsters to meet the challenges of the future. "Before getting into the main points that I would like to make, I would first of all like to extend my thanks to my colleague, Representative Souki, and the Finance Committee members and staff for opening up communications. The friendly and cordial reception that my staff and I encountered throughout the budget review process speeded up the preparation of the budget for lower education.

"I would also like to thank the members of the Education Committee and their staff members for their dedication throughout hearings where parents, students, administrators and members of the community were given the opportunity to express their views on issues and concerns that they would like to see resolved. I stand behind the work of the committee members, and again express my sincerest mahalo for their patience in sitting through our consideration of 102 bills.

"Like the other standing committees, the Committee on Education formulated our budget within the guidelines of the Committee on Finance and the Governor, John Waihee. The total budget for fiscal year 1991-92 is \$776,000,000 and for 1992-93, \$796,000,000. Given the tight reins on spending, we formulated a two-tier budget proposal.

"The first tier which is the primary budget is within the ceiling established by the Governor and the Finance Committee; and the secondary budget, which included requests by the public, above and beyond the ceiling. Funding for these budget items would be added because of the needs for education.

"Unfortunately, because of the Governor's tight ceiling imposed upon us, the second tier was not considered. But all is not lost. The legislative session is not over until the end of April 1991.

"Although I support a safe and healthy school environment, it concerns me that the budget before you is \$7.8-million below the Governor's budget for the 1991-93 It is alarming that the House Finance biennium. Committee budget is below that of the Governor. According to the budget before you, gains in funding classroom-related direct services for regular instruction and special education are to instead fund repair and maintenance of facilities. I have reservations about appropriating an additional \$5-million for repair and maintenance, replacing funding for programs that would benefit students at the school and classroom levels. I would be more supportive whereby we fund all educational programs aside from the additional \$5-million for repair and maintenance. We cannot expect to get a tire which costs \$75 by paying only \$50. Nor can we expect to travel very far or very fast on such a 'bargain.'

"As noted on page 7 of House Standing Committee Report 904, a number of positive things have been done for education and again, I thank the Finance Committee.

- 1. **School/Community Based Management.** Funds for the implementation of this program are designated for schools which have completed the proposal formulation process.
- 2. **Vice Principals and Registrars.** Three vice principal positions and ten registrar positions to elementary and intermediate schools with large student enrollments.
- 3. **School Counselors.** Twelve counselors for elementary schools with large student enrollment, adding counseling support in the areas of personal, social, academic and career development.

- 4. Teacher Training, Certification and Recruitment. Continuation of on-the-job training for regular teachers interested in Special Education, the certification of non-certified teacher candidates, and the out-of-state recruitment of teachers in shortage categories, with an emphasis on retaining teachers in Hawaii.
- 5. Repair and Maintenance. An additional \$5-million for school maintenance to address deficiencies at those schools that did not pass the statewide School Inspection Program. These schools are Farrington High School, Baldwin High School and Kihei Elementary School. I support the repair and maintenance very much so
- 6. **Hawaiian Language Immersion Program.** An additional grade level in each of the five immersion schools, and adding another school site to the program.
- 7. **Education Facilities.** \$180-million for classroom facilities through the Educational facilities Special Fund to meet the growing need for classroom space.

"As you may recall, colleagues, this is \$90-million per year that we allocated through legislation last year.

"In addition to addressing the many concerns raised in public hearings, concerns of a more immediate nature are the reductions in areas that directly impact on students. Adjustments to the Department of Education foundation programs have been reduced by \$7.8-million over the biennium. Among the items that we need to reconsider to establish a firm educational program foundation are:

- 1. **Regular Instruction.** Classroom teacher positions that are needed to meet a growing student population.
- 2. Requested funds for **Vocational Education** improvement were reduced by \$600,000. This is the program that brings the relationship closer between academic programs in the schools to that of the hands-on approach reality.
- 3. Program adjustment funding for the **Farrington Health Academy**, to expose our youngsters to the many career opportunities in the growing field of health care was reduced by \$300,000.
- 4. In the area of Special Education, the teacher positions to adequately meet staffing standards (45 teachers and educational assistants) for enrollment increases was reduced by \$1.3-million.
- 5. Support Staff Positions, including 3 vice principals, 3 registrars, 18 library assistants and 3 counselors (totaling \$1.2-million) were funded. However, there remains a need for 3 more vice principals, 10 registrars and 6 library assistants.
- The funds for Student Travel and Awards that enable students to participate in national and statewide programs and competitions.
- 7. The **Financial Management System** which would computerize the many administrative tasks that are now done manually.
- 8. Parent Networking Centers which play an integral part in School/Community Based Management, bringing people together to provide quality education.
- "At this rate, I regret that we will not attain the desired levels for student achievement as desired through the Education Committee's public hearing.

"Education is and should remain a top priority!

"We should allocate funds for improvement to education. We need to raise the State's rankings. We are 35th in spending per student, 45th in the class size ratio of students per teacher, and 47th in per capita direct school expenditures.

"As members of the House of Representatives, I know that we will make the difference in improving our public school system.

"In summary, to the public -- parents, students, educators, the business community and the community-at-large:

- 1. 'All is not lost.' The legislative session does not end until the end of April, 1991.
- 2. Education is a top priority. Let us make it a top priority as we have for the past four years.
- 3. We must support full funding of Hawaii's educational programs by supporting both the primary and secondary tiers of the two-tier budget proposal.
- 4. We must continue to support spending the dollars for education now at a lower cost for educational programs, as compared to the higher economic and social costs in the future.

"I ask that you support quality educational programs -- a wise investment in the future of Hawaii's youth.

"Hawaii's children deserve it!

"Thank you."

Representative Tom then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, it has indeed been an honor and a privilege for me to serve as Human Services Chairman during this legislative session and I want to personally thank you, Mr. Speaker, for giving me the opportunity to contribute in a very small way towards this legislative process, and for me to learn about the numerous problems and issues concerning the delivery of services to human beings and the State of Hawaii. Before I make specific reference to the human service and corrections areas, please allow me, Mr. Speaker, to make a few well-deserving acknowledgements.

"To Representative Chun, thank you for serving as my vice chair. Your caring, quiet and firm approach in resolving problems has added that very special touch of empathy and understanding for people who need our help and support.

"To the Human Services Committee members, we really did have a lot of fun this year, didn't we, so far at our hearings? The credit goes to each of you who contributed much time, energy and thought towards improving the quality of life of human beings in the State.

"To Chairman Souki and Vice Chair Say of the House Finance Committee, thank you for throwing me in the water and making me swim during our budgetary discussions so that I could have a better understanding of purchases of service, grants-in-aid, requests for proposals, and all that fancy lingo dealing with money. Thank you, Chairman Souki.

"Finally, to my committee clerk, Lianne Soong, you know, being committee clerk to a legislator is a task in

itself. Being a committee clerk to a legislator who is blind is even more difficult than words can ever describe. Lianne, thanks for getting all my stuff and braille, and thank you for being my right hand at my hearings.

"For you staff members out there, thank you for making Lianne look so good.

"For me, it was very difficult to equitably divide our portion of the entire pie into little pieces because there just didn't seem to be enough to go around. Times of plenty was replaced this year with times of need, and that reality is a rude awakening for me. You know, at times I had to cut programs -- many worthwhile programs -- which wanted to expand services to help more people. This year, the emphasis was to provide sufficient funds to maintain the status quo and not to expand programs without sacrificing quality and innovation.

"Maybe it was good that I was unable to see the helpless and feelings of disappointment and sadness in so many peoples' faces but, believe me, I could hear those feelings in their voices and it did hurt inside.

"Notwithstanding our State's current fiscal restraint during the recent war and recession, the human services budget does reflect many of our Committee's prioritized goals and objectives that we set out to accomplish. Supportable programs which strengthen families -- the very foundation of our society and which will ensure the well-being of our children and youth, including over \$90,300,000 for purchases of services for child welfare, day care and foster care services, and case management. We have continued to support efforts to encourage innovative ways to utilize resources to protect children who are victims of abuse and neglect. Hawaii will be at the forefront with a case management pilot funded at over a million dollars.

"You know, providing families with the training and sources needed so they can break the barriers of dependency, gain self respect, become productive members of our community and provide for their families is a challenge we cannot afford to ignore.

"Resources have been provided so that the jobs program can phase in and expand statewide. The \$15,371,000 which we have appropriated will remove our families from the hopeless cycle of welfare dependency. Homeless families are in dire need of immediate assistance and as part of our strategy to address the problems of the homeless families, we have provided funds for homeless emergency assistance and stipends totalling \$8,948,720.

"Early intervention -- an identification of illness, disabilities and other childhood problems -- would save the State many dollars in future costs for treatment. Six million plus dollars has been added to EPSET Program, a true prevention major breakthrough project. We must continue to support our many hardworking parents through the expansion of childcare services, in the preschool open doors project, totalling \$8,675,860. Enabling the State's literacy project to continue must be top priority for us. You know, literacy begins in the home, and inner generational family literacy programs and parents and their children are vital and that is why we have appropriated over \$650,000 through this effort.

"Respect and care for our elderly is part of the tradition which the families in Hawaii always care. We have added funds to purchases of service for community based long-term care which equal over two million dollars.

"In the area of corrections, many people consider our correctional facilities as places to lock inmates up so that

they can be punished and kept away from the general public. While these are necessary functions of our correctional system, they cannot be the only ones. We need to be recognized as a modern and humane community where almost every inmate committed to our facility will be released some day, and we must ensure that these inmates will be better equipped to face the demands of society outside.

"I believe that the primary focus of the Department of Public Safety, as reflected in this budget, promises to transform the direction of Hawaii corrections from one of incarceration to one of true public protection. The budget will enable the Department of Public Safety to implement desperately needed treatment programs for substance abusers and sex offenders. Almost all of the inmates in the system have used drugs and more than half are using drugs when they commit these crimes. Furthermore, there are more than 300 sex offenders in our facilities. Without treatment, substance abusers and sex offenders will, in all probability, return to the community to commit more crimes. By appropriating \$782,000, DPS will be able to establish a therapeutic and other necessary programs needed to break the cycle of crime caused by drugs, alcohol and sex offenders.

"Appropriating \$738,000+ to enhance health care service will be available in all facilities in our State. Over the past several years, DPS has made remarkable strides in health care at OCCC and the women's facility. They are now close to compliance with the consent decree at the facilities. With this appropriation, DPS will be able to improve services and meet professional standards through its system, thereby preventing future litigation based on health care and other facilities.

"You know, this budget contains much needed appropriations of \$2,700,000 to expand and improve on the Department's staff training. This is really important. This program is vital to the future success of the Public Safety Department. With a comprehensive training program, DPS will be able to create a skilled work force, a skilled work force of professionals and address issues such as low moral and high turnover which too often detract from the real business of the Department.

"And finally, to enable DPS to protect the public, to provide for the safety of staff and inmates, and deliver necessary supervision of inmate programs by furnishing sufficient coverage for adult correction officers, the budget appropriates \$857,893 towards this end.

"Mr. Speaker and members, the budgetary appropriations for human services and corrections is not a perfect one. Of course, these and other programs could use more money. But under times of need, in an effort to streamline, to cut out duplication and fragmentation, and to encourage integration and consolidation, I believe that every single dollar that has been appropriated will be well spent.

"Again, thank you, Mr. Speaker, and thank you, members."

Representative D. Ige then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"It's with a tremendous amount of pride that I'm able to present and participate this year in the budget discussions. Certainly, in a tight fiscal year, it makes things a lot more interesting but I think it's a budget for the University system that we can all be proud of.

"Your Committee focused, first and foremost, on supporting the basic core infrastructure of the University system. We have gone through and diligently reviewed

and restored to each and every campus in the system critical positions and its nuts and bolts positions -- clerks, librarians, those kinds of positions that make the University function -- that were deleted by the Administration.

"We've also restored and funded those critical positions and appropriations that were important for accreditation purposes for the civil engineering, mechanical engineering and journalism programs so that we can ensure that we deliver quality education services to our residents.

"Beyond that, we have fundings to meet critical State needs to develop the nurses, the teachers, and the social workers that are so much in demand in many, many sectors of our society today. And we have also provided, in recognition of the non-traditional student becoming more the norm than the exception, childcare facilities and programs at many, many of our institutions throughout the State.

"In a tight budget year, Mr. Speaker, it forces us and requires us to take some actions and make choices, and your Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance had pursued a course of selected excellence, and we funded several critical programs that we felt should proceed forward in spite of fiscal constraints.

"We have moved to make the international program and international studies at the University so that the University-Manoa and the University of Hawaii can become a premier international school in the nation.

"We are moving forward on ocean and earth sciences. The University of Hawaii is one of only four institutions in this country that is a land, sea and space grant college, and we felt that we ought to be pursuing these areas.

"We made investments in technologies, supporting the electrical engineering program so that we can move forward in areas such as fiber optics and critical chip designs.

"We are funding the Space Grant College and moving forward in our space initiative with the expansion of the Institute for Astronomy. We are also creating and expanding our networking capability to create Hawaii as the premier center of the communications data and scientific research network that spans most of the Pacific, Asian, as well as the fifty states. And these provide critical infrastructure that will allow us to pursue and develop our technology-based industries.

"We have also made a commitment to technology transfer in allowing the resources of the University to make businesses and business entities in the community more efficient, effective and competitive. We've made investments to the Office of Technology Transfer for technical assistance to agriculture as well as high technology businesses throughout the State.

"We've also expanded the College Extension Programs through the College of Tropical Agriculture so we can support our agricultural-based businesses and allow them to become more effective and productive.

"Mr. Speaker, we've also focused in meeting student needs and supported funding for academic advising, recognizing that getting the student to the campus is only the first step. You know, we need to spend more efforts in keeping them there and helping them succeed.

"We've also addressed the equal employment opportunity/affirmative action problems, as well as sexual harassment in this budget.

"We've also made a commitment to graduate student recruitment and retention and made a commitment and recognized that studies is only a part of it and that we ought to be supporting our businesses as well as our students more by funding cooperative extension and cooperative education programs.

"And, Mr. Speaker, in the capital improvements section, I think it is real important for the House to go on record that it's beyond time that we start renovation and a renaissance at the Windward Community College campus. And with your support and the support of all the Windward Representatives and the Chairman of Finance, I'm happy to announce that this budget does include and does start on the revitalization of the Windward Community College campus.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Arakaki then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to stand in strong support of House Bill 139, HD 1.

"Mr. Speaker and fellow members, how many times have we heard the phrase -- putting your money where your mouth is and that talk is cheap.

"Very often, we in our role as politician and statesman, participate in the exercise of rhetoric and rhetorical posturing, knowing full well that when all is said and done, it is the allocation of resources that ultimately separates rhetoric from commitment.

"Mr. Speaker, if we were to apply that phrase, putting your money where your mouth is, then indeed, this budget document speaks well of the Democratic agenda. The budget speaks loudly and clearly, not only for our continuing commitment to providing for the basic needs of our people, but to provide assistance to those who depend on us for their care -- those who are very young, the frail, elderly, and the disabled.

"What I am most pleased about, Mr. Speaker and Chairman Souki, is that despite the recent economic downturn, we have avoided the temptation of using the economy as an excuse not to face the most pressing problems. Instead, we have chosen to face head on the challenges of a long neglected mental health system, our decaying school facilities, and an archaic correctional system. In reality, we are now paying the price for ten to fifteen years of neglect which started when institutionalization did not provide the adequate safety nets and many have fallen through the cracks.

"We are paying the price for Reaganomic policies which failed to provide housing for the poor and the disabled, many who now make up our homeless population, and we are now paying the price for not properly maintaining our older school facilities.

"Mr. Speaker, perhaps we can finally put to rest the problems with our shameful State Hospital, despite the fact that we now have a lawsuit pending before us, but perhaps the budget can address some of those concerns. And with some of our legislative initiatives to address some of the lack of services for adolescent and children mental health services, perhaps we can start to address these needs.

"You know, Mr. Speaker, what I have come to realize, in my short tenure as a legislator, is that when we produce a budget document, it is not just for a year or biennium that we plan for. And many of the issues that we face are not of our doing but actually the undoing of previous legislatures and administrations. Very often, our

budget represents an investment and a foundation for the future, perhaps ten to twenty years from now. And how often do we hear the lament -- we should have done this ten years ago, or we should have done that twenty years ago? How many times do we find instances where policy makers have been pennywise and pound foolish?

"It is imperative, therefore, that we look to the future to make those wise investments. And our House budget looks into the future and commits additional resources as investments such as early childhood education to the open doors program as we continue to pursue universal early childhood education for Hawaii's four-year olds. And we may not reap the benefits of those investments for another ten to twenty years, but we must be willing to pay the price in order to open the doors of opportunity for our children today.

"For people like us, Mr. Speaker, who so strongly believe that Hawaii's children and families should be a priority on all that we deliberate in this honorable body, there can never be enough to provide in their behalf. And I echo what Chairman Tom said about the many worthwhile organizations that come before us to state their needs, and I believe even though he can't see these people, he really does feel for them and he has empathy for them, and he has responded very appropriately.

"But as part of your Democratic leadership, Mr. Speaker, given the current prospectives and our economic restraints, I really feel that it is a lean but responsive budget. And above all and, most importantly, it is a responsible budget.

"At this time, I want to thank Chairman Souki and his Finance Committee and also his staff and commend them for their diligent efforts in behalf of the House.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Alcon then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, despite the fact that there are a lot of shortcomings of this budget, I feel that this budget is sound and well-thought out.

"Mr. Speaker, in the past, we have had bigger slices that we can go back to our constituents and say, 'I got it for you.' But at this time, we have a smaller pie to divide among ourselves and because of that, it is about time that all of us will sit down and sharpen our scissors so that we can trim our pet projects to the bare minimum.

"In the past, Mr. Speaker, we have had pork barrel allotment. This time, we have pork cut. We have none to take care of some incidental happenings in our area, but then we have to realize the fact that even without the pork barrel, we have gone over the expected revenue that has been given to us. In fact, I think the Council of Revenues, Mr. Speaker, has also predicted another \$30-million deficit.

"As a freshman member of the Finance Committee, Mr. Speaker, I knew where the money was coming from and I also knew where it was going. The Finance Committee has put one dollar in a lot of bills to keep it alive with the hope that we will be able to recoup some of the lost incomes that we had. Hopefully, Mr. Speaker, now that the war is over, that we will be able to find some more money someplace else. But the budget, Mr. Speaker, is very sound and in accordance with good financial planning and responsible accounting.

"Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and H.B. No. 139, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Peters being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 139 had passed Third Reading at 12:22 o'clock p.m.

At 12:23 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:24 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 168) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 158) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

H.R. No. 168, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE COURAGEOUS SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF HAWAII WHO RETURNED FROM THE MIDDLE EAST AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PARTICIPATING IN OPERATION DESERT STORM," was jointly offered by Representatives Kihano, Alcon, Amaral, Apo, Arakaki, Bainum, Baker, Bellinger, Bunda, Chang, Chun, Duldulao, Honda, D. Ige, M. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Peters, Santiago, Say, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine, Taniguchi, Ward and Young.

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, H.R. No. 168 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 158, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE COURAGEOUS SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF HAWAII WHO RETURNED FROM THE MIDDLE EAST AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PARTICIPATING IN OPERATION DESERT STORM," was jointly offered by Representatives Kihano, Alcon, Amaral, Apo, Arakaki, Bainum, Baker, Bellinger, Bunda, Chang, Chun, Duldulao, Honda, D. Ige, M. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Peters, Santiago, Say, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine, Taniguchi, Ward and Young.

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, H.C.R. No. 158 was adopted.

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 148 to 167) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 139 to 157 were referred to the Committee on Legislative Management and further action was deferred:

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- Baker, Chang, Chun, Fukunaga, Hiraki, Morihara, Shon, Tajiri, Takamine and Young.
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- H.R. No. 153, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXAMINE ITS ATHLETICS PROGRAM TO BROADEN THE PARTICIPATION TO INCLUDE MORE STUDENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Oshiro, Morihara, Arakaki, Bainum, Thielen, Chang, Chun, Hagino, Hiraki, Hirono, Honda, D. Ige, M. Ige, Ihara, Metcalf, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier and Tam.
- H.R. No. 154, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN ABORIGINAL LAND AND TITLE RIGHTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, Apo, Kanoho, Amaral, Anderson, Kawakami, Peters and Baker.
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- H.R. No. 157, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO STUDY OVER-THE-COUNTER METHODS OF BIRTH CONTROL," was offered by Representative Ward.
- H.R. No. 158, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER MEASURES TO ENFORCE PAYMENT OF RESTITUTION FOR LOST OR DAMAGED TEXTBOOKS," was offered by Representative Okamura.
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- H.R. No. 164, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PROGRAM TO PERMIT THE LATERAL TRANSFER OF TEACHERS TO OTHER STATE JOBS," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Alcon, Anderson, Baker, Chang, Chun, Duldulao, Hagino, Hirono, Ihara, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Tajiri, Ward and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 165, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A NEW STADIUM ON THE OLD HONOLULU STADIUM SITE," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Alcon, Bainum, Baker, Chang, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Santiago and Tajiri.
- H.R. No. 166, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE LEGISLATURE TO RECOGNIZE CASH ASSISTANCE OR CASH REIMBURSEMENT FOR FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES AS A BENEFIT TO FAMILIES AND NOT CONSIDERED TAXABLE INCOME," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Chun and Tom.
- H.R. No. 167, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING TO REVIEW THE FOURTEEN STATE FUNCTIONAL PLANS TO DETERMINE WHETHER CERTAIN FUNCTIONAL PLANS SHOULD BE ABOLISHED OR CONSOLIDATED AND WHETHER OTHER NEW FUNCTIONAL PLANS SHOULD BE CREATED, IN ORDER TO MEET THE STATE'S CHANGING NEEDS AND CONDITIONS," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Alcon, Amaral, Anderson, Arakaki, Bainum, Chang, Hagino, Hashimoto, Hirono, Kanoho, Lee, Metcalf, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Taniguchi, Tom and Ward.

- H.C.R. No. 139, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SELECTION OF A SITE AND AN ASSESSMENT OF THE COST TO CONSTRUCT A SKATEBOARD RINK IN THE NORTH SHORE AREA OF OAHU," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Baker, Chang, Chun, Fukunaga, Hiraki, Morihara, Shon, Tajiri, Takamine and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 140, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO GIVE PRIORITY CONSIDERATION TO THE PURCHASE OF MAKALEHA BEACH AT MOKULEIA, OAHU, FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PUBLIC BEACH PARK," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Hagino, Baker, Chang, Chun, Fukunaga, Hiraki, Morihara, Shon, Tajiri, Takamine and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 141, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE HAWAIIAN HISTORICAL AVIATION FOUNDATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Baker, Chang, Chun, Fukunaga, Hagino, Hiraki, Morihara, Tajiri, Takamine and Young.
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ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Amaral: "The Judiciary Committee will be meeting today in Room 410 at 2:00 o'clock."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:25 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Friday, March 15, 1991.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

Friday, March 15, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Reverend Msgr. William Spain, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hashimoto, Okamura and Yonamine, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-First Day was approved.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Tam introduced a group of fifth grade students from Maemae Elementary School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Miss Nakamura and Mrs. Suetsugu.

Representative Takamine, on behalf of the Big Island delegation, introduced students who are the district winners from the Big Island and will be competing in the statewide Math Counts competition, as follows: Roy Geronimo, Irene Jose, May Hampton, Christie Sunada, Cammy Kodama and Melanie Curitz, all from Kalanianaole School, along with their teacher/coaches, Richard and Satsuki Enoki; and Ed Nakamura from Hilo Intermediate School, and his coach, Vivian Hiramoto.

Representative Cachola asked one of the students from Maemae Elementary School, Naomi Baria, his Goddaughter, to stand to be recognized.

Representative Bellinger introduced a group of students (grades 9 through 12) from Pensacola Learning Center. They were accompanied by their teachers, Darrell Matsui, Dean Sueoka, June Ibara, Line Lautaha and Dayna Kaneshiro.

Representative Bellinger, on behalf of Representative Santiago and himself, then introduced a group of eighth grade students from Kahuku High School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Linda Smith, Telefoni Aumua, Pauline Sawai, Pauline Meheula and Annette Spinaio.

Representative Arakaki, prior to introducing his guests, stated:

"Mr. Speaker and colleagues, I am sure we're all fully aware of the rich history and heritage that the immigrants and refugees have provided for our great country, and I think we are also aware that many of them came to America, saw the Statue of Liberty and they came to pursue the American dream and they saw America as a land of opportunity. I think they have proven themselves very ably and in fact, there are a couple of members here in this House who are immigrants and who are accomplished legislators.

"We have here today people who have come from different parts of the world, mainly from the South Pacific and from Asia, who are also pursuing that American dream and many have accomplished the dream of becoming American citizens and some are, right now, preparing for that day when they can become American citizens. And while we don't have a Statue of Liberty, for many of these people, the State of Hawaii does represent their first entry into America and their symbol of freedom and opportunity.

"I would like to recognize those who helped them and to help them prepare to become good American citizens, and these are the agencies that serve our State for the immigrant and refugee population."

Representative Arakaki then asked the following persons to stand to be recognized: Sengdao Rattanasamay, Director of the Catholic Immigrant Center, and his staff; Tin Myaing Thein, Ph.D., with the Kalihi-Palama Immigrant Services and her staff; Mr. Daniel Leung, Director of the Child and Family Services, and his staff; and Dominic Inoceldo, Director of the Susannah Wesley Community Center, and his staff. "Among his staff is Mr. and Mrs. Kesi who are the proud parents of Patrick Kesi, I think a future All-American."

Representative Arakaki continued, saying:

"These are the agencies that work with our immigrant and refugee population. At this point, I would like to ask all the naturalized citizens and soon-to-be naturalized citizens to stand to be recognized.

"We would like to welcome all of you and applaud your efforts to become American citizens.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Duldulao then rose and in the Filipino dialect extended her best wishes.

Representative Arakaki then rose and stated:

"I think we all know. . .the members all know who our immigrants are but maybe the audience doesn't know, and I would like to recognize them.

"First, we have Representative Romy Cachola, and Representative Julie Duldulao."

Representative Cachola then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I think we are missing one immigrant --Representative Mazie Hirono. But that's not what I want to say, Mr. Speaker. Let me just extend my warmest congratulations to the newly sworn-in citizens of the United States as well as prospective ones.

"I came to Hawaii in 1971 and became a naturalized citizen in 1976. At that time, it was very difficult and really a task for coming here to the states. You had to make a lot of adjustments, both economically, culturally and socially. I had a hard time speaking English at one point in time, and my advice to all of you is to work hard and maybe one day some of you will become a member of the House of Representatives here in the State of Hawaii.

"Thank you."

Representative Hirono then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, as you know, I arrived a little bit late so it only dawned on me now what we were doing, and I really congratulate all the people who are the newly sworn-in citizens and, yes, I am an immigrant also. It

goes to show that we come in all shapes, sizes and backgrounds.

"Thank you."

Representative Ward then rose and in the Vietnamese dialect extended best wishes to the immigrants.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following Senate Bills were disposed of as follows:

S.B.	Nos.	Referred to:

712 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

1247 Committee on Judiciary

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 113 to 128 and 131 to 147) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 105 to 138) were disposed of as follows:

H.R. Nos. Referred to:

- 113 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 114 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 115 Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Housing
- 116 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 117 Committee on Education
- 118 Committee on Education
- 119 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 120 Committee on Transportation
- 121 Committee on Judiciary
- 122 Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 123 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 124 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 125 Jointly to the Committees on Housing and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 126 Committee on Health
- 127 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 128 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 131 Jointly to the Committees on Education and Human Services

- 132 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Education
- 133 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 134 Committee on Education
- 135 Committee on Education
- 136 Committee on Education
- 137 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 138 Committee on Planning and Economic Development
- 139 Committee on Transportation
- 140 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation; Judiciary; and Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 141 Committee on Transportation
- 142 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Transportation, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 143 Committee on Transportation
- 144 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 145 Committee on Transportation
- 146 Committee on Transportation
- 147 Jointly to the Committees on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs and Higher Education and the Arts

H.C.R. Nos.

- 105 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 106 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 107 Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Housing
- 108 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 109 Committee on Education
- 110 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 111 Committee on Transportation
- 112 Committee on Judiciary
- 113 Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 114 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 115 Committee on Health

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COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs and

The following Senate Bills were re-referred as follows:

Committee on Transportation

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S.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

Higher Education and the Arts

Jointly

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- Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 154 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- Committee on Energy and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Finance
- Jointly to the Committees on Health and Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- Commmittee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 741 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1126 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 1223 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- Committee on Judiciary 1247
- 1305 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- Jointly to the Committees on Ocean and Marine Resources and Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1312 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- Jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1338 Jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1370 Committee on Health
- 1378 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Commerce and Intergovernmental Protection and Relations and International Affairs
- 1714 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1719 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1757 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 1901 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- Jointly the Committees to Transportation and Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1965 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

2086 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2114 Jointly to the Committees on Tourism and Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 388) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 359) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 388, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ALLIED COMMANDER GENERAL H. NORMAN SCHWARZKOPF FOR HIS VICTORY OVER IRAQ IN THE PERSIAN GULF," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward, Thielen, Alcon, Anderson, Cachola, Chang, Fukunaga, Hashimoto, Honda, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Say, Tam, Taniguchi and Tom.

On motion by Representative Ward, seconded by Representative Thielen and carried, H.R. No. 388 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 359, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ALLIED COMMANDER GENERAL H. NORMAN SCHWARZKOPF FOR HIS VICTORY OVER IRAQ IN THE PERSIAN GULF," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward, Thielen, Alcon, Anderson, Cachola, Chang, Fukunaga, Hashimoto, Honda, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Say, Tam, Taniguchi and Tom.

On motion by Representative Ward, seconded by Representative Thielen and carried, H.C.R. No. 359 was adopted.

Representative Ward rose and stated:

"Very briefly, that this resolution being self evident and the victory and our leadership, and on a personal level, being a Vietnam veteran and the greeting to the Vietnamese people, it makes it especially important that as those who are up there and the young people who will join the military, and those of us who are in it, and those of us who had a perspective, I think this is a symbolic turning point of that reputation of that organization for now and for the future of this country.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Lee then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would just like to add a few words about General Schwarzkopf, and I would like to refer the members and audience to an excellent article written by Ellen Goodman in the Honolulu Advertiser. She describes him as a very different type of soldier -- not only a soldier, but a very sensitive human being. You should read this article because it gives the insight, not only into the United States military, but also to our society because the people in the military do represent our society, and these people are really the harbingers of our future, that we, today, are vastly different from what we were 25 or 50 years ago. And General Schwarzkopf epitomizes what we all like to see in ourselves and in our children.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 169 to 387) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 159 to 358) were referred to the Committee on Legislative Management and further action was deferred:

- H.R. No. 169, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO IMPLEMENT A UNIFIED SYSTEM OF FOSTER PARENT RECRUITING AND TRAINING," was jointly offered by Representatives Chun, Arakaki, Hagino, Isbell, Tatibouet and Tom.
- H.R. No. 170, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE PROLIFERATION OF UNLICENSED CONTRACTORS AND ITS EFFECT ON CONSUMER CONFIDENCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Chun, Bellinger, Chang, Hashimoto, Hirono, Kawakami, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Souki, Tajiri, Takamine and Tam.
- H.R. No. 171, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM TO FACILITATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF HAWAII AS A CENTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND COMMERCIAL SERVICES," was offered by Representative Apo.
- H.R. No. 172, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING REVISIONS FOR ALL POSITION DESCRIPTIONS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 173, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL STATE AGENCIES TO DEVELOP PLANS TO ACHIEVE THE STATE'S EDUCATION GOALS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 174, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE NEED FOR AN EMERGENCY SHELTER OR CARE HOME FOR THE MEDICALLY NEEDY ELDERLY WHO CANNOT RETURN TO THEIR HOMES," was offered by Representative M. Ige.
- H.R. No. 175, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EVALUATION OF THE EFFECTS OF EXEMPTING CERTAIN MILITARY PERSONNEL FROM THE HAWAII STATE INCOME TAX," was offered by Representative M. Ige.
- H.R. No. 176, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO ANALYZE AND REPORT ON THE BENEFITS AND RAMIFICATIONS OF ESTABLISHING A STATE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT," was offered by Representative M. Ige.
- H.R. No. 177, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVENOR TO REPORT ON THE STATUS OF ANY FEDERAL ACTION TO BEGIN THE CLOSURE OF THE KANEOHE MARINE CORPS AIR STATION," was offered by Representative M. Ige.
- H.R. No. 178, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE MERGER OF THE CHILD ABUSE AND CHILD PROTECTION LAWS INTO ONE COMPREHENSIVE LAW," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao and Tom.
- H.R. No. 179, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE TERMINATION OF THE EXISTING LEASE OF STATE-OWNED LAND LOCATED AT PUUNENE WITH ALEXANDER AND BALDWIN, INC., TO FACILITATE THE

- ESTABLISHMENT OF A PERMANENT SITE FOR THE MAUI COUNTY FAIR," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Honda, Baker and Morihara.
- H.R. No. 180, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO IDENTIFY RESOURCE NEEDS THAT COULD BE PROVIDED BY THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 181, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE YEAR-ROUND SCHOOL CONCEPT," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon and Young.
- H.R. No. 182, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROGRAMS THAT MAINSTREAM STUDENTS AND PROGRAMS THAT PULL OUT STUDENTS FROM REGULAR CLASSES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 183, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EVALUATE SOLUTIONS TO THE NEED FOR PARKING AT SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 184, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF THE NEED FOR INCREASED SECURITY AT HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY FACILITIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 185, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EVALUATION OF THE FEASIBILITY OF USING GENERAL AIDES IN SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 186, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A SLIDING FEE SCHEDULE FOR A+PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 187, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF LUMP-SUM FUNDING FOR SCBM SCHOOLS BASED ON PER STUDENT ALLOCATIONS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 188, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY SCHOOL DISTRICT ADVISORY COUNCILS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam by request, Chun, O'Kieffe, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 189, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE ISSUE OF GOVERNANCE IN EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 190, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF

- THE HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF LUMP-SUM FUNDING FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 191, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF THE HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 192, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REEXAMINE ITS POLICY REGARDING CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 193, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO IMPROVE THE PRODUCTIVITY AND EFFICIENCY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 194, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS/BISHOP ESTATE TO ESTABLISH A "FUTURES FOR CHILDREN" PROGRAM FOR HAWAIIAN CHILDREN AND YOUTH," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Hagino and Apo.
- H.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO INVESTIGATE, STUDY, AND SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS TO CONTROL HEALTH INSURANCE COST INFLATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Amaral, Anderson, Arakaki, Baker, Bellinger, Cachola, Chun, Duldulao, Hashimoto, Hiraki, Hirono, Morihara, Okamura, Say, Shon, Takamine and Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 196, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO REVIEW THE STATE TAX SYSTEM BY ASSESSING THE FISCAL RAMIFICATIONS OF UTILIZING TAX EXPENDITURES IN LIEU OF DIRECT APPROPRIATIONS ON HAWAII'S ECONOMY," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Souki, Say, Fukunaga, Kihano, Taniguchi and Apo.
- H.R. No. 197, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE A SUITABLE REPLACEMENT VESSEL FOR THE KAILUA HIGH SCHOOL BOATING PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Souki and Say.
- H.R. No. 198, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PREPARE A MASTER PLAN FOR INTERGENERATIONAL RESIDENTIAL-BASED HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL HERITAGE PROGRAMS," was offered by Representative Chun.
- H.R. No. 199, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPLEMENTING A STATEWIDE TAX CREDIT TO

- PERSONS WHO PROVIDE IN-HOME CARE TO ELDERLY INDIVIDUALS," was jointly offered by Representatives Chun, Tom, Arakaki, Bainum, Duldulao, Ihara, Isbell, Kawakami, Santiago, Shon and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 200, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REEVALUATE THE CERTIFICATION EXAMINATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELORS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE EXAMINATION IS CULTURALLY APPROPRIATE FOR THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Apo.
- H.R. No. 201, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PROHIBITION OF FORMAL PUBLIC HEARINGS DURING RECESS PERIODS DURING THE LEGISLATIVE SESSION TO PERMIT LEGISLATORS TO BE MORE ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Hashimoto, Stegmaier, Takamine and Ward.
- H.R. No. 202, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS TO RESTRICT THE USE OF THE FORMER MARKS' ESTATE TO CONFORM WITH ITS ORIGINAL SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ZONING," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Bainum, Baker, Bunda, Cachola, Hagino, Hirono, Honda, Morihara, Shon, Tajiri and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 203, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONSIDER RELOCATING ITS SAND ISLAND COAST GUARD FACILITIES," was offered by Representative Cachola.
- H.R. No. 204, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO TAKE LEGAL ACTION TO QUIET TITLE TO DISPUTED ROADS THROUGHOUT THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola and Baker.
- H.R. No. 205, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE COUNTIES TO TAKE ACTION TO RESOLVE THE STATE-COUNTY ROAD JURISDICTION QUESTION," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola and Baker.
- H.R. No. 206, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY TO PROVIDE MATCHING FUNDS FROM THE NEAR-SHORE WATERS INITIATIVE, AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM FOR AN ASSESSMENT OF THE CONDITION OF HAWAII'S CORAL REEFS," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Arakaki, Chun, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kihano, Metcalf, Santiago, Tajiri, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.R. No. 207, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INVESTIGATIVE STUDY OF ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Arakaki, Chun, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kihano, Metcalf, Santiago, Tajiri, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.R. No. 208, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE KUMON MATH PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Arakaki, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino,

- D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kihano, Metcalf, Thielen, Ward, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.R. No. 209, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF ADOPTION PRACTICES WITHIN THE FAMILY COURTS OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Alcon, Apo, Baker, Bunda, Hagino, Hashimoto, Hiraki, Hirono, Honda, Ihara, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Oshiro, Peters, Santiago, Shon, Souki, Tajiri, Takamine and Tom.
- H.R. No. 210, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE COMMEMORATION OF GROVER CLEVELAND, AN AMERICAN PRESIDENT WHO STOOD FOR JUSTICE FOR THE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Anderson, Apo, Kanoho, Kawakami and Peters.
- H.R. No. 211, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE GOVERNOR AND LEGISLATURE HONOR AND REAFFIRM THEIR COMMITMENT TO THE PRINCIPLES IN THE BILL OF RIGHTS AS PART OF THE BI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE RATIFICATION OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Baker, Hagino, Hiraki, Hirono, Oshiro, Shon and Tom.
- H.R. No. 212, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO VIGOROUSLY ENFORCE COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS RELATING TO HIV/HBV OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE OF HEALTH CARE WORKERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Baker and Shon.
- H.R. No. 213, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL CENTER IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 214, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS TO DEVELOP A MASTER PLAN TO ESTABLISH HAWAII AS THE "GENEVA OF THE PACIFIC."," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 215, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION TO ESTABLISH THE UNITED STATES-PACIFIC NATIONS JOINT COMMERCIAL COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 216, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE MEMBERS OF THE HAWAII CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUPPORT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNITED STATES-PACIFIC NATIONS JOINT COMMERCIAL COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell,

- Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 217, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING PRESIDENT BUSH AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE TO DESIGNATE HAWAII AS THE VENUE FOR HIGH-LEVEL DIPLOMATIC SUMMITS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Tajiri and Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 218, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON TUITION WAIVERS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIANS TO ATTEND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Hagino, Kanoho, Amaral, Kawakami, Peters, Apo, Fukunaga, Honda, Ihara, Lee, O'Kieffe, Okamura and Tom.
- H.R. No. 219, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF HONORING THE VARSITY VICTORY VOLUNTEERS WITH A COMMEMORATIVE MARKER ON THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CAMPUS," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Bellinger, Fukunaga, Hagino, Honda, Horita, Ihara, Lee, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Taniguchi, Tatibouet and Tom.
- H.R. No. 220, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPROVING THE BUDGETARY PROCESS," was offered by Representative Anderson.
- H.R. No. 221, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE ALA MOANA BOWLS AREA REMAIN ACCESSIBLE TO HAWAII RESIDENTS FOR CONTINUED RECREATIONAL USE," was offered by Representative Fukunaga.
- H.R. No. 222, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT LEGISLATIVE STUDIES BE PERFORMED BY DEPARTMENTAL PERSONNEL RATHER THAN PRIVATE CONSULTANTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Anderson, Cachola, Morihara and O'Kieffe.
- H.R. No. 223, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR OF THE COURTS TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES TO FACILITATE THE RELEASE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION FROM THE DISTRICT COURTS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Anderson, Bainum, Cachola, Chun, O'Kieffe and Shon.
- H.R. No. 224, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO PHASE OUT THE USE OF GOVERNMENT-OWNED PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES TO PERFORM STATE BUSINESS BY ENCOURAGING STATE EMPLOYEES TO USE THEIR PERSONAL VEHICLES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Cachola, Chun, O'Kieffe and Shon.
- H.R. No. 225, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT LEGISLATIVE STUDIES BE PERFORMED BY PRIVATE CONSULTANTS ONLY IN LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES," was jointly offered by

- Representatives Tam, Amaral, Anderson, Cachola, Chun, Morihara, O'Kieffe and Thielen.
- H.R. No. 226, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EVALUATION OF THE IMPACT OF NONRESIDENT ALIEN RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS ON VALUES OF RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Anderson, Bainum, Cachola, Chun, O'Kieffe and Shon.
- H.R. No. 227, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO ENSURE THAT CURRICULA ON OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE TO HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) AND HEPATITIS B (HBV) INCLUDING PREVENTION AND EDUCATION BE TAUGHT TO ALL STUDENTS IN THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND IN THE ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES PROGRAMS," was offered by Representative Ige, D..
- H.R. No. 228, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES TO GRANT EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE TO RETURNING VETERANS FROM THE PERSIAN GULF." was offered by Representative Kihano.
- H.R. No. 229, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON TRANSFERRING THE TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS BUREAU FROM THE JUDICIARY TO THE VARIOUS COUNTIES AND IMPLEMENTING A MUNICIPAL COURT SYSTEM," was offered by Representative Kihano.
- H.R. No. 230, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON STREAM MAINTENANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Taniguchi, Hagino, Alcon, Chun, Hiraki, Horita and Say.
- H.R. No. 231, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE WINDWARD DISTRICT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE ASPIRE PROGRAM AT KALAHEO HIGH SCHOOL," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen and Tam.
- H.R. No. 232, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TRANSFER TO THE COUNTIES ALL UNUSED STATE-OWNED URBAN LAND FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Thielen, Apo, Arakaki, Marumoto, Metcalf and Takamine.
- H.R. No. 233, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE REAL ESTATE RESEARCH AND EDUCATION CENTER TO CONDUCT AN INVENTORY OF ALL NONRESIDENT ALIEN OWNERSHIP OF RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY REAL PROPERTY," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bainum and Morihara.
- H.R. No. 234, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE THE STUDY OF THE INTERNMENT OF JAPANESE AMERICANS AND OTHER ETHNIC MINORITIES DURING WORLD WAR II IN THE STUDY OF THE CONSTITUTION AND THE BILL OF RIGHTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Santiago, Stegmaier and Young.
- H.R. No. 235, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVISION AND UPDATING OF EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANT'S JOB DESCRIPTION,"

- was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Santiago, Stegmaier and Young.
- H.R. No. 236, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EVALUATION OF PROCESSES AND PROCEDURES EMPLOYED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES IN UNDERTAKING REPAIR, MAINTENANCE, AND ALTERATION PROJECTS RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 237, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE A STATUS REPORT ON THE PLAN TO RESTRUCTURE THE STATE AND DISTRICT OFFICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 238, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO COMPLETE ITS REVIEW OF THE CURRICULUM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 239, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE BOARD OF EDUCATION DEVELOP A TIMETABLE AND PLANS FOR IMPLEMENTING ALL EDUCATION PROGRAMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 240, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO UPDATE ITS COMPUTER AND RELATED EQUIPMENT ACQUISITION PLAN," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 241, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO STUDY THE TEACHER SHORTAGE IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bunda, Chun, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.R. No. 242, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF HAWAII TO REVIEW TWO SPECIFIED MAINLAND CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM MODELS FOR APPLICABILITY TO HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Bainum and Shon.
- H.R. No. 243, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE WAIKIKI CONVENTION CENTER AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE THE COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SINGLE-USE CONVENTION CENTER FACILITY," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 244, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO EXAMINE THE IMPACT OF PRECLUDING FUTURE RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION IN THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT AS A PERMITTED USE," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen, Bunda, Hagino, Hiraki, D. Ige, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Stegmaier, Yoshimura and Young.

- H.R. No. 245, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE USE OF COMPUTERIZED ARCHIVING OF THE PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTIONS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Peters, Fukunaga and Ihara.
- H.R. No. 246, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S SUPPORT OF NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND COMPUTING NETWORK INITIATIVES FOR HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Ihara, Fukunaga, Hashimoto and Horita.
- H.R. No. 247, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE FEASIBILITY OF LOCALLY DEVELOPED CURRICULUM MATERIALS ON ASIA AND THE PACIFIC," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Young, Ihara and Hashimoto.
- H.R. No. 248, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REAFFIRMING THE INTENT OF ACT 307, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1986, ESTABLISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH'S BILINGUAL HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAM AND REQUESTING A REPORT ON ITS IMPLEMENTATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Yoshimura, Duldulao and Alcon.
- H.R. No. 249, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO AMEND ORDINANCES TO PERMIT THE PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON UNPAVED SIDEWALKS IN URBAN NEIGHBORHOODS OF OAHU," was jointly offered by Representatives Yoshimura, Arakaki, Hiraki, Alcon, Apo, Bellinger, Bunda, Cachola, Chang, Hashimoto, Hirono, Honda, Horita, Isbell, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Metcalf, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Oshiro, Peters, Santiago, Shon, Souki, Taniguchi and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 250, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO RE-FOCUS AND RE-EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF THE VISITOR AND DEFENSE INDUSTRIES AS AVENUES FOR CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AND TO MAKE ALOHA FRIDAY A SPECIAL DAY," was offered by Representative Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 251, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF THE STATE PROVIDING ASSISTANCE TO NON-PROFIT AGENCIES IN ORGANIZING INTO RISK RETENTION PURCHASING GROUPS TO OBTAIN REDUCED PREMIUM RATES FOR LIABILITY INSURANCE," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 252, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DESIGNATION OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH AS THE LEAD AGENCY FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 253, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A ONE-STOP SERVICE CENTER TO HELP NEEDY INDIVIDUALS FIND AND RECEIVE EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND HUMAN SERVICE," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 254, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF

- CONSOLIDATING THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS' AND THE JUDICIARY'S FOSTER CARE PROGRAMS FOR TROUBLED YOUTH UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 255, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO REVIEW ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF STATE FUNDS (POS/GIA) TO PROVIDERS AND RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE, HOUSING ASSISTANCE, AND HUMAN SERVICES," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 256, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE WAILUKU MAIN STREET ASSOCIATION FOR ITS OUTSTANDING AND EXEMPLARY COMMUNITY EFFORTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Honda, Baker, Morihara, O'Kieffe and Souki.
- H.R. No. 257, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE HAWAII FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING STATE REGULATORY CONTROLS TO INCLUDE THE LABELING OF ALL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS GROWN OR MADE IN HAWAII," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.R. No. 258, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTIES TO PROVIDE TAX RELIEF FOR AGROFORESTRY AND REFORESTATION," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.R. No. 259, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES TO ASSESS THE NEED TO ESTABLISH ADDITIONAL EXTENSION AGENTS AT THE KONA CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.R. No. 260, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING DEPARTMENT THE REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO DEVELOP FOR THE STATE ANIMAL QUARANTINE STATION A PLAN TO PHASE IN OVER THREE YEARS THE SIMULTANEOUS REDUCTION OF THE STAFF TO ANIMAL RATIO TO NOT MORE THAN ONE TO THIRTY, EXTENSION OF VISITATION HOURS TO BETTER ACCOMMODATE PET OWNERS, AND INSTALLATION OF NEEDED IMPROVMENTS," CAPITAL was offered Representative Honda.
- H.R. No. 261, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO RE-EVALUATE THEIR PROPERTY TAX STRUCTURE TO ESTABLISH A FOREST TAX CLASSIFICATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Morihara, Bunda, Chang, Fukunaga, Lee, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Tom, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.R. No. 262, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE COORDINATING COUNCIL ON SEX OFFENDER TREATMENT," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 263, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY REGARDING A PROGRAM FOR JOB SHARING TEACHERS NEAR RETIREMENT IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives

- Isbell, Amaral, Chun, Kawakami, Santiago, Shon and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 264, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO IDENTIFY THE INFORMATION AND DATA COLLECTION EFFORTS NECESSARY TO EVALUATE HAWAII'S CIVIL JUSTICE SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Kanoho, Alcon, Apo, Baker, Bellinger, Bunda, Chang, Duldulao, Honda, Ige, M., Ihara, Morihara, Peters, Tajiri and Young.
- H.R. No. 265, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INSTALL AN IMPROVED PHONE SYSTEM AT KAHUKU HIGH SCHOOL," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Santiago, Alcon and Lee.
- H.R. No. 266, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH CENTER TO PREPARE A PROPOSAL FOR MONITORING NONPOINT SOURCE POLLUTION WITHIN THE KAIAKA-WAIALUA HYDROLOGIC UNIT," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Hiraki, Arakaki, Bunda, Fukunaga, Hagino, Ihara, Lee, Morihara, Say, Stegmaier, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.R. No. 267, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW ALL SPECIFICATIONS AND DIRECTIVES REGARDING THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND ALTERATION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES TO ACHIEVE ACCESSIBILITY FOR PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN, IN ORDER TO ENSURE THAT MODIFICATIONS TO THE SAME DO NOT CAUSE ADDITIONAL PROBLEMS FOR PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN OR CREATE SAFETY HAZARDS FOR OTHER CHILDREN AND TEACHERS," was offered by Representative Duldulao.
- H.R. No. 268, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A COMPREHENSIVE PHILIPPINE STUDIES PROGRAM AT LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE," was offered by Representative Duldulao.
- H.R. No. 269, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REQUIRE THE DEVELOPER OF THE PROPOSED CONVENTION CENTER AT THE ALOHA MOTORS SITE TO ABIDE BY THE EXISTING BUILDING HEIGHT RESTRICTION FOR THE AREA," was jointly offered by Representatives Bainum, Hirono and Hagino.
- H.R. No. 270, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH OF THE HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF ISSUES RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION, DISPERSAL, AND DEVELOPMENT OF RESIDENTIAL CARE HOME FACILITIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao and Shon.
- H.R. No. 271, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT CONCERNING THE WAIVING OF TUITION FOR AMERICAN SAMOAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLAND TERRITORIAL STUDENTS WHO ATTEND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Bainum, Amaral, Arakaki, Bellinger, Fukunaga, Hashimoto, Honda, Isbell, Lee, Okamura, Santiago, Tam, Tatibouet and Young.

- H.R. No. 272, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TO INCREASE EFFORTS TO MAXIMIZE FEDERAL PARTICIPATION IN THE PROVISION OF EXPANDED SERVICES THROUGH THE MEDICAID PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 273, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A COMMITTEE TO DEVELOP POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS-INFECTED OR HEPATITUS B-INFECTED HEALTH CARE WORKERS," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 274, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CONSTRUCT THE WAIKIKI SEGMENT OF THE HONOLULU RAPID TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PROJECT UNDERGROUND," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 275, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT EXISTING FUNDS BE EARMARKED FOR STATE MEDICAID AND RELATING PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Shon, Duldulao, Tom, Chun, Kawakami, Amaral and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 276, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ANALYZE THE BENEFITS AND RAMIFICATIONS OF INSTITUTING A RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Amaral, Kawakami, Chun, Duldulao, Bainum, Isbell, Anderson, Marumoto, O'Kieffe and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 277, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A STATE ENERGY COMMISSION," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 278, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STUDY ON ROADSIDE SPRAYING TO ASSESS THE EFFECTS OF ROADSIDE SPRAYING OF HUMAN HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT, AND TO CONTROLLING ROADSIDE PLANT GROWTH," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 279, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT ALL STATE AND COUNTY PUBLIC HEARING ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PUBLIC NOTICES THAT INVOLVE THE RIGHTS OF THE COUNTY RESIDENTS BE PUBLISHED IN ALL ISLAND NEWSPAPERS," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 280, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE SUPPORT OF THE DUAL BANKING SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.R. No. 281, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO ENACT REASONABLE PROPOSALS ON FINANCIAL REFORM WHICH DO NOT ABROGATE STATES' RIGHTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.

- H.R. No. 282, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY AND RAMIFICATIONS OF ESTABLISHING STATE REGULATORY CONTROLS FOR FINANCIAL EXCHANGE INTERMEDIARIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.R. No. 283, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF STATE REGULATORY PRACTICES ON INDUSTRIAL/ORGANIZATIONAL PSYCHOLOGISTS," was offered by Representative Hirono.
- H.R. No. 284, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ENSURE THAT CLEAN CLASSROOMS ARE AVAILABLE TO TEACHERS AND CHILDREN IN ALL SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Chun, Fukunaga, Hagino, Ihara and Santiago.
- H.R. No. 285, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVERSION OF TEMPORARY GENERAL-FUND POSITIONS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PERMANENT STATUS," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Chun, Fukunaga, Hagino, Ihara and Santiago.
- H.R. No. 286, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO AN INTERNATIONAL TRAILS AND ACCESS CONFERENCE IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Hagino, Chun, Fukunaga, Ihara and Santiago.
- H.R. No. 287, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS THAT EMPLOY SOCIAL WORKERS, THE JUDICIARY, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING A SEPARATE CASE WORKERMANAGER SERIES AND A SEPARATE SOCIAL WORKER SERIES AS IT APPLIES TO THEIR RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Arakaki, Bainum, Cachola, Chun, Hiraki, Hirono, Kawakami and Metcalf.
- H.R. No. 288, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A MASTER PLAN FOR ELECTRONIC LIBRARY INFORMATION SERVICES," was jointly offered by Representatives Ige, D. and Fukunaga.
- H.R. No. 289, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF MEDICAL DOCTORS ON NATIONAL DOCTORS' DAY," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 290, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE TAHITIAN LANAI BE PRESERVED AND BE KEPT OPEN AS ONE OF THE LAST BASTIONS OF THE WAIKIKI OF YESTERYEAR," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 291, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGES THE GOVERNOR AND THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO WAIVE THE LOYALTY OATH REQUIREMENT FOR ALL TEMPORARY PROFESSORS," was offered by Representative O'Kieffe.
- H.R. No. 292, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PROTECT AND SUPPORT HAWAII'S GARMENT MANUFACTURING, WHOLESALING, AND

- RETAILING INDUSTRIES," was jointly offered by Representatives O'Kieffe, Kihano, Tom, Apo, Ward, Marumoto, Tatibouet, Bainum, Hirono, Arakaki, Anderson, Alcon and Amaral.
- H.R. No. 293, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF APPLYING BLADELESS TURBINE TECHNOLOGY TO GEOTHERMAL WELLS WITHIN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Chang.
- H.R. No. 294, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, IN COORDINATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, TO TAKE MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN THE LAWS RELATING TO PUPIL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Yoshimura, Okamura and Say.
- H.R. No. 295, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE CAPITOL RENOVATION AND ASBESTOS REMOVAL PROJECT BE EXPEDITED," was offered by Representative Ward.
- H.R. No. 296, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PRESERVE THE AINA HAINA COCONUT TREES AND TO REPLANT THE TREES WHEN THE KALANIANAOLE HIGHWAY PROJECT IS COMPLETED," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward and Marumoto.
- H.R. No. 297, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO IMPROVE THE FLOW OF WATER UNDER THE WAILUPE STREAM BRIDGE," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward and Marumoto
- H.R. No. 298, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR'S HOMELESS CONCERNS ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO IDENTIFY WAYS OF STREAMLINING PROCEDURES OF THE STATE'S SOCIAL SERVICES PROGRAMS TO EASE ACCESS TO THESE PROGRAMS FOR THE HOMELESS," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.R. No. 299, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF HAWAII TO FULLY SUPPORT THE USE OF REGULAR, FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES THROUGHOUT THE PUBLIC UTILITY SECTOR," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 300, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INVESTIGATION ON THE BENEFITS, STRUCTURE, AND APPLICATION OF A FEDERAL MARKET ORDER FOR HAWAII MACADAMIA NUTS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 301, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON PROVIDING EMERGENCY AND SHORT-TERM HIRES WITH HEALTH INSURANCE THROUGH THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 302, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE WAIKIKI CONVENTION CENTER AUTHORITY TO EXPLORE MEANS OF REDUCING THE DENSITY OF THE WAIKIKI CONVENTION CENTER FACILITY SET FORTH IN

- THE WAIKIKI INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION PLAZA PROPOSAL," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola, Bainum, Lee and Okamura.
- H.R. No. 303, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING DEVELOPMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE REGIONAL PLAN FOR THE HANA DISTRICT, COUNTY OF MAUI," was offered by Representative Baker.
- H.R. No. 304, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO URGE THE PACIFIC ASIA TRAVEL ASSOCIATION TO RELOCATE ITS HEADQUARTERS TO HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola, Bainum, Lee and Okamura.
- H.R. No. 305, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF INSTITUTING A STATEWIDE COMPREHENSIVE GROUND WATER MONITORING PROGRAM AND A WATER TESTING SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Shon and Hagino.
- H.R. No. 306, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FACTORS THAT MAY HAVE A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HAWAII'S TOURIST INDUSTRY," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Cachola.
- H.R. No. 307, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE ORIGINAL SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND WHEN ANY VARIATION IN COMPENSATION SHALL TAKE EFFECT," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Anderson.
- H.R. No. 308, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF BASING LOW-INCOME HOUSING RENT ON NET INCOME RATHER THAN ON GROSS INCOME," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Tom.
- H.R. No. 309, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S SCHOOL VENDING MACHINE PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Tom.
- H.R. No. 310, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF STATE TAXES TO DEVELOP A MEANS BY WHICH THE TAX STRUCTURE CAN BE STRENGTHENED AND STABILIZED TO MEET FUTURE CHALLENGES," was offered by Representative Say.
- H.R. No. 311, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE'S FIRST RESPONDER PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS TO COORDINATE THEIR FUNDING REQUESTS FOR DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE CURRICULA AND TRAINING," was offered by Representative Say.
- H.R. No. 312, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO IDENTIFY LANDS WHICH MAY QUALIFY FOR RECLASSIFICATION FROM AGRICULTURAL TO COMMERCIAL LAND USE," was

- jointly offered by Representatives Say, Anderson, Hagino, Kanoho, Kawakami, Santiago and Apo.
- H.R. No. 313, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF FUTURE USES OF WASHINGTON PLACE," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 314, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO APPROVE THE PECA-HEW CURRICULUM FOR THEIR ELECTRICIAN WIREPERSON APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 315, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE PRACTICES AND DECISIONS OF THE HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 316, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR THE PRIVATE OPERATION OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH LARGE ENROLLMENTS OF HAWAIIAN STUDENTS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 317, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENTS OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND AGRICULTURE TO FORMULATE PLANS TO CONSTRUCT A LIVESTOCK TRANSFER FACILITY ON OAHU," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 318, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING DEVELOPMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE REGIONAL PLAN FOR THE HANA DISTRICT, COUNTY OF MAUI," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 319, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PILOT TEST A CAMPUS SECURITY PROGRAM USING UNIFORMED SECURITY GUARDS FROM LICENSED GUARD AGENCIES," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 320, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR CHILDREN'S RIGHTS TO REVIEW THE CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES USED IN HAWAII TO AWARD CHILD CUSTODY AND ACCESS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE RIGHTS OF CHILDREN ARE ADEQUATELY CONSIDERED AND PROVIDED FOR BY LAW," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 321, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT CERTAIN LANDS AT KEAHUOLU, NORTH KONA, HAWAII, BE SET ASIDE FOR A REGIONAL SPORTS-RECREATIONAL COMPLEX," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 322, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE ABOLITION OF WAR AS A SOLUTION TO GLOBAL PROBLEMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino and Hirono.
- H.R. No. 323, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND ACCEPTING THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION PLAN TO ADDRESS CONTROVERSIES UNDER THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST AND THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," was offered by Representative Hagino.

- H.R. No. 324, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REJECTING THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION PLAN TO ADDRESS CONTROVERSIES UNDER THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST AND THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," was offered by Representative Hagino.
- H.R. No. 325, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND AMENDING THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION PLAN TO ADDRESS CONTROVERSIES UNDER THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST AND THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," was offered by Representative Hagino.
- H.R. No. 326, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE ACQUISITION OF THE HONOLULU, OLD FEDERAL BUILDING AS THE FUTURE SITE OF THE HAWAII HISTORICAL MUSEUM," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, D. Ige, Okamura, Oshiro, Arakaki, Takamine, Fukunaga and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 327, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO AMEND ITS RULES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, Young and Thielen.
- H.R. No. 328, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REESTABLISH THE COMMISSION ON POPULATION STABILIZATION AND EXPLORE WAYS TO SLOW THE GROWTH RATE OF THE STATE'S POPULATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Hagino, Young, Arakaki, Hiraki, Hirono, O'Kieffe, Santiago and Thielen.
- H.R. No. 329, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A COMPREHENSIVE FIREARMS SAFETY PROGRAM IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Chun and Duldulao.
- H.R. No. 330, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING SUPPORT OF THE HAWAII CANCER PAIN INITIATIVE," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Arakaki, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 331, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO EXPAND THE IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS, AND TO INCREASE MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT OF IMMUNIZATION, NEEDED FOR ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Arakaki, Bainum, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 332, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE THE POSSIBLE RESTRUCTUREMENT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEM IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral and Bainum.
- H.R. No. 333, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH TO EXAMINE THE POSSIBLE RESTRUCTUREMENT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEM IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral and Bainum.
- H.R. No. 334, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF HAWAII TO OPPOSE THE USE OF CONTRACT WORKERS IN PUBLIC UTILITIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.

- H.R. No. 335, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL 28, 1991 "WORKERS MEMORIAL DAY" IN HAWAII AND REQUESTING IMPROVED WORKSITE SAFETY AND HEALTH REGULATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 336, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE PASSAGE OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1991," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Metcalf.
- H.R. No. 337, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INITIATION OF AN ACTION PLAN TO DEVELOP FARM LOTS IN NORTH KOHALA," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 338, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT TO REVIEW THE OUTLOOK FOR JOBS AND EMPLOYMENT IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.R. No. 339, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE U.S. NAVY'S RESEARCH ON SUPERCRITICAL WATER OXIDATION AS A MEANS TO DESTROY CHEMICAL WARFARE AGENTS, PROPELLANTS, AND OTHER HAZARDOUS OR TOXIC MATERIALS," was offered by Representative Ihara.
- H.R. No. 340, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.R. No. 341, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A LEGISLATIVE INTERIM TASK FORCE TO ASSESS THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING REGULATORY CONTROLS TO PROTECT AND PRESERVE CULTURAL LANDSCAPES," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo and Young.
- H.R. No. 342, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, AND THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING TO JOINTLY FORMULATE A STATE POLICY MODEL RELATING TO PUBLIC AND PRIVATE RESEARCH IN THE FIELD OF BIOTECHNOLOGY, INCLUDING HUMAN GENETIC ENGINEERING AND GENETICALLY ENGINEERED ORGANISMS," was offered by Representative Apo.
- H.R. No. 343, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO CONSIDER RENOVATION OF THE CAPITOL BUILDING STAIRWELLS TO PROVIDE FOR HISTORIC TIME LINES AND FRESCOES," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo and Young.
- H.R. No. 344, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE INHERENT RIGHT OF THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE TO SELF-DETERMINED GOVERNANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Amaral, Anderson and Peters.
- H.R. No. 345, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EVALUATE THE COSTS AND BENEFITS OF ESTABLISHING A SELF-SUFFICIENCY TRUST

- FUND," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Chang, Arakaki, Duldulao, Peters and Alcon.
- H.R. No. 346, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE RESALE OF LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES CONVERTED UNDER THE HAWAII LAND REFORM ACT," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Peters, Arakaki and Amaral.
- H.R. No. 347, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO CONDUCT A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION/SITE ASSESSMENT AND A REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY STUDY TO FACILITATE THE CLOSURE OF THE KEALAKEHE LANDFILL," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Bainum, Hiraki, Amaral, Duldulao, Peters, Tom, Chun and Arakaki.
- H.R. No. 348, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF A HOUSING DOWNPAYMENT BOND PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Bainum, Amaral, Tom, Chun, Arakaki, Duldulao and Peters.
- H.R. No. 349, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO RE-EXAMINE THE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS FOR USE OF CONSERVATION LANDS," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.R. No. 350, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CREATION OF A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF SEPARATING HEARING OFFICERS FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE STATE AGENCIES AND ORGANIZING THEM INTO A CENTRAL PANEL," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 351, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REJECTING THE FEDERAL MANDATE THAT REQUIRES STATES TO REVOKE THE DRIVER'S LICENSES OF DRUG OFFENDERS OR SUFFER THE LOSS OF FEDERAL FUNDS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 352, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE NORTH KOHALA COMMUNITY, HAWAII," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 353, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING DEVELOPMENT OF A MASTER PLAN FOR A HAWAIIAN CULTURAL CENTER AT LAPAKAHI STATE HISTORICAL PARK," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 354, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING ESTABLISHMENT OF A JOINT EXECUTIVE/LEGISLATIVE/COUNTY COMMITTEE TO RECOMMEND PLANS AND ACTIONS FOR THE COMMUNITIES IN TRANSITION ON THE HAMAKUA COAST," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 355, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING ESTABLISHMENT OF A BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND REPORT ON PUBLIC EDUCATION FUNDING IN HAWAII," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 356, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT CERTAIN STATE LANDS OF WEST HAWAII, ISLAND OF HAWAII BE

- DESIGNATED FOR INDUSTRIAL PARKS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 357, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF CONVERTING HILO COAST PROCESSING COMPANY AND HAMAKUA SUGAR COMPANY INTO BURNABLE WASTE RECYCLING AREAS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.R. No. 358, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO IDENTIFY OCEAN SITES THROUGHOUT THE STATE THAT CAN BE DEVELOPED INTO UNDERWATER PARKS," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Baker, Bunda, Chang, Honda, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Tom, Ward, Yonamine and Young.
- H.R. No. 359, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY THE NATURE OF A POTENT MARINE TOXIN FOUND IN ALGAE INHABITING THE LAGOON OF THE HYATT REGENCY WAIKOLOA HOTEL IN KONA, HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Baker, Bunda, Chang, Honda, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Tom, Ward, Yonamine and Young.
- H.R. No. 360, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO REPORT ON THE STATUS AND MAINTENANCE OF THE HONOLULU GATEWAY BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT," was offered by Representative Oshiro.
- H.R. No. 361, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO TEMPORARY MOTOR VEHICLE PLATES," was offered by Representative Oshiro.
- H.R. No. 362, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO RENT CONTROL," was offered by Representative Oshiro by request.
- H.R. No. 363, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO ASSESS THE FEASIBILITY OF COMPUTER-PRINTED VEHICLE REGISTRATION WINDSHIELD DECALS," was offered by Representative Oshiro.
- H.R. No. 364, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO REVIEW ACT 339/90 AS SPECIFIED IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 205," was offered by Representative Ihara.
- H.R. No. 365, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS IMPLEMENTED IN OTHER STATES TO COLLECT DELINQUENT CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.R. No. 366, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF THE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OF APPROVED OR ACCREDITED REAL ESTATE COURSES," was offered by Representative Peters.
- H.R. No. 367, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE REVERSION OF CONDEMNED PROPERTY WHEN IT IS TAKEN OUT OF PUBLIC USE FOR WHICH IT WAS CONDEMNED," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Peters, Amaral, Anderson, Tam, Tom, Kawakami, Lee, Say and Yoshimura.

- H.R. No. 368, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO PROPOSE LEGISLATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE REVERSION OF CONDEMNED PROPERTY WHEN IT IS TAKEN OUT OF PUBLIC USE FOR WHICH IT WAS CONDEMNED," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Peters, Amaral, Anderson, Tam, Tom, Kawakami, Lee, Say and Yoshimura.
- H.R. No. 369, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONLULU TO DELETE THE ELEVATED WAIKIKI BRANCH LINE FROM THE PROPOSED ALIGNMENT OF THE HONOLULU RAPID TRANSIT PROJECT," was offered by Representative Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 370, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ALLEVIATION OF HEAVY MORNING TRAFFIC ON WAIKUI AND WAIELI STREETS AND THE SURROUNDING RESIDENTIAL AREA IN WAIALAE," was offered by Representative Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 371, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF A WEEKDAY CAPITOL VISITORS SHUTTLE FROM THE BLAISDELL PARKING COMPLEX TO THE TEMPORARY STATE CAPITOL DURING REGULAR AND SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE LEGISLATURE," was offered by Representative Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 372, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING STATE SUPPORT FOR A STATUE HONORING THE MEN OF THE 100TH BATALLION AND 442ND INFANTRY REGIMENT," was offered by Representative Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 373, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF SCHOOLS ACCEPTED INTO SCHOOL/COMMUNITY-BASED MANAGEMENT (SCBM)," was offered by Representative Tatibouet.
- H.R. No. 374, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT REQUIRING A BALANCED FEDERAL BUDGET, OR TO CALL A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO PROPOSE SUCH A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT," was offered by Representative Stegmaier.
- H.R. No. 375, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO FURTHER REDUCE TRAFFIC CONGESTION FROM KALANIANAOLE HIGHWAY TO DOWNTOWN HONOLULU," was offered by Representative Stegmaier.
- H.R. No. 376, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES RELATING TO THE USE OF INDEPENDENT MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS IN WORKERS' COMPENSATION DISPUTES," was offered by Representative Isbell.
- H.R. No. 377, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY TO REEVALUATE ITS RENT SUPPLEMENT PROGRAM AND ITS SECTION 8 REQUIREMENTS," was offered by Representative Isbell.
- H.R. No. 378, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE

- HAWAII MACADAMIA NUT ASSOCIATION, TO REVIEW RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MACADAMIA NUT INDUSTRY TO DETERMINE WHETHER A DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY BY THE GOVERNOR IS WARRANTED," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Takamine, O'Kieffe and Chang.
- H.R. No. 379, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE PRIORITY FUND," was offered by Representative Marumoto.
- H.R. No. 380, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SECURE FEDERAL FUNDING FOR AINA HAINA VALLEY FLOOD CONTROL," was offered by Representative Marumoto.
- H.R. No. 381, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO VALUE FORESTED PROPERTY LOCATED IN AGRICULTURAL ZONED AREAS TO BE TREATED THE SAME AS PASTURE LAND," was offered by Representative Marumoto.
- H.R. No. 382, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CABLE TELEVISION INDUSTRY TO REFRAIN FROM RAISING SUBSCRIPTION RATES AS A MEANS OF COMPENSATING FOR ADDITIONAL FRANCHISE FEES IMPLEMENTED TO SUPPORT HAWAII PUBLIC TELEVISION," was offered by Representative Hirono.
- H.R. No. 383, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO PREPARE A SURVEY OF OCCURRENCES OF CONDOMINIUM BOARDS OF DIRECTORS' NON-COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 514A OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono, Morihara, Amaral, Oshiro, Thielen and Ward.
- H.R. No. 384, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII INSURER'S COUNCIL TO PROVIDE CONSUMER INFORMATION RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono, Morihara, Amaral, Oshiro, Thielen and Ward.
- H.R. No. 385, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF STATE REGULATION OVER CONDOMINIUM MANAGING AGENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.R. No. 386, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT CORPORATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.R. No. 387, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO MAKE A DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER THE TRANSFERABILITY RIGHTS UNDER THE STATE FRANCHISE INVESTMENT LAW APPLY TO GASOLINE DEALERS," was offered by Representative Metcalf
- H.C.R. No. 159, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN AUDIT TO ASCERTAIN HOW PUBLIC EDUCATION DOLLARS ARE BEING SPENT," was jointly offered by Representatives Kawakami, D. Ige, Tam, Isbell, Duldulao, Amaral, Okamura, Fukunaga, Lee, Arakaki,

- Taniguchi, Hashimoto, Ihara, Anderson, Apo, Bunda, Chun, Honda, Ige, M., O'Kieffe, Santiago, Say, Shon, Souki, Tajiri, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 160, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM TO FACILITATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF HAWAII AS A CENTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND COMMERCIAL SERVICES," was offered by Representative Apo.
- H.C.R. No. 161, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF HAWAII'S PROBATE LAWS WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF STREAMLINING THE PROBATE PROCESS," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao and Kawakami.
- H.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Bunda, Cachola, Hashimoto, Honda, Isbell, Say, Tajiri, Takamine, Tatibouet, Ward and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 163, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A PROGRAM AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICE'S REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Bainum, Bunda, Hashimoto, Takamine and Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 164, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF KEEHI INDUSTRIAL PARK," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola and Hagino.
- H.C.R. No. 165, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE MERGER OF THE CHILD ABUSE AND CHILD PROTECTION LAWS INTO ONE COMPREHENSIVE LAW," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 166, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE TERMINATION OF THE EXISTING LEASE OF STATE-OWNED LAND LOCATED AT PUUNENE WITH ALEXANDER AND BALDWIN, INC., TO FACILITATE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PERMANENT SITE FOR THE MAUI COUNTY FAIR," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Honda, Baker and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 167, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO INVESTIGATE, STUDY, AND SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS TO CONTROL HEALTH INSURANCE COST INFLATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Amaral, Anderson, Arakaki, Baker, Bellinger, Cachola, Chun, Duldulao, Hashimoto, Hiraki, Hirono, Morihara, Okamura, Say, Shon, Takamine and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 168, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO REVIEW THE STATE TAX SYSTEM BY ASSESSING THE FISCAL RAMIFICATIONS OF UTILIZING TAX EXPENDITURES IN LIEU OF DIRECT APPROPRIATIONS ON HAWAII'S ECONOMY," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Souki, Say, Fukunaga, Kihano, Taniguchi and Apo.

- H.C.R. No. 169, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE A SUITABLE REPLACEMENT VESSEL FOR THE KAILUA HIGH SCHOOL BOATING PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Souki and Say.
- H.C.R. No. 170, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PREPARE A MASTER PLAN FOR INTERGENERATIONAL RESIDENTIAL-BASED HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL HERITAGE PROGRAMS," was offered by Representative Chun.
- H.C.R. No. 171, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPLEMENTING A STATEWIDE TAX CREDIT TO PERSONS WHO PROVIDE IN-HOME CARE TO ELDERLY INDIVIDUALS," was jointly offered by Representatives Chun, Tom, Arakaki, Bainum, Duldulao, Ihara, Isbell, Kawakami, Santiago, Shon and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 172, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REEVALUATE THE CERTIFICATION EXAMINATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELORS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE EXAMINATION IS CULTURALLY APPROPRIATE FOR THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Apo.
- H.C.R. No. 173, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PROHIBITION OF FORMAL PUBLIC HEARINGS DURING RECESS PERIODS DURING THE LEGISLATIVE SESSION TO PERMIT LEGISLATORS TO BE MORE ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Hashimoto, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Takamine and Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 174, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS TO RESTRICT THE USE OF THE FORMER MARKS' ESTATE TO CONFORM WITH ITS ORIGINAL SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ZONING," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Bainum, Baker, Bunda, Cachola, Hagino, Hirono, Honda, Morihara, Shon, Tajiri and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 175, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONSIDER RELOCATING ITS SAND ISLAND COAST GUARD FACILITIES," was offered by Representative Cachola.
- H.C.R. No. 176, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO TAKE LEGAL ACTION TO QUIET TITLE TO DISPUTED ROADS THROUGHOUT THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola and Baker.
- H.C.R. No. 177, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE COUNTIES TO TAKE ACTION TO RESOLVE THE STATE-COUNTY ROAD JURISDICTION QUESTION," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola and Baker.
- H.C.R. No. 178, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY TO

- PROVIDE MATCHING FUNDS FROM THE NEAR-SHORE WATERS INITIATIVE, AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM FOR AN ASSESSMENT OF THE CONDITION OF HAWAII'S CORAL REEFS," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Arakaki, Chun, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kihano, Metcalf, Santiago, Tajiri, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 179, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INVESTIGATIVE STUDY OF ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Arakaki, Chun, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kihano, Metcalf, Santiago, Tajiri, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 180, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE KUMON MATH PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Arakaki, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kihano, Metcalf, Thielen, Ward, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 181, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF ADOPTION PRACTICES WITHIN THE FAMILY COURTS OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Alcon, Apo, Baker, Hagino, Hashimoto, Hiraki, Hirono, Honda, Horita, Ihara, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Oshiro, Peters, Santiago, Shon, Souki, Tajiri, Takamine and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 182, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE COMMEMORATION OF GROVER CLEVELAND, AN AMERICAN PRESIDENT WHO STOOD FOR JUSTICE FOR THE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Anderson, Apo, Kanoho, Kawakami and Peters.
- H.C.R. No. 183, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE GOVERNOR AND LEGISLATURE HONOR AND REAFFIRM THEIR COMMITMENT TO THE PRINCIPLES IN THE BILL OF RIGHTS AS PART OF THE BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE RATIFICATION OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Baker, Hagino, Hiraki, Hirono, Shon and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 184, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO VIGOROUSLY ENFORCE COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS RELATING TO HIV/HBV OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE OF HEALTH CARE WORKERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Baker and Shon.
- H.C.R. No. 185, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL CENTER IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 186, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF

- INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS TO DEVELOP A MASTER PLAN TO ESTABLISH HAWAII AS THE "GENEVA OF THE PACIFIC"," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 187, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION TO ESTABLISH THE UNITED STATES-PACIFIC NATIONS JOINT COMMERCIAL COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 188, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE MEMBERS OF THE HAWAII CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUPPORT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNITED STATES-PACIFIC NATIONS JOINT COMMERCIAL COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Tam and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 189, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING PRESIDENT BUSH AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE TO DESIGNATE HAWAII AS THE VENUE FOR HIGH-LEVEL DIPLOMATIC SUMMITS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashimoto, Ihara, Alcon, Baker, Bellinger, Chun, Duldulao, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Tajiri and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 190, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS/BISHOP ESTATE TO ESTABLISH A "FUTURES FOR CHILDREN" PROGRAM FOR HAWAIIAN CHILDREN AND YOUTH," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Hagino and Apo.
- H.C.R. No. 191, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DISPOSE OF CERTAIN GOVERNMENT WATER RIGHTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING HYDROELECTRIC POWER FACILITIES ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Tajiri, Chang, Isbell, Metcalf and Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 192, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON TUITION WAIVERS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIANS TO ATTEND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Kawakami, Peters, Apo, Hagino, Kanoho, Amaral, Fukunaga, Honda, Ihara, Lee, O'Kieffe, Okamura and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 193, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF HONORING THE VARSITY VICTORY VOLUNTEERS WITH A COMMEMORATIVE MARKER ON THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CAMPUS," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Bellinger, Fukunaga, Hagino, Honda, Horita, Ihara, Lee, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Taniguchi, Tatibouet and Tom.

- H.C.R. No. 194, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPROVING THE BUDGETARY PROCESS," was offered by Representative Anderson.
- H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO REVIEW THE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES UTILIZED BY EXECUTIVE AGENCIES TO AWARD NONBID CONSULTANT CONTRACTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Amaral, Cachola, Chang, Chun, Hagino, Hiraki, Honda, D. Ige, Kanoho, Marumoto, Morihara, Okamura, Tajiri, Thielen and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 196, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PROGRAM AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SHOULD ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM DIRECTLY," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Amaral, Anderson, Cachola, Chang, Chun, Hagino, Hiraki, Honda, D. Ige, Kanoho, Marumoto, Morihara, Okamura, Tajiri, Thielen and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 197, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE HAWAII PUBLIC BROADCASTING AUTHORITY," was offered by Representative Ige, D. by request.
- H.C.R. No. 198, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE ALA MOANA BOWLS AREA REMAIN ACCESSIBLE TO HAWAII RESIDENTS FOR CONTINUED RECREATIONAL USE," was offered by Representative Fukunaga.
- H.C.R. No. 199, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT LEGISLATIVE STUDIES BE PERFORMED BY DEPARTMENTAL PERSONNEL RATHER THAN PRIVATE CONSULTANTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Anderson, Cachola, Morihara and O'Kieffe.
- H.C.R. No. 200, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR OF THE COURTS TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES TO FACILITATE THE RELEASE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION FROM THE DISTRICT COURTS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Anderson, Bainum, Cachola, Chun, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Shon and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 201, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO PHASE OUT THE USE OF GOVERNMENT-OWNED PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES TO PERFORM STATE BUSINESS BY ENCOURAGING STATE EMPLOYEES TO USE THEIR PERSONAL VEHICLES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Cachola, Chun, O'Kieffe and Shon.
- H.C.R. No. 202, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT LEGISLATIVE STUDIES BE PERFORMED BY PRIVATE CONSULTANTS ONLY IN LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Amaral, Anderson, Cachola, Chun, Morihara, O'Kieffe and Thielen.

- H.C.R. No. 203, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EVALUATION OF THE IMPACT OF NONRESIDENT ALIEN RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS ON VALUES OF RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Anderson, Bainum, Cachola, Chun, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Shon, Thielen and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 204, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO ENSURE THAT CURRICULA ON OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE TO HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) AND HEPATITIS B (HBV) INCLUDING PREVENTION AND EDUCATION BE TAUGHT TO ALL STUDENTS IN THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND IN THE ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES PROGRAMS," was offered by Representative Ige, D..
- H.C.R. No. 205, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES TO GRANT EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE TO RETURNING VETERANS FROM THE PERSIAN GULF," was offered by Representative Kihano.
- H.C.R. No. 206, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON TRANSFERRING THE TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS BUREAU FROM THE JUDICIARY TO THE VARIOUS COUNTIES AND IMPLEMENTING A MUNICIPAL COURT SYSTEM," was offered by Representative Kihano.
- H.C.R. No. 207, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A STATE ARCHITECT OFFICE WITHIN THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Amaral, Bainum, Hiraki, Santiago, Tom and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 208, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON STREAM MAINTENANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Taniguchi, Hagino, Alcon, Chun, Hiraki, Horita and Say.
- H.C.R. No. 209, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO EVALUATE THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 210, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TRANSFER TO THE COUNTIES ALL UNUSED STATE-OWNED URBAN LAND FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Thielen, Apo, Arakaki, Marumoto and Metcalf.
- H.C.R. No. 211, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE REAL ESTATE RESEARCH AND EDUCATION CENTER TO CONDUCT AN INVENTORY OF ALL NONRESIDENT ALIEN OWNERSHIP OF RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY REAL PROPERTY," was jointly offered by Representatives Tam, Bainum and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 212, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES PLANNING

- COUNCIL TO DO A FEASIBILITY STUDY OF COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH AUTISM AND "AUTISTIC-LIKE BEHAVIORS"," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 213, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVISION AND UPDATING OF EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANT'S JOB DESCRIPTION," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 214, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE PRICING OF PERSONNEL CLERKS AND TECHNICIANS," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 215, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF RESTRUCTURING THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 216, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A MULTI-YEAR FUNDING PLAN FOR INSTRUCTIONAL EQUIPMENT," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 217, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE NEED FOR AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF CURRICULUM MATERIALS ON ASIA AND THE PACIFIC," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 218, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REQUIRE THE DEVELOPER OF THE PROPOSED CONVENTION CENTER AT THE ALOHA MOTORS SITE TO ABIDE BY THE EXISTING BUILDING HEIGHT RESTRICTION FOR THE AREA," was jointly offered by Representatives Bainum, Hagino and Hirono.
- H.C.R. No. 219, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE WAIKIKI CONVENTION CENTER AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE THE COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SINGLE-USE CONVENTION CENTER FACILITY," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 220, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO EXAMINE THE IMPACT OF PRECLUDING FUTURE RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION IN THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT AS A PERMITTED USE," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen, Bunda, Hagino, Hiraki, D. Ige, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Stegmaier, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 221, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE USE OF COMPUTERIZED ARCHIVING OF THE PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTIONS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Peters, Fukunaga and Ihara.
- H.C.R. No. 222, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S SUPPORT OF NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND COMPUTING NETWORK INITIATIVES FOR HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Ihara, Fukunaga, Hashimoto and Horita.

- H.C.R. No. 223, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE FEASIBILITY OF LOCALLY DEVELOPED CURRICULUM MATERIALS ON ASIA AND THE PACIFIC," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Young, Ihara and Hashimoto.
- H.C.R. No. 224, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REAFFIRMING THE INTENT OF ACT 307, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1986, ESTABLISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH'S BILINGUAL HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAM AND REQUESTING A REPORT ON ITS IMPLEMENTATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Yoshimura, Duldulao and Alcon.
- H.C.R. No. 225, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO AMEND ORDINANCES TO PERMIT THE PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON UNPAVED SIDEWALKS IN URBAN NEIGHBORHOODS OF OAHU," was jointly offered by Representatives Yoshimura, Arakaki, Hiraki, Alcon, Apo, Bellinger, Bunda, Cachola, Chang, Hashimoto, Hirono, Honda, Horita, Isbell, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Metcalf, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Oshiro, Peters, Santiago, Shon, Souki, Taniguchi and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 226, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF THE STATE PROVIDING ASSISTANCE TO NON-PROFIT AGENCIES IN ORGANIZING INTO RISK RETENTION PURCHASING GROUPS TO OBTAIN REDUCED PREMIUM RATES FOR LIABILITY INSURANCE," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 227, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DESIGNATION OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH AS THE LEAD AGENCY FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 228, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A ONE-STOP SERVICE CENTER TO HELP NEEDY INDIVIDUALS FIND AND RECEIVE EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND HUMAN SERVICE," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 229, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF CONSOLIDATING THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS' AND THE JUDICIARY'S FOSTER CARE PROGRAMS FOR TROUBLED YOUTH UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 230, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO REVIEW ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF STATE FUNDS (POS/GIA) TO PROVIDERS AND RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE, HOUSING ASSISTANCE, AND HUMAN SERVICES," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 231, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE WAILUKU MAIN STREET ASSOCIATION FOR ITS OUTSTANDING AND EXEMPLARY COMMUNITY EFFORTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Honda, Baker, Morihara, O'Kieffe and Souki.

- H.C.R. No. 232, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE HAWAII FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING STATE REGULATORY CONTROLS TO INCLUDE THE LABELING OF ALL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS GROWN OR MADE IN HAWAII," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.C.R. No. 233, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTIES TO PROVIDE TAX RELIEF FOR AGROFORESTRY AND REFORESTATION," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.C.R. No. 234, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES TO ASSESS THE NEED TO ESTABLISH ADDITIONAL EXTENSION AGENTS AT THE KONA CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.C.R. No. 235, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO DEVELOP FOR THE STATE ANIMAL QUARANTINE STATION A PLAN TO PHASE IN OVER THREE YEARS THE SIMULTANEOUS REDUCTION OF THE STAFF TO ANIMAL RATIO TO NOT MORE THAN ONE TO THIRTY, EXTENSION OF VISITATION HOURS TO BETTER ACCOMMODATE PET OWNERS, AND INSTALLATION OF NEEDED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS," was offered by Representative Honda.
- H.C.R. No. 236, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PLEDGING SUPPORT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF WIND ENERGY PROJECTS PRESENTLY UNDER DEVELOPMENT IN NAPILI, WEST MAUI, AND MOLOKAI," was jointly offered by Representatives Morihara, Baker, Alcon, Bellinger, Bunda, Chang, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hiraki, Honda, Ihara, Lee, Santiago, Say, Souki, Stegmaier, Thielen, Tom, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 237, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO REEVALUATE THEIR PROPERTY TAX STRUCTURE TO ESTABLISH A FOREST TAX CLASSIFICATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Morihara, Bunda, Fukunaga, Lee, Santiago, Say, Tom, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 238, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FACTUAL STUDY OF THE HAWAII STATE PILOTAGE SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Amaral, Bainum, Hiraki, Santiago, Tom and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 239, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY REGARDING A PROGRAM FOR JOB SHARING TEACHERS NEAR RETIREMENT IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Amaral, Chun, Kawakami, Santiago, Shon and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 240, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO IDENTIFY THE INFORMATION AND DATA COLLECTION EFFORTS NECESSARY TO EVALUATE HAWAII'S CIVIL JUSTICE SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Kanoho, Alcon, Apo, Baker, Bellinger,

- Bunda, Cachola, Chang, Duldulao, Honda, Ige, M., Ihara, Morihara, Peters, Say, Tajiri and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 241, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INSTALL AN IMPROVED PHONE SYSTEM AT KAHUKU HIGH SCHOOL," was jointly offered by Representatives Bellinger, Santiago, Alcon and Lee.
- H.C.R. No. 242, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH CENTER TO PREPARE A PROPOSAL FOR MONITORING NONPOINT SOURCE POLLUTION WITHIN THE KAIAKA-WAIALUA HYROLOGIC UNIT," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Hiraki, Arakaki, Bunda, Fukunaga, Hagino, Ihara, Lee, Morihara, Say, Stegmaier, Yoshimura and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 243, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW ALL SPECIFICATIONS AND DIRECTIVES REGARDING THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND ALTERATION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES TO ACHIEVE ACCESSIBILITY FOR PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN, IN ORDER TO INSURE THAT MODIFICATIONS TO THE SAME DO NOT CAUSE ADDITIONAL PROBLEMS FOR PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN OR CREATE SAFETY HAZARDS FOR OTHER CHILDREN AND TEACHERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Kawakami, Bunda and Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 244, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A COMPREHENSIVE PHILIPPINE STUDIES PROGRAM AT LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Kihano, Alcon, Bunda and Cachola.
- H.C.R. No. 245, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF HAWAII TO REVIEW TWO SPECIFIED MAINLAND CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM MODELS FOR APPLICABILITY TO HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Bainum and Shon.
- H.C.R. No. 246, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO PERFORM A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF ALL ADMINISTRATIVE RULES RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION, DISPERSAL, AND DEVELOPMENT OF RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao and Shon.
- H.C.R. No. 247, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT CONCERNING THE WAIVING OF TUITION FOR AMERICAN SAMOAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLAND TERRITORIAL STUDENTS WHO ATTEND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Bainum, Amaral, Arakaki, Bellinger, Fukunaga, Hashimoto, Honda, Isbell, Lee, Okamura, Santiago, Tam, Tatibouet and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 248, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FINANCIAL AND SOCIAL COSTS OF INCLUDING STATE EMERGENCY HIRES UNDER THE PUBLIC

- HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 249, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO EVALUATE THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROCESS OF THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY," was offered by Representative Bainum by request.
- H.C.R. No. 250, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CONSTRUCT THE WAIKIKI SEGMENT OF THE HONOLULU RAPID TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PROJECT UNDERGROUND," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 251, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT EXISTING FUNDS BE EARMARKED FOR STATE MEDICAID AND RELATED PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Shon, Duldulao, Tom, Chun, Kawakami, Amaral and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 252, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ANALYZE THE BENEFITS AND RAMIFICATIONS OF INSTITUTING A RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Amaral, Kawakami, Chun, Duldulao, Bainum, Isbell, Anderson, Marumoto, O'Kieffe and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 253, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A STATE ENERGY COMMISSION," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 254, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STUDY ON ROADSIDE SPRAYING TO ASSESS THE EFFECTS OF ROADSIDE SPRAYING OF HUMAN HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT, AND TO EVALUATE ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF CONTROLLING ROADSIDE PLANT GROWTH," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 255, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT ALL STATE AND COUNTY PUBLIC HEARING ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PUBLIC NOTICES THAT INVOLVE THE RIGHTS OF THE COUNTY RESIDENTS BE PUBLISHED IN ALL ISLAND NEWSPAPERS," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 256, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE SUPPORT OF THE DUAL BANKING SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 257, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO ENACT REASONABLE PROPOSALS ON FINANCIAL REFORM WHICH DO NOT ABROGATE STATES' RIGHTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 258, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY AND RAMIFICATIONS OF ESTABLISHING STATE REGULATORY CONTROLS FOR FINANCIAL EXCHANGE INTERMEDIARIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.

- H.C.R. No. 259, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF STATE REGULATORY PRACTICES ON INDUSTRIAL/ORGANIZATIONAL PSYCHOLOGISTS," was offered by Representative Hirono.
- H.C.R. No. 260, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF REQUIRING THE CERTIFICATION OF TOUR GUIDES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 261, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ENSURE THAT CLEAN CLASSROOMS ARE AVAILABLE TO TEACHERS AND CHILDREN IN ALL SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Chun, Fukunaga, Hagino, Ihara and Santiago.
- H.C.R. No. 262, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVERSION OF TEMPORARY GENERAL-FUND POSITIONS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PERMANENT STATUS," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Chun, Fukunaga, Hagino, Ihara and Santiago.
- H.C.R. No. 263, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO AN INTERNATIONAL TRAILS AND ACCESS CONFERENCE IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Hagino, Chun, Fukunaga, Ihara and Santiago.
- H.C.R. No. 264, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE COVERT SHIPMENT OF NERVE GAS WEAPONS TO THE JOHNSTON ATOLL CHEMICAL AGENT DISPOSAL SYSTEM PROJECT ON KALAMA ATOLL," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Apo, Arakaki and Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 265, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS THAT EMPLOY SOCIAL WORKERS, THE JUDICIARY, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING A SEPARATE CASE WORKER-MANAGER SERIES AND A SEPARATE SOCIAL WORKER SERIES AS IT APPLIES TO THEIR RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Arakaki, Bainum, Cachola, Chun, Hiraki, Hirono, Kawakami, Metcalf and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 266, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TO INCREASE EFFORTS TO MAXIMIZE FEDERAL PARTICIPATION IN THE PROVISION OF EXPANDED SERVICES THROUGH THE MEDICAID PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 267, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A MASTER PLAN FOR ELECTRONIC LIBRARY INFORMATIOIN SERVICES," was jointly offered by Representatives Ige, D. and Fukunaga.
- H.C.R. No. 268, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE TAHITIAN LANAI BE PRESERVED AND BE KEPT OPEN AS ONE OF THE LAST BASTIONS OF THE WAIKIKI OF YESTERYEAR," was offered by Representative Bainum.

- H.C.R. No. 269, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives O'Kieffe and Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 270, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGES THE GOVERNOR AND THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO WAIVE THE LOYALTY OATH REQUIREMENT FOR ALL TEMPORARY PROFESSORS," was offered by Representative O'Kieffe.
- H.C.R. No. 271, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PROTECT AND SUPPORT HAWAII'S GARMENT MANUFACTURING, WHOLESALING, AND RETAILING INDUSTRIES," was jointly offered by Representatives O'Kieffe, Kihano, Tom, Apo, Ward, Marumoto, Tatibouet, Bainum, Hirono, Arakaki, Anderson, Alcon and Amaral.
- H.C.R. No. 272, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF APPLYING BLADELESS TURBINE TECHNOLOGY TO GEOTHERMAL WELLS WITHIN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Chang.
- H.C.R. No. 273, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, IN COORDINATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, TO TAKE MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN THE LAWS RELATING TO PUPIL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Yoshimura, Okamura and Say.
- H.C.R. No. 274, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE CARRIERS TO COMPENSATE POLICYHOLDERS FOR COSTS INCURRED FOR TRANSPORTATION FROM NEIGHBOR ISLANDS TO MEDICAL FACILITIES AND MEDICAL SERVICE PROVIDERS ON OAHU," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Chang, Isbell, Kanoho, Kawakami and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 275, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE CAPITOL RENOVATION AND ASBESTOS REMOVAL PROJECT BE EXPEDITED," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward and Marumoto.
- H.C.R. No. 276, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUIRING THAT LEGISLATORS' SIGNATURES ON OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE TYPEWRITTEN NAME OF THE SIGNERS AND URGING THE STATE'S COUNTY COUNCILS TO ADOPT THIS PRACTICE," was offered by Representative Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 277, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PRESERVE THE AINA HAINA COCONUT TREES AND TO REPLANT THE TREES WHEN THE KALANIANAOLE HIGHWAY PROJECT IS COMPLETED," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward and Marumoto.
- H.C.R. No. 278, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT

- OF TRANSPORTATION TO IMPROVE THE FLOW OF WATER UNDER THE WAILUPE STREAM BRIDGE," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward and Marumoto.
- H.C.R. No. 279, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR'S HOMELESS CONCERNS ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO IDENTIFY WAYS OF STREAMLINING PROCEDURES OF THE STATE'S SOCIAL SERVICES PROGRAMS TO EASE ACCESS TO THESE PROGRAMS FOR THE HOMELESS," was offered by Representative Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 280, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF HAWAII TO FULLY SUPPORT THE USE OF REGULAR, FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES THROUGHOUT THE PUBLIC UTILITY SECTOR," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 281, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INVESTIGATION ON THE BENEFITS, STRUCTURE, AND APPLICATION OF A FEDERAL MARKET ORDER FOR HAWAII MACADAMIA NUTS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 282, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON PROVIDING EMERGENCY AND SHORT-TERM HIRES WITH HEALTH INSURANCE THROUGH THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 283, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE WAIKIKI CONVENTION CENTER AUTHORITY TO EXPLORE MEANS OF REDUCING THE DENSITY OF THE WAIKIKI CONVENTION CENTER FACILITY SET FORTH IN THE WAIKIKI INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION PLAZA PROPOSAL," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola, Bainum, Lee and Okamura.
- H.C.R. No. 284, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO URGE THE PACIFIC ASIA TRAVEL ASSOCIATION TO RELOCATE ITS HEADQUARTERS TO HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola, Bainum, Lee and Okamura.
- H.C.R. No. 285, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF INSTITUTING A STATEWIDE COMPREHENSIVE GROUND WATER MONITORING PROGRAM AND A WATER TESTING SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Shon and Hagino.
- H.C.R. No. 286, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FACTORS THAT MAY HAVE A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HAWAII'S TOURIST INDUSTRY," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Cachola.
- H.C.R. No. 287, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE ORIGINAL SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND WHEN ANY VARIATION IN COMPENSATION SHALL TAKE EFFECT," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Anderson.

- H.C.R. No. 288, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF BASING LOW-INCOME HOUSING RENT ON NET INCOME RATHER THAN ON GROSS INCOME," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 289, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S SCHOOL VENDING MACHINE PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 290, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF STATE TAXES TO DEVELOP A MEANS BY WHICH THE TAX STRUCTURE CAN BE STRENGTHENED AND STABILIZED TO MEET FUTURE CHALLENGES," was offered by Representative Say.
- H.C.R. No. 291, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE'S FIRST RESPONDER PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS TO COORDINATE THEIR FUNDING REQUESTS FOR DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE CURRICULA AND TRAINING," was offered by Representative Say.
- H.C.R. No. 292, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO IDENTIFY LANDS WHICH MAY QUALIFY FOR RECLASSIFICATION FROM AGRICULTURAL TO COMMERCIAL LAND USE," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Anderson, Santiago, Apo, Hagino and Kawakami.
- H.C.R. No. 293, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO REVIEW THE APPROPRIATIONS TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR HIGH TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH," was offered by Representative Say.
- H.C.R. No. 294, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS TO USE NON-POTABLE WATER FOR WATERING GOLF COURSES," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Duldulao, Hashimoto, D. Ige, Stegmaier and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 295, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE IMPACT OF FEDERAL CHANGES TO THE MEDICARE AND MEDICAID PROGRAMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Souki and Tom.
- H.C.R. No. 296, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTIES TO PROTECT HOMEOWNERS FROM EXCESSIVE PROPERTY TAX INCREASES," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Tom, Souki, Hashimoto, Anderson, Arakaki, Duldulao, Isbell, Morihara, Shon, Stegmaier and Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 297, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Souki and Hashimoto.
- H.C.R. No. 298, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN ANALYSIS OF THE ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A RECYCLING PLANT FOR WASTE PAPER AND

- GLASS," was jointly offered by Representatives Say and Hiraki.
- H.C.R. No. 299, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE PRACTICES AND DECISIONS OF THE HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 300, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ABOLITION OF WAR AS A SOLUTION TO GLOBAL PROBLEMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino and Hirono.
- H.C.R. No. 301, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND ACCEPTING THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION PLAN TO ADDRESS CONTROVERSIES UNDER THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST AND THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," was offered by Representative Hagino.
- H.C.R. No. 302, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REJECTING THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION PLAN TO ADDRESS CONTROVERSIES UNDER THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST AND THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," was offered by Representative Hagino.
- H.C.R. No. 303, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND AMENDING THE COVERNOR'S ACTION PLAN TO ADDRESS CONTROVERSIES UNDER THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST AND THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," was offered by Representative Hagino.
- H.C.R. No. 304, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ACQUISITION OF THE HONOLULU, OLD FEDERAL BUILDING AS THE FUTURE SITE OF THE HAWAII HISTORICAL MUSEUM," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, D. Ige, Okamura, Oshiro, Fukunaga, Arakaki, Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 305, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO AMEND ITS RULES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, Young and Thielen.
- H.C.R. No. 306, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE CURRENT CONTRACT POLICIES AND SYSTEM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGARDING THE PROVISION OF SERVICES TO PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES," was offered by Representative Duldulao.
- H.C.R. No. 307, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REESTABLISH THE COMMISSION ON POPULATION STABILIZATION AND EXPLORE WAYS TO SLOW THE GROWTH RATE OF THE STATE'S POPULATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Hagino, Young, Arakaki, Hiraki, Hirono, O'Kieffe, Santiago and Thielen.
- H.C.R. No. 308, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A COMPREHESIVE FIREARMS SAFETY PROGRAM IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Chun and Duldulao.
- H.C.R. No. 309, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EVALUATION OF THE WAIANAE COAST COMMUNITY MENTAL

- HEALTH CENTER MODEL," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Arakaki, Bainum, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 310, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO EXPAND THE IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS, AND TO INCREASE MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT OF IMMUNIZATION, NEEDED FOR ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 311, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON AN INTERAGENCY APPROACH TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES WHO REQUIRE SERVICES FROM MULTIPLE AGENCIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Arakaki, Bainum, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 312, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT ON THE COORDINATION OF MENTAL HEALTH NEEDS OF CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS BETWEEN STATE AGENCIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Arakaki, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 313, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING SUPPORT OF THE HAWAII CANCER PAIN INITIATIVE," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral, Chun, Duldulao, Kawakami and Tatibouet.
- H.C.R. No. 314, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE THE POSSIBLE RESTUCTUREMENT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEM IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Shon, Amaral and Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 315, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF HAWAII TO OPPOSE THE USE OF CONTRACT WORKERS IN PUBLIC UTILITIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 316, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL 28, 1991 "WORKERS MEMORIAL DAY" IN HAWAII AND REQUESTING IMPROVED WORKSITE SAFETY AND HEALTH REGULATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 317, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE PASSAGE OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1991," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Metcalf.
- H.C.R. No. 318, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INITIATION OF AN ACTION PLAN TO DEVELOP FARM LOTS IN NORTH KOHALA," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 319, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON

- EMPLOYMENT AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS TO REVIEW THE OUTLOOK FOR JOBS AND EMPLOYMENT IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine and Yonamine.
- H.C.R. No. 320, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE U.S. NAVY'S RESEARCH ON SUPERCRITICAL WATER OXIDATION AS A MEANS TO DESTROY CHEMICAL WARFARE AGENTS, PROPELLANTS, AND OTHER HAZARDOUS OR TOXIC MATERIALS," was offered by Representative Ihara.
- H.C.R. No. 321, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Tam.
- H.C.R. No. 322, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A LEGISLATIVE INTERIM TASK FORCE TO ASSESS THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING REGULATORY CONTROLS TO PROTECT AND PRESERVE CULTURAL LANDSCAPES," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 323, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, AND THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING TO JOINTLY FORMULATE A STATE POLICY MODEL RELATING TO PUBLIC AND PRIVATE RESEARCH IN THE FIELD OF BIOTECHNOLOGY, INCLUDING HUMAN GENETIC ENGINEERING AND GENETICALLY ENGINEERED ORGANISMS," was offered by Representative Apo.
- H.C.R. No. 324, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO CONSIDER RENOVATION OF THE CAPITOL BUILDING STAIRWELLS TO PROVIDE FOR HISTORIC TIME LINES AND FRESCOES," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 325, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE INHERENT RIGHT OF THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE TO SELF-DETERMINED GOVERNANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Amaral, Anderson and Peters.
- H.C.R. No. 326, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EVALUATE THE COSTS AND BENEFITS OF ESTABLISHING A SELF-SUFFICIENCY TRUST FUND," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Chang, Arakaki, Duldulao and Peters.
- H.C.R. No. 327, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE RESALE OF LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES CONVERTED UNDER THE HAWAII LAND REFORM ACT," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Peters, Arakaki and Amaral.
- H.C.R. No. 328, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO CONDUCT A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION/SITE ASSESSMENT AND A REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY STUDY TO FACILITATE THE CLOSURE OF THE KEALAKEHE LANDFILL," was jointly offered by

- Representatives Isbell, Bainum, Hiraki, Amaral, Duldulao, Tom, Chun and Arakaki.
- H.C.R. No. 329, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF A HOUSING DOWNPAYMENT BOND PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Bainum, Amaral, Tom, Chun, Arakaki, Duldulao and Peters.
- H.C.R. No. 330, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO RE-EXAMINE THE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS FOR USE OF CONSERVATION LANDS," was offered by Representative Taniguchi.
- H.C.R. No. 331, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CREATION OF A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF SEPARATING HEARING OFFICERS FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE STATE AGENCIES AND ORGANIZING THEM INTO A CENTRAL PANEL," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 332, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REJECTING THE FEDERAL MANDATE THAT REQUIRES STATES TO REVOKE THE DRIVER'S LICENSES OF DRUG OFFENDERS OR SUFFER THE LOSS OF FEDERAL FUNDS," was offered by Representative Takamine.
- H.C.R. No. 333, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO IDENTIFY OCEAN SITES THROUGHOUT THE STATE THAT CAN BE DEVELOPED INTO UNDERWATER PARKS," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Alcon, Baker, Bunda, Chang, Honda, Lee, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Ward, Yonamine and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 334, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY THE NATURE OF A POTENT MARINE TOXIN FOUND IN ALGAE INHABITING THE LAGOON OF THE HYATT REGENCY WAIKOLOA HOTEL IN KONA, HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Baker, Chang, Honda, Lee, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Ward, Yonamine and Young.
- H.C.R. No. 335, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO REPORT ON THE STATUS AND MAINTENANCE OF THE HONOLULU GATEWAY BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT," was offered by Representative Oshiro.
- H.C.R. No. 336, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO TEMPORARY MOTOR VEHICLE PLATES," was offered by Representative Oshiro.
- H.C.R. No. 337, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RENT CONTROL," was offered by Representative Oshiro, by request.
- H.C.R. No. 338, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO ASSESS THE FEASIBILITY OF COMPUTER-PRINTED VEHICLE REGISTRATION WINDSHIELD DECALS," was offered by Representative Oshiro.
- H.C.R. No. 339, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO REVIEW ACT 339/90 AS SPECIFIED IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 205," was offered by Representative Ihara.

- H.C.R. No. 340, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS IMPLEMENTED IN OTHER STATES TO COLLECT DELINQUENT CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS," was offered by Representative Bainum.
- H.C.R. No. 341, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF THE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OF APPROVED OR ACCREDITED REAL ESTATE COURSES," was offered by Representative Peters.
- H.C.R. No. 342, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE REVERSION OF CONDEMNED PROPERTY WHEN IT IS TAKEN OUT OF PUBLIC USE FOR WHICH IT WAS CONDEMNED," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Peters, Amaral, Anderson, Tam, Tom, Kawakami, Lee, Say and Yoshimura.
- H.C.R. No. 343, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO PROPOSE LEGISLATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE REVERSION OF CONDEMNED PROPERTY WHEN IT IS TAKEN OUT OF PUBLIC USE FOR WHICH IT WAS CONDEMNED," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Peters, Amaral, Anderson, Tam, Tom, Kawakami, Lee, Say and Yoshimura.
- H.C.R. No. 344, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT REQUIRING A BALANCED FEDERAL BUDGET, OR TO CALL A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO PROPOSE SUCH A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT," was offered by Representative Stegmaier.
- H.C.R. No. 345, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO FURTHER REDUCE TRAFFIC CONGESTION FROM KALANIANAOLE HIGHWAY TO DOWNTOWN HONOLULU," was offered by Representative Stegmaier.
- H.C.R. No. 346, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES RELATING TO THE USE OF INDEPENDENT MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS IN WORKERS' COMPENSATION DISPUTES," was offered by Representative Isbell.
- H.C.R. No. 347, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY TO REEVALUATE ITS RENT SUPPLEMENT PROGRAM AND ITS SECTION 8 REQUIREMENTS," was offered by Representative Isbell.
- H.C.R. No. 348, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE HAWAII MACADAMIA NUT ASSOCIATION, TO REVIEW RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MACADAMIA NUT INDUSTRY TO DETERMINE WHETHER A DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY BY THE GOVERNOR IS WARRANTED," was jointly offered by Representatives Isbell, Takamine, Chang and O'Kieffe.
- H.C.R. No. 349, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A SCHOOL REPAIR

- AND MAINTENANCE PRIORITY FUND," was offered by Representative Marumoto.
- H.C.R. No. 350, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SECURE FEDERAL FUNDING FOR AINA HAINA VALLEY FLOOD CONTROL," was offered by Representative Marumoto.
- H.C.R. No. 351, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO VALUE FORESTED PROPERTY LOCATED IN AGRICULTURAL ZONED AREAS TO BE TREATED THE SAME AS PASTURE LAND," was offered by Representative Marumoto.
- H.C.R. No. 352, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR'S RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE WITH RESPECT TO THE REVIEW OF THE EXECUTIVE BUDGET," was offered by Representative Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 353, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CABLE TELEVISION INDUSTRY TO REFRAIN FROM RAISING SUBSCRIPTION RATES AS A MEANS OF COMPENSATING FOR ADDITIONAL FRANCHISE FEES IMPLEMENTED TO SUPPORT HAWAII PUBLIC TELEVISION," was offered by Representative Hirono.
- H.C.R. No. 354, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND COMSUMER AFFAIRS TO PREPARE A SURVEY OF OCCURRENCES OF CONDOMINIUM BOARDS OF DIRECTORS' NON-COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 514A OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono, Morihara, Amaral, Oshiro, Thielen and Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 355, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII INSURER'S COUNCIL TO PROVIDE CONSUMER INFORMATION RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono, Morihara, Amaral, Oshiro, Thielen and Ward.
- H.C.R. No. 356, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE REAL ESTATE COMMISION, TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF STATE REGULATION OVER CONDOMINIUM MANAGING AGENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 357, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT CORPORATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Hirono and Morihara.
- H.C.R. No. 358, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO MAKE A DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER THE TRANSFERABILITY RIGHTS UNDER THE STATE FRANCHISE INVESTMENT LAW APPLY TO GASOLINE DEALERS," was offered by Representative Metcalf.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At this time, the Chair introduced Inoselda Dominic, "oldest of my nephew from my sister."

Representative O'Kieffe, on behalf of the Minority members, then extended birthday greetings to the Speaker.

Representative Arakaki, on behalf of the Majority members, then extended birthday greetings to the Speaker.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:01 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. on Monday, March 18, 1991.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

Monday, March 18, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Janice Morikawa, Pastoral Associate of the Makiki Christian Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Second Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Second Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 384 and 385) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 384, transmitting S.C.R. No. 5, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF PARKING RESTRICTIONS IN CONGESTED AREAS AS A DETERRENT TO PRIVATE VEHICLE USE," which was adopted by the Senate on March 15, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 385, transmitting S.C.R. No. 6, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE PROVISION OF HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLE THROUGHWAYS ALONG CONGESTED CORRIDORS TO INCREASE HOV LANE UTILIZATION," which was adopted by the Senate on March 15, 1991.

By unanimous consent, further action on S.C.R. Nos. 5 and 6 was deferred.

At 11:45 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:46 o'clock a.m.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Cachola, on behalf of Representative Horita and himself, introduced a group of eighth grade students from Moanalua Intermediate School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Lorynn Neser and Mrs. Tamayose; and a chaperone, Mrs. Takabayashi.

Representative Santiago, on behalf of Representative Bellinger and himself, introduced Kehau Oleole, Natasha Vimahi and Amie Frederick, students at Kahuku High School and participants in the Legislative Intern Program.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 148 to 167 and 169 to 263) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 139 to 239) were disposed of as follows:

H.R. Nos. Referred to:

- 148 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 149 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 150 Committee on Transportation
- 151 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 152 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
- 153 Committee on Education
- 154 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 155 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 156 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 157 Committee on Health
- 158 Committee on Education
- 159 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 160 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 161 Jointly to the Committees on Ocean and Marine Resources; Transportation; and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 162 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 163 Committee on Education
- 164 Jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Education
- 165 Committee on Planning and Economic Development
- 166 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
- 167 Committee on Planning and Economic Development
- 169 Committee on Human Services
- 170 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 171 Jointly to the Committees on Planning and Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 172 Jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor and Public Employment

173 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	199 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services and Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
174 Committee on Human Services	200 Committee on Health, then to the
175 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	Committee on Judiciary 201 Committee on Legislative Management
176 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	202 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee
177 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs	on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs 203 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs; Transportation; and Tourism
Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	204 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
179 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs	205 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
180 Committee on Education	
181 Committee on Education	206 Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources
182 Committee on Education	207 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
183 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	208 Committee on Education
184 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary	209 Committee on Judiciary
185 Committee on Education	210 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
186 Committee on Education, then to the	211 Committee on Judiciary
Committee on Finance	Jointly to the Committees on Labor and
187 Committee on Education	Public Employment and Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
188 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	213 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
189 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary	214 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
190 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	215 Committee on Intergovernmental
191 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	Relations and International Affairs 216 Committee on Intergovernmental
192 Committee on Education	Relations and International Affairs
193 Committee on Education, then to the	217 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
Committee on Finance 194 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs	Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	219 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
196 Committee on Finance, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	220 Committee on Finance, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
197 Committee on Education 198 Committee on Water, Land Use and	221 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Ocean and Marine
198 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs	Resources 222 Committee on Legislative Management
	223 Committee on Judiciary
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224	Committee on Finance	250 Jointly to the Committees on Education and Tourism
225	Committee on Legislative Management	251 Committee on Consumer Protection and
226	Jointly to the Committees on Higher	Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
Education an Commerce; an	d the Arts; Consumer Protection and d Judiciary	252 Committee on Human Services
227 Education and	Jointly to the Committees on Higher the Arts and Health	253 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
228 Employment,	Committee on Labor and Public then to the Committee on Finance	254 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
	Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary mmental Relations and International Affairs, mmittee on Legislative Management	255 Committee on Finance, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
230 Hawaiian Affa	Committee on Water, Land Use and	256 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
231 Committee on	Committee on Education, then to the	257 Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
	Jointly to the Committees on Housing and natal Relations and International Affairs, mmittee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian	Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
233 Education ar Commerce; an	Jointly to the Committees on Higher and the Arts; Consumer Protection and Indicatory	259 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Agriculture
234	Committee on Education	260 Jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Health
235 and Labor and	Jointly to the Committees on Education Public Employment	261 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
236 the Committee	Committee on Education, then jointly to son Finance and Legislative Management	262 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
237	Committee on Education	263 Committee on Labor and Public
238	Committee on Education	Employment, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
239	Committee on Education	Transponent .
240	Committee on Education	H.C.R. Nos.
241	Committee on Education	Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land
242	Committee on Health	Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
243	Committee on Tourism	140 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
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Management 245 Arts	Committee on Higher Education and the	Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
246 Arts	Committee on Higher Education and the	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
247 and Higher E	Jointly to the Committees on Education ducation and the Arts	144 Committee on Education
248	Committee on Health	145 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
249 Transportation International	Jointly to the Committees on and Intergovernmental Relations and Affairs	146 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

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- 170 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- Jointly to the Committees on Human Services and Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

- Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee
- Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land
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- Jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Health, then to the Committee on
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- Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Consumer Protection and
- Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 193 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
- 194 Committee on Finance, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
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200	Committee on Judiciary
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202	Committee on Legislative Management
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- Jointly to the Committees on Education and Higher Education and the Arts
- 224 Committee on Health
- Jointly to the Committees Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 227 Committee on Human Services
- 228 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- Committee on Finance, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 231 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
- Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Agriculture
- 235 Jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Health
- 236 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
- Intergovernmental Committee on Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 239 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following Senate Bills were re-referred as follows:

S.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

- Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 246 Jointly to the Committees on Health and **Human Services**

363 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

809 Committee on Finance

1188 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary

1198 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

1247 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Housing

1340 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1344 Jointly to the Committees on Planning and Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

1657 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1775 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2053 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Metcalf, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 907) recommending that S.B. No. 1811, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Metcalf moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1811, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Amaral.

Representative Ward rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to speak against the Second Reading of this bill.

"There are five reasons why this bill is anti-business. The first is that it's an unwarranted intrusion into the marketplace without evidence of the nature and the intensity of the need for this.

"Secondly, this bill is a nightmare for the personnel directors of the businesses of this State.

"Thirdly, the State employment practices law that already exists for equal employment for all people are already on the books.

"Fourthly, the definition of 'sexual orientation' is going to confuse Hawaii's employers.

"And lastly, the litigation costs of this bill are going to really soak Hawaii's employers.

"Those are five very brief reasons of which I've written out into a piece that I've handed out to all of my colleagues. I urge my colleagues to read about those five reasons, that the business community is going to be affected by with this bill.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Alcon then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, about four years ago we dealt with this bill in this chamber and it was soundly defeated. Somehow, it has again surfaced and I have to say again, Mr. Speaker, that this is nothing but a gay rights bill.

"The question that I would like to ask you, Mr. Speaker, is -- why should we make a special legislation when the law already says that there is no discrimination in employment based on race, sex, age, religion, color, ancestry, handicap status, marital status, arrest, or court record?

"There are only two sexes in this world, Mr. Speaker, and that is either you are a male or a female and what they do behind doors is their own business. But to make a special bill for them I think is unconscionable.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet then rose and requested that Representative Ward's remarks be inserted into the Journal as if they were her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

At 11:50 o'clock a.m., Representative Arakaki asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:52 o'clock a.m.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1811, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Bellinger, Cachola, Duldulao, M. Ige, Kanoho, Tajiri, Tatibouet and Ward voting no.

Representative Metcalf, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 908) recommending that S.B. No. 135 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 135, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRITS OF NE EXEAT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Metcalf, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 909) recommending that S.B. No. 83 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 83, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL CLAIMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Metcalf, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 910) recommending that S.B. No. 124 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 124, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC DEFENDERS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Metcalf, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 911) recommending that S.B. No. 713 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 713, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, CORRECTING REFERENCES, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Baker: "Just a reminder to all the members of the House Women's Caucus that we will be meeting in the Majority lounge shortly after session."

Representative Taniguchi: "There will be a Majority caucus tomorrow at 11:00 o'clock in the Majority Caucus Room."

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:54 o'clock a.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, March 19, 1991.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

Tuesday, March 19, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:50 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Chaplain Lt. Colonel William Graham of the Schofield Community, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Bellinger, who was excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Third Day was approved.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Amaral introduced a group of fourth graders from Mauka Lani Elementary School. They were accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Yoshii, and a parent chaperone, Mrs. Aguilar.

Representative Horita, on behalf of Representative Alcon and herself, introduced Nina Shimabukuro, Janelle Horibe, David Kamiya and Keith Christi, eighth graders in the Gifted and Talented Class at Moanalua Intermediate School.

Representative Kanoho introduced "two beautiful and important people from Kauai who had done much for the education system, especially at Kapaa Elementary School," as follows: Cynthia Stark Whitman with the Kapaa Elementary School PTSA, and Lori Bryan, Kauai's liaison for the statewide network of public school parents.

Representative Tom, on behalf of Representatives M. Ige, Bellinger, Thielen, Young and himself, stated:

"We are extremely proud this morning to introduce to you and to this honorable body a gigantic group of students and faculty from the best community college in the State -- Windward Community College! Did you have any other suggestion? It is nestled in the majestic Koolau's, has the most talented and smartest students, and most dedicated teachers. They are here, Mr. Speaker, because they want to show en masse to our legislators, especially to Chairman Souki, just how committed and dedicated they are in getting our support and recognition to see through and to complete the tenyear master plan for its campus to make it even more beautiful. And for the refurbishment of Lokai Building and projects that are overdue.

"Mr. Speaker, I just want to point out that on March 5th this year, the House and Senate Committees on Higher Education sponsored a committee/community hearing right on the campus. And I want to personally thank Chairman David Ige. He did a great job there. He took the time and many of the members of the Legislature who were there heard testimonies, stirring testimonies, from students and teachers about the current state of the campus and what was needed. And I want to thank Chairmen David Ige and Souki for putting in \$2.2-million for Lokai but, Mr. Speaker, we need more.

"Anyway, at this time, we wish to, on behalf of the Windward legislators, thank all of you legislators here, thank the students and teachers from Windward Community College. Will all of you rise to be recognized."

The faculty and students of Windward Community College all rose to be recognized and a student amongst them responded by chanting.

The Chair then remarked:

"The students from Windward Community College may be the smartest but the ones from Leeward Community College are the wisest."

Representative Thielen then rose and requested that Representative Tom's remarks be inserted into the Journal as her own, saying:

"I would also like to say I have never seen such a dedicated group of students and faculty in my life. They are just incredible and it goes to show that the Windward side is doing a wonderful job and they need all the support that they can get from our body and from the Senate."

Representative Metcalf then rose and remarked:

"At this juncture, I'd have to note that my wife is the Dean of Instructions of Hawaii Community College and take strong exception to the remarks from previous speakers.

"Thank you."

Representative Alcon then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to defend Kapiolani Community College as the best...

Representative Tom interrupted on a point of order and

"Kapiolani Community College already had its phases funded. We need a new college.

"Thank you."

Representative Alcon continued, saying:

"As I was saying, Mr. Speaker, before I was gracefully interrupted that we have the best looking campus and the best looking students."

Representative Young then rose and requested that Representative Tom's words be entered into the Journal as her own, "and also my \$52-million CIP appropriation bill for Windward Community College. I would love to have that entered into the House budget as if it were all of our own.

"Thank you very much."

Representative M. Ige then rose and introduced Brother Frank Hewitt, saying:

"Mr. Speaker, the voice you just heard, we were very fortunate to have him entertain us. As you know, he is from Kaneohe. I consider him a living treasure of our community, also a classmate."

Representative Tatibouet then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, not to let it pass, I just would like to speak on behalf of Kapiolani Community College, that for years, before its recent new campus site, lived in very, very old circumstances and we thank the body for making it possible to have proceeded to the motions that made the new campus possible.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Apo introduced his mother, Mrs. Margaret Apo, with the Board of Education, and his brother, Sam.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 264 to 387) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 240 to 358 and S.C.R. Nos. 5 and 6) were disposed of as follows:

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264 Committee on I	Committee on Judiciary, then to the egislative Management
265	Committee on Education
266 Committeeon Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	
267 and Health	Jointly to the Committees on Education
268 Arts	Committee on Higher Education and the
269	Committee on Tourism
270 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	
271 Arts	Committee on Higher Education and the
272 Services and He	Jointly to the Committees on Human
273	Committee on Health
274 Transportation International As	
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276	Committee on Housing
277 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Legislative Management	
278 Environmental	Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Protection and Health
	Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary amental Relations and International Affairs, amittee on Finance

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281 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
282 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
283 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
284 Committee on Education
285 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
286 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
287 Committee on Human Services
288 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Education
289 Committee on Health
290 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
291 Committee on Judiciary
292 Jointly to the Committees on Planning and Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
293 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
294 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Education
295 Committee on Legislative Management
296 Committee on Transportation
297 Committee on Transportation
298 Committee on Human Services
299 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
300 Committee on Agriculture
301 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
302 Committee on Tourism
303 Committee on Planning and Economic Development
304 Committee on Tourism
305 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and Health
306 Committee on Tourism
307 Committee on Judiciary
308 Jointly to the Committees on Housing and Human Services

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318 Committee on Planning and Economic	Hawaiian Affairs
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320 Committee on Human Services	Committee on Legislative Management
321 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land	347 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Housing
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327 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs	and Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
328 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Health	355 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
329 Committee on Education	356 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
330 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Higher Education and the Arts	357 Committee on Energy and Environmental
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242 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts

243 Jointly to the Committees on Education and Health

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Committee on Higher Education and the Arts

245 Committee on Health

246 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

247 Committee on Higher Education and the Arts

248 Committee Public Labor on and **Employment**

249 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

Jointly to the Committees Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations International Affairs

251 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services and Health

252 Committee on Housing

253 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

254 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Health

255 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

256 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

257 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Commerce and Intergovernmental Protection and Relations and International Affairs

Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

259 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

260 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Tourism, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

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H.R. No. 389, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND'S OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Fukunaga.

On motion by Representative Fukunaga, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, H.R. No. 389 was adopted.

Representative Fukunaga rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd just like to, before introducing some of our honored guests this morning, say that while we're on the note of improvements to the community college campuses on Oahu and throughout the State of Hawaii, it's really very significant that we have representatives of the University of Puget Sound here with us this morning. They share two very kind of unusual features in common with the State of Hawaii and the University of Hawaii.

"First of all, the weather that we've been experiencing over the last several weeks, I am told, is very much akin to Puget Sound's weather so for those of us who have been sort of wading through the water to get to and from wherever we're going, this is a perfect example of Puget Sound weather.

"Secondly, the University of Puget Sound, in addition to some of its other very noteworthy achievements in terms of their Freshmen Orientation Program being selected among a number of institutions as one of the top values in the country in the western region, has also been selected by Money magazine, like the University of Hawaii, as one of the top values for students and parents' dollar. So with those kinds of comparisons, it is no wonder that we have so many Hawaii residents going to the University of Puget Sound and, at this point, I would like to introduce some of our honorees this morning."

Representative Fukunaga then asked the following honorees to stand to be recognized: President Philip Phibbs; Mrs. Gwen Phibbs, his wife; Miss Caroline Dunn, Director of Alumni Relations; Mr. Scott Higashi "who is currently a senior at UPS and is President of the UPS Hawaii Club;" and Mr. Bill Kaneko.

Representative Fukunaga then presented President Philip Phibbs with a certified copy of the resolution and Representatives Horita, D. Ige, Yonamine, Tatibouet and Young presented the honorees with floral leis.

At 12:07 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 12:19 o'clock p.m., Representative Tom rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I wish to just be permitted to make a very fast late apology.

"When I introduced, on behalf of the Windward legislators, the students from Windward Community College, I inadvertently and very apologetically forgot the most gracious and good-looking of them all and that was Representative Anderson. And I feel so bad, Mr. Speaker, I really do, because he is just a genuinely fantastic Windward legislator -- the best in the books. And I would like to apologize to Representative Anderson and to this body for forgetting Representative Anderson as a friend and as a legislator.

"Thank you."

Representative Anderson then rose and thanked Representative Tom.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

THIRD READING

The following bills, which were on the calendar for Third Reading, were read throughout and the following actions taken:

S.B. No. 1811, SD 1:

Representative Metcalf moved that S.B. No. 1811, SD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Amaral.

Representative Ward rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"In the course of life and in this Legislature, reasonable people are going to differ -- some of us agree on what we're talking about and some of us disagree. But just so people know that reasonable people are going to differ on this particular issue and because of the controversy surrounding the bill, let me begin by saying that some of America's best are homosexuals, some of Hawaii's best are homosexuals. Some of those best are my friends, in my house, in my interaction in my work, and this is not against them.

"The difficulty is the institutionalization of that and government getting into the business of sex as it shouldn't be in the church, in the states; it shouldn't also be in the business of promoting sex.

"Mr. Speaker, yesterday I stood up on this same bill and I talked about five reasons why this bill is antibusiness. Yesterday I was told that, well you were really talking for the church, but I wasn't because until yesterday I thought the church was exempted. To make sure that that was the case, I wrote a letter to the Attorney General and just this morning that opinion came down. The Attorney General has said that the church is not exempt except for the pastors and the assistant pastors. Those who are under them -- secretaries, deacons, teachers in Christian schools -- would not be exempted from this. I found that in great omission, speaking only that businesses would be greatly affected by this. And like fluoridation, passage of Senate Bill 1811 would greatly upset our community. This bill will divide and alienate and that's an unfortunate happening.

"There was a similar bill in San Francisco. Francisco, as you know, is probably 30 percent or above of the gay community, and in an initiative a similar Senate Bill 1811 was actually overturned because I don't think the people are ready to institutionalize a behavior, and everytime it came up in any of the other states where there was initiative, these bills have not been approved. If it can happen in San Francisco, which was a surprise when I learned this was the case, the popular vote is not there and I don't know how many people are going to vote their popular vote today, Mr. Speaker. Forty-eight states don't have this bill. There's nothing on the federal And as my colleagues in the business books also. community have said, we're rather rushing into something that we haven't really identified as a problem. There's not a solid evidence, or the studies, or our colleagues. Representative Peters has said, 'Let's have substantive findings before we have legislative findings.' There are not substantive evidence for what we're talking about today. There's not anything on the records from the civil rights or the Department of Labor. It's not there!

"Equal testimonies have told you how studies were conducted to intercept interviews. On the testimonial side of discrimination in employment, we could probably categorize the homosexual communities as probably one of the most accomplished, probably with one of the higher paying salaries of our community. But the facts are, we don't have evidence that this is the case. If we make legislation without facts, at least a study, this is hearsay,

and this is not homophobia. When I spoke about the businesses fearing legal suits, the litigiousness phobia, if our employers are going to be brought into court by this bill, I don't think we've done anything for our antibusiness image or the business climate that exist here in Hawaii in the face of the recession and our post-war recovery period.

"As I said earlier that this institutionalizes the sexual behavior, the fact is we are protecting a behavior. Age, religion, sex, color are otherwise given things that people are born with and no one disagrees with somebody being born as a particular individual. But when it's a behavior, particularly a lifestyle that not everybody agrees with -- like fluoridation, not everybody agrees with it. And those who don't want it are the ones that are saying, don't do it. Some are going to die, some are going to be poisoned by it. And there's some institutions, businesses, churches, and they're going to be punished by this even though, from a point of view of a civil right, no one should be discriminated against. But for those whose tenets of employment or for the church, we are the ones who are going to put it upon them.

"Interestingly, the Chamber of Commerce, in their testimony, said that one can easily think of many other characteristics equally deserving of protection. As a Republican, I can tell you that it may sound strange for you Democrats that on the opening day of this Legislature, personal friends were afraid to be seen with me because I'm a Republican. If that's not political orientation discrimination.

"Fred Hemmings has talked about the business community of this State being muzzled because they're afraid of the State contracts that they've got, that they cannot speak out on. What about those orientations? And jokingly, or maybe seriously, last week we talked about we shouldn't have K-nine husbandry going on. We shouldn't have people eating dogs in this State. Well, should Republicans and dog-eaters be protected because of their orientations? I don't think we want to carry it that far. And to be sure, Mr. Speaker, the U.S. Constitution protects the right of any kind or color of dog to be eaten in this State as well as for any of us to have any kind of orgasm we want.

What is that question with Bill 1811 is that the behavior of such a preference should be protected. Anal or vaginal orgasm as a workplace criteria appears to be carrying the protected private acts of our citizens a little too far out of the bedroom and into the workplace. What would an employer or a church do with people that they don't agree with? It would be illegal to do anything that they strongly believe in and if there are, I think, 30 percent of the religious body of Christians and 30 percent of those are employers, do we let them sear their conscience if they feel that they shouldn't hire somebody of a particular persuasion? We do not. But what if this does pass and some of the things that I know that was a retort from the honorable Judiciary Committee that said that transvestites and bestiality and all the other things are illegal but I would say that if Senate Bill 1811 passes, I wouldn't doubt by next year that probably transvestism and other sorts of that will become legal. It's a logical conclusion and an extension. I don't see how it would possibly not be.

"In the area of hiring, we have an A+ Program in Hawaii. Should A+ be forced to hire people that are of a particular sexual persuasion? What are the choices for the parents? Who is the biggest employer in the State? The Department of Education. Does that give parents a choice. . .

At this point, Representative Metcalf interrupted on a point of order and said:

"The DOE has a non-discriminatory policy based on sexual orientation and has had one for some time now.

"Thank you."

Representative Ward thanked the Chair and proceeded, saving:

"However, this will encourage that it go beyond what they have on the books because this will be a total full-blown statute for homosexuality and bisexuality. So the biggest employer in the State will be. . . and not because any of the teachers who are homosexual are incorrect, but homosexuality by the perpetuation is through a role modeling. Should parents have a choice of the role modeling of the children? We, as the government with this bill, will not give them the choice. They have to take what they are given.

"Lastly, Mr. Speaker, if I may and I have not meant any of this as moralizing, but I am going to bring up one moral authority that the government and each of us as legislators have got to speak to. Back in the Vietnam War, I wrote to President Nixon during Watergate and I said, 'President Nixon, you have lost your moral authority to govern because of what you did. And as the President, there must be a moral authority in the people who govern.'

"This bill, through this Legislature, is going to weaken the moral authority of our governing powers in the governing image that we have. The Legislature getting into this area of morality to sexual or institutionalization of sexual behavior is going to lessen the statute, not only of politicians that are already weakened, but the moral authority of a legislative body.

"In the final analysis, Mr. Speaker, it is best that government keep out of the board room and Hawaii's businesses, and the pulpits and the offices of Hawaii's churches. Like four years ago in this House, and recently in San Francisco, let's vote this bill down and get on with the job of governance.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I have perhaps a little different perspective than the previous speaker, Representative Ward. I'm speaking against it from a business perspective. I have been, for the last twenty-seven years, in Hawaii and until recently Personnel Director of various companies and hiring employees. I've hired over three or four thousand employees in those years. I'm sure I have personally hired hundreds, if not more, of people of different sexual persuasians than what might be considered the norm. I speak against this because I think it politicizes sex and forces employers to walk a legal mine field unless they can discover an employee's sexual orientation.

"I have strongly felt that I have always hired blind and that those colleagues that I have in the same business hire blind. We follow the Constitution of the United States and of this State, Mr. Speaker, and find that that has protected all peoples of all sexual preferences. I think it is totally inappropriate for government in this body to go further than the present laws that exist. I feel that we are protecting those people and that we jeopardize, not only large businesses, but the thousands of small business people in this State -- the Mom and Pop operations who have to hire one or two or three or four employees to

make their businesses go. They can follow the constitutional laws. . .

At this point, Representative Metcalf rose on a point of order and stated:

"The measure only applies to employers of fifteen or more persons."

Representative Tatibouet continued her remarks, saying:

"I apologize for that, Mr. Speaker.

"For people with those number of employees or more because there is still employers that are not sophisticated and trained. They understand the laws of the State and Constitution as they presently apply, but this really reaches beyond most peoples' abilities to understand how to deal with it, and their fear of proceedings in this litigious society that we live in. We really impede the natural, normal processes -- hiring processes -- in the business itself that can be conducted in our State.

"I feel the business climate in our State cannot be put in any more jeopardy or at any more expense. And if you have two applicants sitting before you, or one at a time, why should you have to determine someone's sexual preference in order to hire them or not hire them, as the case may be, because if you want to hire blind, as we always have been able to do; in other words, to not know a person's sexual preference, then you are inhibited from doing that for fear that down the road the person who is perhaps, and not visible to you of another sexual preference, is going to turn around and sue you and/or your company.

"I don't think those of you here realize the jeopardy that you put someone in, that you put both the business itself and its many employees who have to do hiring in to ask them to consider the consequences personally of this bill.

"In conclusion, Mr. Speaker, I would say that this bill is a potential nightmare and it seems inappropriate for this body to go beyond the present laws on the books which protect all employers in the State and all employees and really has safeguarded the hiring practices over the years and I see no need to change that now.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Shon then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I have a difficult time when I hear that black is white and white is black. It seems to me that the basic thrust of this bill is not that you should discover the sexual orientation of a prospective employee but it should be none of your business.

"In the history of debate over human rights and civil rights, many of the same arguments have been made when the debate, a hundred years ago, was over race. How inconvenient it is for us not to consider the race, and a few years later how inconvenient it was for us not to consider sex, and how inconvenient it was for us not to consider someone's handicap, or if someone has a particular disease. These inconveniences have proven irrelevant to the overall context of social justice. It is not inconvenience at a particular point of time. It is, what is every human being guaranteed under our Constitution? What should everyone expect when they compete for a job, for their livelihood?

"We are not in the business of condoning the kind of attitude that is embodied in the **National Enquirer**, or gossip journals, or anything that is so nosey as to must know if someone is just like me, or just like everybody I know. There are those who constantly seem to want to ask -- how are you different? How can I manipulate my world so I'm surrounded by people who look just like me, who talk just like me, who are all men or all women, or all married, or all divorced, or all single, or all Democrats, or all Republicans, or all Catholics, or all Baptists, or whatever? The very point of this is that these are irrelevant considerations when it comes to the basic arena of competing for your livelihood in the workplace.

"This is a State that has stood with pride on the basis of Aloha for everyone and their differences, of tolerance, of respect, of dignity, of privacy. And this is not just for people who look and sound and act just like me, just like you. It's especially relevant for people that you don't understand or don't seem to be the same as you or I. That's where civil rights really draws the line on principle.

"Mr. Speaker, this is a bill that relates to principle -the principle of a level playing field, the principle of what
does not belong in considerations of employment. This
does not require that you know someone's sexual
orientation. It requires it -- you ignore it! That it's the
merits and the character and the abilities of people who
want to work, and I might also add that this bill also
applies to a situation where an employer who perhaps is
of a different sexual persuasian might say, 'Oh, I don't
want to hire someone who is not gay.'

"This bill protects virtually everyone. It says to the employer -- you have no business talking or thinking about these considerations. This has to do with livelihood. Can you work? Do you have the ability to work? Can you do the job? I do not want my child or any other children, or any of the people I know, to be ever suspected or asked or denied any kind of employment because someone may think that they are of the wrong sexual persuasian. That is irrelevant.

"I commend the Chairman of Judiciary and the Committee for bringing this bill out because I think it is in the spirit of Hawaii, in the spirit of tolerance, in the spirit that rejects the notion that just because not everybody agrees with a particular person, that they should be denied employment. For every narrow mind, Mr. Speaker, who would slam the door shut, I believe that there is an open heart who is willing to unlock that door, and that is in the spirit of Hawaii. For every word of hostility that seeks to discriminate against those who are different, there is an appreciation and respect for the diversity of the human family, and for every excuse offered -- for every excuse offered -- as to why equality and justice are inconvenient, there is an act of courage and faith that defends human rights on principle. On principle, I support this bill."

Representative Arakaki then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"You know, Mr. Speaker, you and I and our colleagues every so often are faced with some very difficult decisions and these decisions are especially difficult because they involve emotionally charged issues and they very often challenge our sense of morality as well as our values. It's easier to deal with concerns of the business community and answer charges that this is an anti-business measure.

"The fact is these arguments have always been put forth when protection against discrimination for other minority groups were being proposed. Whether it was protection for women, for your ethnic background, or for being

disabled, the expected impact has always been overrated. And to a great extent, the smoke screen has dissipated over time but it's easier to deal with those type of issues. I think our apprehensions arise when we cross a line beyond what is illegal or illegal and start to pass judgment on issues of morality. And perhaps on this issue, if we have a difficult time wrestling with it, we should adopt the stance of the Catholic Church and maybe echo the Solomon-like words of the Most Reverend Joseph A. Ferrario, the Bishop of Honolulu, and I quote him in a letter written to one of our members: 'The church cannot and does not condone homosexual or bisexual activity, nor does it condone heterosexual activity outside of marriage. It firmly supports, however, the concept that all human beings have basic human rights, that these rights must be respected and honored by all other persons and by all institutions.'

"One of the basic human rights is the right to work. Work is essential to personhood in our society. It is why a worker should be treated with dignity and why work should contribute to the common good. To discriminate against a person in employment on the basis of sexual orientation violates the basic right of that person to work and to be a contributing member of society of which he or Unfortunately, discrimination in she is a member. employment on the basis of sexual orientation does occur. Therefore, it is entirely reasonable to extend public policy which presently prohibits discriminatory practices relating to employment on the basis of race, sex, age, religion, color, ancestry, handicap status, marital status, or arrest and court record, so as to prohibit discriminatory practices in employment on the basis of sexual orientation.'

"Now, some will say that we will be making a value statement by passing this bill, and it is true. We are making a value statement. But not that we accept and/or that we want to promote homosexuality or bisexuality but that we, as a body, value a person's right to self dignity and equal protection under our laws.

"I want to thank all of those who have shared their thoughts with us and those who have shared their prayers with us, but I think we should remind ourselves that we are here to protect peoples' rights, and we need to rise above our personal biases and prejudices and recommit to that purpose, that all law-abiding citizens should be treated with justice, equity, and compassion -- nothing more and nothing less.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Metcalf then rose to speak in support of the bill, stating:

"This bill, Mr. Speaker, is not about business. The same tired, worn-out arguments have been used against civil rights legislation, for women, ethnic minorities, the aged and handicapped, and other suspect classifications, and as pointed out, have proven over time to have been without merit. Nor is this issue really about theology. Most traditional religions do not read into the Bible proscriptions against fairness and hiring based on one's sexual orientation. Quite the contrary, representatives of the Hawaii Council of Churches, the Roman Catholic Church of Honolulu, and the Buddhist Study Center, to name a few, all testified in support of this bill.

"Rather, what this bill is really about finds expression in the simple reverence for life philosophy espoused by the late Albert Switzer. It is an approach to life guided by a respect for the individual, out of which can be deduced a demand for the greatest possible freedom for the individual to live as he or she sees fit on the one hand,

and the demand for social justice in the form of equal rights and equal possibilities for all on the other.

"As members of this Legislature, we have an obligation to establish that measure of social justice needed to ensure that all law-abiding citizens of our community are able to realize their full potential. It is with this obligation in mind, Mr. Speaker, that I urge my colleagues to pass Senate Bill 1811, Senate Draft 1.

"Thank you."

Representative Duldulao then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I am compelled to explain my 'no' vote.

"I have been an advocate for the rights and needs of minorities -- people that are discriminated upon. I, for one, encountered racial discrimination many times. My 'no' vote on Senate Bill 1811, Senate Draft 1, does not mean or reflect my insensitivity to the rights of others. This piece of legislation before us admittedly has some good intended merits. However, I cannot see a significant point of concentration on sexual orientation underlined in the bill. What about the issue of race, sex, color, handicap, national origin, et cetera, issue of discrimination? Aren't they equally important to us and to all concerned?

"There are no studies or concrete facts conducted to support our belief of discrimination that forces us to push this legislation before us. Is sex orientation not already included in the Bill of Rights that encompasses such protections as freedom of speech, association, use of courts, religious practice, due process of the law, et cetera?"

"Mr. Speaker, I have compassion. I have respect, love and adore these people. They are my friends and relatives. However, I cannot accept legislation that condones the practice of behavior that is acquired and learned, and as an end result motivates and influences others to follow the so-called behavior. Adult behavior are role models for our children and that is where I am coming from -- our children. There is no convincing evidence also that this behavior is genetic. There is much evidence that this behavior is motivated and acquired.

"For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I am voting 'no' on this bill.

"Thank you."

Representative Amaral then rose to speak in support of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I think it's important for us to be very clear on what it is that sits before us and compels our voting and our thoughts are clear-thinking. We are voting on a bill to prohibit discrimination in the workplace. We are adding to this bill a new category, a new protected class, and that is with regard to one's sexual preference.

"There are already in this magnificent statute that we have, protections with regard to one's race, color, national origin, religion and sex. Our statute goes beyond that to also add the categories of age and handicap status, and arrest and court records. This is an excellent statute, made finer, I believe, with the insertion of language to protect people based upon their sexual preference. It is an excellent addition because one's sexual preference does not belong in the decision-making of the employer. It is a non-merit factor. It is not one thing to be considered in employment and if there are

people that feel that there are certain types of job categories that compel us to look at one's sexual orientation, then this statute -- 378 -- provides for what is called bona fide occupational qualifications where we can justify exempting out a person from one status or one type of job because of their sexual preference, just as we can do it because of their sex or because of their race, if we can prove a bona fide occupational qualification.

"I am concerned and troubled that we are being told that church schools are not exempt from the statute. Having just come away from having read the statute that tells us that in subsection (3), there is in fact exemption for church schools with regard to compliance with this statute. I raise that as a question and ask my members to think about that when they are considering whether or not to vote for this.

"For people that feel that this will place an unusual burden on the employer, the employer right now is compelled to protect certain classes -- those that we've already identified. We've already talked about them. Beyond that, people will tell us there is no problem in the workplace. People are not being discriminated against. Well, then, what is the unusual burden we place on the employer?

"The debate with respect to the moral nature of homosexualities does not properly belong here. It does not belong in the statute -- it belongs in the churches. That's where that debate should be taking place, but not here. Rather, it is our assertion, through the passage of this statute which we passed a long time ago, that the workplace is in fact color-blind, that the workplace is gender neutral, that the workplace is non-hostile, and that the workplace is there to allow every human being to rise to their fullest potential.

"It is because of that, my dear collegues, I ask for your support of this measure.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Alcon then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I am voting against said bill but I shall spare you the benefit of my oration.

"But, Mr. Speaker, may the record reflect that the erudition by Representative Duldulao be my own.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

Representative Baker then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would just like to associate myself with the remarks of both the Judiciary Chair and the Vice Chair of the Committee on Judiciary.

"Mr. Speaker, I grew up in the South at a time when it was acceptable to discriminate on the basis of race, when people were told that because their skin was not white that they were not worthy of working and holding a job. I've seen firsthand the ugly results of discrimination as a result and I would not want any human being to have to go through that.

"So, for me, this issue is a matter of justice, a matter of fairness, a matter of human and civil rights, for it asks that employers judge a person on their qualifications and not on the basis of their sexual orientation.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet then rose on a point of clarification and said:

"While I was speaking, Representative Metcalf spoke up that Senate Bill 1811 referred to employers of fifteen employees or more. I can find nothing in either the statute or the bill to support that. The statute that it refers to -- 378 -- defines an employer as having only one or more employees.

"May I have some clarification?"

Representative Metcalf responded:

"The Chair is not in agreement with that position and recommends the Representative to a Minority attorney."

Representative Tatibouet continued, asking:

"Mr. Speaker, this bill does cover all employers then who have one or more employees -- is that correct?"

Representative Metcalf answered:

"That's not correct."

The Chair asked:

"Still, that's fifteen or more employees?"

Representative Metcalf answered:

"That's the position of the Chair."

Representative Tatibouet asked:

"How is that position supported, Mr. Speaker?"

At 12:55 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 1:05 o'clock p.m., Representative Tatibouet asked:

"Mr. Speaker, I just would like to present the clarification as I understand it to make certain that this is what we're talking about -- that the bill actually will cover under the Civil Rights Commission employers with fifteen or more employees, and an employer with one or more employees will be covered de novo in the courts. Is that correct?"

Representative Metcalf answered:

"I will make an exception to the long-standing practice of the Chair and answer her question. That is correct."

Representative Tatibouet thanked the Chair.

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, as long as we're setting the record straight, I would like to quote from the Attorney General's opinion on what I thought, as Representative Amaral said, that the churches were exempt. Until yesterday I thought, until the Attorney General spoke this morning, I thought that was exactly the case. In the Attorney General's opinion, it is stated that, 'It is in our opinion that under the First Amendment of the United States Constitution (the separation of church and state), members of the clergy (ministers, associate ministers and pastors) are exempt from the provisions of Senate Bill 1811.'

"You're very correct. The top two are exempt -pastors, whoever, reverend and assistant reverend. Then it goes on, 'However, non-sectarian employees of the church or church-sponsored activities or programs are not exempt. This would include secretaries, janitors, gardeners, teachers, et cetera.'

"Now, here's where you may be misreading the Attorney General's opinion. It follows to say, 'The church may, however, give preference to hiring certain individuals based upon religion or denomination but cannot otherwise be discriminated upon race, national origin, gender, and under SB 1811, sexual orientation.'

"So the top two are exempt. All those who are underneath it, they can refuse to hire them; if say, a Protestant doesn't want to hire a Catholic and vice versa. But when it comes to race, religion, gender and sexual orientation, this bill will cover that. So I think for setting the record straight on that one and why, if we've got a large body of people out there, do we want to put this on them? Why don't we exempt them with a duress of specificity? It's not the discrimination, it's the institutionalization that speaks to this. It's not to go out and round up homosexuals and so it's not an institutional factor on individuals who are not choosing or choose to advocate that lifestyle.

"Remember fluoridation? They said some people would be seriously affected by it. We said, let's not harm that section of the population, and to this day our teeth are still rotting because of that.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Metcalf then rose and stated:

"I would just like to commend the last speaker's attention to 378-3(4b) sub(5). I think the statutory provision is 'Exception.' It's quite a bit broader than what's indicated and it's a lot better law, Mr. Speaker.

"Thank you."

Representative Amaral then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, just a further point of clarification.

"The question was asked with regard to a constitutional question. It was a question put with regard to the exception provided under statute. We are responding to the exception under statute which clearly exempts out church entities.

"Thank you."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, but I referred to the Attorney General in letter yesterday, specifically 387-3, The State Exemptions.

"The Attorney General's opinion specifically directed it's under Senate Bill 1811, not from other than that bill's point of view, notwithstanding anything that's in the U.S. Constitution. That's the Attorney General speaking -- it's not me."

Representative Amaral, in rebuttal stated:

"I would say the statute is what drives us and not the Attorney General's opinion and I would reference us to the statute."

Representative Morihara then rose and requested that his remarks, in favor of the bill, with grave reservations, be inserted into the Journal and the Chair, noting that there were no objections, "so ordered."

Representative Morihara's remarks are as follows:

"The protection of religious beliefs afforded by the First Amendment cannot be compromised. This right is central to the founding ideals of our country. The church's programs and related facilities must not be encumbered by laws restricting their religious practices. The Attorney General has issued an opinion stating that S.B. 1811 designates only the Pastor and the Associate Pastor of a church as exempt from the statute this bill proposes to amend. This exemption is far too limited and restricts the operations of many church related activities. Unless the exemption is broadened to include the entire package of religious beliefs and activities, I cannot support this bill.

"I do believe every person has the right to work regardless of their race, religion or sexual orientation. However, I also believe that every person has the right to practice their chosen religion without interference from such laws limiting this freedom."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1811, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 34 ayes to 16 noes, with Representatives Alcon, Bunda, Cachola, Duldulao, Hashimoto, Honda, M. Ige, Kanoho, Peters, Santiago, Say, Tajiri, Tatibouet, Tom, Ward and Yoshimura voting no, and Representative Bellinger being excused.

S.B. No. 135:

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, S.B. No. 135, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRITS OF NE EXEAT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Bellinger being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1811 and 135 had passed Third Reading at 1:10 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 83:

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, S.B. No. 83, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL CLAIMS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Bellinger being excused.

S.B. No. 124:

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, S.B. No. 124, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC DEFENDERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Bellinger being excused.

S.B. No. 713:

On motion by Representative Metcalf, seconded by Representative Amaral and carried, S.B. No. 713, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, CORRECTING REFERENCES, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Bellinger being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 83, 124 and 713 had passed Third Reading at 1:11 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Honda and Shon, for the majority of the Committees on Agriculture and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 912) recommending that H.R. No. 19, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

Representatives Honda and Shon, for the majority of the Committees on Agriculture and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913) recommending that H.C.R. No. 16, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Honda moved that the joint reports of the majority of the Committees be adopted and H.R. No. 19, HD 1, and H.C.R. No. 16, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Shon.

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak against the resolutions, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to call attention to the very first paragraph of the resolutions that say, 'WHEREAS, the foundation of this great nation rests upon the economic freedoms which provide citizens the opportunity to utilize their talent, knowledge, and efforts to ultimately reach financial security.'

"Mr. Speaker, I feel that these resolutions directly oppose what's made America great for all the immigrants from the beginning of time in this country to be able to come here and begin a new life in this country, or to begin a newer life if there have been a severe financial reverses for people in the most primitive countries in the world. The only way that citizens are able to pursue bettering themselves as well as survival is through the products that they can raise through agricultural products by their own hands. And I think that for further government intrusion in the individual and independent raising of products and selling them, whether it's door to door or through farmers' market or by whatever means people can sell them, severely restricts the potential of human beings to survive in our country and to better themselves.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Duldulao then rose to speak in favor of the resolutions, stating:

"Let me just explain to my colleagues that the purpose of these resolutions is to protect, you know, the health of the community or the consumer that buys from open markets or house-to-house vegetable sales or market sales, and to make sure that people that raise vegetables in their backyards or on a small farm be also mindful of the pesticides that they use so that they will not cause health hazards or cause any other illness or side effects due to pesticide contamination to consumers.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the joint reports of the majority of the Committees were adopted and H.R. No. 19, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TO INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY OF INSPECTING THE QUALITY OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD IN OPEN MARKETS AND IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS," and

H.C.R. No. 16, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TO INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY OF INSPECTING THE QUALITY OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD IN OPEN MARKETS AND IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS," were adopted, with Representative Tatibouet voting no.

Representative Ihara, for the Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 914) recommending that H.R. No. 34 be adopted.

Representative Ihara, for the Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 915) recommending that H.C.R. No. 25 be adopted.

Representative Ihara moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted and H.R. No. 34 and H.C.R. No. 25 be adopted, seconded by Representative Tajiri.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in favor of the resolutions, stating:

"Camp Kailua is in my district. Many of you have probably gone over to that area of the island and enjoyed Kailua Bay or the facilities at Camp Kailua.

"We have been working very hard to keep the City administration from tearing down the facilities which are used by many groups, including the senior citizens, the disabled, and the support of the Legislature in sending this message across over to City Hall to say, don't demolish those facilities, let's keep that for the people to use, will be of great assistance, and I strongly urge my fellow representatives to support these resolutions.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 34, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO SUSPEND PLANS TO DEMOLISH THE CAMP KAILUA FACILITIES AND TO CONSIDER PLANS TO RENOVATE THE CAMP FACILITIES," and H.C.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO SUSPEND PLANS TO DEMOLISH THE CAMP KAILUA FACILITIES AND TO CONSIDER PLANS TO RENOVATE THE CAMP FACILITIES," were adopted.

Representative Isbell, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 916) recommending that H.R. No. 7 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Isbell, seconded by Representative Bainum and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORTION TO IMPLEMENT PROVISIONS OF ACT 337, 1987 SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII, MANDATING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE HOUSING INFORMATION SYSTEM," was adopted.

Representative Isbell, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 917) recommending that H.C.R. No. 3 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Isbell, seconded by Representative Bainum and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORTION TO IMPLEMENT PROVISIONS OF ACT 337, 1987 SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII, MANDATING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE HOUSING INFORMATION SYSTEM," was adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Tam: "Due to the lateness in our session, although the Education Committee had a public hearing at 1:30, I am going to ask the members for the kind indulgence to the delay until about 1:45."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:17 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Wednesday, March 20, 1991.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, March 20, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:45 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Lt. Daniel E. Roysden of the Chaplain Corps, U.S. Navy, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Apo, Bellinger, Okamura and Santiago, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Fourth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Fourth Day was approved.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 177 to 185) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 177, transmitting copies of the Office of Youth Services Strategic Plan, prepared by the Office of Youth Services, Department of Human Services, pursuant to Act 375, SLH 1989.

Gov. Msg. No. 178, transmitting copies of the report on the "Adequacy of Welfare Allowances, 1991," prepared by the Department of Human Services, Planning Office, as required by Section 346-53 and 346-54 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 179, transmitting copies of the State's C.I.P. Status Report - Construction Summary, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance. This annual report provides information on the status of capital improvement projects authorized by the Legislature and is presented in representative district order.

Gov. Msg. No. 180, transmitting copies of the State's C.I.P. Status Report - Financial Summary, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance. This annual report provides information on the status of capital project appropriations authorized by the Legislature from 1983 to 1990. This information has been extracted from the Department of Accounting and General Services' bond fund report and presented in representative district order.

Gov. Msg. No. 181, transmitting copies of the State Plan Policy Council Biennial Review and Report for 1989-1990, pursuant to Chapter 226, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended. This report was prepared in accordance with Section 226-62, HRS, which specifies that the Policy Council submit a biennial review and report to the Legislature on progress in implementing the Hawaii State Plan.

Gov. Msg. No. 182, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Commission on Water Resource Management, Department of Land and Natural Resources, concerning the protection of high natural quality rivers and streams in response to Section 174C-31(c)(4), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 183, transmitting copies of a report prepared and submitted by the University of Hawaii in

response to H.B. 205, Section 147 (Act 316, SLH 1989), Requesting the University of Hawaii to Submit a Report to the Legislature on the Expenditure of Funds for Non-Recurring Equipment Expenditures.

Gov. Msg. No. 184, transmitting copies of a report prepared and submitted by the University of Hawaii in response to H.B. No. 2500, CD 1, Section 165A (Act 299, SLH 1990), Requesting the University of Hawaii to Submit a Report on Faculty and Administration Salaries.

Gov. Msg. No. 185, transmitting copies of the 1990 Annual Report of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 5 and 6) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 5 from Jeanette C. Takamura, Ph.D., Director, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii, transmitting reports on Case Management for Hawaii's Older Adults.

Dept. Com. No. 6 from Yukio Kitagawa, Chairperson, Board of Agriculture, State of Hawaii, transmitting copies of the 1991 Hawaii Agricultural export directories for flowers/nursery and food products.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 2 to 5) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 2 from Daniel J. Kalinger, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, acknowledging receipt of House Resolution No. 2, SD 1, conveying the State of Hawaii's support for the service members in the Persian Gulf

Misc. Com. No. 3 from the Honorable Daniel K. Inouye, United States Senator, acknowledging receipt of House Resolution No. 27, pertaining to Mr. Bruce I. Yamashita.

Misc. Com. No. 4 from the Honorable Patsy T. Mink, Member of Congress, acknowledging receipt of a House Resolution expressing strong support of Hawaii resident Bruce I. Yamashita and denouncing racial discrimination.

Misc. Com. No. 5 from J.R. Williams, Colonel, U.S. Marine Corps, Deputy Inspector General, By direction of the Commandant of the Marine Corps, acknowledging receipt of a copy of House Resolution No. 27, expressing strong support for Mr. Bruce I. Yamashita who was disenrolled from the Marine Corps Officer Candidate School in 1989.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Cachola introduced Mr. Andres Campos Inez, "who came from the Philippines to Hawaii 35 years ago. Today, he became a naturalized American citizen and he considers this as an accomplishment and a great honor for him, to live and retire in the greatest country in the world and the best state in the union." He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Inez, his children and grandchildren.

Representative Stegmaier introduced Dr. Wayne Iwaoka, a scientist at the University of Hawaii.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following Senate Bills were re-referred as follows:

S.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

- 8 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection; Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs; Health; and Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 18 Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources
- 767 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 817 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 831 Jointly to the Committees on Planning and Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 952 Committee on Human Services
- 1045 Jointly to the Committees on Higher Education and the Arts and Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1168 Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
- 1255 Jointly to the Committees on Housing; Consumer Protection and Commerce; and Judiciary
- 1346 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1352 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1435 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1529 Committee on Judiciary
- 1841 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1907 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2095 Committee on Judiciary

The following resolution (H.R. No. 303) was rereferred as follows (Floor Action):

H.R. No. Re-referred to:

303 Committee on Planning and Economic Development, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:52 o'clock a.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Friday, March 15, 1991.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

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Thursday, March 21, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Kawena Young of the Bahai Faith, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Peters, Shon, Tajiri and Yoshimura, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Fifth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Fifth Day was approved.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 186) was read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 186, letter from the Governor to the Honorable Daniel Kihano, recommending immediate passage of H.B. 1453, HD 2, SD 2, which makes an appropriation of \$6,000,000 for a special marketing campaign to promote Hawaii's visitor industry in the United States and Japan, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Bunda introduced a group of fifth grade students from Hale Kula Elementary. They were accompanied by their teachers, Ms. Rachel Sato and Ms. Gail Izumi; and parent chaperones, Mrs. Wilhite and Mrs. Baker.

Representative M. Ige, on behalf of Representative Tom and himself, introduced members of Ho'opaepae, a private non-profit organization that provides social services to individuals with mental disabilities, and these "members are doing their very best to be contributing members of our community. They were accompanied by staff members, Lynnell Tom, Carol Chong and Nancy Hashimoto.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following Senate Bills were re-referred as follows:

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S.B. Nos.	Re-referred to:
12	Committee on Finance
23 Commerce	Committee on Consumer Protection and
60	Committee of Committee and

62 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

153 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce

704	Committee on Finance
546	Committee on Finance
732	Committee on Finance
817 the Committee	Committee on Human Services, then to on Finance
1435	Committee on Finance

Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

H.R. No. 390, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE HAWAII STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN," was jointly offered by Representatives Amaral, Baker, Chun, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hashimoto, Hirono, Horita, Isbell, Kawakami, Marumoto, Tatibouet, Thielen and Young and was read by the Clerk.

On motion by Representative Amaral, seconded by Representative Hirono and carried, H.R. No. 390 was adopted.

Representative Amaral rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and my dear colleagues, it would be impossible to fill the room with all of those women that deserve recognition today. And so, in their stead, we have these four wonderful women to stand for them.

"The Hawaii State Commission on the Status of Women act in the role as recorders of women's history -- a history that has in the past been badly neglected and that today we hope will be properly recorded and give proper recognition to women's accomplishments. By its very nature, in order to get public recognition for one's achievement, one has to meet a very high criteria, a very high standard, and we do well honor those women that have accomplished that.

"But also today, we stand to recognize those women that perhaps would not meet the public standard or the public criteria of high honor but who, nonetheless, deserve recognition.

"Those women who would stand, perhaps to say 'no' to the boss that holds in his hand her whole financial security and financial future and well being, as hostage to his sexual favors and the promotion of his sexual goals, and by saying 'no,' threatens her very existence, we honor her. We honor that mother that stands before her defenseless child, who uses her body as a shield against an abusive parent, who probably will never be recognized except forever after the memory of that child who was protected. We honor the hundreds of women who, each day, act in a courageous manner, who, each day, fight against the odds that seem at least for today to be insurmountable, and tomorrow, as just a memory.

"And as a result of those courageous battles, we have before us today those women that stand in recognition daily of those battles that come before us daily, to recognize these women to articulate their needs, to fight for their support."

Representative Amaral then asked the following honorees to stand to be recognized: Holly Chun-ming, Chairperson of the Hawaii State Commission on the Status

of Women; Kathleen McRae, Executive Secretary of the Hawaii State Commission on the Status of Women; Proserfina Strona, Board member of the Foundation of Hawaii Women's History, Inc., who is in charge of the exhibits and publications of books on the history of Hawaii's women; and Nanci Kreidman, Chairperson of the Honolulu Committee on the Status of Women for the City and County of Honolulu.

Representative Amaral continued, saying:

"These are truly very special women. Mr. Speaker, we have often been criticized in the past for the way we conduct this ceremony and just for the purpose of clarification, not only as a woman but as a native Hawaiian, it is important that you all understand that I have asked certain of my colleagues to assist in the giving of the leis. In the past, we have attached certain sexual connotations to the presentation of the leis that is perhaps inappropriate. Instead, the presentation of the lei is one that the person that gives the lei presents something that contains their mana'o, their hard work, and the receiver of the lei acknowledges in their most vulnerable way, by exposing their most vulnerable position, an act of perfect trust, that this giving and receiving of the lei is, in fact, the highest honor that we can bestow. And those of us who are colleagues wish in public recognition to present the leis to those that we honor today."

Floral leis were presented to the honorees by Representatives Hirono, Baker, Young and Fukunaga while Representative Amaral presented a certified copy of the resolution to Holly Chun-ming.

At 12:04 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:09 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Young: "There will be a meeting of the House women in the House Majority Caucus Room right after session to discuss the press conference today in Room 405A regarding our 'Crimes Against Women' package."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:11 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Friday, March 22, 1991.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

Friday, March 22, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:35 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Sister Rosita Aranita, Associate Director of the Office for Social Ministry, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hashimoto, M. Ige, Kanoho, Peters and Tam, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Sixth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Sixth Day was approved.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 187 to 191) were read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 187, informing the House that on March 21, 1991, he signed the following bill into law:

Senate Bill No. 1811 as Act 2, entitled: "RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 188, transmitting copies of the 1990 Annual Report of the Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii as mandated by Section 307-6, H.R.S.

Gov. Msg. No. 189, transmitting copies of a Response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 330, HD 1, SD 1, Requesting a Complete Review of Geothermal Energy Production and the Underwater Cable Project Intended for the Exportation of Electric Power from the Island of Hawaii to Oahu, which was prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 190, transmitting copies of a report prepared and submitted by the University of Hawaii in response to SCR 241, SD 1, HD 1, Requesting A Study of the Legal Framework That Would Maximize the Utilization of Optical Data Storage Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 191, transmitting copies of the 1988 Hawaii Income Patterns prepared by the Department of Taxation.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Thielen introduced Rob Ketola from Kalamazoo, Michigan, who worked in her office as a volunteer

Representative Duldulao introduced a group of fourth grade students from Waipahu Elementary School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Agnes Sugiyama, Mr. Elden Nakamine and Mrs. Tina Lagmay.

Representative Isbell introduced two very important people from Kona, Hawaii -- Mike and Haley Galvin.

"Haley is the only hot air balloonist in the State and has been in several nations as well as states with the hot air balloon that has 'Aloha Hawaii' on it, and she has been really part of our HVB program. Her husband is head of the AJTPA Program in Kona."

Representative O'Kieffe then rose and added to the remarks by Representative Isbell, saying:

"I would like to remind the body that we honored Haley Ladd Galvin for her accomplishments by a resolution which many of you were gracious enough to sign and we sent to them, and I understand it's hanging by their front door. I'm not sure whether it's to scare off the dogs or the postman or what, but I, too, would like to acknowledge their presence and grand work. Until you go up in a hot air balloon, you'll never understand what a politician is made up of. What she has done is truly extraordinary and it's just a one-person brigade to take an unusual form of Aloha around the United States, and I'm proud to have known them for all the years I have when I first knocked on their door in 1984, and I am just real pleased that she is safe and I hope that she continues to stay safe and that her balloon will continue to soar higher and higher."

Representative Marumoto, on behalf of the Minority members, introduced Mr. Don Bliss, National President of the Ripan Society, the liberal wing of the Republican Party, founded in Wisconsin many decades ago. "He is from Washington, D.C., an attorney and a partner with the law firm of O'Melveny and Myers. They have a main office in Los Angeles and Tokyo, and probably elsewhere too. He is in Hawaii with his family vacationing. He was in the Peace Corps and was the first attorney in Micronesia when it was still a Trust Territory and worked for the Congress of Micronesia."

Representative Bainum introduced Mrs. Giblin from Arizona, mother of Paul Giblin of his office.

Representative Lee introduced his younger brother, Mr. Chew Hoy Lee, President of Lak Construction Co.

Representative Souki introduced Mr. Mike Kitagawa, "an old friend from Maui."

Representative Arakaki introduced Mr. Mike Chinen, a friend and constituent, and proprietor of Kalihi Shell Service Station.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DISPOSITION OF MATTER PLACED ON THE CLERK'S DESK

By unanimous consent, H.R. No. 107, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION WELCOMING THE UNITED STATES MARINES HOME FROM THE PERSIAN GULF," which was offered on March 8, 1991, was taken from the Clerk's desk and was read by the Clerk.

On motion by Representative Thielen, seconded by Representative Young and carried, H.R. No. 107 was adopted.

Representative Thielen then rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"It is a great privilege for me that my district includes the Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station. All of us know about the efforts of our Armed Forces during the war, and the astonishing results of those efforts. I want to take a few minutes today to tell you about the vital part the 7500 Kaneohe Marines who went to the Persian Gulf played in the war.

"One month ago today, on February 22nd, the air bombardment of Iraq and Kuwait had been going on for more than five weeks. No one knew what the results of that campaign were. No one knew how many Iraqis would fight, or what weapons they would use. On the night of February 22nd, elements of the First Marine Division of the First Marine Expeditionary Force, including units from KMCAS, crossed the border into Kuwait. They took up positions in front of their first objective, an Iraqi mine field and obstacle belt.

"The next night, February 23rd, the Marines attacked. By four the next morning, they had achieved their first objective and pushed the Iraqi forces back. The Kaneohe Marines continued their push north into Kuwait on the right flank of the First Marine Division. And they were among the first troops to enter Kuwait City.

"The commander at KMCAS, Brigadier General R.L. Phillips, has graciously sent us two Marines to represent all the Marines from the Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station who went to the Persian Gulf. Lieutenant Colonel John C. Garrett, if you would stand please, is the commanding officer of the Third Battalion of the Third Marine Regiment, also known as America's Battalion. His Marines were among the very first to cross the border from Saudi Arabia into Kuwait. And I should also tell you that Lieutenant Colonel Garrett is about to be promoted to full Colonel and so he deserves extra thanks of gratitude and a round of applause.

"Sergeant Sara Rivera, if you would stand please, leads a crew of ordnancemen in Marine Fighter Attack Squadron 235. She and her crew were a crucial part of the devastating air campaign against Iraq, and she deserves a round of applause.

"Also with us are two other people who are symbols and also live symbols of those who waited at home and went through that very difficult process. I would like to introduce Lt. Col. Garrett's wife, J.V., if you would stand, and Beth, who is representative of many of the young people who waited for a parent to come home. I invited them here to honor the families of our servicemen and servicewomen for the sacrifices they made and the loneliness and worry that they endured throughout the Sgt. Rivera's time their loved ones were in danger. husband, Wan, could not be with us but I know he is in spirit today as his wife is being honored. Lt. Col. Garrett's family and the families of his men went through a particularly trying year but the Third Battalion had a specially difficult time. They were stationed in Japan for six months, ending in August, and then they came home to Kaneohe only to be ordered out to the Middle East immediately. So they were away almost continuously for a year and the families deserve our appreciation and

"In closing, Mr. Speaker, I'd like to thank Brigadier General Phillips for arranging for Lt. Col. Garrett and Sergeant Rivera to come today, and I also want to thank all our guests for taking the time and the trouble to be here with us. Although the Marines have been back only a short while, these two Marines and their families were willing to spend part of their precious time with a bunch of politicians. And for that alone, they certainly deserve our thanks.

"Thank you very much."

Floral leis were presented to the honorees by Representatives Thielen, Anderson, Tom and Apo.

H.R. No. 391, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF DR. DONNIS H. THOMPSON," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Ihara, D. Ige, Alcon, Apo, Bainum, Baker, Chun, Duldulao, Hagino, Hashimoto, Hiraki, M. Ige, Isbell, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, Oshiro, Say, Shon, Takamine, Taniguchi, Tom, Yonamine and Yoshimura.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Ihara and carried, H.R. No. 391 was adopted.

Representative Arakaki then rose and prior to introducing the honoree, stated:

"I think the resolution speaks very well of Dr. Thompson.

"Mr. Speaker and colleagues, earlier this week we had lengthy discussions on matters pertaining to civil rights and, just yesterday, we honored the Commission on the Status of Women and women's history month. Perhaps it is only fitting that we end this week by honoring a woman of great stature who has certainly contributed to Hawaii's history as a leader in civil rights and in education. I should also note that while we pass legislation and resolutions expressing our commitment to protecting the human rights of our citizenry, the image of a black man savagely beaten by numerous policemen provide a sobering reminder that laws alone do not guarantee the protection of our civil rights. The same hatred, bigotry, and violence can occur anywhere in this world, this country, and even here in Hawaii. It is spawned by the failure to communicate and to educate.

"Most of us can fully understand that transformations of values, beliefs and acceptance do not automatically accompany changes in our laws. It occurs over a period of time, through effective education. It is no wonder then, that our honoree chose to be an educator; and her accomplishments as a health and physical education professor at the University of Hawaii-Manoa, being the first UH women's athletic director, and as superintendent of our Department of Education are all well documented.

"I also want to personally thank her for the education she provided me on the history of Black America and the significance of Dr. Martin Luther King's contribution to the advancement of civil rights. All this happened when we were both delegates for the Reverend Jesse Jackson at the 1988 Democratic Convention in Atlanta, Georgia.

"We returned from the convention as members of the Rainbow Coalition Steering Committee, buoyed by the Reverend Jackson's call to seek common ground in our search for social justice through non-violence. returned with a common dream, a dream which was so eloquently stated by our late colleague, Representative Roland Kotani, who said, 'We have a dream that the day will come when the immigrant Filipino, and the newcomer Black or White from the mainland will not face the bigotry of narrow-minded "localism" but will be welcomed as valued participants in our local community; we have a dream that one day the Hawaiian kid from Waianae or the Samoan kid from Kahuku will be able to share the same aspirations and ambitions for the future as the private school student from Kahala; we have a dream that we will see the day when there are no more homeless in need of shelter, no more hunger that is left unsatisfied, and no desperation that is not met by compassion and support; we have a dream that the day will come when Hawaii, the shining beacon of hope for humanity in the Pacific, will cast its light, not only with the promise, but with the reality of a society in which all men and women

are accepted as equals and are striving for the common good.'

"I can assure you, Mr. Speaker and colleagues, that her retirement will not end the pursuit of those dreams. If anything, it means a shifting of gears and perhaps more time and energy devoted to those dreams. And be forewarned, Chairman Souki, that she will not rest until she sees the establishment of a Martin Luther King Commission. Like Dr. King, she will persevere in her quiet non-combative style and I have no doubt that she will someday prevail. At this time, let us extend to her our heartfelt thanks for all that she has contributed to Hawaii and let us also wish her the very best in her new endeavors.

"Mr. Speaker, colleagues and others on the floor, it is my pleasure to introduce our honoree, Dr. Donnis Thompson."

Dr. Donnis Thompson then rose to be recognized.

Accompanying Dr. Thompson was her Godson, Mr. Kalani Dabutan, who then rose to be recognized.

Representative Ihara presented Dr. Thompson with a certified copy of the resolution and Representatives D. Ige and Horita presented the honorees with floral leis.

Representative Arakaki then asked friends of Dr. Thompson who were seated in the gallery to stand to be recognized, as follows: Charles and Jan Dabutan, parents of Kalani from Maui; Kenneth and Marsha Joiner; Faye Kennedy and Ardy McNair.

Representative Ward rose and stated:

"We've all heard about the delayed stress syndrome and before we honor these people that we've talked about, I'd like to just say that there's also a delayed pride syndrome. I've been very moved by this ceremony for the military as a Vietnam veteran. This is really a memorable day.

"Thank you all very much."

Representative Young then rose and stated:

"I just wanted to simply say that I have appreciated and admired the work that Dr. Thompson has done for many years. I've had the great privilege of working with her on many committees. At this time, I simply want to publicly thank her for all the work that she has done for women and children and the students of Hawaii.

"Thank you very much, Dr. Thompson."

At 12:07 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:19 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Shon, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 918) recommending that S.B. No. 1366, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Shon, seconded by Representative Duldulao and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1366, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL

RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Shon, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 919) recommending that S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Shon moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Duldulao.

Representative O'Kieffe rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in 1988, the Legislature acknowledged the Legislative Auditor's strong and appropriate criticism of the many inefficiencies of the then County/State hospital system and a significant drain of tax dollars by gross mismanagement. It did this by reducing the appropriation subsidy for the County/State hospital system to \$8,929,059. It also included the proviso requiring that the future executive budgets reduce the subsidy by about \$1-million per year until the subsidy would be zero.

"There was sound reasoning behind this. The County/State hospitals were to get their acts together and become more fiscally responsible and efficient. The same proviso was contained in the 1989 budget but then was unfortunately repealed last year in the supplemental budget.

"Mr. Speaker, as evidenced in this bill, the community hospital system has clearly not become more efficient.

"This bill follows as 16 percent State hospital rate increase which went into effect last September, and as of the first of this month the rates at Hilo, Kona, Maui and Hawaii community hospitals were raised a whopping 40 percent!

"What kind of quality health care can we give our citizens when suppliers would only supply on a cash basis, hospitals have no x-ray film, and bedpans are literally used for water pitchers?

"Why are we giving not just the \$15-million originally requested in the bill but an additional \$5-million on top of that to a system that has repeatedly proven itself fiscally irresponsible? Throwing good money at this problem will not solve it if we just sit back and do nothing about the management.

"Mr. Speaker, by passing this bill, we are asking our taxpayers to fund continued inefficiency.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR COMMUNITY HOSPITALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Shon, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 920) recommending that S.B. No. 1157, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Shon, seconded by Representative Duldulao and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1157, SD 1,

entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUTHORIZATION OF REFUNDING SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY IN PROVIDING A HEALTH CARE FACILITY TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Shon, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 921) recommending that S.B. No. 430, SD 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Shon, seconded by Representative Duldulao and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 430, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MOBILE THERAPY TEAM PROGRAM FOR INFANTS AND TODDLERS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Hagino rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour notice requirement for the purpose of reconsidering decision previously taken on Senate Bill 1131, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Hagino: "There will be a meeting of the Water, Land Use and IIA Committees this afternoon after the Environmental Protection hearing on Senate Bill 1131 for decision-making only."

Representative D. Ige then rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour notice requirement on Senate Bill 1901, SD 1, to reconsider action previously taken. "This is a measure for which the House has held two public hearings at this point and we would just like to reconsider decision-making, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative D. Ige: "I would just like to announce that your Committees on Transportation and Higher Education and the Arts will have decision-making on Senate Bill 1901, SD 1, this afternoon at 1:30 in Conference Room 328. In addition, we will be having decision-making on Senate Bills 631, 1333 and 1313 for which we previously had public hearings."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, yesterday in Washington, D.C. on the floor of the U.S. Senate, this august body was mentioned and Senator Cranston said that it was highly unusual, but so impressive, that this body would give unanimous resolution for the appointment of Pat Saiki as head of the SBA.

"After having talked with her and congratulated her yesterday, Mr. Speaker, she extends her thanks and gratitude to you and to every member of this body for what looks to be a sure appointment.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Arakaki moved "to keep the Journal open until 12:00 o'clock midnight this legislative day, and that all Standing Committee Reports received by the Clerk up to such time be adopted and that all bills accompanying said reports pass Second Reading and be referred to the committees designated therein."

The motion was seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried.

At 12:25 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess for the purpose of receiving committee reports.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following Standing Committee Reports (Stand. Com. Rep. Nos. 922 to 1100) were received in the Clerk's Office up to 12:00 o'clock midnight this legislative day and, in accordance with a motion made earlier, all Senate Bills accompanying said Standing Committee Reports passed Second Reading and were referred to the committees designated on said committee reports:

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 922 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 372, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY CENTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 923 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 339, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENT SUPPLEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 924 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 817, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 925 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 420, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 926 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 487, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM FOR WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 927 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1351, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATION OF THE RANDOLPH-SHEPPARD REVOLVING ACCOUNT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 928 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1612, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 929 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 693, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR NURSING HOME WITHOUT WALLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 930 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1353, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 931 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 963, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN

SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 932 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1792, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 933 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1404, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LITERACY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 934 (TSM) was adopted and S.B. No. 1850, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONCESSIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 935 (TSM/TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 2114, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ALA MOANA GATEWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 936 (TSM/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1176, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SOLAR ECLIPSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 937 TSM/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 2135, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 938 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1209, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 939 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 179, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ESTABLISH A CONDOMINIUM PROJECT POSITION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 940 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1198, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 941 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1704, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 942 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1084, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 943 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1317, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and

was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 944 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1082, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 945 (LAB-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1706, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance. (Representatives Tatibouet, Thielen and Ward voted no).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 946 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1373, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 947 (PED) was adopted and S.B. No. 864, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 948 (PED) was adopted and S.B. No. 1388, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII FILM FACILITY SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 949 (PED) was adopted and S.B. No. 1390, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 950 (PED) was adopted and S.B. No. 1737, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM FOR THE COMMUNITY-BASED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 951 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1381, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATION OF A COMMISSION FOR PERFORMANCE STANDARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 952 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1335, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVOCATION OF CERTIFICATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 953 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1334, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTENDANCE OF BLIND AND DEAF CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 954 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 695, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOAT AND WATER SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 955 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 626, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL/COMMUNITY-BASED MANAGEMENT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 956 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 621, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 957 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 544, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PARENT-COMMUNITY NETWORKING CENTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 958 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 543, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 959 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 532, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLASS SIZE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 960 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 2099, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ONE SECRETARY POSITION AND TWO FIFTEEN PASSENGER VANS FOR STOREFRONT, WAHIAWA, OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 961 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1852, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH AND SEIZURE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 962 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1683, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 963 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1511, SD 1, entitled: "A FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A CLASSROOM LIBRARY INCLUDING A LIBRARY INVENTORY, MOBILE CARTS, AND SHELVING FOR KAPAA ELEMENTARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 964 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1484, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 965 (EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1462, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOVING IMAGE PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 966 (PED/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 831, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS AND

SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 967 (AGR) was adopted and S.B. No. 827, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MACADAMIA NUTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 968 (AGR) was adopted and S.B. No. 1819, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 969 (AGR) was adopted and S.B. No. 2053, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ocean and Marine Resources.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 970 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1083, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 971 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1286, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 972 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1449, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 973 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1290, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 974 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1239, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENTS OF THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 975 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1534, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 976 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 1915, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB-SHARING FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 977 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 818, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 978 (LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 2122, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SOCIAL AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES INCUBATOR PROJECT FOR THE WEST OAHU REGION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 979 (LAB/EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1338, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARIES AND CLASSIFICATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 980 (LAB/EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1337, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EDUCATIONAL OFFICER CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ADJUSTMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 981 (HLT/HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1799, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEECH AND HEARING IMPAIRED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 982 (HLT/HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 140, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 983 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 480, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR PERSONS WHO ARE DEAF AND HARD-OF-HEARING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 984 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1775, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDIATRIC IMMUNOLOGY PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN INFECTED WITH HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV)," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 985 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 356, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 986 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1736, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WAIANAE ADOLESCENT HEALTH NETWORK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 987 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1372, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 988 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1572, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERINATAL CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 989 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1567, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 990 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 721, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 991 (HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 153, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE DOGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 992 (IIA/HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 249, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY BUILDING CODES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Housing.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 993 (IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 569, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Housing.

Stand., Com. Rep. No. 994 (IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 440, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand., Com. Rep. No. 995 (IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1907, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand., Com. Rep. No. 996 (IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1630, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand., Com. Rep. No. 997 (IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1254, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE ACTIVITY BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 998 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1218, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETURN FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 999 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1222, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CERTIFICATE FOR LIQUOR LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1000 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1213, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR CONSUMERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1001 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1230, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1914, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1003 (EEP/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1523, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT MINERAL RIGHTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1004 (EEP/CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1892, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST OLOKELE SUGAR COMPANY IN IMPROVING ITS ELECTRICAL POWER GENERATION CAPABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1005 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1962, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS WASTE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1006 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1998, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAXATION OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1007 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1273, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FOREST STEWARDSHIP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1008 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1329, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUID FUEL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1009 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 103, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1010 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1718, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1011 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1524, SD 3, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1012 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1378, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL AREA PARTNERSHIPS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1013 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1797, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1014 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 125, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTRICT AND CIRCUIT COURT COSTS AND FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1015 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1167, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1016 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1110, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1017 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1842, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled; "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1018 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1839, SD 1, entitled: "A FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLOOD AND SALIVA TESTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1019 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1424, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1020 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1186, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS BY THE STATE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1021 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1847, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1022 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1269, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1023 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1297, as amended in HD 1, entitled" "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1024 (TRN/HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 771, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES FOR LITTERING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1025 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1088, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1026 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1310, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE HIGHWAYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1027 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1307, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1028 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1304, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORT RULES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1029 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 212, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1030 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 712, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance. (Representative Marumoto voted no).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1031 (TRN/HED) was adopted and S.B. No. 1312, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1032 (TRN/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 25, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1033 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1902, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1034 (TRN/HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1956, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1035 (TRN/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1332, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1036 (TRN/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1224, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS UNDER THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1037 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1053, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WILDLIFE REVOLVING FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1038 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 925, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1039 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 248, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1040 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 163, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1041 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1756, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE LAW," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1042 (EEP-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1726, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1043 (IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1247, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Housing.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1044 (EEP) was adopted and S.B. No. 1766, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1045 (OMR/TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1306, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATION OF THRILL CRAFT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1046 (OMR) was adopted and S.B. No. 870, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MARINE GERMPLASM COLLECTION CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1047 (OMR) was adopted and S.B. No. 1279, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1048 (OMR-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1525, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE AND COASTAL RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1049 (OMR) was adopted and S.B. No. 115, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII UNDERSEA RESEARCH LABORATORY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1050 (OMR) was adopted and S.B. No. 1278, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1051 (OMR/HLT-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 113, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHARACTERIZATION OF NON-CIGUATERA MARINE TOXIN IN REEF FISH AND ALGAE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1052 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 8, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,"

passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1053 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1812, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1054 (CPC/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 472, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1055 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 390, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAVEL AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1056 (TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1223, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1057 (EEP/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1408, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1058 (HUS/HSG/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1383, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1059 (HUS/HSG/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1382, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTANCE TO HOMELESS FAMILIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1060 (HUS/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 648, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1061 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 767, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1062 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1340, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1063 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1346, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1064 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1349, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL CARE SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1065 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1354, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1066 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 401, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM TUITION ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1067 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 402, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FAMILY HELP PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1068 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 1498, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR GAP BUDGETING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1069 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 1280, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1070 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 1158, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE HISTORY CENTER OR MUSEUM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1071 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 1131, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1072 (WLH/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1434, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS DISPOSSESSED OR DISPLACED BY VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1073 (WLH/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1311, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1074 (HED) was adopted and S.B. No. 1330, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075 (HED) was adopted and S.B. No. 631, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1076 (HED/EDN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1460, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAII OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM IN EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1077 (HED/IIA) was adopted and S.B. No. 1801, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR STRENGTHENING THE HAWAII INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL OUTREACH PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1078 (HED/PED) was adopted and S.B. No. 431, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ETV HAWAII/ELEPHANT TELEVISION, INC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1079 (HED/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1045, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1080 (HED/TRN-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT TRAINING CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1081 (EEP/HLT/IIA/LAB) was adopted and S.B. No. 9, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1082 (HSG) was adopted and S.B. No. 1251, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1083 (HSG) was adopted and S.B. No. 1250, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1084 (HSG) was adopted and S.B. No. 180, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled" "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1085 (HSG) was adopted and S.B. No. 976, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1086 (HSG-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1352, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1087 (HSG) was adopted and S.B. No. 1093, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTERS' INCOME TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1088 (HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 733, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1089 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 1393, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1090 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 999, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1091 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 1282, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1092 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 2055, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1093 (JUD-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 2013, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMES OF CHANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance. (Representatives Marumoto and Thielen voted no).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1094 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1858, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1095 (JUD/HLT) was adopted and S.B. No. 1120, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR OUTREACH HELP TO INJECTION DRUG USERS AND SEXUAL PARTNERS OF INJECTION DRUG USERS FOR PREVENTION OF TRANSMISSION OF THE HIV VIRUS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1096 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1221, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CHECKOFFS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1097 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1130, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RELIEF FOR DEPLOYED MILITARY PERSONNEL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1098 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 795, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COMMITTEE ON GENDER AND OTHER FAIRNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1099 (JUD/TRN/HED) was adopted and S.B. No. 353, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1100 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 277, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST UTILITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. on Monday, March 25, 1991.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

Monday, March 25, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:43 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Reverend Taiken Akiyama of the Haleiwa Shingon Mission, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Hashimoto, Hirono, Peters, Say, Shon, Tam, Taniguchi and Yoshimura, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Seventh Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Seventh Day was approved.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Tajiri, on behalf of Representative Metcalf and himself, introduced a group of little leaguers, the Waiakea (Hilo) Little League team. They were accompanied by their coach, Bobby Miyake; and Manager, Alec Muramoto.

Representative Tajiri, on behalf of the Big Island delegation, then introduced a group of high school students from various schools on the Big Island, who are participants in the Close-up New America Program. "These students are basically newcomers from the Philippines, Palau, the Marshall Islands, and Tahiti." They were accompanied by their teachers, Julie Constance and Mrs. Filly Taroma.

Representative Arakaki introduced guests from Kauai, as follows: Lane Hashimoto, 13 years old and an 8th grader at Kauai Intermediate and High School; his brother Stan, 8 years old and a student at Wilcox Elementary School; Margo Hashimoto, mother and a librarian at Kauai High School; Douglas Crawley, 10 years old and a student at Punahou School; and his mother, Fumiko Crawley.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following Senate Bills were re-referred as follows:

S.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

1248 Jointly to the Committees on Water, Land Use and Hawaijan Affairs and Housing

1596 Committee on Finance

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 146 and 266) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 137, 242 and 307) were re-referred as follows:

H.R. Nos. Re-referred to:

146 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Health

266 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Higher Education and the Arts

H.C.R. Nos.

137 Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Health

242 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Higher Education and the Arts

307 Jointly to the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Health

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 392 and 393) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 392, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE HAWAIIAN SUGAR TECHNOLOGISTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Honda, Chang, Alcon, Anderson, Apo, Baker, Bellinger, Cachola, Fukunaga, Hagino, Hashimoto, Hirono, D. Ige, Isbell, Kanoho, Kawakami, Kihano, Lee, Marumoto, Okamura, O'Kieffe, Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Shon, Souki, Tajiri, Takamine, Tam, Taniguchi, Tatibouet and Young.

On motion by Representative Honda, seconded by Representative Chang and carried, H.R. No. 392 was adopted.

Representative Honda rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"The resolution provides a very brief overview of the origin of the sugar industry in Hawaii. The resolution also describes and furnishes a short history of the organization that we are honoring this morning. Through all these years, the development and improvement of techniques in the sugar industry resulted in higher sugar yields, better control of diseases, pests and noxious weeds. It also stimulated diversification of products either manufactured or utilized by by-products of the sugarcane. Without highly trained, talented or dedicated employees, these technological advances would not have been possible as it is today.

"I would like to introduce a few representatives of the Hawaiian Sugar Technologists and I would ask that you hold your applause until all five of them are introduced.

"First, Mr. Yoshiaki Tanabe who is the President of Hawaiian Sugar Technologists; Mr. Ken Kunimitsu who is a member of the Board of Governors; Mr. William Keenliside who is head of the Sugar Technology Department of HSPA; Mr. Rick Klemm who is the Public Relations person at HSPA; and Mr. Jack Kong, Secretary-Treasurer of the Hawaiian Sugar Technologists."

The honorees all rose to be recognized and were presented floral leis by Representatives Isbell, Marumoto, Kawakami, Fukunaga and Baker, and Representative Honda presented Mr. Tanabe with a certified copy of the resolution.

H.R. No. 393, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE PEARL CITY HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' SOCCER TEAM ON WINNING THE STATE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP," was jointly offered by Representatives D. Ige, Kihano, Yonamine, Hashimoto, Anderson, Apo, Arakaki, Chun, Fukunaga, Hagino, Hiraki, Honda, Isbell, Kawakami, Morihara, Okamura, O'Kieffe, Shon, Takamine, Tatibouet, Thielen and Yoshimura.

On motion by Representative D. Ige, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, H.R. No. 393 was adopted.

Representative D. Ige then rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, the resolution speaks for itself but just to note how big soccer has grown in the community. When I was a student at Pearl City High School, there was no soccer team and there were no soccer community leagues. Today, there is a thriving soccer program at the high school and there are over a thousand young people involved in soccer on an annual basis.

"To win our State championship once is truly a tribute in itself. To win it back to back is an exceptional fete just because as State champions, everybody is gunning for you. Certainly, today, we are here to honor a special group of young athletes and coaches and community members.

"With that brief introduction, I'd like to introduce our honorees on the floor this morning.

"First of all, we have our team captain, co-player of the year, and three-time All-Star, Leilani Keopuhiwa; Kris-Ann Kanemoto, First Team OIA West Division All-Star Team; and Mr. Archie Chung, Coach of the Year.

The honorees all rose to be recognized.

Representative D. Ige continued his introduction, saying:

"We also have the other members of the team in the audience, Mr. Speaker, if we could hold our applause until they are all introduced.

"Sara Tanita, Co-player of the Year; Shelby Rae Lee, Heather Ojiri, Kristin Ota and Sheri Shimodoi, members of the All-Star Team; Lianne Abe, Lara Anzai, Nicole Arakawa, Renee Dennison, Jill Enomoto, Dayle Liu, Shelly Matsuoka, Cherise Mishima, Kristi-Ann Miwa, Joy Morisawa, Brooke Nagaji, Stacy Nakagawa, Nicole Nakaoka, Jennifer Ono, Jennifer Proctor, Karri Watanabe, Jill Yasutake, and Amoreena Young, team members; Al Watanabe, assistant coach; managers, Kimberly Moriyasu and Roxann Yonashiro; and student trainers, Jerlene Shimizu and Joey Willis."

The honorees all rose to be recognized.

Representative D. Ige then presented a certified copy of the resolution to Leilani, while floral leis were presented to Leilani by Representative Yonamine, to Kris by Representative Okamura, and to Archie Chung by Representative Chun.

Representative D. Ige then asked the parents and supporters of the Pearl City High School Soccer Team who were seated in the gallery to stand to be recognized.

At 12:05 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:09 o'clock p.m.

At 12:10 o'clock p.m., Representative Arakaki asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:21 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Young: "There will be a joint hearing of the Senate Housing and Hawaiian Affairs Committee and the House Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs tomorrow, 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 26, in the Capitol Auditorium. The topic will be analyzing the Governor's action plan to address controversies under the Hawaiian Home Lands Trust and the Public Land Trust."

Representative Santiago: "I just wanted to announce to my colleagues that I have been in touch with the American Red Cross and they have informed me that they are set up to take in funds for the March flood victims. So anybody interested in contributing to those people who were devastated by the flood this past week, you can send your checks directly to the Red Cross or my office."

The Chair asked:

"Does that include the Waiawa and Pearl City people also?"

Representative Santiago answered:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker, it will be distributed to all peoples who were affected by the flood."

The Chair thanked Representative Santiago.

Representative Arakaki then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker and colleagues, last year I had the opportunity to realize the pain of hunger by going on an eleven-day fast. I also learned about homelessness, spending a night on the street. But I realize that one doesn't have to experience hunger and homelessness to feel compassion and empathy for those who have to experience it on a daily basis.

"And I am proposing that this House lead the way and set an example for the people of Hawaii to participate in the Third Annual Hawaii Foodbank Food Drive. I am proposing that each member contribute either five pounds or five dollars as their contribution to the food drive. And I am also going to issue a challenge to the Senate that they come up with at least half of what we contribute to the Foodbank Drive.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Metcalf then rose and stated:

"I would just like to comment on the Majority Floor Leader's suggestion. I think the Senate should be required to match us as their campaign funds certainly are more ample than ours.

"Thank you."

Representative Isbell then remarked:

"Mr. Speaker, actually five pounds is worth a lot more than five dollars. One pound maybe is worth five dollars."

Representative Isbell was then granted permission to make a late introduction and she introduced a group of youth legislators -- young men and women from the YMCA throughout the State.

Representative Young then rose and stated:

"I happened to be here on Saturday and I saw them on the floor, sitting in our chairs here in the chambers, and I was really heartened to think that their youthful, vibrant energy are there in your chairs today, and I hope it inspires us when we think about the future of Hawaii's children.

"Thank you very much."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:27 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, March 27, 1991.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

Wednesday, March 27, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:45 o'clock a.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Bishop Dwight Nakamura of the Jodo Mission of Hawaii, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Isbell and Yonamine, who were excused.

At 11:50 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:53 o'clock a.m.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Eighth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Eighth Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 386 to 396) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 386, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY AND REPORT ON THE COORDINATION OF MENTAL HEALTH NEEDS OF CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS BETWEEN STATE AGENCIES," which was adopted by the Senate on March 25, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 387, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO DESIGNATE ONE WEEK EACH YEAR TO CALL ATTENTION TO THE PROBLEM OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE IN HAWAII," which was adopted by the Senate on March 25, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 388, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO UNDERTAKE THE NECESSARY PROCEDURES TO SECURE A FEDERAL GRANT FROM THE UNITED STATES COMMISSION ON NATIONAL SERVICE TO ESTABLISH A NATIONAL SERVICE PILOT PROGRAM IN HAWAII," which was adopted by the Senate on march 25, 1901

By unanimous consent, further action on S.C.R. Nos. 4, 11 and 20 was deferred.

Sen. Com. No. 389, returning House Bill No. 1008, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITATIONS OF ACTIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 390, returning House Bill No. 1166, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION CONTESTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 391, returning House Bill No. 1168, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOMINATION PAPERS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 392, returning House Bill No. 1571, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 393, returning House Bill No. 363, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 394, returning House Bill No. 600, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 395, returning House Bill No. 934, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NAMES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 396, returning House Bill No. 1453, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 25, 1991, in an amended form.

By unanimous consent, H.B. Nos. 363, HD 1; 600, HD 1; 934, HD 1; and 1453, HD 2, as amended by the Senate, were placed on the Clerk's desk, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. Nos. 363, HD 1, SD 1; 600, HD 1, SD 1; 934, HD 1, SD 1; and 1453, HD 2, SD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

MATTER PLACED ON THE CLERK'S DESK

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1453, HD 2 (SD 2), and requested a conference on the subject matter of said amendments.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Tam, on behalf of Representatives Hiraki, Shon, Hagino, Hirono, Chun and himself, introduced seven immigrant students from McKinley High School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Ms. Lum, Mrs. Kunihiro and Mrs. Obayashi.

Representative Stegmaier, on behalf of Representative Ward and himself, introduced seven Boy Scouts from Troop 101 in Hawaii Kai. They were accompanied by Joe Alm, Assistant Scoutmaster, and Adele Ching, a representative from the Hawaii Kai Lions Club which sponsors the troop.

Representative Say, on behalf of Representatives Tom, Anderson and himself, introduced Miss Selena Tang, "a very lovely lady," who was seated in the gallery.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. No. 731 and S.B. No. 765) were re-referred as follows:

H.B. No. Re-referred to:

731 Committee on Finance

S.B. No.

765 Committee on Judiciary

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 394 and 395) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 394, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING ISABELLA AIONA ABBOTT FOR HER SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO SCIENCE AND EDUCATION IN THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Alcon, Amaral, Apo, Arakaki, Baker, Chun, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Honda, Horita, D. Ige, Ihara, Isbell, Kanoho, Kawakami, Kihano, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, Okamura, Peters, Santiago, Stegmaier, Tajiri and Yonamine.

On motion by Representative Young, seconded by Representative D. Ige and carried, H.R. No. 394 was adopted.

Representative Young rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"As we said before, March is 'Women's History Month,' and I believe it is only fitting that we close this last week of March by observing an extraordinary and notable woman of Hawaii.

"Isabella Aiona Abbott was born in Hana, Maui, to a Chinese father and Hawaiian-Chinese mother. She was the youngest and only girl in her family and enjoyed an intense competition with her brothers.

"Her half Chinese/half Hawaiian mother spoke fluent Hawaiian and was a descendant of Pele. Her strong commitment to the value of Hawaiian culture was passed to Isabella.

"Her father, originally from China, was an indentured worker with the sugar company that brought him to Hawaii. After years of working to pay that debt, her parents opened a small store in Hana. Although they were cautioned that a non-plantation store would never succeed, they persisted and became very successful. That same determination to succeed was passed on to their daughter. By the way, members, that store was a precursor to Hasegawa General Store in Hana, Maui.

"After graduating from Kamehameha Schools, Isabella Abbott attended the University of Hawaii, majoring in biology. In her freshman biology class, she was seated next to a shy Chicagoan whose last name also began with an 'A' -- Donald Putnam Abbott. Throughout their undergraduate years, they became very fond of each other. However, upon graduation, they temporarily parted to pursue their graduate education. Isabella travelled to the University of Michigan to pursue her master's degree in botany while Don stayed at the University of Hawaii to get his master's degree in zoology. But before they could get back together, World War II broke out and Don Abbott joined the service. In

late 1942, Isabella came back to Hawaii and in early 1943, Isabella Aiona and Donald Abbott were married. She served as an instructor at the University of Hawaii until 1946 when her husband's military commitment ended. Upon leaving Hawaii, they enrolled at the University of California at Berkeley to pursue their doctorates. In 1950, after receiving their PhDs, they moved to Pacific Grove, California, where Don Abbott was appointed to a professorship at Stanford University's Hopkins Marine Station.

"Although both became well-known and respected for their scientific research and marvelous teaching skills, Isabella also became quite a political power in the politics of Monterey County. As a former campaign manager for State Senator Fred Farr, she was an active member of the Democratic Party. Her advice was continually sought by the political powers in Monterey County.

"In 1982, after 32 years at the Hopkins Marine Station, the Abbotts retired and moved to Hawaii. Don Abbott went back to his first love -- studying marine tunicates, and Isabella was appointed the G.P. Wilder Professor of Botany, one of only seven endowed chairs at the University of Hawaii. Isabella Abbott is known internationally as one of the foremost names in marine botany. She is also known throughout the Pacific region as an expert in the scientific and cultural aspects of plants. She is current finishing a manuscript entitled, Hawaiian Cultural Use of Plants: An Ethnobotany, to be published by the Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum Press.

"In her role as scientist and educator, she has encouraged women to pursue careers in science and has given valuable advice on being successful in a traditionally male-dominated field. She has also helped countless minority students, especially those belonging to the Hawaiian community. As a very positive role model for women and Hawaiians, she has given many hours to community service without ever expecting or asking for recognition. While doing all of this, she still finds time and energy to serve on the Board of Directors of the Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum, the Faculty Board of the Manoa Writing Program, the Board of Editors of the University of Hawaii Press, and the Hawaiian Council of the University of Hawaii's Center for Hawaiian Studies.

"All these accomplishments require tremendous amounts of time. However, at any one time, you're likely to find her hosting various visitors from around the world at her home and engaging in her favorite pastimes -- introducing them to Hawaiian culture and cooking. In fact, among her circle of friends, she's known as an excellent chef and entertainer.

"Isabella Aiona Abbott is respected by her fellow researchers and professors, admired by her friends, and is looked upon as a tremendous role model by her students. Her career accomplishments and community service indicate her value to her profession and her value to the State of Hawaii.

"It is indeed an honor to present to the members of the House -- Dr. Isabella Aiona Abbott.

"Accompanying Dr. Abbott is Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dr. Paul Yuen; the Chair of the University of Hawaii's Botany Department, Dr. Gerald Carr; the Program Officer of Academic Affairs, Mr. William Thomas; and Director of the University of Hawaii's Minority Students, Dr. Amy Agbayani."

The honorees all rose to be recognized, and Dr. Isabella Abbott was presented a certified copy of the resolution by Representative Young, and floral leis were

presented by Representatives D. Ige, Kawakami, Amaral, Marumoto and Peters.

Representative Lee then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to add a few words about Dr. Abbott.

"We first met under the whale in Bishop Museum and Representative Young has detailed her career and her life very well. She is a woman, an educator, a scientist, and a mother, and everything else you can think of.

"What I would like to stress is that she is a real Hawaiian who is very interested in Hawaii and Hawaiians. She is a great supporter of the repository of Hawaiian culture at Bishop Museum and a great proponent of Hawaiian studies.

"I would like to remember her as a real Hawaiian above all although she is well known as an educator and a scientist in her own right.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Marumoto then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would just want to say a few words about this lovely lady.

"She is very educated, erudite, intelligent, conscientious and hardworking -- all these wonderful things -- but I just thought I would share something about her that I don't think any of us would guess. But just to reveal a little secret about her, she tours around town in a classic Mustang.

"She's a wonderful lady, we've learned a lot about her today. And everyone respects her so much, I am glad we can salute her today.

"Thank you very much."

H.R. No. 395, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING THE COMMITMENT OF THE HAWAII BALLROOM DANCE ASSOCIATION AND ITS FOUNDER, EUGENE ICHINOSE, TOWARD IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE ENJOYED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Alcon, Arakaki, Yoshimura, Isbell, Horita and Cachola.

On motion by Representative Alcon, seconded by Representative Arakaki and carried, H.R. No. 395 was adopted.

Representative Alcon rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, Mr. Eugene Ichinose is the twin brother of 'Sad Sam' Ichinose. The only difference, Mr. Speaker, is that Mr. Eugene Ichinose decided to go into ballroom and 'Sad Sam' decided to go into bar room.

"Mr. Eugene Ichinose, Mr. Speaker, has a new name as of today. We will name him 'Twinkle Toe' Ichinose.

"Mr. Speaker, as you can see, Mr. Ichinose is much older than I am but he is still light on his fantastic toe. Mr. Ichinose's philosophy, Mr. Speaker, is that everybody can learn to dance, whether he has two left feet or two right feet. So we still have hopes for you, Mr. Speaker. Not only the senior citizens, Mr. Speaker, are members of the Hawaii Ballroom Dance Association, but there are also a lot of young people who are now participating. In fact, because of the Hawaii Ballroom

Dance Association, Mr. Speaker, we have one of the biggest palladium in the world at the Ala Wai and it is being used, not only by the Ballroom Association, but also by the Police Department.

"Mr. Speaker, at this time, I would like to introduce the honoree and the entourage."

Representative Alcon then asked Mr. Eugene Ichinose, founder of the Hawaii Ballroom Dance Association; Mrs. Ichinose, his wife; Mr. Francis Cadiz, President of the Kalihi Chapter; Mr. Barney Chung, President of the Kaimuki Chapter; and Mr. Waichi Kikuta, President of the Aiea Chapter, to stand to be recognized.

Representative Alcon then asked members of the Hawaii Ballroom Dance Association who were seated in the gallery to stand to be recognized.

Representative Young rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, since March is 'Women's History Month,' and often women's role, even in ballroom dancing, sometimes go unrecognized, let me state that Ginger Rogers did everything Fred Astaire did, wearing a strapless gown, high heels, and dancing backwards.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Arakaki presented Mr. Ichinose with a certified copy of the resolution and floral leis were presented to the honorees by Representatives Horita, Okamura, Duldulao, Chun and Stegmaier.

At 12:16 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:23 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Representatives Hirono and Ihara, for the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1101) recommending that S.B. No. 1522, SD 2, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Hirono, seconded by Representative Arakaki and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1522, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GRANT OF A FRANCHISE FOR THE ISLAND OF MAUI TO MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Ward rose and remarked:

"Mr. Speaker, if I could take just a second to reinforce yesterday's announcement about Hawaii's Foodbank Drive -- the third annual event that's coming up. They are expecting 300,000 pounds of food this year and it looks like a high probability that they're going to get it. And believe it or not, just this morning they told me that they'll never need to do bingo or raffles to support their organization.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Duldulao, on behalf of Speaker Kihano, Representative Alcon, Representative Bunda, Representative Cachola and herself, stated:

"In conjunction with the 85th anniversary celebration of the Filipino immigration to Hawaii, a cultural presentation of song and dance will be offered today at the Capitol Rotunda following the session. A number of great entertainers have volunteered their time and talents and we look forward to an enjoyable presentation. Please come and join us."

Representative Arakaki was permitted a late introduction and he introduced Nana Inez Cayaban, "a very active Filipino woman in our community."

Representative Young then rose and stated:

"I just wanted to add to the remarks that Representative Arakaki said.

"While I was with the Department of Education, I was very privileged to sponsor a biography of Inez Cayaban which will soon be published. ..within a year, by the Department of Education. It's a book about her life and it's for the elementary/intermediate school students. So she certainly is a notable woman of Hawaii.

"Thank you."

Representative Duldulao then rose and stated:

"Just a short addition to Representative Arakaki's comments regarding Nana Inez Cayaban.

"Nana Inez, fellow colleagues, was the first Filipino nurse that came to Hawaii.

"Congratulations!"

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:27 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Thursday, March 28, 1991.

FORTIETH DAY

Thursday, March 28, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:42 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Reverend Tatsuo Muneto of the Honpa Hongwanji Mission, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Tam, who was excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Ninth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Thirty-Ninth Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 397) was read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 397, returning House Bill No. 1163 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION DEFINITIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 27, 1991, in an amended form.

By unanimous consent, H.B. No. 1163, as amended by the Senate, was placed on the Clerk's desk, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. No. 1163, SD 1, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Arakaki, on behalf of Representatives Alcon, Cachola, Yoshimura, Duldulao and Kihano, introduced a group of young people from the Kalihi and Waipahu areas who are with the Adult Friends for Youth, "an outreach program that their adult friends have developed which provides counseling and services to the young people." They were accompanied by staff members, Terry Fisher, Nancy Ronstadt, Debbie Spencer and Ellen Fisher.

Representative Santiago introduced three students from the North Shore area -- Adele Agricula and Kaipo McGuire from Waialua Elementary School, and Carrie Orillo from Haleiwa Elementary School.

Representative Peters, on behalf of Representatives Apo and Amaral and himself, introduced members of the Leeward Youth Council, ranging in age from 12 to 21 years. "The Council was designed to assist the youngsters' personal development into personal relations, communication skills and leadership skills. They were accompanied by Memory Pasameno, Joe Wigfall, Lindy Waiamau and Sherwood Kaopua, chaperones.

At 11:52 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:07 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 4, 11 and 20) were disposed of as follows:

S.C.R. Nos. Referred to:

- 4 Jointly to the Committees on Health and Human Services, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 11 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 20 Jointly to the Committees on Human Services and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following resolutions and concurrent resolutions were re-referred as follows:

H.R. Nos. Re-referred to:

- 122 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 387 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce

H.C.R. Nos.

- 105 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 113 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs
- 191 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 238 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
- 358 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Consumer Protection and Commerce

DISPOSITION OF MATTER PLACED ON THE CLERK'S DESK

By unanimous consent, H.R. No. 289, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF MEDICAL DOCTORS ON NATIONAL DOCTORS' DAY," offered by Representative Bainum on March 15, 1991 (32nd Day) was taken from the Clerk's desk and read by the Clerk.

On motion by Representative Bainum, seconded by Representative Shon and carried, H.R. No. 289 was adopted.

Representative Bainum proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"March 30, 1991, has been proclaimed National Doctors' Day by the President of the United States.

"Since Hawaii is the beneficiary of one, if not the best, health care delivery systems in this country, it seems only proper for us to recognize our own.

"When one is ill or especially a family member is ill or dying, doctors seem to be our saviour or knights in shining armor. The past years have seen that respect and gratitude greatly diluted, particularly with the astronomical rises and increases in the cost of basic health care. Yet the doctors, men, and increasingly, fortunately, women, still keep leaving their families late at night, leaving their children's graduations, their wives and husbands' birthday dinners to attend to the medical needs of their patients. The plain and simple truth is that physicians are still there taking care of their patients. They are still sacrificing personal lives in many instances for the needs of others. They have done this despite the 'horror' and believe me, as a physician, no one suffers more at medical treatment gone awry than the physician, the horrors of astronomical increases in malpractice insurance, an overwhelming increase of lawsuits and constant demands of defensive medicine on physicians' time, psyche, and overhead, but they are still there when they are needed.

"Very few, if any professions, have self-evaluated and monitored its members as thoroughly as physicians through the years. While this monitoring has not been without some flaws, it still has been one of the most effective a profession has ever imposed upon itself.

"For the vast majority of physicians, their dedication and commitment are above reproach. Without them, our country's citizens would never enjoy the quality of life, we as Americans enjoy today.

"Again, I say thank you to all those doctors here today and for the ones that are left, as so often is the case, at their workplace today to care for our State's sick and needy.

"In addition to the resolution proclaiming March 30, 1991, Doctors' Day in Hawaii, I would like to present certificates to the following individuals: Dr. John McDonnell for the Hawaii Medical Association, Dr. John Pearson for the Hawaii Federation of Physicians and Dentists; Dr. George 'Bill' Starbuck, the 1990 Physician of the Year, and last, but certainly not least, Mrs. Maureen Lau, President of the State Medical Auxiliary.

The honorees all rose to be recognized.

Representative Bainum continued:

"Additionally, with your permission, I would like to recognize and acknowledge in our gallery today, Dr. Stephen Wallach, Hawaii Medical Association President-elect; Dr. Paul DeMare, Honolulu County Medical Society President-elect; Dr. Charlotte Florine, Chair of senior physicians; Mrs. Virginia Starbuck and Mrs. Lillian McDonnel.

The honorees all rose to be recognized.

Representative Bainum further stated:

"What we have here today in this group not only represents years and years of hard work, Mr. Speaker, and long hours of study just to become physicians, but also countless days and nights that they have collectively logged to care for Hawaii's people. They are representative of over 1800 physicians in our State. Not only do they serve as physicians, but they and Mrs. Lau

represent the thousands of hours many physicians and physicians' spouses and families contribute to countless community organizations, both with their time and monetary help.

"I am proud to be counted among this profession and, more importantly, I am proud that I can take this opportunity to recognize Hawaii's physicians and those who make a difficult profession more livable, their spouses in the Auxiliary."

Representative Cachola then rose and requested that Representative Bainum's remarks be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cachola continued, saying:

"Doctors are really something in the community. I respect them and I love them, and to be sure that I follow up with my words, I will make sure that tonight I'll kiss a particular doctor and give her a big hug, too.

"Thank you."

Representative Marumoto then rose and stated:

"I'd like to say a few words to congratulate Dr. Bill Starbuck who is a longtime friend of mine and he and his wife, Virginia, a very gracious lady, and I don't know anybody who's worked harder and longer for good causes in this community than Bill Starbuck. He has worked on the keiki car seat issue and the needle exchange program, and wherever pediatrics is involved, he has fought for children and for the medical community and for better health.

"I really appreciate his working for us in the community and I, too, have a relative in the medical community. I have a son who's a doctor so when I go home, I'll wish him a 'Happy Doctor's Day.'

"Thank you."

Representative Young then rose and stated:

"It's truly heartwarming and I pick that word deliberately that we as a representative body have among us a physician also who is a very caring and compassionate person, and I'd like to publicly acknowledge the work of Dr. Duke Bainum.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Tom then rose and stated:

"I notice there is a National Lawyers' Day and the statements given by Representative Bainum... Dr. Bainum was so stirring that I don't want to incorporate it into mine but maybe we can incorporate lawyers in that resolution if that's okay, Mr. Speaker.

"Thank you."

Floral leis and certified copies of the resolution were presented to the honorees on the chamber floor by Representatives Bainum, Amaral, Isbell, Marumoto and Young.

At 12:16 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:32 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

H.R. No. 396, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF ISAAC J. KAOPUA, AND EXTENDING CONDOLENCES AND SYMPATHY TO HIS FAMILY," was jointly offered by Representatives Young, Bainum, Takamine, Bellinger, Alcon, Anderson, Chun, Hagino, Hirono, Honda, D. Ige, Marumoto and Tatibouet and was read by the Clerk.

On motion by Representative Young, seconded by Representative Bainum and carried, H.R. No. 396 was adopted.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1102) recommending that S.B. No. 952, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Tom moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 952, SD 1, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"I just wanted to say that the Windward legislators, including Representative Anderson, Representative Young, and Senators George, Reed and Koki, have worked very hard on this issue, and I was very gratified to see that the language in the Standing Committee Report acknowledges the importance of Mt. Olomana and the need to be sensitive to preserving that significant landmark.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 952, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

Representative Thielen then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to stand in opposition to this procedure and I would like to note that I will be casting a 'no' vote on the motion."

The Chair then said:

"Representative Thielen, this motion is for action on Third Reading bills that we're proposing to pass."

Representative Thielen responded:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I jumped ahead. I stand corrected.

"Thank you."

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1103) recommending that S.B. No. 1373, SD 1, pass Third Reading.

Representative Souki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1373, SD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Arakaki.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"In voting for this measure, Mr. Speaker, I would like to give credit where credit is due -- to the Chairs, Representative Takamine and Chairman Souki, and their counterparts in the Senate.

"With this bill, unemployment insurance taxes payable into the Unemployment Insurance Fund will be reduced. And that's great because everybody want us to cut taxes and government spending, so this bill will make our constituents very happy.

"However, the gladness will be short-lived -- only until the end of this year.

"We passed this type of law for 1988, and then in 1989 and 1990, the old taxable wage base kicked in. And now in 1991, we are again reducing the taxable wage base. This 'on and off' type of legislation is not good lawmaking in my estimation.

"With \$400,000,000 piled up in the UI Fund, we should extend this measure in 1992 -- in the next session -- to make it permanent.

"So I urge all members to vote for this measure this year and next year.

"Thank you."

Representative Ward then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I believe it's an excellent bill even though it's a short-lived one. I think sometimes we often forget that small businesses have a 70 percent failure rate between the first and the fifth year. And secondly, for every dollar of wages that they pay, another 33 cents goes to taxes and insurance, some of which is the unemployment insurance.

"So I think it is a timely break, Mr. Speaker, in that the war and the recession have given a bit of a blow to businesses and as Representative Marumoto said, this one year break is well taken. However, it does not have the long range which ideally it should have. \$400-million in a fund, as you know the Governor said on Opening Day, would last for a 12 percent unemployment rate for three years. So, I'm grateful that this bill is on its way to passage and, hopefully in the future, we shall consider something like this again.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Lee then rose to speak in favor of the bill, with a few clarifications, stating:

"I think it is very important that we recognize what we are doing and that we call things by their proper names.

"The first is that this is not a tax. It's a business expense. When business begins, the entrepreneur hires people to work. He pays wages, he pays for health insurance, he pays for unemployment insurance. It is deferred compensation. It's not a tax. You don't pay it

and I don't pay it. The business pays it as part of its expenses in hiring workers. It is a deferred compensation so let's call it by its right name. It's exactly in the same arena as interest business pays for the use of money from the bank -- it's interest, it's not a tax. Business rents a place, pays rent. It is a business expense -- it's not a tax. Business hires workers. It pays wages and contributes to unemployment insurance. It's not a tax -- it is a business expense.

"The second item, the up and down. It is very important to recognize an interesting development of public policy which is not a part of American fiscal policy. It is a part of the Federal Reserve System. When the Federal Reserve raises or lowers the interest at discount rates, it responds to economic conditions. You have heard how the President would like to have Mr. Greenspan lower the interest rate to make loans cheaper so that the businessman does not have to pay high interest so that he can get loans and begin the economic recovery.

"What we have done here is an incipient policy change by the State government of Hawaii and indeed another innovation in State policy for which we are quite well known. And that innovation is to recognize economic conditions of the type that I spoke about at the last session. When times are good, you save your money. When times are bad, you draw on your reserves. We all do that as persons. The government should do that. Business does that. In this case, the government . .we are saying we recognize that business has problems this year so we are going to lower your business expense for labor in the same way that the Federal Reserve Banking System lowers the cost of money by lowering interest rates. It's a fascinating innovation. We should recognize that type of innovation in our deliberations.

"The third item. \$400-million. We have too much money in the bank. I have never heard of a businessman who complains that his assets are too much. He would like to have more and more assets in land, buildings, cash, intangibles and whatnot, or in the case of those who deal in intangibles -- your portfolio. complains that the State Employees' Retirement System has too much cash. Heavens, that huge pile of money is at work. It produces so much earnings that the State of Hawaii doesn't have to contribute this year or last year to the Employees' Retirment System. The \$400-million is at work! Our great wise fathers in Washington are so broke, they borrow that money and pay 9 percent interest in that fund. That's the reason why it's growing. I think that we have to recognize a large amount of reserves is a good thing if it's being used, it is being productive, it makes returns to that reserve, and that is being done and we should be thankful. Indeed, if that reserve was more than \$400-million, perhaps business doesn't have to contribute to unemployment insurance. Think of that! In other words, when times are good, put aside the money so when times are bad, you don't have to put aside that much and you can take care of unemployment.

"I hope, my dear colleagues, that I had not been too hectoring about this question, but it's time that we recognize we have to really understand and not succumb to rhetoric.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Anderson then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would like to tell my colleague that if he reads the committee report, it says, 'The purpose of this bill is to reduce the taxable wage base for unemployment insurance. . .' and I would also like to say, I'd love to have \$400-million in the bank -- my bank! I'm an

employer and I need it for my employees. I run out of money. I don't need somebody else to handle the dollars that we put aside because we put it aside for employees.

"Also, Mr. Speaker, when he says, others don't grumble, you have a retirement system -- ask the retirees how happy they are to have millions and millions of dollars and they have a small percentage of those dollars they can use. It is not a fair way, Mr. Speaker, to have hundreds and millions of dollars wherever, and it's not used for the purpose of the people here in the State.

"This is a good way to help business. It's a good way to help employment and I'm very happy after all of these years that we have this, and I'm very sorry that it is only for 1991 because when we heard in the committees that, in fact, if we were to have unemployment at the highest rate, we could go two years without even drawing any unemployment from your employers.

"So I do thank the Chairman for bringing this up, and I appreciate this bill very much.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Marumoto then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I take issue with the fact that the Unemployenent Insurance Fund is compared to our Employees' Retirement System. Our Employees' Retirement System is very beneficial to many of us in the State — all the State workers and the County workers and their families. We will ultimately derive some pensions from it. If we are fortunate, we could even borrow money from it for our mortgages for our first home. So, we can derive a great deal of benefit from this fund whereas the Unemployment Insurance Fund can only be reached by being out of a job, and at that time you only could collect it for a certain period of time. So it is money which we cannot use for the benefit of the people of our State.

"But indeed, George Orwell still lives and this is a brave New World, and it seems like the language we are speaking here is Newspeak.

"When is a tax not called a tax? When it's called a business expense, apparently. I say, if it looks like one, it smells like one, and acts like one, it is one.

"Thank you."

Representative Lee then rose and said:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to simply state that the distinguished Representative from Kaimuki has uttered a non sequitur. We do benefit from the Unemployment Insurance Fund when we are unemployed. She stated that, but I'd rather not that anyone in Hawaii benefit, and that's the reason why the fund exists in order to take care of situations of unemployment. Let's hope that does not happen but that we should be prepared for it in any case.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1373, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Tam being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1373 had passed Third Reading at 12:46 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 1522, SD 2:

On motion by Representative Morihara, seconded by Representative Ihara and carried, S.B. No. 1522, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GRANT OF A FRANCHISE FOR THE ISLAND OF MAUI TO MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Tam being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1522 had passed Third Reading at 12:47 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Arakaki rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I guess many of us will be celebrating Good Friday and Easter this weekend. We have a long weekend although the Finance Committee will be working. I thought it might be a good time for us, while we celebrate the religious holiday, to think about those who are less fortunate and those who will not have enough to eat or who will be undernourished. As a reminder that the House is collecting donations, both monetary and food items that we're collecting in our lobby there. It will be on display so if you haven't made your donations, I would like to encourage you to do so.

"I want to thank Representative Kanoho and Representative Tom for their monetary donations and also the Chairman of the Finance Committee for his donation of goods and remind our loyal opposition that this is a bipartisan effort and we welcome their donation as well."

Representative Arakaki then moved that the Journal remain open until 12:00 o'clock midnight this legislative day, and that all Standing Committee Reports received by the Clerk up to such time be adopted and that all bills thereto pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, except that all bills recommended for passage on Third Reading be deferred until Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

The motion was seconded by Representative Anderson.

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand to speak in opposition to this motion. What it's asking the Legislature to do and I guess what has been the common practice is that we pass on Second Reading bills that we have not seen in their final form and have not read the committee reports. I think that that is bad procedure. In a way, it's like an open checkbook where we haven't had the opportunity to read the final version and where we haven't had the opportunity then to speak out on the floor in full and open debate as to whether or not that measure should pass Second Reading.

"So I will cast a 'no' vote on this motion, Mr. Speaker, and stand firmly in opposition to using this procedure."

Representative Tatibouet then rose and requested that Representative Thielen's remarks be inserted into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, should one of the bills that is going into the Clerk's Office tonight for passage on Second Reading be a bill to institute a new tax of .05 percent called the Employment Training Fund, I would like to cast a 'no' against that bill. Not having it before us, it is very difficult to know exactly what we are voting on.

"Thank you."

The Chair said:

"You will be having the bills so that you could scrutinize the bills this afternoon, Saturday and Sunday. I believe that's an appropriate time for the members to scrutinize the bills that are coming down by midnight."

Representative Arakaki then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, just to extend your point. All members will have an opportunity to cast 'no' votes up until session time on Monday on Second Reading bills."

Representative Thielen then rose and stated:

"We will have the opportunity to cast a 'no' vote on Monday but what we won't have as a body is the opportunity to debate that issue on the floor.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I also join in voting against keeping the Journal open unless there is a clear and pressing reason for it, unless it's time to close off and we're at the end of April, Mr. Speaker, what's the big rush?

"As you know, some of us lost our time to speak against some very serious bills that did get through because of this open Journal. Unless there is a clear and pressing reasons for this, it certainly doesn't seem warranted. What's really the hurry is the question.

"Thank you."

The Chair responded, saying:

"I've given instructions to the Chairmen, Representative Ward, that bills that can be processed for Third Reading immediately and early enough, to process these bills because we don't want to come to the crunch at the end and having have to work with all these Third Reading bills at the end. We want to end on time this year."

Representative Anderson rose on a point of clarification and stated:

"I seconded that motion and I stand firm on that. Until such time as we can all get together, we do have House Rules. We have abided by them for some thirteen years that I've been here. We've been fighting over them to change them and whenever we have enough votes to change them, that's about the only time it will work. So I seconded the motion and I will keep that.

"Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried.

At 1:05 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess for the purpose of receiving committee reports.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

The following Standing Committee Report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104) was received in the Clerk's Office up until 12:00 o'clock midnight this legislative day, and in

accordance with the motion made earlier, action on the following Senate Bill and accompanying Standing Committee Report was deferred until Monday, April 1, 1991:

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104 (FIN-Majority) and S.B. No. 1706, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Monday, April 1, 1991.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. on Monday, April 1, 1991.

FORTY-FIRST DAY

Monday, April 1, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Professor Ramdas Lamb of the Center for Spiritual Understanding, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Amaral, Oshiro and Yoshimura, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Fortieth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Fortieth Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 398) was read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 398, informing the House that the President has, on March 28, 1991, appointed Senators Yamasaki, Chairman; Nakasato and George as conferees on the part of the Senate for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1453, HD 2, SD 2.

In accordance therewith, the Chair appointed Representatives Cachola and Souki, Co-Chairmen; Kanoho, Lee, Say and Marumoto as conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of said amendments.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 214, 264, 307 and 328) were re-referred as follows:

H.C.R. Nos. Re-referred to:

214 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education

264 Committee on Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

307 Committee on Health

328 Committee on Health

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution (H.R. No. 397) was read by the Clerk and disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 397, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING KAREN NAKAMURA FOR BEING RECOGNIZED BY HER PEERS IN HAWAII'S BUILDING INDUSTRY AS 'BUILDER OF THE DECADE' FOR THE 1980S," was offered by Representative Tatibouet.

On motion by Representative Tatibouet, seconded by Representative Hagino and carried, H.R. No. 397 was adopted.

Representative Tatibouet rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"It is indeed a pleasure today to be honoring a woman who honors Hawaii with her professional talent, community commitment and with her great sense of ohana. Karen Nakamura is truly a keiki-o-ka-aina -- really a wahine keiki-o-ka-aina -- who makes Hawaii proud. Born in Kaimuki to Paul and Dorothy Nakagaki, she attended Maryknoll School and went on to study at the University of Hawaii, majoring in speech. Karen soon became a wife, marrying Bert Nakamura in 1966, and Karen and Bert have two grown children -- Bert, Jr. and Leilani. Karen had been brought up in the traditional way and I don't think ever visualized herself in the leadership role she has today.

"In 1970, when her Dad became ill, Karen became the third generation to work in the family business, founded in 1916 by her grandfather, Dominic Nakagaki. She and her sister, Audrey, who is here today, purchased the business from their father in 1981 with Karen at the helm of what is now known as Wallpaper Hawaii.

"As mentioned in the resolution, Karen became the first woman to obtain her general contractor's license in Hawaii and the rest is history. Thus, Karen represents the best that a woman can be and can achieve as daughter, sister, wife, mother, career woman, professional in a non-traditional field, and as a volunteer committed to make her Hawaii, our Hawaii, a better place.

"Karen has participated in formal mentoring programs for girls but I would like to expand that by offering that Karen is the ideal mentor for all Hawaii's girls and women. She joins other outstanding women of Hawaii who, through the generations, have shown the way. Karen Nakamura can help the girls of today reach out and touch the future.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet then asked the honoree, Karen Nakamura, to stand to be recognized. Her husband, Bert Nakamura, and her sister, Audrey Tanaka, also rose to be recognized.

Representative Tatibouet presented the honoree with a certified copy of the resolution and floral leis were presented by Representatives Hagino, Hirono and Marumoto.

At 11:51 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:21 o'clock p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104 on S.B. No. 1706, SD 2, HD 1:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

At 12:25 o'clock p.m., Representative Hirono asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:26 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Representative Hirono, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1105) recommending that S.B. No. 1242, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Hirono, seconded by Representative Morihara and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1242, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 952, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Tom, seconded by Representative Chun and carried, S.B. No. 952, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Amaral, Oshiro and Yoshimura being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 952 had passed Third Reading at 12:28 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Bainum rose and stated:

"I would like to remind the freshmen representatives that we have a meeting in the Majority Caucus Room immediately following this session."

Representative Young then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to make a correction to Thursday's Journal, please.

"Representative Thielen mentioned in her talk on Mt. Olomana that the Windward legislators included Senator Rick Reed and I understand now why she said that if they're an endangered species because actually I checked the Journal and she did say that. And even though they are endangered species, we really don't include another Senator in our House of Representatives here, especially from the Windward District.

"Thank you very much."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:30 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, April 2, 1991.

FORTY-SECOND DAY

Tuesday, April 2, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:38 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Representative Ezra Kanoho, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Fukunaga, Metcalf, Peters and Tajiri, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-First Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-First Day was approved.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Shon introduced members of the Kalihi/Palama Health Clinic, "a group of individuals who've done a tremendous amount to reach out to those who are homeless and who need health care."

Representative Ihara introduced Mr. Jake Manegdeg, Treasurer of the Oahu Democratic Party, who was seated in the gallery.

Representative Alcon then rose and stated:

"I would also like to add that Mr. Manegdeg was a former member of this august body."

Representative Ward introduced Mr. Dale Hoffman, "a constituent of Kuliouou and an official of the American Cycling Association."

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 398 and 399) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 398, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE WAIANAE CHAPTER OF THE TOUR DE YEH (YOUTH ENDING HUNGER)," was jointly offered by Representatives Apo, Peters, Arakaki, Shon, Alcon, Amaral, Bainum, Baker, Bellinger, Bunda, Cachola, Chang, Chun, Duldulao, Hiraki, Honda, D. Ige, Ihara, Kanoho, Kawakami, Kihano, Lee, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Okamura, Oshiro, Santiago, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Takamine, Tam, Taniguchi, Tatibouet, Thielen, Ward, Yonamine and Young.

On motion by Representative Apo, seconded by Representative Arakaki and carried, H.R. No. 398 was adopted.

Representative Apo rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I feel this is a very special presentation, at least for me, because very seldom do we have honorees who have to bike 3000 miles to get here.

"The resolution pretty much speaks for itself and I would like to offer a few remarks with respect to the issue that they are raising.

"Mr. Speaker, we have the best laid plans of mice and men, the best laid plans of government, the best intentioned efforts of a plethora of organizations across the country as well as the world, and still 25,000 children across the globe will die today because they didn't get enough to eat. And if nothing changes, beginning tomorrow and for the next ten years, 50 million more will die. And they will show up in our social studies books as faceless statistics. Mr. Speaker, it seems to me that in this imperfect world, of the ills that plague mankind, a starving child has to be the single most devastating statement that we are failing miserably at the most fundamental level of society.

"Mr. Speaker, early this morning as I jogged around the Capitol -- Capitol district -- as I do every morning, my thoughts turned to this presentation. And I felt a little guilty, knowing that in a couple of hours I would be standing before you talking about starving children and here I was, pounding the pavement, dripping sweat, because I get too much to eat. And I felt even worse knowing that somewhere in Waianae or in Kalihi/Palama, and in many other places in the State, children are going hungry while I, as a legislator, haven't the foggiest notion as to who these children are, where they are, or anything about them. And it made me wonder -- what am I doing here? Making sure children are fed seems like such a fundamental responsibility which we seem to be failing to meet.

"And so, Mr. Speaker, I would like to thank our honorees this morning for reminding us of a most basic responsibility, and I commend them for doing their part and raising our consciousness to this issue."

Representative Apo then asked the following honorees to stand to be recognized: Mr. Robert Vasquez "who is representing three other students that participated in this year's bike marathon -- Matthew Sesepasara, Sefa Sesepasara and Michelle Martin;" Mr. David Lexington "who is one of three adults who also completed the 3400-mile journey; Eli Reynolds "who is also representing John DeSoto, III, who will be representing Hawaii on next year's team;" Kathy Reynolds "who is a key organizer and fundraising coordinator for the Waianae Chapter of Tour de YEH;" and Patty DeSoto, representating her husband, Councilman John DeSoto, "who played a large role in sending our team to the mainland."

Representative Arakaki then rose and stated:

"I really feel strongly that the accomplishments of these young people and their bike trek represents an extraordinary commitment on the part of our young people to end world hunger and to let everyone know that it is something that is possible, just as they showed everyone that trekking 3400 miles is also a possibility. And they've created that in many peoples' minds, and I think it's appropriate that I hope we can also show our commitment by participating and contributing to our own commitment to ending hunger here in Hawaii and participating in the Foodbank Food Drive which is going on right now. And I would like to remind the members again that we would welcome your contributions.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Certified copies of the resolution and floral leis were presented to the honorees by Representatives Amaral, Hirono, Isbell, Chun and Apo.

At 11:52 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:57 o'clock a.m.

H.R. No. 399, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND HONORING OWEN MIYAMOTO AS THE 1991 ENGINEER OF THE YEAR," was jointly offered by Representatives Kawakami and Oshiro.

On motion by Representative Kawakami, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, H.R. No. 399 was adopted.

Representative Kawakami rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and members of the House, it is a privilege this morning to introduce a dedicated public servant who has served the State of Hawaii with distinction for the past 38 years. He is often described by his peers as dedicated, persistent, professional and totally committed to his job as Airports Administrator for the State of Hawaii, a position he has held since 1969. And since assuming his duties as Airports Administrator, responsible for twelve commerical airports, three general aviation airports and a heliport, he has been instrumental in guiding and directing the State of Hawaii's massive airport development program which has grown from a two million to 72-million CIP program.

"Honolulu Airport is now the tenth busiest airport in the country, handling over 35-million passengers in 1990. And as the Airports Administrator, he has provided the State of Hawaii with a safe, convenient and efficient airport system that is kept up with the rapidly changing aviation industry and the needs of our State. His professional contributions to the development of the airport system in our State has won him many awards and citations, the most recent being the Hawaii Council of Engineering Society's 1991 Engineer of the Year Award. And to those of us who travel between the islands every week, the airports are a respite from the busy schedules and we appreciate the convenience and efficiency of the system.

"Mr. Speaker, it is my pleasure, at this time, to present to this body our honoree, Mr. Owen Miyamoto, also known as 'Mr. Airports' to us."

The honoree rose to be recognized.

Accompanying Mr. Owen Miyamoto was Mr. Ed Hirata, Director of the Department of Transportation, who then rose to be recognized.

Representative Oshiro then rose and stated:

"I've had the unique opportunity of working very closely with Owen on a multitude of issues during my years here in the State Legislature. I've found Owen to be extremely resourceful, very knowledgeable, and totally dedicated to carrying out the duties bestowed upon him as our Airports Administrator.

"But life, Mr. Speaker, has by no means been easy for Owen. Over the years, he's been on the 'hot seat' on many, many occasions, having to stand by and to defend some very tough decisions on issues ranging from tour helicopters, to runway extensions, to reliever airport locations, to customs and immigration facilities, and also to our infamous Wiki-Wiki bus. He's been through it all,

Mr. Speaker, and he has truly pulled through in excellent fashion.

"And to you, Owen, my warmest and heartfelt congratulations on your selection as the 1991 Engineer of the Year. In addition, Owen, I salute you for the enormous contributions that you have and will continue to provide to our great State. So, congratulations and best wishes to you, Owen!

"Mr. Speaker, I would also like to acknowledge several of Owen's co-workers and colleagues who are seated in the gallery, if I may."

Representative Oshiro then asked the following persons to stand to be recognized: Deputy Directors Alvin Pang, Cal Tsuda, Jeanne Schultz and Joyce Omine; Highway Chief Pat Serano; Harbors Chief Dave Higa; Tit Mun Chun, Bev Wong and Winona Akana.

Representative Taniguchi then rose and stated:

"I had to rise to also add my congratulations to Owen. As former Transportation Chairman, Owen has always been as straight and precise as his haircut, so I just want to add my congratulations to Owen today.

"Thank you."

Representative Chun presented Mr. Miyamoto with a red carnation lei while Representative Taniguchi presented him with a certified copy of the resolution. Floral leis were also presented to the honoree and Mr. Hirata by Representatives Kawakami and Baker, respectively.

At 12:06 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:12 o'clock p.m.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104 on S.B. No. 1706, SD 2, HD 1:

Representative Souki moved that the report of the majority of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1706, SD 2, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Say.

Representative O'Kieffe rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this bill lumps together several totally unrelated components which should be addressed individually and debated individually in separate legislation.

"One of these is the Employment and Training Fund. This bill imposes a mandatory assessment which is, in all reality, just a euphemism for still another tax. Rather than help, it will actually hinder and be unfair to many of the business establishments in our State. This bill mandates that all employers pay for training benefits for only a portion of the employers.

"Mr. Speaker, there's no way that all businesses can receive needed training for their employees. Yet, all businesses, not just the ones utilizing these services, will pay the assessment for the few. Small businesses will, in fact, be subsidizing large businesses, seasonal businesses and cyclical businesses.

"The National Federation of Independent Business, in their testimony, said: 'Small businesses do not need nor will they use the program to train their employees because each business is unique in its needs. Training is almost always individually provided for the owners or managers through on-the-job training.'

"Each business knows its training needs best. In more times than not, their needs are unique. The State cannot possibly provide such a variety of training services in a timely manner. As I see it, the only ones who will profit from such a mandated program will be the trainers themselves.

"Not only is this an unfair assessment of all employers but it is vague, not temporary, adds to the bureaucracy of reporting responsibility, and will duplicate government and private training programs. Right now, there are approximately 75 public, private and public/private partnerships in place. Career Kokua, OPEC, and Work Hawaii are just a few. Interestingly enough, the counties are complaining that they can't even fill their available seats.

"Mr. Speaker, the State doesn't need to get into the employment training arena. In addition, it is expensive enough to do business in this State without having a mandatory .05 percent assessment added to their already high cost and which will amount to more than \$2.5-million. Employment training should be done by the private sector -- those with the best knowledge of the needs of their own businesses.

"And once again, it is wrong to provide training for only some employers and yet require all employers to subsidize such training. Small business does not need this, does not want this, and will not use this. If the Legislature feels that this is such a viable program, it should fund the estimated \$2.5-million-plus out of the State General Fund. If you stick business with this \$2.5-million amount, and this doesn't even factor in the cost for paper work and government reporting, the only alternative is to pass this increase on to the consumer which means they will be hit for a minimum of \$5-million in increased prices.

"For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I am casting a strong 'no' vote on this measure and I urge my colleagues to do the same.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Tatibouet then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I strongly oppose this bill which, among other things, establishes an Employment and Training Fund.

"First and foremost, it establishes a new tax. This may be called by any other name, but by its very nature being mandatory, it is a tax. Yes, it is also a business expense, part of the extraordinary cost of doing business in Hawaii. But whereas most costs of doing business are optional such as where you're located in the cost of your rent or mortgage, what product you choose to manufacture or make or sell which affects your insurance, how large your business is, will be what affects a number of employees you will have. All of these are choices—choices made by each employer. A mandatory

unemployment insurance cost of .05 percent is not a choice and that is one major reason I am opposed to this bill. But there are many other considerations in addition to that.

"Do you really feel it is ethical to subsidize some employers by providing training for their future employees but not providing training for all employers? Is it ethical to exempt employers who already have the worst rating? Did it ever occur to you that the State government cannot and is not able to train employees for all employers? Only each employer who is ultimately the end user can train an employee and decide what is really needed. There are hundreds of different kinds of businesses in Hawaii and yet hundreds more variety of jobs.

"So all employers will pay benefits that will accrue to some chosen few. And who will do the choosing? Who will choose what types of training are to be done -- the employers or the government? Is the State qualified to understand the constant change in the marketplace? Is the State flexible enough to change with little or no notice from training in one field to another? I believe only the employers are aware of their changing needs and able to initiate change on short notice. Flexibility is essential in business and in the marketplace, and this would not be possible.

"Then, too, have you thought of how it will affect each customer? Each of you, the employer will simply pass on some of the costs to you, the customer. In the meantime, the employee won't get quite as much of a pay raise the next time around for businesses must balance the cost of this new burden -- this tax -- between the customer and his employee. So the employee makes a little less than he might have and the employer ends up paying a little more than he used to pay. And in the end, we are only increasing the size of our already bloated government sector.

"We are creating a new program where it has never been shown one is needed or indeed is lacking. There are no findings to support such a measure except in the minds of those who choose to continually burden the citizens of our State via our employers, our businesses. Then the State turns and points to the employers as the bad guys rather than the real culprits -- those who choose to enact this sort of unneeded and capricious legislation.

"For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues to carefully consider the true implication of the proposed Training Fund established by this bill. Is it really ethical? Can it really train for the many different types of employees needed? Can it really respond rapidly to change? Furthermore, be sure that it will reduce future wages and it will cost everyone more at the checkout counter.

"I urge my colleagues to vote no on this measure.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Marumoto then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"My colleagues that have spoken before me have done an adequate job in addressing the issues in this bill and I will try and go over the main points of my speech -- my opposition. I have strong opposition to this bill and I would like to express them before it is enacted. These reservations of mine center on, of course, the new tax, increasing the unemployment compensation benefits, and also broadening the eligibility requirements or lowering them so more people will be eligible to collect unemployment compensation.

"The good part of this bill is that it does establish a sliding scale to redetermine the contribution rate, and it is designed to lower employer payments when the fund is flush. However, I do not think it will provide sufficient tax relief to measurably improve Hawaii's business climate, and we have been criticized for having a very hostile business climate.

"The crux of my opposition to the tax comes from the fact that there is no need for mere training funds. I think the Representative from Kahala expressed that point adequately. I have not heard any testimony requesting the creation of new training programs, and we have had, instead, statements that there are 75 public and private training centers, and there are openings in those programs. Businesses have come before us to say that they don't want more training programs and that they prefer to train their own employees. Small business has requested an exemption from this tax and they have been denied. In fact, we are exempting the employers with the worst experience and the highest rating from this tax, and this is nonsensical in my opinion.

"According to the National Federation of Independent Business, the union shop employer is already providing contributions to the Apprenticeship and Training Fund, and those employers who are signatory to a collective bargaining agreement will be, in effect, subject to double contributions. Under most collective bargaining agreements, there is a provision for an Apprenticeship and Training Fund. With the passage of this bill, those union shop employers will be making double contributions for a service that they will never use since the collective bargaining agreement typically provides that the union is the sole source of employment.

"There is an onerous provision in the bill which has created a lot of controversy. It allows the Director of the Department of Labor to require employers assisted by these programs to contribute an additional 50 percent of the cost of such programs either in cash or in contributions. There is no appeal to this. You are simply assessed this amount. There is no criteria for implementation of this provision and it's apparently left up to the whim of the Director.

"The Chamber of Commerce has called this double tax a 'double whammy.'

"Finally, increases in the benefits will adversely affect the employers by requiring larger draws on their unemployment reserve accounts. The maximum weekly benefit amount increases every year as the State average annual wage increases. This is automatic. And recent increases in the former has resulted in dramatic increases in the latter. So, there is no reason to tamper with the formula that has worked successfully for many years. Broadening the benefits is bound to impact businesses negatively, but to what extent, I do not know.

"Without more information, I don't think we should rush into this matter. But it is my hope that the conferees on this measure would take a close look on the effects of this bill -- on jobs and wages in Hawaii. I am certain that this bill will hurt businesses and not help workers.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Lee then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Last week, we talked about innovation in State policy in helping business when economic conditions are down. This year, the filings for unemployment insurance are double of that for last year, but at the same time we are cutting the unemployment insurance rates.

"This bill before us does several things and it has to be read in the context of unemployment insurance. It puts on a permanent basis a much more rational and much more equitable basis for unemployment insurance.

"The second part on which much of the discussion has centered concerns the Employment and Training Fund. It is in a way another innovation by the State of Hawaii in preventing unemployment. It's exactly in the same spirit that we enacted the State Health Insurance Program -- to keep people healthy so they don't have to use the health system and it's going to pay dividends in that health field. The Employment and Training Fund in this bill would do likewise for workers and for jobs.

"Let me just read to you the **Advertiser** article on March 28, 1991: 'One hundred eighty-two Lanai pineapple workers graduated yesterday from a course designed to prepare them for jobs in the hotel industry. The job training program was designed by the Maui Community College and coordinated by a special committee of labor and management and government agencies. The State Labor Director Mario Ramil (who is sitting in the gallery now) established a committee last August, immediately after Dole Company announced it would phase out its nine pineapple operations in favor of resort hotels.'

"This is a very prime example of anticipatory, preventive type of measures against unemployment, the underutilization, or the non-utilization of available labor. And this is what the fund should be looking for because, while the present Lanai program was paid largely by the federal government in terms of dislocation of unemployed people, in the future we cannot always count on federal monies. The fact is that our Unemployment Insurance Fund is very healthy. It is healthy because we have acted like business. When business is prosperous, it invests.

"A few years ago, Hilton Hawaiian Village invested over \$140-million to renovate its entire plant. It was making money -- it could do so. This year, in January and February, Hilton Hawaiian Village had to close several establishments, stretch out the hours, and unemployment insurance applications doubled this year. What did the State government do? Unlike Michigan and other states which had very low unemployment insurance funds, those states had to either ask business to contribute more or to ask labor to do with less. Hawaii, on the other hand, recognized the conditions in economy and has cut the unemployment insurance rates. We did that last week in Senate Bill 1373.

"In this bill, Senate Bill 1706, we are now innovating. Besides micro-managing the economy and helping business as we did with Senate Bill 1373, we are now anticipating times when we need to train people for other jobs. Today, as the **Advertiser** reported, is the pineapple workers on Lanai. Tomorrow, it might be other workers. It might even be hotel workers, for new industries with new times.

"And this is the reason why I feel very, very encouraged and indeed I feel very proud that we, in this Legislature, can look forward and try to anticipate problems and try to do something about it. And if we can be very objective about it, the Employment and Training Fund will amount to only \$2.7-million. But at the same time, in this bill, the contributions asked for unemployment insurance on employers will go down by \$81-million. We can do that because the fund is healthy and the federal government pays us 9 percent on our fund and that would help to make up for the loss in employer contributions. And I urge my collegues to buy shares in this Employment and Training Fund so that you can have

a voice in how to manage this Employment and Training Fund.

"Vote for the future -- vote for this bill.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ward then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"First an observation. As a freshman, I've observed that if anyone speaks too highly of the role of business in this State that employs over 80 percent of our citizens, and if we say businesses also need a break in expenses and taxes, we are often brought to task for the comments. I would contend that we should neither be knee jerk labor or knee jerk business but we should reason and look at the issues one by one. We should have a balanced perspective in this House, not pro one or the other at the expense of the other.

"As legislators, I think we all realize this is not the time to raise the taxes for business. We are in the throes of a recession, we have a visitor count that's down, we have a war that is still unwinding -- we've got 360,000 troops still in the Gulf.

"On the academic side, every economist worth his salt will tell you, it's not the time to raise taxes during a recession or a time of uncertainty. But what are we doing? We are raising taxes! I think all of you remember the small business community's reaction to the one-half percent increase in the GET tax. The Employment and Training Fund tax is the same issue and it's going to get the same reaction from the business community.

"The business community has already spoken -- it doesn't want more training. The fact of the matter is we don't need more training -- we need better training. The federal government literally provides tens of millions of dollars for training in this State, and to my colleagues I would say that that money's not in jeopardy of not continuing to flow into this State.

"This tax is a redundancy. It is something that the people don't want and it is something that we already are paying for.

"As a footnote, Mr. Speaker, I note that this tax will go into another special fund. The Legislative Auditor who guides this body in what it should or should not do in a fiscal matter has suggested no more special funds. This is another special fund and one that is already being paid for by the federal government.

"In conclusion, Mr. Speaker, this is not a good day for business and it is not good policy to raise taxes during times of uncertainty.

"Thank you."

Representative Thielen then rose and stated:

"Once again the State Legislature puts another burden on business and Hawaii keeps its reputation as a bad place to do business.

"I speak against this bill, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet, in rebuttal, stated:

"I personally don't think the federal government should have paid for training for jobs on Lanai. It is inappropriate that government should be paying, whether it is the state or federal government, for job training and only the employer should be training. And if there are unions involved, then that is actually private money because it is coming out of the pockets of all the private citizens -- the employees of the union that establish these training funds.

"I don't believe that Lanai needed the training program to be conducted by the federal government because I can assure you that when it was anticipated that there would be hotels built on Lanai, that the employer had to have employees no matter how they were trained, and the employer would have trained them totally at his own cost.

"I personally was involved with training at Makaha before there was anything at Makaha. There was a snack shop. There were no hotels, no condominiums, no restaurants -- it was just a little village at the end of a long road before the highway was built out there as we know it now. Those citizens who lived out there knew nothing about the hotel or tourism industry. And the company I worked for, I personally did the training and did the recruiting. We underwrote the entire training program from scratch and that is as it should be. The employer is truly the only one that knows how to train the employees and is capable of training them for the job to be done.

"I also would like to say that the Hilton Hawaiian Village that has had to cut down on the number of employees that they've had although they did a lot of creative things so that they didn't have to do it extensively, creating a training fund wouldn't solve the problem. What we need to do is help businesses and help the tourism industry to bring tourists here and to make it more reasonable for businesses to be in business because training the employees that were laid off, so to speak, by a company such as the Hilton Hawaiian Village wouldn't have created jobs for those employees. There simply weren't jobs available because of the economy and the circumstances. So creating a fund to train employees for jobs that don't exist because of the business climate and/or the economic climate is also not good use of the money that's out of the pockets of the businesses of our

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Baker then rose and stated:

"Since part of my district has been used as an example for the bill, I believe it's important to state some of the facts correctly for the record and I rise, Mr. Speaker, to speak in favor of this bill.

"The fact of the matter is on Lanai, that there were a group of people who were being put out of work because the owner of that island decided that pineapple was no longer economically productive and was going to turn the island into a resort destination. In the process of doing that, the company discovered that there simply wasn't enough housing on that island in order to accommodate workers who might be experienced in the visitor industry and so they were going to have to rely on the workers on The workers on Lanai obviously didn't know much about the visitor industry. They were not aware of the job opportunities or what was available to them, that they were greatly skeptical about what was happening to their island. And the employer -- the current company and the new hotel resort employer -- came to the State and to the County for assistance because they knew that they did not have the skills, did not have the means with which to train. And it was because of that outreach and the cooperation by State and County and community college agencies that we were able to provide the training for those people and ensure that they have jobs.

"Mr. Speaker, this is a prime example of how the training fund could work because it took the cooperation of both the State and the private and the community college as the deliverer of the service. And I am happy to report that this is an excellent example because of the 180 persons who went through the training. Actually, 182 started out, 2 dropped out, and 180 graduated. All of those persons will ultimately have jobs.

"This is an example of how this concept can work. I think it is an important concept to be instituted and I would remind members of the opposition, on this particular measure, that the net result of what is in this bill is not a new tax because the scale is coming down, that we've taken care of the employers who have a zero rating. We've also taken care of employers in high risks which are largely construction people at the high end -- 5.4. Their tax is not being raised.

"I think this is an important measure for all of us.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Souki then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker and members of the House, first of all, I wish to speak for the motion. I'm quite surprised that the loyal opposition is taking such a strong stand on this measure here because this measure provides dollars to the businesses -- needed dollars. It provides approximately \$45-million in savings to the businesses. And if you couple this with the other measure that we passed a couple of days ago, it will provide an additional \$46-million. That's \$75-million that's going to be coming in and going to all the businesses in the State of Hawaii. And if this is not a pro-business package, I don't know what it.

"All what we're asking is for businesses here, with this measure, to make a small contribution for five years into a training fund. And this training fund is not to train your businesses but to train those employees out there who need financial assistance in training -- the hard pressed, the hard core, the unemployable. This is the type of people that we want to train with this training fund -- to put them back in the mainstream so they become productive citizens of the State. This is the intent of the bill.

"The bill sunsets after five years so that we, as legislators, can examine if, in fact, the training fund achieved the purposes that it had. So, let's not begin to cry 'doom' before the program has even started. I think it's a very novel way. I think it's a small contribution for businesses to provide to the people of the State of Hawaii and not to be reliant on the federal government for training funds. If anything, the federal government has been derelict in providing training funds for the State of Hawaii. It's been dropping continually.

"I remember, years back, when I used to be in the anti-poverty program, the federal government showered us with training programs. Every year since then, it has been cut so now it's practically nonexistent. So this here will take the place and will give us an important area of financing training programs.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. I urge you to vote for this very important legislation and I wish to thank the Chairman of the Labor Committee for coming up with this and Mr. Ramil.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Anderson then rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations, stating: "Mr. Speaker, it's ironic that some people say that this training is an assessment for five years. I would hope that we could do it in a year or two. I don't see why it's going to take us five years to find out if something is going to be workable or not workable.

"Most of us do our own training. I'm a very, very small businessman and I have to train individually because when I bid on jobs, they're all different. I train my own people.

"I don't think that Mr. Murdock, if he was going to go into resort, should have relied on government to take care of his people. That was his responsibility and he should have taken care of it, nor do I think that we should be putting in money on airports to upgrade Lanai when he is the one who is going to benefit. It worries me that we help certain people and we don't help others, and the small business people are the ones that's going to be taking the brunt.

"Also, Mr. Speaker, when everybody talks about the federal government, the counties -- it's our tax dollars. We're paying -- everyone of us! I don't know where everybody think this money is coming from. I listened to my colleague, Mr. Lee. I'm sure the business people in Mililani will be very happy with your comment, and I would hope that they'd come and see you and tell you some of their problems and all of the wonderful things that's happening with federal dollars and tax dollars from the counties and the state. It bothers me that we don't look at the overall. You're paying because if something goes up, as a consumer you're going to be paying.

"For that reason, I'm going to have some reservations on this and I'm hoping that since everybody else went down, maybe I can sit on the committee and see that the assessment could be looked at and maybe we could make up our minds a little faster than five years.

"Thank you very much."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1706, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by vote of 40 ayes to 7 noes, with Representatives Bellinger, Marumoto, O'Kieffe, Stegmaier, Tatibouet, Thielen and Ward voting no, and Representatives Fukunaga, Metcalf, Peters and Tajiri being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1706 had passed Third Reading at 12:45 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hirono, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1106) recommending that S.B. No. 1123, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Hirono, seconded by Representative Morihara and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1123, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEST CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representatives Honda, Hagino and Bellinger, for the Committees on Agriculture; Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs; and Planning and Economic Development, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 1107) recommending that H.R. No. 70, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Honda, seconded by Representative Bellinger and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 70, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENTS OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING TO FIND A SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM OF FEED LOT CLOSURES," was adopted.

Representatives Honda, Hagino and Bellinger, for the Committees on Agriculture; Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs; and Planning and Economic Development, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1108) recommending that H.C.R. No. 58, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Honda, seconded by Representative Bellinger and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 58, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENTS OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING TO FIND A SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM OF FEED LOT CLOSURES," was adopted.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:47 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Wednesday, April 3, 1991.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

Wednesday, April 3, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:38 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by President Ruben Paet of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Second Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-Second Day was approved.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 192 and 193) were read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 192, informing the House that on March 28, 1991, he signed the following bills into law:

Senate Bill No. 713 as Act 3, entitled: "RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, CORRECTING REFERENCES, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS";

Senate Bill No. 124 as Act 4, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC DEFENDERS"; and

Senate Bill No. 135 as Act 5, entitled: "RELATING TO WRITS OF NE EXEAT".

Gov. Msg. No. 193, informing the House that on April 1, 1991, he signed the following bill into law:

Senate Bill No. 83 as Act 6, entitled: "RELATING TO SMALL CLAIMS."

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Hashimoto introduced 31 student leaders from Admiral Chester Nimitz Elementary School. They were accompanied by Mrs. Sharon Kauinana, Principal; Mrs. Janet Shota and Mrs. Karen Seward, teachers; and Mrs. Dee Kinney, parent facilitator.

Representative Tajiri introduced 16 students from various public high schools on the Big Island. They were accompanied by Mr. Al Dawson, District Superintendent for the Big Island; Larry Capellas and Bob Bean, retired school administrators.

Representative Amaral introduced members of the Nanaikapono Adult Education Program. They were accompanied by their teacher, Joyce Colburn.

At 11:44 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:09 o'clock p.m.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of taking the Reports of Standing Committees out of order.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1109) recommending that H.C.R. No. 290 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 290, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF STATE TAXES TO DEVELOP A MEANS BY WHICH THE TAX STRUCTURE CAN BE STRENGTHENED AND STABILIZED TO MEET FUTURE CHALLENGES," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1110) recommending that H.C.R. No. 194 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 194, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPROVING THE BUDGETARY PROCESS," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1111) recommending that H.C.R. No. 195 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO REVIEW THE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES UTILIZED BY EXECUTIVE AGENCIES TO AWARD NONBID CONSULTANT CONTRACTS," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1112) recommending that H.C.R. No. 168 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 168, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO REVIEW THE STATE TAX SYSTEM BY ASSESSING THE FISCAL RAMIFICATIONS OF UTILIZING TAX EXPENDITURES IN LIEU OF DIRECT

APPROPRIATIONS ON HAWAII'S ECONOMY," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Souki, for the majority of the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1113) recommending that S.B. No. 2135, SD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1113 and S.B. No. 2135, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 2135, SD 1, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1114) recommending that S.B. No. 1812, SD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1114 and S.B. No. 1812, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1812, SD 1, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1115) recommending that S.B. No. 8, SD 2, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1115 and S.B. No. 8, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 8, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1116) recommending that S.B. No. 2114, SD 2, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1116 and S.B. No. 2114, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ALA MOANA GATEWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 2114, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1117) recommending that S.B. No. 1224, SD 2, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1117 and S.B. No. 1224, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS UNDER THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1224, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand, Com. Rep. No. 1118)

recommending that S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1118 and S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR COMMUNITY HOSPITALS," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1119) recommending that S.B. No. 2102, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2102, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1120) recommending that S.B. No. 1240, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1240, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1121) recommending that S.B. No. 1215, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1215, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1122) recommending that S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1123) recommending that S.B. No. 1778, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1778, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE SPECIAL AND REVOLVING FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1124) recommending that S.B. No. 1379, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1379, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRANTS, SUBSIDIES, AND PURCHASES OF SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Shon voting no.

At 12:14 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:25 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 400 to 402) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 400, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION WELCOMING THE 50TH ANNUAL NISEI WEEK FESTIVAL QUEEN, SANDRA POSEY, AND HER COURT ON THEIR VISIT TO HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Ihara, Taniguchi, Yonamine, Yoshimura, Alcon, Amaral, Apo, Arakaki, Bainum, Bellinger, Cachola, Chang, Duldulao, Hiraki, Honda, Horita, D. Ige, Kihano, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Oshiro, Santiago, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Takamine and Young.

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Ihara and carried, H.R. No. 400 was adopted.

H.R. No. 401, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE 1991 CHERRY BLOSSOM FESTIVAL QUEEN, SHARON KEIKO KADOYAMA, AND HER COURT," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Ihara, Taniguchi, Yonamine, Yoshimura, Alcon, Amaral, Apo, Arakaki, Bainum, Bellinger, Cachola, Chang, Duldulao, Honda, Horita, D. Ige, Kihano, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Oshiro, Peters, Santiago, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Takamine and Young.

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Ihara and carried, H.R. No. 401 was adopted.

Representative Lee rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees:

In Japanese: "Minasama, ohayo gozai masu. Kesa, Cherry Blossom Queen and Court and Rosu Nisei Queen and Court wo koko ni omukai shiite tottemo ureshii desu. Omedeto gozaimasu." (Good morning, ladies and gentlemen! I am very happy to welcome the Cherry Blossom Queen and court and the Nisei Queen and court from Los Angeles. Congratulations!)

"It has been my pleasure to welcome the 1991 Cherry Blossom Festival Queen and her court, and the 50th Annual Nisei Week Festival Queen and her court from Los Angeles. Welcome and congratulations to all of you!

"Cherry blossom. That is a flower which describes Japan, Japanese and Japanese culture so well -- beautiful, simple, delicate but strong. It is appropriate that the annual festival the Japanese community in Honolulu has named the Cherry Blossom Festival. It's also appropriate that we also honor the Nisei Week court from Los Angeles. This has been a tradition and we would like to keep it that way for years to come.

"This year, we have an outstanding representative of the Cherry Blossom Festival, not only of the Japanese community, but also of Mililani -- the first and only community in Hawaii which has won the coveted national award All America City.

"Sharon Keiko Kadoyama. Her name rings with intelligence, beauty and personality; an accomplished student, an ardent animal lover, a committed citizen with clear career goals. No wonder the judges judged her as the best and the finest this year.

"I now have the honor to introduce, not only the Cherry Blossom Court, but also the Nisei Week Court, and first our Queen -- Sharon Keiko Kadoyama."

Queen Sharon then rose to be recognized.

"The members of her court are Princess Dayle Emi Nishimoto; Attendant Lorianne Yumi Hiroe; Attendant Carrie Aiko Yokoe; and Attendant, Miss Popularity and Miss Congeniality Stacy Asako Konishi."

The members of the court then rose to be recognized.

"And with us from Los Angeles is the Nisei Week Court headed by Queen Sandra Posey; Princess Dawn Gotanda; Princess Denise Higuchi; and Princess Kathie Honda.

The Nisei Week Queen Sandra Posey and the members of her court all rose to be recognized.

Representative Lee then asked the officials, family members, well-wishers, and all who have made this festival possible who were sitting in the gallery to stand to be recognized, as follows: Mrs. Linda Honda, mother of Kathie Honda; Mr. Allan Yokoyama, 39th Cherry Blossom Festival General Chairman and 40th President of the Honolulu Japanese Junior Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Glenn Yokoyama, General Chairman of the Festival; Mr. Stephen Uyetake, Transportation Co-chairmen; Mr. Mike Matsuo, Hospitality Chairman; Mr. Miles Mizumoto, committee member; and Mr. Victor Cabaltera. From Los Angeles: Mrs. Frances Hashimoto, General Chairperson of the 50th Annual Nisei Week Festival; Randy Oba and Chris Naito.

Certified copies of the resolution and floral leis were presented to Cherry Blossom Queen Sharon by Representative Lee; to Nisei Week Queen Sandra by Representative Apo; and to the members of their court by Representatives Yonamine, D. Ige, Arakaki, Taniguchi, Ihara, Yoshimura and Alcon.

H.R. No. 402, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE OAHU NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS FOR FIFTEEN YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY," was jointly offered by Representatives Ihara, Apo, Arakaki, Oshiro, Ward, Bainum, Lee, Taniguchi, Tam, Yonamine, Santiago, Tom, Shon, Stegmaier, Chun and Thielen.

On motion by Representative Ihara, seconded by Representative Apo and carried, H.R. No. 402 was adopted.

Representative Ihara rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this resolution that we've just adopted honors the hardworking and dedicated citizens who contribute their time and energies to their own communities for over fifteen years.

"The sixteen co-sponsors of this resolution and the many Neighborhood Board supporters in this House congratulate the Board members and honor you for these fifteen years of service."

"With your permission, Mr. Speaker, I would like to yield the floor to Representative Apo who has further comments."

Representative Apo was recognized and he stated:

"Mr. Speaker, my first comment is that this has to be the mother of all floor presentations.

"Mr. Speaker, I am proud to say that I had the privilege of serving as the first chair of the Waianae Coast Neighborhood Board No. 24 and it became a family affair because subsequently, my mother served as the second chair, went on to run for the Board of Education, and recently, my Dad just sort of retired from the chairmanship of the Waianae Coast Neighborhood Board. And I think all three of us found that it was an important opportunity provided by the City and County of Honolulu for grassroots participation in cutting your teeth in the elective process.

"Sixteen members of this House, as was mentioned earlier, come from the ranks of the Neighborhood Boards. I hope I'm not putting any bad thoughts in your minds if you're thinking of running for some of our seats because as frustrated as you get at the Neighborhood Board level in thinking you have nothing to say, it doesn't change.

"Mr. Speaker, at this time, we have a score of Neighborhood Board members who we could not accommodate on the floor sitting in the gallery, and at this time I would like to ask you all to stand to be recognized."

The Neighborhood Board members then all rose to be recognized.

Representative Apo continued, saying:

"On behalf of the entire House and Speaker of the House, we welcome all of you here today."

Representative Ihara then introduced the Neighborhood Board members who were seated on the chamber floor, as follows: Paul Chang, Chairman of the Neighborhood Commission; Willie Espero, Executive Secretary of the Neighborhood Commission Office; and Ken Stevens, Chairman of the Conference of Oahu Neighborhood Boards, "and these three honorees support the Neighborhood Board system as a whole"; and the Neighborhood Board Chairs, as follows: Al Kirchner, Board #1; Henry Iwasa, Board #4; Art Ross, Board #5; Wally Inglis, Board #6; Susan Lee, Board #8; Anita Benfatti, Board #9; John Steelquist, Board #10; Tom Smyth, Board #11; Lynne Matusow, Board #13; Curtis Won, Board #14; Victor Mon, Board #15; Mary Rose McCullen, Board #16; Thomas Kam, Board #21; Jane Ross, Board #23; Albert Silva, Board #24; Darrlyn Bunda, Board #25; Elsie Lawrence, Board #26; James

Awai, Board #27; Ronald Hales, Board #29; Robert Kenny, Board #30; Bonnie Heim, Board #31; and Linden Burzell, Board #32.

The honorees all rose to be recognized and were presented certified copies of the resolution and floral leis by various Representatives.

Representative Bainum then rose and stated:

"It is my privilege and with great pride, I might add, to acknowledge the McCully/Moilili Neighborhood Board. I have had the privilege of serving as Chair of this Board. This excellent Board is represented by outstanding dedicated people whom I am proud to represent in the Legislature. Under the able leadership of Susan Lee, Chairwoman; Trudi K. Yoshikawa, Vice Chairwoman; Jeb Brown, Legislative Committee Chair; Maynard M. Hufschmidt, Planning Committee Chair; and Mr. Charles F. McClure, Community Relations Committee Chair, this board has contributed immeasurably to the benefit of all the residents.

"Additionally, Walter Kay has been outstanding as Transportation Committee Chair. Bob Webb, a longtime member and Neighborhood Security Watch Advocate, has shown himself to be not only concerned with public safety, but a real advocate of law and order.

"I'd also like to recognize a former chairman and present Neighborhood Board Commissioner, Mr. Jim Koshi, for all his fine community work.

"Neighborhood Boards serve a unique and important function in their representative advisory capacity for the residents of Oahu. I believe this input and advice are invaluable to us as legislators. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the Board members in my district for their unselfish, volunteer service to the people they represent."

At 12:40 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 12:53 o'clock p.m., Representative Apo was permitted a late introduction and he introduced his father, Peter Apo, and John Quincy Adams, a member of the Waianae Coast Neighborhood Board, who were seated in the gallery.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1125) recommending that S.B. No. 1223, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1223, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1126)

recommending that S.B. No. 1254, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1254, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE ACTIVITY BONDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1127) recommending that S.B. No. 1914, SD 2, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1914, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1128) recommending that S.B. No. 1213, SD 1, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1213, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR CONSUMERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1223, 1254, 1914 and 1213 had passed Third Reading at 12:55 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

The following bills, which were on the calendar for Third Reading, were read throughout, and the following actions taken:

S.B. No. 1242, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Hirono, seconded by Representative Morihara and carried, S.B. No. 1242, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters being excused.

S.B. No. 1123, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Hirono, seconded by Representative Morihara and carried, S.B. No. 1123, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEST CONTROL," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Fukunaga, Okamura and Peters being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1242 and 1123 had passed Third Reading at 12:56 o'clock p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:58 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Thursday, April 4, 1991.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

Thursday, April 4, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Pastor Richard Among of the Seventh Day Adventists, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Bainum, who was excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Third Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-Third Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 399 and 400) were read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 399, informing the House that the President has, on April 3, 1991, added Senator Solomon as an additional Member on the part of the Senate at the conference of House Bill No. 1453, HD 2, SD 1.

Sen. Com. No. 400, informing the House that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 952, SD 1 (HD 1), and has requested a conference on the subject matter thereof, in consequence of which the President has, on April 3, 1991, appointed Senators Mizuguchi, Chairman; A. Kobayashi and Koki as Managers on the part of the Senate for the consideration of said amendments.

Naming of the conferees on the part of the House was deferred.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Misc. Com. No. 6) was read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 6 from Shirley M. Green, Special Assistant to the President for Presidential Messages and Correspondence, The White House, acknowledging receipt of House Resolution No. 130, supporting the nomination of Patricia Saiki.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Horita, on behalf of Representative Alcon and herself, introduced Lisa Tamayose, Lorilyn Teramoto, Jane Hudson and Alvin Gorpez, eighth graders in the Gifted and Talented Class from Moanalua Intermediate School, and participants in the legislative intern program.

Representative Shon introduced a group of seventh and eighth graders from Varsity International High School. They were accompanied by their teacher, Jill Martinsen.

Representative Honda introduced Ms. Mary Dobbs, Clerk of the Agriculture Committee in the State of Wisconsin.

Representative Arakaki, on behalf of Representatives Alcon, Cachola, Yoshimura and himself, asked the following advisors and their student leaders to stand to be recognized: Kapalama School, Lisa Johnson and her students; Fern School, Georgianne Chu and her students; Puuhale School, Michelle Vernier and her students; Kalihi-Kai, Stephanie Kinoshita and her students; Kaewai, Elaine Spencer and her students; Kaewai, Elaine Spencer and her students; Kalihi-Uka, John Anderson and Michelle Happ and their students; Kalihi-Waena, Yolanda Martinez and Ken Chang and their students; and student leaders from Dole Intermediate School.

Representative Lee then rose and stated:

"We had a number of the Kalihi students in the Tourism hearing today and I was very pleased because I wish to acknowledge before you, as well as at the hearing, that I'm a graduate of Puuhale School. I went to Puuhale from kindergarten through sixth grade and I graduated in 1942.

"Welcome!"

Representative Chang introduced Mrs. Pat Ho, Principal of Puuhale School, and "a very good friend of mine."

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 403 and 404) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 403, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF GORO ARAKAWA," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Kihano, Oshiro, Amaral, Bunda, Cachola, Hashimoto, D. Ige, Lee, Morihara, Okamura, Santiago and Yonamine.

On motion by Representative Duldulao, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, H.R. No. 403 was adopted.

Representative Duldulao rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"There is a saying that 'If you want a project right, give it to the busiest person you know.' This has been especially true in Waipahu where Goro Arakawa, one of the busiest person I know, has been called upon time and again to assist in projects involving the community welfare.

"Goro, the son of the late Zempan and Tsuru Arakawa who founded the Arakawa Store in Waipahu in the year 1909, is one of the five Arakawa children currently operating the store.

"Goro Arakawa grew up in Waipahu, attending elementary and high schools in Waipahu, moving on to Mid-Pacific Institute, the University of Hawaii, and New York University. He takes great pricle in his family's heritage and the rich culture of the community in which he has lived all his life.

"Although much has changed in island retailing, Arakawa's in Waipahu has successfully kept pace with modern merchandising while maintaining the old plantation store atmosphere. For his distinguished management contributions, Goro Arakawa was named Retailer of the Year by the Retail Merchants of Hawaii.

"Despite his exceptionally busy business schedule, this dynamic individual has always found time to take on the toughest community projects through the many business and civic organizations to which he belongs.

"Waipahu and indeed the State of Hawaii is a better place in which to live because of Goro Arakawa's unselfish dedication and commitment to community service and we owe him a debt of gratitude.

"Mr. Speaker, it is my distinct honor and pleasure to introduce to this distinguished body, Mr. Goro Arakawa."

The honoree, Goro Arakawa, then rose to be recognized.

Accompanying the honoree on the House floor were his wife, Mary; his daughter, Leilani; and son, David, who all rose to be recognized.

Representative Duldulao then asked Mr. Chuck Keever, Chairman of the Board of the Friends of Waipahu Cultural Garden Park, and Mr. Cal Kawamoto, Executive Director of the Friends of Waipahu Cultural Garden Park, who were seated in the gallery, to stand to be recognized.

Representative Duldulao then presented Mr. Arakawa with a certified copy of the resolution and a floral lei while Representatives Oshiro, Hashimoto, Amaral and Yonamine presented floral leis to members of his family.

H.R. No. 404, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE RECIPIENTS OF THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION'S OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR 1991," was jointly offered by Representatives Fukunaga and Young.

On motion by Representative Fukunaga, seconded by Representative Young and carried, H.R. No. 404 was adopted.

Representative Fukunaga rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I think in these times when truly women have been coming forward in many, many arenas, it's very timely and appropriate for us to note the 1991 Outstanding Achievements Awardees since very often the luncheon is held immediately after session and typically we are not often in a position to be able to recognize some of these distinguished women in our community.

"The YWCA has been a leader in recognizing and in encouraging women to go into a broad array of different arenas, and before us this morning we have a number of young and outstanding women who have represented, not only outstanding achievement, but a real inspiration to the many others who follow in their footsteps.

"I'd like to very briefly, at this time, introduce and say a few words about some of our honorees," and asked them to stand to be recognized.

"First, Dr. Doris Ching who is the Vice President for Student Affairs at the University of Hawaii. Dr. Ching has been one of the leaders in moving forward with programs for non-traditional women as well as encouraging young women students to go into a host of

non-traditional areas, such as science technology and moving very rapidly into future employment opportunities, both abroad and across the United States.

"Bede Kanahele Dawson, who is also a member of the Board of Directors of the YWCA, has also been an outstanding representation of a woman who has gone into a non-traditional area and who has entered the field of law after having successfully navigated her own career and begun to do very well in the Department of the Attorney General, and has helped inspire a number of other young women to also pursue the field of law.

"Noelle Irwin Henshaw, who is the President and CEO of American Tours and the international founder of the Noelle Foundation, certainly represents the best in the brightest of many of the young women entrepreneurs that we would like to encourage in our community. She has founded one of the largest tour and travel agencies in the United States and started the Noelle Foundation in order to give women in developing nations an opportunity for success, and I think those of you who recently read the article in how she's done an outstanding job of fundraising would be very impressed by the fact that she's done all of this as well as has been the mother of six children, five of whom are adopted.

"Both Carole Kai and Lynne Waihee who are among some of the other awardees were not here to be able to join us this morning, but I would also like to recognize McDonald's Restaurant of Hawaii who is represented by Helen Cavazos, their Personnel Manager. And I might like to mention that more than half of the company-owned restaurants at McDonalds are managed by women, and three of the restaurant franchisees here are women. And so, the YWCA of Oahu selected McDonald's as its 1991 organizational award honoree in recognition of the many gains that it has made in encouraging and supporting the practice of upward mobility for women in their organization.

"And last, I would like to recognize Miss Robin Wright who is the President of the YWCA and who has served very well in helping us move forward as we begin to hopefully, Mr. Speaker, encourage the development of many, many more women in the legislative process."

"Also, before asking for our certificates and leis to be presented, I would just like to recognize the number of friends and supporters and families of these awardees who are with us in the gallery this morning," and asked all of them to stand to be recognized.

Floral leis and certified copies of the resolution were then presented to the honorees by Representatives Ihara, D. Ige, Taniguchi, Arakaki, Hiraki and Fukunaga.

At 12:05 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:20 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1129) recommending that S.B. No. 1218, SD 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1130)

recommending that S.B. No. 1229 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1229, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF 'PERSON' FOR THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1131) recommending that S.B. No. 1220 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1220, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1132) recommending that S.B. No. 1227, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1227, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION OF CONTRACTORS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1133) recommending that S.B. No. 1228 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1228, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET OPERATING LOSSES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1134) recommending that S.B. No. 1398, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1398, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS AMONG BUSINESS LOAN REVOLVING FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1135) recommending that S.B. No. 1219 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1219, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1136) recommending that S.B. No. 1702, SD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1702, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

Senate Bill No. 1330 was re-referred to the Clerk's Desk. (Floor Action)

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:30 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Friday, April 5, 1991.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

Friday, April 5, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:50 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Sister Marie Rosso, Regional Coordinator of the Maryknoll Sisters, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Apo, who was excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Fourth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-Fourth Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 401 to 406) were read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 401, returning House Bill No. 73, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 4, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 402, returning House Bill No. 1317, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 4, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 403, returning House Bill No. 1918 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGANIZED CRIME," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 4, 1991, in an amended form.

By unanimous consent, H.B. Nos. 73; 1317, HD 1; and 1918, as amended by the Senate, were placed on the Clerk's desk, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. No. 73, SD 1; 1317, HD 1, SD 1; and 1918, SD 1, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Sen. Com. No. 404, returning House Bill No. 275, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WESTERN INTERSTATE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 4, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 405, returning House Bill No. 958, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTENDANCE OF BLIND AND DEAF CHILDREN," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 4, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 406, returning House Bill No. 2014, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTRICTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 4, 1991.

At this time, Representative Bunda introduced to the members of the House a group of students from Storefront School in Wahiawa. They were accompanied by their teachers, Colett Toma, Derek Tengan, John Morikawa, Shelley Miyasato, Wendy Hamane, Derek Uyetake, Kathy Saito and Alan Kaneshiro.

At 12:01 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:55 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following Senate Bill (S.B. No. 1951) was rereferred as follows:

S.B. No. Re-referred to:

1951 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 44 and 336) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 316 and 317) were re-referred as follows:

H.R. Nos. Re-referred to:

44 Jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

336 Jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

H.C.R. Nos.

316 Committee on Labor and Public Employment

317 Jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1113 on S.B. No. 2135, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2135, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 1 no, with Representative D. Ige voting no, and Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 2135 had passed Third Reading at 12:56 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1114 on S.B. No. 1812, SD 1, HD 2.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1812, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1115 on S.B. No. 8, SD 2, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 8, SD 2, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would like to express some reservations on this bill. It is entitled, 'Hawaii Property Insurance Association,' and would make available homeowners' insurance to houses and commercial establishments in certain lavathreatened areas. One of my reservations has to do with the coverage of commercial establishments because I think this is really designed for homeowners only. I think it's okay to cover the existing insurable interest as stated in the purpose section of the bill. However, I think this will encourage new developments -- housing and commercial -- to be built in lava-threatened areas in that it will now allow them to obtain insurance and thereby be able to get their mortgages.

"Also, there is a provision for the Association to be formed by this legislation which will enable it to borrow funds necessary to effect the purpose of this article in accord with the plan of operation, and I feel that wording is a little nebulous. I don't know where it would get the funds or whether it could float bonds. If the Chairman of Consumer Protection could perhaps edify me, I would feel a little more secure about this provision.

"I am also hesitant to ask every homeowner in the State to pay five dollars on their own insurance for the next couple of years to pay for the administrative expenses to set up this Association. I don't think they would be very happy to be assessed this amount.

"However, I am voting 'yes' because I think perhaps there may be a way to make this fairer if it were not only for Big Island residences. I feel if all threatened areas or residents statewide that cannot otherwise get insurance were able to come under this umbrella, it would be more fair. For instance, there must be areas in Manoa and other slide areas that can't get insurance, or in parts of my area -- Aina Haina Valley -- and slide areas that cannot get insurance. If it were broadened to other areas, I think it would be fair and people all over the State would not mind underwriting the administrative cost of this new Association.

"So, with these remarks and with these reservations, I will be voting 'aye,' Mr. Speaker.

"Thank you."

Representative Tatibouet then rose and requested that Representative Marumoto's remarks be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

Representative Kanoho then rose and requested that his remarks, against the bill, be inserted into the Journal and

the Chair, noting that there were no objections, "so ordered"

Representative Kanoho's remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker and fellow members, the purpose of this bill is to establish the Hawaii Property Insurance Association to ensure the availability of basic property insurance in areas exposed to natural disasters. This is to be accomplished by assessing a \$5.00 fee in each of the next two years to the approximately 150,000 holders of homeowners insurance policies throughout the State.

"The \$750,000 collected in each of the next two years will be used to defray the expenses incurred in the operation of the Association. The Association's function will be to accept applications for insurance from anyone who would otherwise be unable to obtain a standard fire insurance policy. Specifically, this measure is designed to assist property owners in high risk locations on the Big Island to secure insurance and in so doing, qualify for a bank mortgage which otherwise would not be available.

"While this scheme appears to serve a noble purpose, the following provide sufficient cause for objection:

- The funding methodology, of assessing all homeowners in the State does not seem proper nor fair.
- The establishment and operation of a new Association with the use of the \$750,000 collected seems exhorbitant in light of the expected number of persons who would apply for such insurance.
- 3. Is it fair that there should be this type of assistance to those who knowingly construct in high risk locations? (As opposed to homeowners who do not live in high risk areas but sustain property damage by hurricanes or other unanticipated 'acts of nature'.)
- 4. Is it fair that all the homeowners throughout the State should absorb the cost of a major disaster, such as has been experienced where hundreds of homes in high risk areas have been destroyed?
- Since these properties are in well known highrisk locations, purchase prices are normally very low especially when compared to land costs elsewhere.
- There is a perception that many of these persons on the Big Island are newcomers to the State.
- Finally, my constituency of supporters on Kauai have requested that I oppose this bill for the reasons cited above.

"Thank you for the opportunity to comment."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"I rise to speak with reservations for the same reason that Representative Marumoto spoke, and I would like Kuliouou to also be covered. As we saw in the papers, the bulldozers were taking away a number of houses that had slipped and had difficulty in this same area.

"But what I see as the primary flaw in this bill is that owner/occupant is not a requirement which means if I'm renting houses on the Big Island and I'm a spec builder, essentially I'm getting a subsidy from everybody's five dollars, and I don't think that's fair.

"Thank you."

The Chair remarked:

"I believe we took care of Kuliouou last year, Representative Ward."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 8, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 4 noes, with Representatives Bellinger, D. Ige, Kanoho and Stegmaier voting no, and Representative Apo being excused.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1116 on S.B. No. 2114, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2114, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ALA MOANA GATEWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Hagino voting no, and Representative Apo being excused.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1117 on S.B. No. 1224, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1224, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS UNDER THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1118 on S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe.

Representative O'Kieffe rose and requested that his remarks from the 37th Day on S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 1, be inserted into the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative O'Kieffe's remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, in 1988, the Legislature acknowledged the Legislative Auditor's strong and appropriate criticism of the many inefficiencies of the then County/State hospital system and a significant drain of tax dollars by gross mismanagement. It did this by reducing the appropriation subsidy for the County/State hospital system to \$5,000,000. It also included the proviso requiring that the future Executive budgets reduce the subsidy by about \$1-million per year until the subsidy would be zero.

"There was sound reasoning behind this. The County/State hospitals were to get their acts together and become more fiscally responsible and efficient. The same proviso was contained in the 1989 budget but then was unfortunately repealed last year in the supplemental budget.

"Mr. Speaker, as evidenced in this bill, the community hospital system has clearly not become more efficient.

"This bill follows as 16 percent State hospital rate increase which went into effect last September, and as of the first of this month the rates at Hilo, Kona, Maui and Hawaii community hospitals were raised a whopping 40 percent!

"What kind of quality health care can we give our citizens when suppliers would only supply on a cash basis, hospitals have no x-ray film, and bedpans are literally used for water pitchers?

"Why are we giving not just the \$15-million originally requested in the bill but an additional \$5-million on top of that to a system that has repeatedly proven itself fiscally irresponsible? Throwing good money at this problem will not solve it if we just sit back and do nothing about the management.

"Mr. Speaker, by passing this bill, we are asking our taxpayers to fund continued inefficiency.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet then rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations, stating:

"I would just like to say that while I will support this bill because the funding is needed at this time, I will maintain a position which I have taken earlier in the session that the County hospitals should be privatized because private supply can always be organized so that it is superior to the public supply, and I think this is a very extreme example in our State of a service that can be provided privately and that many of the public agencies involved in supplying the hospitals at this time would like to see it privatized.

"Adam Smith said that, 'No two characters seem more inconsistent than those of the trader and the sovereigns since people are much more protocal for the welfare of others than their own.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"I have reservations on 1118 and I summarize that by saying privatization and not subsidization is the question and the solution.

"Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1410, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR COMMUNITY HOSPITALS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 1 no, with Representative O'Kieffe voting no, and Representative Apo being excused.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1129 on S.B. No. 1218, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1218, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETURN FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1812, 8, 2114, 1224, 1410 and 1218 had passed Third Reading at 1:04 o'clock p.m.

At 1:05 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:06 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1137) recommending that S.B. No. 420, SD 2, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 420, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1138) recommending that S.B. No. 248, SD 1, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 248, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHTING," ahving been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1139) recommending that S.B. No. 1424, SD 2, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1424, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1140) recommending that S.B. No. 1792, SD 2, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1792, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1141) recommending that S.B. No. 1130, SD 2, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1130, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RELIEF FOR DEPLOYED MILITARY PERSONNEL,"

having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 420, 248, 1424, 1792 and 1130 had passed Third Reading at 1:07 o'clock p.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1142) recommending that S.B. No. 1157, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1142 and S.B. No. 1157, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUTHORIZATION OF REFUNDING SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY IN PROVIDING A HEALTH CARE FACILITY TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1157, SD 1, HD 1, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1143) recommending that S.B. No. 1273, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1143 and S.B. No. 1273, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FOREST STEWARDSHIP," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1273, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1144) recommending that S.B. No. 390, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1144 and S.B. No. 390, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAVEL AGENCIES," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 390, SD 1, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1145) recommending that S.B. No. 1353, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1145 and S.B. No. 1353, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1353, SD 1, HD 1, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1146) recommending that S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1146 and S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT TRAINING CENTER," was

deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1147) recommending that S.B. No. 1167, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1147 and S.B. No. 1167, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1167, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1148) recommending that S.B. No. 1378, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1148 and S.B. No. 1378, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL AREA PARTNERSHIPS," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1378, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1149) recommending that S.B. No. 1230, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1149 and S.B. No. 1230, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1230, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1150) recommending that S.B. No. 1198, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1150 and S.B. No. 1198, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1198, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1151) recommending that S.B. No. 1383, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1151 and S.B. No. 1383, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS PROGRAMS," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1383, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1152) recommending that S.B. No. 1726, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1152 on S.B. No. 1726, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of S.B. No. 1726, SD 1, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1153) recommending that S.B. No. 1534, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1534, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1154) recommending that S.B. No. 1382, SD 2, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1382, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTANCE TO HOMELESS FAMILIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1534 and 1382 had passed Third Reading at 1:07 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

The following bills, which were on the calendar for Third Reading, were read throughout, and the following actions taken:

S.B. No. 2102, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 2102, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1240, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1240, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1215, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1215, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1778, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1778, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE SPECIAL AND REVOLVING FUNDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 2102, 1240, 1215, 2101 and 1778 had passed Third Reading at 1:08 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 1379, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1379, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe.

Representative Shon rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, the content of this bill has not improved with age since the first crossover. It is still ill-advised, it still cuts out public scrutiny, it still reduces public hearings, it still gives over powers of the legislative branch to the administration in a system for which we do not have confidence for.

"I'd like to cite one example -- just one example -- this year that really brings it home. There has been a lot of discussion, and rightly so, about issues relating to women's violence, women's programs, violence against women, and one of the purchase of service areas very crucial to dealing with this whole tragic subject area is sex abuse treatment.

"Now, as it turns out, the funding for these programs was significantly reduced in the budget submitted to us by the administration. And many of us were contacted by those groups, pleading for the additional funds. This was not because the administration had not advocates for this. It was because the way the system works, cuts are made whether they are wise or not wise. And the way the system works, coordination which could happen for which there is no legal impediment, coordination between departments does not occur in spite of years of resolutions which we passed encouraging coordination, encouraging the groups to get together, encouraging the administration to do it right. The fact of the matter is, the system is not adequate as it rests with the administration. The bill before you does not substantially change that system.

"With respect to sexual assault issues and sex abuse treatment, we had to add those funds this year. We had to add it! Why did we have to add it? Are we saying with this bill -- hey, don't come to us anymore. And how many of us here who will vote for this bill are willing to look straight in the eye of those people that we help year after year and say, don't come to me anymore. I voted against my ability to help you. Are we really willing to do that? This is the process whereby grassroots needs are brought to the attention of elected officials -- elected officials who have a responsibility and a willingness to respond to those grassroots needs.

"I am well aware of the problems of the growing purchase of service budget totals, but this bill goes far beyond suggesting a cap. In fact, it does not suggest a cap on how much we're spending in this community organizations. What it suggests a cap on is our involvement -- our ability to directly intervene in the process. This is not a sunshine bill. This is not a streamlining bill. This is an abdication bill. because it is too difficult, and each one of us -- each one of us -- are besieged by friends and supporters and advocates who say, will you please help me get these funds restored because there was some kind of a mess-up in the budget, not because there was a policy decision that said, we're not going to give you these funds. But we all know examples or whether there was a mess-up in the construction of the administration's purchase of service list. Perhaps we haven't given them enough staff; perhaps there's a lot of reasons. But the eyes and ears that each one of us represent, in the eyes and ears that our staff represent in reviewing this, is not an insignificant element to the process. We should be proud that we are willing and able to adjust these budgets and to make those lists.

"This is an ill-advised piece of legislation. I disagree with it strongly. It will not improve the system, it will not improve the bureaucracy, and it will reduce the scrutiny that we all bring to bare on many, many worthy programs. And I very much hope that this bill is one of those many in Conference Committee that they just never get to after the budget.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ward then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"My colleague has spoken well of the bill. In fact, I changed my vote the last time that he spoke on this very subject. While in contemplation of what was really going on, I realized that we should not be put out of touch with our constituents as he says, but no one wants to be a legislator who says 'no.'

"And what's good about this bill is that it puts it armslength from we having to do that, of which we don't like to do. We always say 'yes,' and that's why the budget gets bigger and bigger every year, and we're never going to control our spending until we professionalize it. And if there's anything this bill does, it gets in that direction in not being, or having to be a legislator who says, 'no.'

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1379, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRANTS, SUBSIDIES, AND PURCHASES OF SERVICE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes to 5 noes, with Representatives Arakaki, Bainum, Hirono, Shon and Tam, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1229:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1229, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF 'PERSON' FOR THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1220:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1220, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1227, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1227, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION OF CONTRACTORS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1228:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1228, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET OPERATING LOSSES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1379, 1229, 1220, 1227 and 1228 had passed Third Reading at 1:15 o'clock p.m.

At 1:15 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:16 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 1398, SD 1:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

S.B. No. 1219:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1219, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. NO. 1702, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, S.B. No. 1702, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Apo being excused.

S.B. No. 1330, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1330, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe.

Representative Anderson rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"To be consistent, Mr. Speaker, when the bill originally came over, I had said I would hope that this House and the Senate conferees would have changed that to a Martin Luther King Day for three to five years with a drop dead clause so there'll be a Civil Rights Day because many, many people worked for civil rights. That didn't happen and now we have the same thing for a commission, and to the best of my knowledge we do have a Civil Rights Commission, so I would have to be consistent and vote against this.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Arakaki then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I don't think there's any more eloquent words in defense and in favor of this bill than what our late colleague, Representative Roland Kotani said when we established the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday.

"So I would like to have his words from the 1988 session inserted into the Journal in favor of Senate Bill No. 1330.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The remarks of the late Representative Roland Kotani are as follows:

"Twenty years ago today, Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. was assassinated at the Lorraine Hotel in Memphis, Tennessee. Today, we will show that his dream of non-violence and social justice is alive and well in Hawaii.

"Through the passage of this bill, let us also declare that we, too, in Hawaii have a dream. We have a dream that the day will come when the immigrant Filipino, and the newcomer Black or White from the mainland will not face the bigotry of narrow-minded 'localism' but will be welcomed as valued participants in our local community; we have a dream that one day the Hawaiian kid from Waianae or the Samoan kid from Kahuku will be able to share the same aspirations and ambitions for the future as the private school student from Kahala; we have a dream that we will see the day when there are no more homeless in need of shelter, no more hunger that is left unsatisfied, and no desperation that is not met by compassion and support; we have a dream that the day will come when Hawaii, the shining beacon of hope for humanity in the Pacific, will cast its light not only with the promise but with the reality of a society in whch all men and women are accepted as equals and are striving for the common

"On this day, let us remember Dr. King and let us dream of better things to come.

"Mr. Speaker, I was only in elementary school when Reverend King led the march on Washington in August 1963. But I grew up in a world that was transformed with the dream that he shared with so many others. During my childhood years, America turned its national attention to the needs and desires of the poor through programs which were inspired by the march on Washington. Reverend King told people who had been taught to deny their own dignity, 'We are somebody.' In Hawaii, his message was spread through ethnic studies programs that emphasized the history of Hawaii's working people, the history that had been ignored in favor of the history of the missionaries and sugar planters. reverberated in an ethnic pride that gave birth to the Hawaiian Movement and the Hawaiian Renaissance of the '70s and '80s. Dr. King spoke of the fact that peace and justice were inseparable, and helped us to see that our vision of building a better America could not be separated from a commitment to our global community. personal legacy is immense, yet what is important is not the individual man, but the dream that he represented and came to symbolize. As the committee report states, this State holiday commemorates 'all who have dedicated their lives to civil liberties, especially those who have participated in the struggle for social justice and human liberty in Hawaii,

"This session, we have talked much about Hawaii's future. We have talked about the need to build new industries that will diversify our economy and provide quality jobs for our people in the future. But man does not live by bread alone; he must also be sustained in matters of the spirit. Through this legislation, we in the

House will remind those who come after us that Hawaii, the Future State, cannot only be a place of economic prosperity, but must be a place endowed with a richness in spirit."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1330, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Anderson voting no, and Representative Apo being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1219, 1702 and 1330 had passed Third Reading at 1:19 o'clock p.m.

At 1:20 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:22 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Souki: "There's going to be a Conference Committee meeting today on the tourism emergency budget in Room 225 at 2:00 p.m.."

Representative Taniguchi: "There will be a Majority caucus on Monday morning, 9:00 o'clock a.m., in Room 328."

At this time, Representative Arakaki moved that the Journal remain open until 12:00 o'clock midnight this legislative day, and that all Standing Committee Reports received by the Clerk up to such time be adopted and that all bills thereto pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, except that all bills recommended for passage on Third Reading and Final Reading be deferred until Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

The motion was seconded by Representative O'Kieffe.

At 1:25 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess for the purpose of receiving Conference and Standing Committee Reports.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following Standing Committee Reports (Stand. Com. Rep. Nos. 1155 to 1258) and Conference Committee Report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1) were received in the Clerk's Office up until 12:00 o'clock midnight this legislative day, and in accordance with the motion made earlier, all Senate Bills accompanying said Standing Committee Reports passed Second Reading and were placed on the calendar for Third Reading, except those bills recommended for passage on Third Reading and Final Reading which were deferred until Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1155 (FIN) and S.B. No. 621, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1156 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1286, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1157 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1381, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATION OF A COMMISSION FOR PERFORMANCE STANDARDS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1158 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1372, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1159 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1045, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1160 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1082, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1161 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1084, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1162 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1338, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARIES AND CLASSIFICATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1163 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1511, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A CLASSROOM LIBRARY INCLUDING A LIBRARY INVENTORY, MOBILE CARTS, AND SHELVING FOR KAPAA ELEMENTARY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1797, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1165 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1737, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM FOR THE COMMUNITY-BASED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1166 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1390, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1167 (FIN) and S.B. No. 339, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENT SUPPLEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1168 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1449, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES'

RETIREMENT SYSTEM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1169 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1839, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLOOD AND SALIVA TESTING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1170 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1290, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1171 (FIN-Majority) and S.B. No. 1766, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1172 (FIN) and S.B. No. 818, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1173 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1525, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE AND COASTAL RESOURCES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1174 (FIN) and S.B. No. 693, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR NURSING HOME WITHOUT WALLS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1175 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1892, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST OLOKELE SUGAR COMPANY IN IMPROVING ITS ELECTRICAL POWER GENERATION CAPABILITY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1176 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1718, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1177 (FIN) and S.B. No. 113, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHARACTERIZATION OF NON-CIGUATERA MARINE TOXIN IN REEF FISH AND ALGAE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1178 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1462, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOVING IMAGE PRESERVATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1179 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1858, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1180 (FIN) and S.B. No. 9, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO A DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1181 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1404, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LITERACY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1182 (FIN) and S.B. No. 864, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1183 (FIN) and S.B. No. 831, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS AND SERVICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1184 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1340, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1185 (FIN) and S.B. No. 712, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1186 (FIN-Majority) and S.B. No. 2013, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMES OF CHANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1187 (FIN) and S.B. No. 277, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST UTILITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1188 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1311, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1189 (FIN) and S.B. No. 1351, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATION OF THE RANDOLPH-SHEPPARD REVOLVING ACCOUNT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1190 (FIN) and S.B. No. 115, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII UNDERSEA RESEARCH LABORATORY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1191 (FIN) was adopted and S.B. No. 809, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A BIKE PATH AND WALKWAY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1192 (FIN) was adopted and S.B. No. 731, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1193 (FIN) was adopted and S.B. No. 732, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1194 (CPC) and S.B. No. 212, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING VEHICLES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1195 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1634, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDLORD TENANT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1196 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1212, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1197 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 388, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PUBLIC REPORTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1198 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1211, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1199 (WLH) and S.B. No. 1819, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1200 (WLH) was adopted and S.B. No. 1399, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1201 (PED/IIA-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1344, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1202 (HLT/HUS) was adopted and S.B. No. 246, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1203 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1188, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENT STANDARDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1204 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 699, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR SALES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1205 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1206, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEAUTY CULTURE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1206 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1628, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEST CONTROL OPERATORS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1207 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 2097, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1208 (OMR) and S.B. No. 2053, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1209 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 2007, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER TREATMENT DEVICES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1210 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 154, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1211 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1168, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1212 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1204, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1213 (HSG) was adopted and S.B. No. 1249, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1214 (HSG) and S.B. No. 1247, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1215 (HSG/CPC/JUD-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 1255, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND REFORM," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1216 (CPC) and S.B. No. 1317, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1217 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1714, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1218 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1207, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OSTEOPATHY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1219 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1205, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REFUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1220 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 2144, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRADE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1221 (CPC/JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1757, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROHIBITION AGAINST RETAILING OF MOTOR FUEL BY REFINERS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1222 (CPC/JUD) and S.B. No. 1329, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUID FUEL," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1223 (CPC) and S.B. No. 1352, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1224 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1822, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1225 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1719, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE ARTICLE 6 - BULK SALES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1226 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 819, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FINANCIAL SERVICES LOAN INDUSTRY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1227 (CPC-Majority) was adopted and S.B. No. 2008, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUST COMPANY POWERS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1228 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 348, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLISION INSURANCE FOR RENTED MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1229 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 178, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION BUDGETS AND RESERVES," passed

Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1230 (CPC) was adopted and S.B. No. 1469, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1231 (CPC) and S.B. No. 1799, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEECH AND HEARING IMPAIRED," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1232 (WLH/TRN) was adopted and S.B. No. 1396, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE ALOHA TOWER COMPLEX," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1233 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 193, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTIFICATION OF VICTIMS OF CRIMES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1234 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 791, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1235 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 600, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1236 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 602, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1237 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1088, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1238 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1304, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORT RULES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1239 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1524, SD 3, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1240 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1956, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1241 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1332, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1242 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1312, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1243 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1307, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1244 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1297, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1245 (JUD) and S.B. No. 180, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1246 (JUD) and S.B. No. 25, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1247 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1539, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES OF THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1248 (JUD) was adopted and S.B. No. 1529, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1249 (JUD/CPC) and S.B. No. 153, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE DOGS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1250 (JUD/CPC) and S.B. No. 827, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MACADAMIA NUTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1251 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1279, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESOURCES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1252 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1567, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1253 (JUD) and S.B. No. 140, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1254 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1250, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1255 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1366, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL RECORDS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1256 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1278, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1257 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1962, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS WASTE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1258 (JUD) and S.B. No. 1756, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE LAW," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 and H.B. No. 1453, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM," were placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, April 9, 1991.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

Tuesday, April 9, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 10:13 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Dr. G. Nelson Stringer of the Kailua United Methodist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Fifth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-Fifth Day was approved.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 194) was read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 194, informing the House that on April 5, 1991, he signed the following bills into law:

Senate Bill No. 1373 as Act 7, entitled: "RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY";

House Bill No. 1008 as Act 8, entitled: "RELATING TO LIMITATION OF ACTIONS";

House Bill No. 1166 as Act 9, entitled: "RELATING TO ELECTION CONTESTS";

House Bill No. 1168 as Act 10, entitled: "RELATING TO NOMINATION PAPERS"; and

House Bill No. 1571 as Act 11, entitled: "RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES".

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 407 to 411) were read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 407, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 36, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION TO ADOPT RULES TO REQUIRE FAA PART 135 CERTIFICATES FOR ALL TOUR AIRCRAFT," which was adopted by the Senate on April 5, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 408, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 83, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE FORMULATION OF ALCOHOL-RELATED LAW ENFORCEMENT LEGISLATION BY THE COUNTY DEPARTMENTS OF LIQUOR CONTROL AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU LIQUOR COMMISSION," which was adopted by the Senate on April 5, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 409, returning House Bill No. 666, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION BUDGETS AND RESERVES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 5, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 410, returning House Bill No. 1558, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 5, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 411, returning House Bill No. 2210, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOST AND STOLEN PETS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 5, 1991, in an amended form.

By unanimous consent, H.B. Nos. 666, HD 1; 1558, HD 1; and 2210, HD 1, as amended by the Senate, were placed on the Clerk's desk, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. Nos. 666, HD 1, SD 1; 1558, HD 1, SD 1; and 2210, HD 1, SD 1, were made available to the members of the House at 10:00 o'clock

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Misc. Com. No. 7) was read by the Clerk and placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 7 from the Honorable George J. Mitchell, United States Senator, acknowledging receipt of a copy of House Resolution No. 103, expressing support for the nomination and confirmation of Patricia Saiki as Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

At this time, Representative Baker introduced to the members of the House Councilman Joe Tanaka and Myles Inokuma, Deputy County Clerk, both of Maui, who were seated in the gallery.

ORDER OF THE DAY

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third and Final Readings on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

S.B. No. 1398, SD 1:

Representative Souki moved that S.B. No. 1398, SD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Say.

Representative Hagino rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I will be voting 'no' on this bill and I would like to explain why I will be voting 'no.'

"For the last few years, I have seen a great deal of delegation of authority by this legislative body to the Executive Branch, and I believe this is another measure that withers away our authority.

"The Executive Branch has grown tremendously more powerful than the other branches of government. I am bothered by the fact that the Executive Branch has grown more powerful with the growth of the State Planning Office. The State Planning Office has grown more

powerful, has become more powerful than most of our other departments, so as a protest I will vote 'no' on this bill $^{\prime\prime}$

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1398, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS AMONG BUSINESS LOAN REVOLVING FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Hagino and Anderson voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1398 had passed Third Reading at 10:18 o'clock a.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1142 on S.B. No. 1157, SD 1, HD 1;

On motion by Representative Souki, seconded by Representative Say and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1157, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUTHORIZATION OF REFUNDING SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY IN PROVIDING A HEALTH CARE FACILITY TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1157 had passed Third Reading at 10:19 o'clock a.m.

At 10:20 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:55 o'clock a.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1143 on S.B. No. 1273, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1273, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FOREST STEWARDSHIP," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1144 on S.B. No. 390, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 390, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAVEL AGENCIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1145 on S.B. No. 1353, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1353, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1146 on S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"This bill appropriates \$10,000 for an International Flight Training Center in the State of Hawaii. First of all, through the WICHE program that Arizona State University has with our program of this nature, if we have students who need to participate in this program, they can go to Arizona State University.

"Secondly, the dollars asked for or proposed in the hearings on this bill were very small compared with what it would actually cost when we come down to a fully operational program. For instance, there is no proposal, there is no assessment of what they will need. They are going to need some nine aircrafts during the six to eight months that they are having this flight training. The costs can go on and on for the training, the maintenance, etc. So what we see in this bill is an extra curricula program. It is intended to serve only 25 students at any given time a year, reaching a maximum of 100 in a four-year program. It is an expensive program.

"And lastly, it would seem that no other airlines came to testify on this -- from our island airlines to the international carriers. They do not seem interested in an International Flight Training Center here in Hawaii.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Thielen then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I oppose this bill. It appropriates taxpayers' money for an International Flight Training Center at Honolulu International Airport or other facility in Hawaii. For years the private sector has done a very good job at training pilots. Now this bill proposes giving \$10,705 in tax money for pilot training, and that's just the tip of the iceberg. We can't train pilots for just \$10,000. There simply is no reason for the government to interfere in this.

"In addition, where will we put the training center? Honolulu Airport is one of the twenty busiest airports in the world, and the third busiest in the country in international flights. A training center would add considerably to the congestion. We all know that a training center for pilots would not be compatible with existing land uses elsewhere in the islands. Before we train international pilots, let's solve our local problems and house our homeless. That's where our dollars should go now.

"Thank you."

Representative Lee then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"The proposal for an International Flight Training Center was not and is not a priority of the University of Hawaii. The University of Hawaii did not ask for this program. We need to take a hard look at this center which will provide professional pilot education and training for the Pacific Basin. Why should Hawaii train pilots so they can fly away with their expensive public education and high personal salaries? What is the benefit for the State of Hawaii? We have important problems like education, the homeless, etc., to take care of.

"I think we need to be very, very careful as to what we do with our money. It is 'only' \$25,000, but we will wind up spending millions of dollars on the airline industry. Why doesn't the airline industry train its own pilots? United Airlines already does it.

"If there are citizens of Hawaii who want to train as pilots, they can do so at Arizona State University through the WICHE program. Why should we take on training pilots? The next thing we know, we might want to train astronauts. Think about it, ladies and gentlemen, and let us above all be responsible with the tax monies of the citizens of Hawaii.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1901, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT TRAINING CENTER," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes to 7 noes, with Representatives Anderson, Bellinger, Lee, O'Kieffe, Shon, Tatibouet and Thielen voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1147 on S.B. No. 1167, SD 2, HD 2

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1167, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1148 on S.B. No. 1378, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1378, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL AREA PARTNERSHIPS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1149 on S.B. No. 1230, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1230, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1150 on S.B. No. 1198, SD 2, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1198, SD 2, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Ward rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Under this bill, the Director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, as well as each board and commission, may delegate to the executive secretary and other personnel any of its powers and duties as it deems reasonable and proper. The Director also has the power to raise and lower fees assessed as it wishes.

"I ask you, colleagues, why are we doing it? Why are we doing it again? There are limits to the effectiveness of this. This is another bad piece of legislation and a bad precedence.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1198,

SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Marumoto and Ward voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1151 on S.B. No. 1383, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1383, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS PROGRAMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1273, 390, 1353, 1901, 1167, 1378, 1230, 1198 and 1383 had passed Third Reading at 11:05 o'clock a.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1152 on S.B. No. 1726, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1726, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1155 on S.B. No. 621, SD 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 621, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1156 on S.B. No. 1286, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1286, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Bunda and Tam voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1157 on S.B. No. 1381, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1381, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATION OF A COMMISSION FOR PERFORMANCE STANDARDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Anderson voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1158 on S.B. No. 1372, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1372, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1159 on S.B. No. 1045, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1045, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I agree that the public servants listed in the measure deserve raises, and I applaud the fact that all but one of the raises are capped. The exception is the raise given to the President of the University of Hawaii, which has no statutory limit.

"Mr. Speaker, it is bad policy for us to give this sort of a blank check to those negotiating with the University President. It is our responsibility as legislators to decide on a reasonable maximum salary for that position. This bill shows that we have abdicated tht responsibility.

"Instead, we should cap the salary and amended the bill to permit the private sector to supplement the University President's salary, as many mainland universities do.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1045, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Peters and Thielen voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1160 on S.B. No. 1082, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1082, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1161 on S.B. No. 1084, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1084, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1162 on S.B. No. 1338, SD 2,

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1338, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARIES AND CLASSIFICATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1726, 621, 1286, 1381, 1372, 1045, 1082, 1084 and 1338 had passed Third Reading at 11:08 o'clock a.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1163 on S.B. No. 1511, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1511, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A CLASSROOM LIBRARY INCLUDING A LIBRARY INVENTORY, MOBILE CARTS, AND SHELVING FOR KAPAA ELEMENTARY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164 on S.B. No. 1797, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1797, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1165 on S.B. No. 1737, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1737, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM FOR THE COMMUNITY-BASED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1166 on S.B. No. 1390, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1390, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1167 on S.B. No. 339, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 339, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENT SUPPLEMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1168 on S.B. No. 1449, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1449, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1169 on S.B. No. 1839, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1839, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLOOD AND SALIVA TESTING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1170 on S.B. No. 1290, SD 1, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and s.B. No. 1290, SD 1, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would like to encourage my colleagues to support this bill which enables the University of Hawaii Board of Regents to establish an optional retirement plan for the University of Hawaii faculty. I feel this is esssential to recruit quality faculty.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1290, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Peters and Yoshimura voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1171 on S.B. No. 1766, SD 1,

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the majority of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1766, SD 1, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative O'Kieffe rose and requested a conflict ruling, saying that he has an interest in a solar company.

"The Chair ruled "no conflict."

Representative Lee then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I would like to state from the very beginning that I am very much in favor of energy conservation. The bill, however, makes the installation of solar water heating equipment to heat residential water as a condition of approval of residential development projects built with State funds, located on State lands, or otherwise subsidized by the State. The solar pump costs \$5,000. It mandates the people buying these houses to pay for installing these solar pumps. We have no business doing that.

"The bad part of this bill is that there are no other alternatives. One can get a heat pump which costs one thousand dollars or so. That is a fraction of the cost of the five thousand dollars for a solar system. For an average family, the heat pump will save 3,000 kilowatts a year versus 4,000 kilowatts for a solar system. But it will cost much less.

"The real issue is, why should we mandate one system over another system? Indeed, why force the homeowner to do what we think is best for him? Put \$5,000 more on his mortgage!

"Let me ask, how many of us have a solar system? Very few. In other words, why don't we do what we demand of others? Or is it our policy -- do what we tell you to do, and not what we do or not do.

"The decision on energy savings should be left to the customer. Why should we decide what is in his best interest? Why should we make it mandatory? Why do we force people to do what you don't do yourselves? We are making it more difficult, in some instances, for these

homeowners to pay their mortgage. Is that what we want to do to our constituents?"

At 11:15 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 12:23 o'clock p.m. Representative Lee continued his remarks, saying:

"I would like all of you to think of what I have just said. In connection to what I have said before, let us not take five thousand dollars away from homeowners. Let the homeowners make their own decisions. We are not judges or God, and let the homeowners do what they think is best for their house.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representatives Shon, Hiraki and Isbell rose to speak in favor of the bill.

Representative Anderson rose to speak against the bill.

Representative Arakaki then rose on a point of personal privilege and asked the members to "please indicate if you have a written statement so that it could be submitted for insertion into the Journal." If not, he asked the members to "please speak a little more slowly so that it would make it easier for the reporters."

The Chair stated:

"Your point is well taken," and asked the members to submit their written statements for insertion into the Journal.

Representative Kanoho then rose and requested that Representative Lee's remarks be inserted into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1766, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes to 7 noes, with Representatives Bellinger, Chang, Hashimoto, Horita, Kanoho, Lee and Peters voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1511, 1797, 1737, 1390, 339, 1449, 1839, 1290 and 1766 had passed Third Reading at 12:44 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1172 on S.B. No. 818, SD 1, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 818, SD 1, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Arakaki rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in staunch support of S.B. No. 818 and wish to comment on it.

"I think it is ironic that as we approach the end of our labors for this year's session, we witness the birth of family leave, and although it has worked its way through both houses, I see it as just a beginning. For what we have before us is the baseline, a framework for what could be a towering monument of this Legislature's commitment to Hawaii's families. It is truly an idea whose time has come, and in fact long overdue. For the workforce here in Hawaii where dual wage earner families are the rule rather than the exception, family leave has

moved out of the realm of being a benefit to being a necessity. Times have changed, family dynamics have changed, but government and workplace policies and practices have not kept pace with the changes. We have families out there, today, living at the edge, some at the brink of economic failure, having to make those difficult, stressful choices between providing the economic resources for one's family or providing for quality care. Difficult choices exacerbated by our high cost of living and increasing cost of medical care.

"The business community continues to harp on the cost for family leave. It must be emphasized that this is unpaid family leave and one would be hard pressed to conjure up potential abuses of such a benefit. The fact is, countries such as Germany and Japan provide some form of paid leave, yet their businesses and economy continue to flourish and surpass ours. It is a national disgrace that of all the industralized nations, only the United States and South Africa fail to offer some kind of family leave.

"We talk about women. Consider this, Mr. Speaker and colleagues. Women now make up 45 percent of the State's labor force and by the year 2000, women between the ages of 25 to 54 will make up 80 percent of Hawaii's labor force. Add to that the fact that Hawaii's elder population is growing 2-1/2 times faster than any other age group. Women, who have long been the traditional caretakers of society, are now faced with choosing between their employer and family obligation. Work and family, no doubt, continue to be the two most important values for Americans.

"Indeed, Mr. Speaker, many employers, especially those in the corporate sector, have come to recognize family leave as an investment in an experienced, well-trained, high morale, high productivity work force. They are the ones who continually look to flex their benefits in recognition of the ever-changing family condition. These are the employers who, in the long run, will save the State and the taxpayers the cost of lost revenues, unemployment compensation, Medicaid, food stamps, and nursing home care -- costs incurred when a productive, tax paying employee is forced to quit to care for a family member.

"We owe it to those enlightened employers who have shown their concern for their employees and the future of Hawaii, that others should also heed the call.

"Let us pass this bill and encourage our conferees to work towards a higher standard that will express our vision for Hawaii's future. Let us send a clear message to Hawaii's people that for those who choose to work and be productive members of society, no one should have to choose between their children and their jobs, their health and their livelihoods, and most important, their families and their futures.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Baker then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this important bill establishes a much needed measure of protection for workers who may be faced with an intolerable if not impossible dilemma -- choosing between job security or family welfare. This bill is a modest proposal to help those families cope.

"Mr. Speaker, I would note that today's family is changing rapidly and women, like men, work out of economic necessity. Women currently comprise 45 percent of the State's civilian labor force, and the percentage climbs year to year. At the same time, our elderly population is growing two and a half to three

times faster than the rest of our State's population. And while this measure is not exclusively a woman's issue, women are still more often the primary care giver for the young and old in the family. Furthermore, there has been a dramatic increase in single parent heads of households. Fully, 13 percent of those families in this State are headed by women. The result is an increasing need for families to be able to balance the responsibilities and needs of the work place.

"This bill sets forth not another benefit but a minimum labor standard not unlike that of minimum wage and child labor laws. Opponents claim that family leave should not be mandatory and that many employers are already providing such leave voluntarily. Without a minimum standard such as that afforded under Senate Bill 818, the potential for discrimination is great. Without the bill's protections, employers are free to apply leave policies on an ad hoc and uneven basis, dependent on the facts and circumstances of each case, and on the employee's perceived value to the employer. Senate Bill 818 would prevent such discrimination and unfair treatment, but would not impair an employer's flexibility in fashioning a leave policy that ensures the protections afforded under this bill.

"In addition, this measure fills in the gaps in current State law. It provides a fair and equitable standard without being overly burdensome to business. The measure provides four weeks of unpaid leave; employers and employees can opt to use an employees' other leaves to satisfy the family leave requirement. It should be noted that this measure is applicable only to employers of 200 or more and it would not abrogate those contracts and agreements that afford greater or better family leave policies. Also, the bill contains provisions that would encourage employees to give employers advance notice before the family leave is taken.

"Granting family leave will not place an undue burden on business. Recently, a study by the Small Business Administration found that employers are already accustomed to managing workers' leaves because they have routinely developed practices such as rerouting work to others, sending work home to the employee on leave, hiring temporary replacements, and leaving non-essential work until the employee returns to work.

"Opponents will also argue that family leave will be costly to employers. However, two recent studies, the one I previously mentioned by SBA and an earlier GAO study dispute that notion. Those studies found that granting family leave and having the employee return to the workplace is in fact less costly than replacing a lost employee, if one can be found.

"Mr. Speaker, we recently celebrated the Year of the Family. We speak a lot, in this chamber, about the needs to promote family unity, stability and nurturing. This bill is a positive first step in that direction for it encourages and strengthens Hawaii families. It acknowledges that family concerns are workplace concerns. It is necessary legislation that will ultimately benefit both employers and employees, both in the private sector and the public sector.

"I respectfully urge my colleagues to vote 'yes' on this measure.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Young then rose and requested that Representative Baker's remarks be inserted into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 818, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Anderson and Peters voting

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1173 on S.B. No. 1525, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1525, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE AND COASTAL RESOURCES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Anderson and Hagino voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1174 on S.B. No. 693, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 693, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR NURSING HOME WITHOUT WALLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1175 on S.B. No. 1892, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1892, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST OLOKELE SUGAR COMPANY IN IMPROVING ITS ELECTRICAL POWER GENERATION CAPABILITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1176 on S.B. No. 1718, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1718, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1177 on S.B. No. 113, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 113, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"This proposed bill comes across as a classic case of special interest legislation. While I truly agree that a study should be done to identify the potent marine toxin, the \$135,000 called for in this bill, to be expended by the Department of Health, should be shared by the private entities that disturbed the natural environment in the first place.

Representative Thielen then rose to speak in favor of the bill, with strong reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this bill provides funds for a study of the cause of death of the dolphins in a lagoon owned by a hotel.

"Although I have always been a strong advocate for environmental research and environmental protection, I do not think it is the State's responsibility to study the lagoon of the Hyatt Regency Waikoloa Hotel. The testimony on this bill disclosed that the dredging of the lagoons and the runoff from the golf course may have created the host environment for the toxin.

"This is a case where the private sector should pay for cleaning up its backyard. Government could assist but should not be expected to be the sole or major source of funding for the study.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 113, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHARACTERIZATION OF NON-CIGUATERA MARINE TOXIN IN REEF FISH AND ALGAE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Tatibouet voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1178 on S.B. No. 1462, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1462, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOVING IMAGE PRESERVATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1179 on S.B. No. 1858, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1858, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1180 on S.B. No. 9, SD 2, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 9, SD 2, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose and requested that her remarks, in favor of the bill, be inserted into the Journal and the Chair, noting that there were no objections, "so ordered."

Representative Thielen's remarks are as follows:

"I strongly support the goal of this bill. It is high time we recognized that a Department of the Environment is the only sensible way of protecting our fragile and unique ecosystem and our residents' health. Although the Department of Health and the Department of Land and Natural Resources have done fine jobs in their areas of responsibility, we will save money, and protect the environment better, by putting all environmental subjects under one roof.

[&]quot;Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

"My only objection is that the bill does not go far enough or fast enough. The provision which states that the State must amend the act to give the new department some structure by the end of next session could have been avoided if we had simply passed House Bill No. 1297 from the Republican package, or the bill proposed by one of my Democratic colleagues. That bill would have created a Department of the Environment and provided a structure. That would have eliminated the uncertainty that the bill we are voting on today leaves hanging over our environment.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 9, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Anderson voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 818, 1525, 693, 1892, 1718, 113, 1462, 1858 and 9 had passed Third Reading at 12:59 o'clock p.m.

At 1:00 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:05 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1181 on S.B. No. 1404, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1404, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LITERACY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1182 on S.B. No. 864, SD 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 864, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1183 on S.B. No. 831, SD 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 831, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS AND SERVICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1184 on S.B. No. 1340, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1340, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1185 on S.B. No. 712, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 712, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Duldulao rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"The purpose of this legislation is to extend the public service company tax exemption for contract carriers by water through June 30, 1994. The subject contract water carrier is American Hawaii Cruises.

"Ten years ago, we granted American Hawaii Cruises a tax exemption. This exemption expires this year and again they are back to ask for another three years' exemption. Once again, the State government demonstrated their willingness to help small businesses and understand their needs and that starting out is difficult and thus granted a ten year tax exemption.

"During a public hearing, American Hawaii Cruises testified that since they started business, continuous losses have occurred. A sound and inquisitive mind would wonder why this company continues to sustain losses.

"(1) Did the State Department of Taxation monitor their financial condition? The answer is NO!

"The Department of Taxation testified in opposition to this bill of extension and when asked about the right of access to the company's financial record, the answer was there was no provision granting them the right. Because of this, no one has any idea what was going on internally. American Hawaii Cruises did not open their records for the State to examine their records voluntarily.

- "(2) Were there new strategies done to recoup the losses? I don't have any answer for that.
- "(3) Did the management implement new course of action or new financial plan to turn their profit and loss bottom line into a profitable operation? Apparently not. None of these courses of action were mentioned in their testimony.

"A good and sound business must have direction, planning, directing and forecasting. I am truly disappointed that they waited for ten years and not have the remedies or answers to their questionable losing operation.

"Let me clarify, Mr. Speaker, that American Hawaii Cruises doesn't have any competition. That's right -- no competition! So why the losses? Why can't they afford to pay taxes?

"They have expanded their operations to Tahiti which I think was too soon and untimely. Bad management decision. To stay in business, you must anticipate big risks; however, the rule is you stay in business to make profits.

"With the present fiscal situation in our State, I feel that we need all the revenues we can get to survive, and granting an extension for another three years is a bad decision.

"If this bill passes, please remember the ten years and another three years' extension -- of revenues lost and we will lose. The bill before us has a provision requiring American Hawaii Cruises to submit an annual financial report to the State Department of Taxation and the Legislature.

"For all the whys, and questions that we have in our minds that have gone unresolved, my dear colleagues and Mr. Speaker, the answer is yours.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Marumoto then rose and stated:

"Just very briefly in opposition to this bill.

"If cruise ships or a public service company can get a tax exemption, the Girl Scout cookies should get the same treatment.

"Thank you."

Representatives Ward and Tatibouet also rose to speak against the bill.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 712, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 33 ayes to 18 noes, with Representatives Bellinger, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, Hirono, D. Ige, Isbell, Kanoho, Marumoto, Okamura, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet, Thielen, Ward and Young voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1187 on S.B. No. 277, SD 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 277, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST UTILITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1188 on S.B. No. 1311, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1311, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Anderson and Peters voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1189 on S.B. No. 1351, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1351, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATION OF THE RANDOLPH-SHEPPARD REVOLVING ACCOUNT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1404, 864, 831, 1340, 712, 277, 1311 and 1351 had passed Third Reading at 1:40 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1186 on S.B. No. 2013, SD 2, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the majority of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 2013, SD 2, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I oppose this bill. I saw in the paper the other day that a group of mainland states are getting together on a nationwide lottery, to be organzed by Walt Disney Company.

"I see no need for us to get involved in this sort of Mickey Mouse operation. Hawaii's fiscal situation is not so desperate that we must resort to taking a cut out of gambling receipts to pay our bills. Government for years has forbidden gambling, and with good reason. Studies show that gambling exploits those who can least afford it.

"Proponents of the bill have said that gambling will allow churches and charities to raise money. It is interesting to note that testimony from churches and charities was overwhelmingly in opposition to this bill.

"We all know that this is merely the beginning. The inevitable next step is going to be lottery. As we raise our children and teach them moral values, we also can teach them how to gamble. Our children can learn their ABCs and 123s through bingo -- B-1, I-7, N-20, G-15, O-10. Do you really want to go down this road? I don't, and I hope you feel the same and join me in voting 'no' against this legislation."

Representative Duldulao then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Fun is wonderful! I love to have fun. Bingo and raffles are fun. These are forms of gambling which, at the onset, will be categorized as social gambling. Then it becomes an addiction. I truly believe that gambling is socially disintegrating, politically corrupt, and morally dangerous. Gambling is bad business, bad politics, and bad morals.

"Larry Price's article in the **Midweek** issue dated April 3, 1991, offering his insights on why legislators are opposed to gambling, and I quote: 'What I believe is that most legislators don't realize where the urge to gamble comes from and that's why they are against it. It's obvious to me that most legislators are afraid of passing any bill that has to do with gambling because they are "SUPERSTITIOUS".' Larry Price again telling this body like it is or, in this case, like it's not.

"The state government should not put itself in the position of being the promoter of an activity that is addictive. State-sponsored gambling is equivalent to state-sponsored drug promotion, drinking and smoking.

"Gambling is gambling, no matter how it is defined.

"If this bill is passed, it would open a flood gate for all sorts of gambling. We have strived and still striving to strengthen the families. This legislation destroys family. It promotes addiction, family disagreements, promotes financial problems for families. Gambling exploits the weaknesses of individuals. Gambling sucks.

"If the rich or people that have a lot of disposable income to spare and wish to gamble -- then go to Reno or Las Vegas.

"Gambling is enjoyed only for people that have the means but it will hurt the median income and the poor when addiction is developed. Instead of using the money for food, clothing and shelter, it will be spent on gambling. Thus, families will be crushed and fumble. Our crime and theft rate will increase because of gambling.

"We tell our children to be cautious, don't chance it, it's not good. Parents are role models for our youths. So parents who will be addicted to gambling will impart to the minds of their children that gambling is a source of big bucks, quick fix, you don't have to work hard, you don't need an education. What will become of our society? Human services will run out of funds and cannot deliver services.

"The Department of Taxation testified in opposition to this bill. According to the Department of Taxation, this bill adds two chapters to the Hawaii Revised Statutes which can authorize and regulate the conduct of bingo and raffles in the State. A Bingo Board will be created. The requirement set forth in one of the new chapters would put bingo game operators and conductors of raffles in a No-Win proposition. Let's legislate what will truly help our people and discard legislation that has a lot of kuchi-kuchi and seduction. Let's be real and serious. Time is of the essence so my dear colleagues, let's not chance it. Let's promote legislation that promotes employment, health and welfare, that brings out the good of our people.

"Please help me in voting no on this measure."

Representative Souki rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"First of all, Mr. Speaker and members, this Legislature should not moralize for the community. I think the community is adult enough to make their own decisions as to whether to gamble or not to gamble.

"This bill provides for limits in the amount that you can win -- no more than \$500 in a single night and no more than \$3,000 in prizes. You can play only 54 times a year. There are a lot of limits and if you limit the prize to \$3,000, it doesn't go very far for the bingo game that may take five to six hours. There is a lot of protection in this measure.

"There are a lot of people out there who want bingo—the silent majority. In testimony to the Committee a few years ago, 77 percent of the residents of the State of Hawaii wanted bingo and they want lottery, too. The great majority want bingo but they don't have the skill and the ability to come in and testify for the bill.

"I grew up with bingo, and we played bingo all the time. I ask the members to support this bill.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representatives Metcalf and Anderson then rose to speak in favor of the bill.

Representative Ward rose and spoke against the bill.

Representative Hagino rose to speak against the bill and requested a Roll Call vote on this measure.

At 1:52 o'clock p.m., Representative Arakaki asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 1:53 o'clock p.m., the Vice Speaker assumed the rostrum.

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Pursuant to Rule 52.3 of the Rules of the House, I a request Roll Call vote on this measure."

At 1:55 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 1:56 o'clock p.m., the Chair asked for a show of hands for Roll Call and there being sufficient show of hands, the Chair directed the Clerk to call the Roll.

Roll Call having been requested, the motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2013, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMES OF CHANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 26 ayes to 25 noes, with Representatives Alcon, Bainum, Bellinger, Bunda, Cachola, Duldulao, Fukunaga, Hagino, Hiraki, Hirono, D. Ige, Isbell, Marumoto, Morihara, Okamura, Peters, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tam, Tatibouet, Thielen, Ward, Yonamine and Young voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 2013 had passed Third Reading at 2:02 o'clock p.m.

At 2:03 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 2:05 o'clock p.m., the Speaker resumed the rostrum.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1190 on S.B. No. 115, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 115, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII UNDERSEA RESEARCH LABORATORY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1194 on S.B. No. 212, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 212, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1199 on S.B. No. 1819, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1819, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1208 on S.B. No. 2053, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2053, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1214 on S.B. No. 1247, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1247, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," having been read throughout, passed Third

Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 5 noes, with Representatives Anderson, Horita, Marumoto, O'Kieffe and Peters voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1216 on S.B. No. 1317, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1317, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 aves.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1222 on S.B. No. 1329, SD 1, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1329, SD 1, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I oppose this bill which imposes onerous reporting requirements on the petroleum industry. Monthly reporting is simply too frequent; in addition, much of the information required by the bill is already available to the State."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1329, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUID FUEL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives O'Kieffe and Tatibouet voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 115, 212, 1819, 2053, 1247, 1317 and 1329 had passed Third Reading at 2:09 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1231 on S.B. No. 1799, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1799, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEECH AND HEARING IMPAIRED," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1237 on S.B. No. 1088, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1088, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1238 on S.B. No. 1304, SD 1, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1304, SD 1, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations, stating:

"I voted for this bill in committee because it empowers the Director of Transportation to make reasonable regulations for airport safety. The bill authorizes the Director to adopt rules regulating noncommercial activity. The Director may not, of course, promulgate rules which infringe on the constitutionally protected free speech. The bill allows only limited and reasonable rules regarding the time, place and manner of free speech. No regulation of the content of speech is authorized by this bill, and based on that understanding, I support the bill.

"In testimony before the Senate, the Department of Transportation said: 'While we recognize the first amendment rights of demonstrators at our airports, we cannot let them disrupt our operations to the detriment of our general public. DOT signalled what it intends to do, and this bill lets them do it: by their rules, they will be able to regulate noncommercial activity and chill freedom of speech."

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak against the bill.

Representative Ward rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1304, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORT RULES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Ward voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1239 on S.B. No. 1524, SD 3, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1524, SD 3, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1240 on S.B. No. 1956, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1956, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1241 on S.B. No. 1332, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1332, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1242 on S.B. No. 1312, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1312, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1243 on S.B. No. 1307, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1307, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

HIGHWAY SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1799, 1088, 1304, 1524, 1956, 1332, 1312 and 1307 had passed Third Reading at 2:10 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1244 on S.B. No. 1297, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1297, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1245 on S.B. No. 180, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 180, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Horita voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1246 on S.B. No. 25, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 25, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1249 on S.B. No. 153, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 153, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE DOGS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Anderson voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1250 on S.B. No. 827, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 827, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MACADAMIA NUTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1251 on S.B. No. 1279, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1279, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESOURCES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1252 on S.B. No. 1567, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1567, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Bainum rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this body has passed numerous bills, discussed resolutions, allocated millions of dollars, all to improve and protect the health of Hawaii's youth.

"Today, we have an opportunity to save much suffering and prevent much physical pain by passing out this bill to limit cigarette vending machines to areas where youths are barred.

"We know certain facts that over three thousand youths, under age 16, start smoking each day and many of these youths purchase the cigarettes at vending machines. And the best way to get people to stop smoking is to prevent them from starting to smoke.

"For this reason and many other reasons, I urge the passage of this bill.

"Thank you."

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations.

Representative Anderson rose to speak against the bill.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1567, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes to 6 noes, with Representatives Anderson, O'Kieffe, Peters, Say, Souki and Yoshimura voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1253 on S.B. No. 140, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 140, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos, 1297, 180, 25, 153, 827, 1279, 1567 and 140 had passed Third Reading at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1254 on S.B. No. 1250, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1250, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 4 noes, with Representatives Cachola, Horita, Peters and Tam voting no.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1255 on S.B. No. 1366, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1366, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL RECORDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1256 on S.B. No. 1278, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1278, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1257 on S.B. No. 1962, SD 2, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1962, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS WASTE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1258 on S.B. No. 1756, SD 1, HD 2:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1756, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE LAW," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1250, 1366, 1278, 1962 and 1756 had passed Third Reading at 2:17 o'clock p.m.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 on H.B. No. 1453, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1453, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Shon rose to speak against the bill.

Representatives Bellinger, O'Kieffe, Ward and Anderson rose to speak in favor of the bill.

Representative Stegmaier rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations.

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations, stating:

"It was Thomas Jefferson who once said, 'The care of human life and happiness is the first and only legitimate object of good government.'

"I have some basic philosophical disagreement with the notion that government should be involved in the promotion of private industry. Where is the public purpose? When tax dollars are appropriated and expended, our citizens have every right to expect that all or a part of the public will be beneficiaries.

"I know they justify the appropriations by saying that a healthy industry ensures stable employment. Well, that argument is plastic as the grass skirt and as empty as the coconut bras we're trying to promote. Benefits may trickle down to insure employment for those low paying industry jobs but the biggest beneficiaries are those fat cat hotel owners, airline executives, most of whom don't give a damn about our socio-economic problems. It's obscene to think that we're helping to line their pockets, while some of our children go unsheltered and underfed.

"'Think of it as an investment,' I hear some proponents

say. Well, I can think of better ways of investing tax dollars. I can show you how dollars for quality pre-natal care can insure the birth of healthy babies. I can show you how dollars for nutrition programs such as WIC and Expanded Food and Nutrition Extensions can insure healthier children. I can show you how quality early education can provide over eight dollars in future costs for every dollar invested. And for those who don't want to invest in kids, think about acquiring mountain and beach lands dedicated to recreation and open space for future generations. Think about alternate energy and These are the investments of public dollars we need to make. These are the long term, long range visions we need to pursue. I am not against helping our visitor industry, and I realize it is the lifeblood of our economy. Perhaps, through financial incentives such as tax credits, we can help the visitor industry to maximize their marketing dollars. Yes, it will mean less for the coffers, but we have the assurance that it is monies spent by the visitor industry and not some quick fix, crisis response that lasts for a few months. Again, think about what Thomas Jefferson said that this care of human life and happiness is the first and only legitimate object of good government, and in the selling of Hawaii let's not sell the people of Hawaii short.

"Thank you."

Representative Cachola then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"According to DBEDT and HVB, Hawaii has lost about \$500-million in visitor expenditures. This translates into a revenue loss to the State of about \$40-million from direct general excise tax and transient accommodations tax revenues, without factoring in any multipliers.

"Last week, the Hawaii Visitors Bureau released information showing signs of economic recovery in Hawaii. This put the Legislature in a very compromising position and raised questions about the need for any additional funding. We then had to seek further information and address these concerns in conference committee.

"From my inquiries in the visitor industry and from my personal observations, I understand that visitor counts are still down. The neighbor islands have been hardest hit.

"In a recent discussion, Representative Tatibouet expressed to me her shock and disbelief in the optimistic HVB prediction and said that some hotels are having trouble meeting their payroll.

"If we fund an amount less than \$6-million, which proves inadequate, we cannot come back to appropriate additional funds. If we err, we should err on the side of caution.

"Other destinations will also embark on heavy promotion campaigns, competing for tourists in the same markets as ours, particularly Japan. Australia has already shown considerable gains at our expense.

"There are also many concerns about funding for health, human services, and other essential State services. Some felt that the recovery promotions should be funded by the private sector, and that State funds should go to other areas.

"The private sector has already begun its own individual promotion campaigns. The combined campaigns from both big and small companies are many times greater than our \$6-million. The private sector will continue to shoulder the greatest share of the promotions

burden, but our role is to promote the whole State of Hawaii as a destination, benefitting large and small operators alike. Large operators will promote themselves, but small ones cannot afford comparable promotions.

"As Tourism Chair, I am very sensitive to the need for State health and human services funding, which is particularly important to the Kalihi area that I represent. I am also aware of the tight budget conditions this year. However, the appropriation in this bill should be looked on as an investment, not an expense. This allocation by the State will result in an increase in economic activity and increased revenue, allowing greater funding for all State programs, particularly education, human services, and health.

"I urge my colleagues to vote in favor of this bill."

Representative Souki then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I wish to add that the tourist industry provides over \$500-million in tax revenues to the State and provides thousands of good paying jobs for our people and for this reason, I wish to speak to the motion with no reservations.

"There is every indication that we may have to cut the funds for health, human services and education. I have supported human services for many, many years and I don't look forward to making any cuts. We need the tourists to provide for the funds in education, in health, and human services. The tourism industry is our only industry and we must make it prosper.

"As a means of information for those members who do not sit in the Finance Committee, the tourism budget is exactly the same as it was last year -- \$14-million. We are not putting a cent more. Of course, I do have some concerns about this \$6-million, but if you look at it as an insurance for the future of Hawaii, this is the industry we need to have and to take care of.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Tatibouet then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to speak in favor of this bill which appropriates funds for emergency tourism promotions.

"This past Saturday, Dr. Richard Kelly, CEO of Outrigger Hotels Hawaii, the State's largest locally owned hotel company, stated in a printed weekly newsletter, which I think each of you received as a matter of fact, that March occupancies throughout his company were down by almost 20 percent and that April occupancies were down 15 percent from 1990, which means he is talking about the overall occupancy in the mid-sixties, the mid-sixty percent, for the month of April. This represents many thousands of hours of lost employment at Outrigger Hotels and is logically duplicated at Hilton, Sheraton, Hyatt and all others.

"In addition to these lost employment opportunities for our citizens, this substantial drop in tourism is negatively impacting tax collections this year in a major way, as my colleagues here are well aware. What it appears, you might not know, is just how bad business still is and why this may well continue to be so into the summer.

"Unfortunately, the media has inadvertently blurred the real picture by using numbers out of context as well as the so-called 'public numbers' given by the hotels when asked by reporters because no one of us in our industry, and most people as humans, don't like to admit when things

are really going badly, so they give inflated figures for the purpose of the press, not realizing that you're going to take them as the gospel.

"But I can assure you, my colleagues here in the House of Representatives, that I have many long-time colleagues in the visitor industry with most every major hotel in the State and these colleagues are indeed very candid with me. I've seen many of them over this past weekend, and I regularly monitor and ask them what their occupancies are like. I won't share them with you because they consider this private information. They would not share it with the press, but I can assure you if you were to ask them directly, they would tell you. That's the sense of the. . I guess I might call it that there might be a self-tulfilling prophecy if it was picked up by the press across the country and then indeed if business were that bad, indeed no one would want to come to Hawaii. But as individuals, I am sure they would share it with you.

"Believe me, the visitor industry is in dire straits. It has been far worse than it was predicted, and just because things are looking slightly better doesn't mean that these losses will not carry on for a good long time. I think you all would realize it if you were without a job, or some related economic circumstance affected you and your family for the months of January, February, March, April and May, that just because you got a really good job the rest of the year wouldn't mean that your family was in good economic condition. You see, it doesn't cure itself overnight.

"I would also hope that you each clearly understand that hundreds of millions of dollars have been spent since the first of the year by the hundreds of individual tourism companies to bring back visitors to the State. This money that's being asked for is only for the State campaign by the Hawaii Visitors Bureau in behalf of all businesses and all companies in the State.

"Therefore, in order to turn around as quickly as possible this grave situation, I urge that you join me in casting a very strong 'yes' vote for these dollars which would provide immediate help for the industry. It is important to note that the six million dollars, as I understand it, will be paid for out of the transient accommodations tax, the TAT dollars, which the industry itself has already produced.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Lee rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"Two themes are represented by previous speakers. One, tourism is the 'Golden Goose' that lays the Golden Egg; and two, tourism provides menial jobs at low pay.

"You know, in 1989, each of us was entitled to a tax rebate of \$125; for 1990, it was \$60. There was a great deal of talk about being overtaxed. This year, as many have complained, human services had to take cuts because there's no revenues. Why are there no revenues? Why is there no overtaxation? Because the tourists stayed home. The mainlanders stayed home because of the recession and the Japanese stayed home because of the war.

"Let us look at the importance of tourism. It is not that we are overtaxed, we are very good at taxing the tourists. In 1990, the gross State revenues was \$2.6-billion. The First Hawaiian Bank has estimated that the tourists paid \$640-million of that. In addition, the Duty Free shops and the airport concessions bring in from three hundred to four hundred million dollars. In other words, in direct revenues we get about a billion dollars -- that's

our Golden Egg. We should feed the Golden Goose that lays that egg because that egg provides all the moneys for education, for human services, for the investments that we called for in all different fields, and that 'feed' we are giving to the Golden Goose is chicken feed -- six million dollars! Look at it--six million dollars for a recovery campaign -- that's chicken feed!

"The other theme is tourism generates low-paying jobs -- menial jobs. But why should we look at only one part of the tourist employment? The number of jobs in tourism is very high -- it's very important, although tourism by itself constitutes only one quarter of the gross State product. Other areas are growing very rapidly and have enabled us to maintain our tax revenues -- construction, development, even agriculture.

"Tourism provides 175,000 jobs and they are not all low paying. Let me give you a very good example. We have made a lot of investments in the community colleges, in the Travel and Industry Management School, and what do the graduates from TIMS do? They are all going into management jobs in the tourist industry -- all of them in Hawaii, but also, listen very carefully. Twenty-five percent of all graduates take management jobs outside of Hawaii. That is a very important factor because if you go to any hotel or any restaurant, whom do you see as the manager? He's either Swiss or German, and the chefs are the same. They all start at the bottom like our good colleague, Representative Tatibouet. That's a very interesting thing about tourism -- they don't hire MBA's. They hire people from the ranks, and do you know how much they pay their managers? You know, a good manager from a very luxurious hotel would make \$120,000 a year. That's a lot of chicken feed -- a lot more than the Governor makes! A manager of a standard hotel that's at the low end -- he would probably make \$50,000 and get living quarters in addition. managers are well paid and they all come from the ranks. Who do you think is the Chief Housekeeper at the Hilton Hawaiian Village which has 2,500 rooms and 1,800 workers? That's a lot of people. It also has a large staff of managers, ranging from the top to the bottom.

"In addition to the direct employment in the tourist industry, you have to look at ancillary services such as architects. We have very famous architectural firms in Hawaii. They are able to prosper because they do the basic work here, they have the base operations, then they branch out. You know, when you go to Taipei the next time, look at that airport. It was designed by a Hawaii firm. You look all over it. Hawaii architects are at work and they can do so because they are fostered and developed with the tourist industry. Without the tourist industry, we would not have great architectural firms in these islands.

"I can go on and on, but let me just put it this way. You know, we have done a lot of very interesting things in this session. We have, for the first time in any state that not only pays unemployment insurance to the unemployed, we even cut the employers' unemployment premiums. And now at a time when the industry needs us, we will provide six million dollars because that is a right thing to do, the smart thing to do, and I'd do it with grace and very readily, and I think we should never forget the Golden Goose that lays the Golden Egg.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Alcon rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I am very glad, Mr. Speaker, that two of my colleagues who had a similar view of the posters when it passed through finally saw the light. I realized the fact

that they are concerned about special needs, health, and some other disadvantaged programs, but then we have to bring the money in in order to take care of those programs.

"I also would like to say, Mr. Speaker, that unless we go through with this program, there will be a lot of people who will be unemployed and also become homeless. I know that those people that I represent are not at the top of the totem pole but then they are working so hard for their children to go to school and for that, one of these days, they will hopefully be managing all of the hotels.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Amaral then rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations, stating:

"The only point I need to make, I think I yield to the wisdom of the conferees on this measure and figure they've got more information than perhaps I do.

"I have some grave concerns, however, when we talk about the selling of Hawaii with respect to what is it that we are selling. We are a culture with the native people and a history that is documented and ancient, and I worry that some of the members who are promoting Hawaii in fact are not sensitive to that and proof of that is when we see commercials about Hawaii, about coconut bras and grass skirts. And when we raise a hue and a cry over that, then again we see posters come out depicting our beautiful children, all of which were girls on the posters, all of which were bare-breasted, and we raise a hue and a cry about that as well.

"Now, here we are about to pass on six million dollars to promote Hawaii, and I wonder if we're not there to promote the hue and the cry, whether or not these people have the sensitivities, the sensibilities, and the wisdom to be able to sell Hawaii in its most authentic and appropriate way.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1453, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives D. Ige and Shon voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 1453 had passed Final Reading at 3:06 o'clock p.m.

At 3:06 o'clock p.m., Representative Anderson asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 3:07 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

The following bills, which were on the calendar for Third Reading, were read throughout and the following actions taken:

S.B. No. 809, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Tanigichi and carried, S.B. No. 809, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A BIKE PATH AND WALKWAY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 809 had passed Third Reading at 3:08 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 731, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 731, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 732, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 732, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. No. 1634, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1634, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative O'Kieffe rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, thanks to Sir Isaac Newton's third law -the Laws of Physics state that for every action, there's an
equal and opposite reaction. This law is true in the
marketplace as well, and here's how. If we make renting
harder on the apartment owners (the action), then they
will make it harder on the renters by raising their rents
and deposits (the reaction).

"Rent prices are already out of sight. This bill, though well intended, will cause the prices to go up even higher. At the expiration of the standard rental lease, many are allowed to continue as month-to-month lessees.

"Currently, with the month-to-month lease, either the tenant or the apartment owner gives the 28-day notice. The last month's rent is paid. After an inspection and necessary repairs, the balance of the security deposit is returned to the tenant within fourteen days. This is a fair and equitable system and it works very well. If the notice period is expanded to forty-five days for the landlord, there could be some abuses. Many tenants may fail to pay the last month's rent and leave the remaining half of the security deposit to cover the damages. The landlord then would end up on the short end of the stick. For protection, guess what? The apartment owners will be forced to raise the rents and the security deposits -- the consequence the people of Hawaii cannot afford.

"It is important that this problem is being addressed but for lack of a better solution, let's not pass a bill that can only exacerbate the problem.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Tatibouet then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I believe it's blatant inequity to require 28 days for the tenant but 45 days for the landlord. It is a double standard. It complicates the rental process and will only eventually raise rents to cover the losses sustained by the landlord.

"I feel that if we're going to adjust the process in order to help increase the rental supply in our State which certainly needs it, then we need to do it in an equitable fashion. "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1634, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDLORD TENANT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes to 6 noes, with Representatives Anderson, Horita, Marumoto, O'Kieffe, Peters and Tatibouet voting no.

S.B. No. 1212, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1212, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 388, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 388, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PUBLIC REPORTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 731, 1634, 1212 and 388 had passed Third Reading at 3:11 o'clock p.m.

At 3:12 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 3:29 o'clock p.m., the Vice Speaker assumed the rostrum.

S.B. No. 1211, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, S.B. No. 1211, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1399, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, S.B. No. 1399, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1344, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, S.B. No. 1344, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," was recommitted to the Committees on Planning and Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs.

S.B. No. 246, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, S.B. No. 246, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1188, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, S.B. No. 1188, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENT STANDARDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1211, 1399, 246 and 1188 had passed Third Reading at 3:31 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 699, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 699, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR SALES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1206, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1206, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEAUTY CULTURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1628, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1628, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEST CONTROL OPERATORS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 2097, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 2097, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 2007, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 2007, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER TREATMENT DEVICES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 699, 1206, 1628, 2097 and 2007 had passed Third Reading at 3:33 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 154, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 154, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1168, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1168, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1204, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1204, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1249, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1249, SD

1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1255, SD 2, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1255, SD 2, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative M. Ige rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and members, this bill is really quite a leap forward and I truly believe that the bill is getting a lot better and a lot fairer for the lessor, and I have every confidence that in the near future there will be a bill that we can all support. But until that time, Mr. Speaker, there are large gaps in the bill that I feel are enough to vote against it, raise it so that we do have enough time to try and work it out in the future. One of them happens to be -- should I, as an example, purchase a condominium under leasehold and not have the available resources for a down payment and have my mother and father co-sign for me, and they also live in a leasehold condominium?

"Under this bill, I would not be able to purchase my unit because of the owner/occupant clause. the mortgage, because it was co-signed, just happened to be signed by my parents and myself, and because my parents do not live with me, it may have disqualified myself from the purchase and vice versa. Mom and Dad may also be disqualified because they cannot now purchase their condominium because they co-signed with me. Now, should there be a problem with qualifying for the mortgage? Or, let's say the lessor wants to go out and lease cap my unit, because the title of my unit is with me and my parents, and when you take all of that income together, that also may disqualify me from a lease rent cap. And I really feel that I know of at least three or four individuals in my situation who have gone out and got cosignatures from their parents or an older brother who was fortunate enough to have the resources to put down to take over that unit. This is one problem that I see as being quite major that I would like the Chair and Vice Chair to look at during conference -- maybe next year.

"The other one concern that I have, Mr. Speaker, is not a large concern. It's a fairly innocuous concern, but it was raised at a public hearing and the Chair did mention that she would be looking at it but I did want to mention it for the record. This is in regards to having two units -- one building sharing two separate property lots. And in this instance, a Mr. So-and-So happens to own one of those lots and Mr. A owns the next lot. Now, what happens when both owners disagree on whether they should lease their condominium or sell their condominium?

"It's a major problem for a handful of landowners who have the situation where they went in, joined the two properties, put up a building, and now they have a situation where, through condemnation, both parties are going to have to decide what they want to do with the condominium. So, at this point, there really is no answer, and I sincerely hope that the Chair and Vice Chair look at this issue and give it a lot more consideration.

"This morning, we were blessed to have Dr. Nelson Stringer of the Kailua United Methodist Church give us the prayer and, you know, one sentence in his prayer kinda caught my ears, if you will. He cautioned us about 'finding short term answers to long term complexities.'

"Mr. Speaker, this issue has been with us from the very beginning and I sincerely hope that we have the sensitivity to look at both sides of the issue, and I know and I have every confidence that the Chair and the Vice Chair will continue to do what they can to try to be fair to all those involved.

"But for these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I need to vote 'no' on this measure.

"Thank you."

Representative Isbell then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I would like to publicly acknowledge the landowners for spending hundreds of thousands of dollars in hiring public relations experts to provide television, newspaper and radio ads almost daily for the past few weeks regarding this issue. Although I question the rationale for spending these enormous sums, it has been helpful in providing constant reminders to the public that the condo leasehold issue is, indeed, being dealt with this year.

"This bill is essentially the same bill which this House passed just four weeks ago. We have had two full hearings on both the Senate and House bills -- the last hearing drawing 332 written testimonies which lasted until 2:30 in the morning. I would like to publicly thank the members of the Housing Committee, Judiciary and CPC who have spent many valuable hours and days working on this condominium legislation.

"The concept in this bill is the same: The opportunity for lessees to request leasehold-to-fee condo conversion and the opportunity for the landowners to 'just say no.' Following this request and denial, only at the time of renegotiation, is the subject of lease caps discussed, and only by those lessees who are not in a financial position to pay the expected high cost of lease rents.

"This bill identifies the methods of determining income and eligibility of lessees, including trusts, tax returns, and individuals living in the condo. It requires repayment of the capped lease rents if the lessee ceases being an owner-occupant within a ten-year period. The bill also requires shared appreciation if the lessee sells the condo within a 20-year period following the lease-to-fee conversion -- the former lessee sharing the profits of the sale with the former landowner.

"This Legislature has been discussing condo issues for the past twelve years. The issue is not going away and it does not need to be studied. The City and County of Honolulu is addressing this issue with continued aggressiveness for a leasehold cap with one bill already introduced and more expected; the Senate has introduced legislation; the House has introduced legislation. All three entities have heard their pieces of legislation. Every facet of State and County government has addressed this issue this year. It is an enormous financial, physical and emotional drain on both the lessors and the lessees.

"The bigger issue in this State is really 'housing' -- or, rather, the lack of it. So let us get on with the housing solutions for the people of this State. If the amount of time spent on the condo issue and the amount of money spent keeping it in the media were put on housing, we would have probably been able to come up with innovative and creative ways to provide housing for the residents of this State who truly need a place to live that is 'affordable.' And 'affordable' means what each family can afford to pay, just as there are senior citizens in condos who can afford to pay only what their limited 'fixed' incomes allow as 'affordable' to them.

"I urge all of you to vote 'yes' on this bill, and thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Bainum then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"This bill addresses some of the same serious problems encountered by single family lessees prior to the passage of the Land Reform Act of 1967. The purpose of the Land Reform Act was to enable more of Hawaii's citizens to own their own homes without fear of eviction. However, this bill is not a mere extension of the Land Reform Act. The Land Reform Act was a mandatory conversion bill which required landowners to sell their lands.

"This bill, however, provides the landowner with a choice between conversion and acceptance of reasonable profits from lease rent caps that are restricted to true owner-occupants with limited incomes, and most of the State's condominiums and apartments will be unaffected by this bill because of the 60-70 percent of the apartments which are not owner-occupants and the 12 percent of the owners will not meet the income requirements.

"Furthermore, it addresses the concerns of landowners that the apartment owners who convert and the apartment owners who receive a break in their lease rents will make one windfall profit by selling their apartments.

"This bill requires apartment owners to share any such profits when he resells with the landowners. We need to remind ourselves that these apartment owners, for the most part, were faced with the take-it-or-leave-it situation when they first leased their apartments. In many cases, they did not even see the master leases. Many of them were not aware that they would one day be faced with the possibility of surrendering their apartments to the landowners, and neither the landowners nor the lessees realized the rising land values would far exceed increases in their incomes, leading to such unpredictable lease rent increases.

"Furthermore, many of the apartment owners who did have some understanding of their situation had every reason to believe that their elected officials would help them just as the elected officials before them had helped the single family homeowners.

"Mr. Speaker, I might say I was very surprised to read in a press release of some of the small landowners, the implication that this bill emerged from behind closed doors. I think you've heard previous speakers today talk about all the hearings and the open hearings that were held on this bill. In fact, if this bill had been exposed to any more sunshine, it would have had to have a sunscreen factor of fifty or more.

"As I have indicated, this bill does not give apartment owners the same relief that was given to single family homeowners, but it does provide relief to those who own no other residential property and who have limited incomes.

"For this reason, I urge my colleagues to support this bill.

"Thank you."

Representative Tom then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, when I last spoke on this issue, I stated to you and to this honorable body that as a former lessee, I would support all efforts to pass a law on leasehold reform that was fair, that was equitable to all concerned

parties -- lessors as well as lessees. And I have not digressed an inch from my position. I could not then, however, and cannot now, in good conscience, support a bill which for all its good intent is filled with flaws, provisions which are unclear, and numerous last-minute changes made without adequate consideration of their practical effects. We are considering altering fundamental relationships in a major segment of our housing stock.

"This bill, if enacted, will have a profound impact on the housing market in Hawaii, an impact which could affect the people of this State for many, many years to come. Whether that impact would be good or bad, I really don't know, and I don't think there has been much full consideration on it.

"At decision-making on this bill, Mr. Speaker, numerous and substantial changes were being made right up to the very point that we were asked to raise our hands either in favor or against the bill. Is that the way we legislate? Is that the way responsible laws are made? Is that the way we should be reacting to a serious social problem? I don't think so.

"Mr. Speaker, this bill is extremely complicated and filled with many, many little pieces that we hope, when put together, will fit as one complete puzzle. Having fashioned many of these pieces in haste, however, and without close examination of their practical consequences, how can we be absolutely sure that when put together, these minute little pieces which were altered many times will fit together?

"Let me demonstrate this hypothesis. Let me demonstrate my concern and let's take some examples of changes -- sweeping changes -- as well as reverses that were made during the course of pursuing this bill and its predecessors together in a very short period of time.

"First is the issue of what landowners should be covered by the bill. What landowners? The Administration's original proposal did not provide for exemption of any landowners. Remember that? None!

"In H.B. 1982, HD 1, it then specifically provided an exemption for single parcel lessors -- single parcel, okay? And it was reported that because of the concern about the negative impacts on small landowners, the bill only passed out of Committee because of this restriction. And yet, when the present bill was in Committee, the single parcel owners were reinserted without discussion of the impact confirming the small landowners' fears that their prior exemption was just shibai and a tactic to keep the legislation alive. Small landowners have unanimously testified, to the best of my knowledge, against this legislation, and yet, the Committee Report states, and I quote: 'Representatives of the small landowners specifically requested that they be included in this legislation.' What basis is there to make this assertion? I really don't know.

"Now, I am not saying that small landowners should or should not be covered by this bill but the fact that they were previously excluded indicates serious concerns about the negative effects of this legislation upon small landowners. Instead of addressing these concerns, we simply threw them back into the pot and included them.

"Another example concerns the owner-occupant requirements which lessees must meet to qualify for special treatment under this bill. Remember that? These requirements are extremely important because they serve to curb improper speculation that might create negative impacts on our housing market.

"Mr. Speaker, it is one thing to help people to keep their homes which I am all in favor of. It is entirely another if we inadvertently open the door to allow persons to profit monetarily from this legislation at the expense of everyone else. That, I object.

"The original Administration proposal provided for. . .remember, a one-year prior occupancy requirement. One year! Now, when H.B. 1982, HD 1, came out of this honorable body, this prior occupancy requirement had been lengthened to three years -- one to three years' prior occupancy! Then, the Administration took the position, well, it would be unconstitutional to require any prior occupancy which is somewhat incongruous, isn't it - given the fact that it was the Administration which originally conceived the prior occupancy requirement? Based on the Administration's representations that the prior occupancy requirement was unconstitutional, our Committees first deleted it from the bill. succession -- boom! boom! boom! however, the one-year requirement was reinserted and then lengthened to two years. At no time did I feel that there was any real discussion of why we were adopting one provision rather than another.

"I'm being specific. It was like these provisions were dematerializing and materializing out of thin air. Similar severe gyrations occurred with qualification for an application of rent tax. That's another subject. Perhaps, you know, some of these gyrations have occurred because Judge Ezra's ruling on the City and County's Bill 81 pointed out that the rent caps in this bill may similarly be fatally flawed.

"As you will recall, I testified against those provisions in House Bill 1982 which provided benefits based upon an arbitrary categorization of the apartment's value. Now, the present proposal which instead provides a sliding scale benefits based upon median family incomes, has the same problems. Again, the categorizations are filled and pulled out of thin air. The fact that Judge Ezra has already struck down as unconstitutional a rent bill substantially similar to the provisions contained in this bill should give us real pause. Judge Ezra stated that 'any rent scheme must -- must -- give the landlord a fair return on his property.

"I urge my colleagues to carefully examine, when you have the time before the vote, examine Exhibit 1 to Standing Committee Report No. 1215, thinking of the words 'fair return.' It's very important because Exhibit 1, which was provided by the Lieutenant Governor's Office, looks at what would happen with renegotiated rents at the Sandalwood Condominium if this bill became law.

"The bill provides two methods of calculating the controlled rent. The first, which is substantially similar to that utilized in the City's rent bill, multiplies the original lease rent by CPI. The second utilizes the concept of adjusted average initial lease rent. I won't pretend to understand it, but the Committee Report states, and I want to quote from the Committee Report: 'The Attorney General's Office recommended this optional method to protect against a situation where the CPI cap might generate a lease rent lower -- that is lower -- than the last fixed lease rent.'

"Look at Exhibit 1, please. The Sandalwood's present monthly rent for a one-bedroom unit is \$242 -- okay? \$242. If you're applying the CPI formula in the bill in the year 2000, the rent would actually have to be reduced in the year 2000 to \$95 a month, a rent which is only 39 percent of the rent the landowner is presently entitled to -- 39 percent! Applying the adjusted average initial lease rent formula, Exhibit 1, the landowner would still see his

monthly rent reduced to \$139.30, which is only 57 percent of the present rent. Do you think the courts will find that the landowner is getting its constitutionally required fair return with a formula which ostensibly allows it to compensate for inflation, actually forces it to reduce its rent 43 percent to 61 percent? Is that fair to bring it home? What about us? What if our salaries were not only frozen at the amount we made five years ago, but then the government told us -- hey, on top of that you would have to take a pay cut -- 61 percent back! Think about it for a moment. Perhaps you will see why this legislation has generated such strong debate.

"I have been informed that lessors won't object to or be able to legally challenge these formulas because they are actually being given a choice -- a voluntarily accepting rent caps or agreeing to sell their lands. I say, it's like being held up at gun point and being told you have the choice of giving the robber your money or being shot if you don't. It's like saying, you can live in Kaneohe or you got to live in Hawaii Kai in a certain type of house. It's not mandatory -- it's voluntary. . .

At this point, the Chair interrupted and informed Representative Tom that "your ten minutes has expired."

Representative Say rose and yielded his ten minutes to Representative Tom.

Representative Tom thanked the Chair and continued his remarks:

"You know, I'm as concerned as any member of this body about lessees not being able to afford renegotiated rents, but I honestly do not feel that this bill, as currently written, is the proper vehicle. If we truly want to take care of those who cannot afford to pay the true value of their lease lands and to ensure that lessors receive a just and equitable return for the property, I've always espoused, and many members here have too, the establishment of a State subsidized fund to assist those who need help. Isn't that what affordable housing is about? That is the only fair way of confronting a problem that we are truly trying to resolve but we are going about it in the wrong way.

"And finally, this bill has been tauted -- tauted as a compromise -- the compromise which balances both the interests of landlords, landowners, lessors and lessees. However, this bill, as currently written and maybe from its very inception, has never been favored by either lessors or lessees -- never, really. Everyone calls it a 'compromise,' but no one is really happy. Those favoring the bill don't really understand it or the defects it will have, but just merely want to get something passed, no matter whether it's fair or not. Let's not pass something just for passing it and ask later -- was it fair? That's our job.

"I just want to end by saying this -- I don't enjoy standing here and arguing about a bill like this. Do you think I enjoy it? I don't! I don't think any of us do, but the thing is, you know, we have to do our jobs and if we have to handle the problem, let's handle it right, and I hope that, you know, what I say today isn't going to change a vote. Well, I hope it does. I hope all of us can think about this for a moment because I've tried here to cite examples, not just give you emotional rhetoric. But be it what it may, when you vote today, vote your conscience -- okay? These are examples of Sandalwood and examples when people say, this bill hasn't changed from its beginning, we've always talked about the same problems. That's not true -- that's not true!

"So, thank you again, Representative Say, for yielding your time. I've said what I had to say. Again, Mr. Speaker, thanks."

Representative Amaral then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I need first to address some issues of process. I believe the process has been called into question a bit and so I need to go back to the time we first started dealing with this legislation. In fact, we knew that we had three substantive pieces of legislation -- we, the members of the Committees that were to deal with this.

'I think we were blessed with a very wise Chair who decided that she was going to do things a little bit differently. She circulated the Administration's measure. She broke it up -- paragraph by paragraph, allowed for open spaces for comments in between and said, change it any way you want. Put your comments down and then we'll all talk about it. I have never had a Chair ever do that. It provided for maximum input prior to a hearing process. And then we sat ad nauseam through lengthy hearings of testimony that we have heard over and over again before, and we considered those measures, and we sat in informal meetings, as members of the Committee, to look at how far apart we were, how we could perhaps adjust our way of thinking, how we would address this whole issue with some sense of fairness towards the resolution of the problem.

"It is the first time I have ever seen a committee take some responsibility to truly move forward and to truly try to deal with the problem, given the information each of us as individuals had. Now we took that and we went to the table again. We had another hearing, we had lengthy discussions again, and now some of the issues come back and fly back in our faces.

"We are told that the small landowners are concerned that they will be removed from a bill without discussion. We are told also that small landowners are reinserted into the bill without discussion. I don't know what meeting they were at. As far as I recall, there was a great deal of discussion at the table. As far as I recall, the small landowners understood that I had created the exemption for them from the bill so that they would not be covered because I felt that it was important to protect them because they were not part of the great oligopoly that then moves us into land reform and moves us into the taking of land for public purpose. That was my way of thinking, only to discover later that small landowners saying to me, 'we don't want to be exempted from the bill. They are trying to divide us. They are driving us from Bishop Estate and Kamehameha Schools. We want to act in concert together. Who are you to have separated us?' So, we put them back in the bill -- full coverage -- only now to discover they didn't want to be back in the bill either. And, I'm told, all of this was without discussion. I seem to recall hearing the discussion at the table on two occasions -- public hearings, not private. I'm told that we are somewhat dismayed at having a choice over owner-occupants. True, the Administration bill sends us down a measure for one year the owner-occupancy requirement which is standard owner-occupancy. inserted language for three years. We wanted some assurance that these people intended to live there. wanted to minimize the game playing taking place there so we put in that language. True, Administration guides us that perhaps this is unconstitutional. We got an Attorney General's opinion. The two years you see now in the bill is a compromise. It is somewhere between one year and three years. Perhaps if we had fought a little harder, we could have gotten three, maybe five -- who knows? We would have enjoyed your assistance there.

"What you have before you is an honest attempt to address a problem that has perplexed us for much too long. No game playing, no egos here -- this is our best effort. We ask you to read it, to consider it, and to trust in the wisdom of the people that will go to Conference Committee to try to make it as right as we possibly can.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Arakaki then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I also want to echo what Representative Amaral said. I guess at the very beginning, many of us thought because this is such a complex issue and because it was so divergent and so far apart and so emotional, that it was almost impossible to bring people together. But I must say that through the efforts of both Chairs of the Housing Committee and the Consumer Protection and Commerce Committee, there has been an honest effort to seek consensus, to seek common ground on this issue. And there have been many changes, many to accommodate the many different concerns that were expressed in the process of the hearings, and including what is said on this floor and from what I understand, this is what our legislative process is all about, that these bills move through committees and through the floor, subject to these various changes until we can find what is fair and what is just for those affected.

"So I salute the Chairs and their members for their hard work, and I just hope and I beg your counterparts in the Senate that they will use this as a vehicle for further discussion to seek that common ground and to find some convergence on this issue. It may not come this year, perhaps next year or the following, but unless we keep this process going, you know, those solutions will never be found.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Kanoho then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"It is true that we have been wrestling with this issue for twelve years, and I would submit that a good part of it which expresses my concern is that it still takes the right of property ownership and gives to another. It just simply isn't fair and it's not just.

"Thank you."

Representative Kawakami then rose to speak in opposition to S.B. No. 1255, SD 2, HD 1, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, rather than repeat substantive arguments and belabor points made previously during the First Crossover and on the floor today by prior speakers, I would like to take this opportunity to discuss my personal viewpoint and individual concern on the whole concept of involuntary land conversion.

"As a native Hawaiian and beneficiary of the Bishop legacy through my years on the Kapalama Heights campus, I have strong objections to the involuntary conversion of any trust lands for any purpose other than intended. And quite frankly, Mr. Speaker, the erosion of the trust assets upsets me.

"During the First Crossover debate, my colleague from Lihue mentioned the Lunalilo Trust which was created to care for the elderly and indigent native Hawaiians. Decades ago, the Lunalilo Trust assets rivaled the Bishop Estate assets in terms of acreage and monetary worth. In fact, I am told, that at one point in time, the Lunalilo Trust acreage far exceeded the Bishop Estate acreage.

"And today, because of questionable practices and actions, this once great land trust can support less than 20 elderly native Hawaiians, and had the Lunalilo Trust lands been preserved, I would hypothesize that the Lunalilo Trust representatives would be here leading the charge against this measure.

"The other half of me, Mr. Speaker, is Asian. I am a descendant of immigrant Chinese laborers and I would like to take a few moments to explain the cultural significance of land to our Asian kamaainas. Like the British forefathers who left their 'motherland' in search of opportunity and the ability to own land in America, my Chinese ancestors left their beloved 'motherland' in search of opportunity and land.

"Once here in Hawaii, 20 hour workdays in the fields, in the kitchens, in the sweatshops doing laundry and menial tasks were common while immigrants saved and never squandered a penny. And when they had their 'nest egg,' two priorities were fulfilled: education for the family's young and the purchase of land.

"And to that small Asian landowner, their land was not considered an investment. Land to the Asian, like the native Hawaiian, is considered to be a legacy to their families and a symbol for the well-being and prosperity of future generations.

"Some of my collegues have often said to me that if the small landowners divested themselves and sold their land, their money in turn could be placed in less troublesome and higher yielding investments which would result in more dollars and cents.

"And I say to you, to the Asian and the native Hawaiian, it is not a question of dollars and cents. To the Asian, land is the symbol of poverty endured in the 'motherland' and the generational sacrifices made in Hawaii for a better life -- a life with dignity, a life with self-determination, a life with control over one's future, and a legacy for their families.

"It is for these reasons, Mr. Speaker, that I must in all good conscience vote against this measure.

"Thank you."

Representative Anderson then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, originally when this bill went through, I spoke in favor. Truthfully, I didn't sleep for two nights. That was one of the hardest things I have ever done. I went home and couldn't sleep. My wife asked me why and I told her we did the condominium leasehold bill, an issue that I think is important. It is one that we've been wrestling with for years, and I voted for it. And she said, 'Well, if you're so upset, why did you vote for it?' And I said, 'Because I've always said that I would fight for the small landowner.' Bishop Estate, Castle, the rest of them, could fight their own battles -- they had the attorneys and the need to fight that battle -- but the small landowners couldn't. When I got back to the Capitol, a lot of the small landowners came and they said they've got the foot in the door -- 'we're next.'

"The bill today puts them back in. But let me tell you, put everything aside, I felt like Congress did when they passed the Act of 1920. At that time, we divided the Hawaiians because we made native Hawaiians and Hawaiians, and to look at me, I don't even look like I'm Hawaiian, but my one-eighth that my Tutu brought me up in the Hawaiian tradition is very strong. I don't know why but it is. She brought me up until I was seven and I

think the formative years, if anybody is up until age 5, and I stayed with her off and on until just before I got married. But she always said that land was very, very important, and at one time she owned half of the block that we had up in Alewa Heights -- she and my uncle. The family sold off a part of that -- we don't own a half a block anymore or little more. We have one parcel that my uncle and his son reside at, but it's always bothered me that we can sit here and say a taking of land is fair to others.

"Well, let me tell you, I believe the surrender clause is something we have to look at. I don't think that a person should put money into a home and then after thirty years or whatever, they lose everything. I think we have to look at that and we have to make adjustments. But this bill isn't the one that's going to do everything for everyone. I think that what we have to look at is the overall housing.

"This year, I put in a bill to extend the Land Reform Act from five acres to twenty-five. That meant that anybody who was able to build a small subdivision for rentals, for homes, would not have that land taken from them. One of the attorneys that lives in my district told everybody that I was trying to circumvent and get rid of those people that had ongoing litigation and that wasn't Those people would have been grandfathered in. That didn't come out in the news media but that was, I thought, a way to go back into what we had. I had somebody in my caucus tell me the Lieutenant Governor said at one point, 'we never had enough fee simple land.' And I said, 'that's so full of baloney,' because when I was growing up, we had fee and we had lease. In fact, I sold my fee to move to lease for a better home for my daughter and better schooling I thought. Then a group of people got together and said, 'you have to sell that,' so you folks passed, or we did, or it could be a little before my time, but we passed the Land Reform Act. forced me to fight and buy my land again.

"In Waimanalo, my Dad had over 15,000 square feet, but the neighbors all got together and said, 'You will not be able to build another home on that property. We're going double A.' It didn't make a damn what he thought -- double A zone.

"We have made more laws to try to harm people, if you will, not intentionally, maybe, but we do. We can't even build ohana zoning in certain areas if people want to bring their families back, because the law says you can't do that. Never mind if there used to be twelve people in a home and everybody is gone and one child wants to come home with her husband and her baby and build quarters in the back. They said, 'No, that's going to harm the infrastructure, there's going to be a real hardship on the wastewater management, the sewers. . .' and the whole bit. Never mind if twelve people used to live there.

"Mr. Speaker, I look at this being, when I say greed, I looked at the Sunday paper. We have people today who are selling their homes for \$350,000 and into the millions and they put 'fee,' 'near golf courses,' or whatever, to attract people to buy. But then we do have the leaseholders who say, well, I'm only getting fifteen or twenty dollars per month now but I want \$12,000. That's not fair either. We have to get back to being realistic. If, in fact, you're able to live on twenty dollars per unit and your property tax is skyrocketing, then find something that's fair and equitable and offer the lease back to these people. I would like to see that happen. I would like to see the young people be able to look at that. I'd like to see us put out a lease on 1,200,000 acres of non-productive agriculture land and send it back to the counties until we find out where construction is going and

where we're going to have recreational types of areas, where we're going to have schools. The counties would then zone and tell us where. I'd like to be able to have our young people really afford.

"Now, when we bought in Enchanted Lakes some thirty years ago, I guess that was considered, years and years ago, opala land. It was a swamp. Joe Pao went to Bishop Estate and said, 'I want to lease that,' and he did, and he subdivided it, he made a lake and he filled in. Bishop Estate didn't get one dime for I forgot how many years. But maybe it was a bad judgment on their part in how they made that lease out, but at least they were getting some kind of a concern that twenty-five years down or so, they would have income coming in. But Joe Pao was the one who developed but we paid for that development. We paid for roads, we paid for the whole deal. So what we have to look at is, if you're going to have something developed, that there should be a sharing with the people who are leasing such as Bishop Estate. In those days, they gave it all to Joe. Joe then sold it to us and he got paid twenty or twenty-five dollars per lot, or whatever. I forgot what the term was at that time.

"But we've all made mistakes and we've got to correct them. I don't know if this bill is the one that's going to do it. But as a Hawaiian, I cannot vote for this. I would feel as bad as I do because I am not a native Hawaiian according to some. I'm only Hawaiian but let me tell you, my one-eighth is informed and my one-eighth is probably stronger than some who are half or one hundred percent, because that's the way I was brought up.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Peters then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I guess you've heard my comments about these kinds of measures in the past. Some of you have referred to my actions as perhaps relentless, and I will concede that I will be relentless when it comes to stealing our lands.

"Let me strip away, if you will, some of the things that are being said to dress up this bill so that we can all behold the lies beneath. For openers, I want you to consider five points. It was stated in the findings and purpose section of this bill, and were part of the Lieutenant Governor Cayetano's testimony.

"Myth number one. 'The greatest problem of occupants and owners of multi-family dwellings is the unpredictability of lease rents.' That's what the Lieutenant Governor said -- the unpredictability of lease rents.

"Reality. If this were really the problem, the most straightforward solution would be to create a rent subsidy program -- period! Very simple, and that would be the end of the bill. However, proposals to this effect have been opposed by many lessees. Instead, they insist upon bills that allow lessees who supposedly cannot afford their lease rents to be given the opportunity to buy our land. The issue here is not the affordability to rent. It is the desire to buy, and as proposed by the formulas found in this bill, it should be more aptly described as the desire to

"Myth number two. 'This crisis is no one's fault.' I thought the Lieutenant Governor was rather eloquent when he used those words -- 'no one's fault.' And yet the proponents of this bill, while they recognize that the landowners did not cause or perceive the crisis, on the other hand, they force the landowners to bear the entire burden for addressing this social problem. And you call this fair?

"Let me quote for the edification of this body the comments made by Judge Ezra in striking down Bill 81 as being unconstitutional: 'The Fifth Amendment's just compensation provision is designed to bar the government from foisting a disproportionate burden upon a particular group of individuals for a harm which is public and whose burden should be shared by the public as a whole.'

"Myth number three. 'We must act upon leasehold condominium conversion as an affordable housing issue.' Sorry, I have a difficult time not laughing when I read that myth.

"The reality. Your Committees were represented with substantial market data that show the impact on housing prices of single-family conversion mandated by Chapter 560, and I think I have shared with you some of those details on the floor a few weeks ago, and a voluntary multi-family conversions. Far from making housing affordable, past conversion resale activity has actually fueled speculation and caused very, very high prices. And you folks know that and you perpetuate the falsehood and charade.

"Myth number four. 'The residential leasehold system is causing severe and undue economic and social hardship. What a farce! Many lessees admitted they would not have been able to afford to purchase their homes were it not for the fact that it was offered as a leasehold because you had the landowners subsidizing the value of that land and the price of that land. You didn't have to go to the banks or savings and loans or financial institutions for that purpose. We went on the line for lessees. We didn't ask them for their financials, or their net worth, or their cash flows. We subsidized them--all landowners did and do till today. The residential leasehold system has not caused lessees to suffer. It has allowed them to reap tremendous profits. Their current complaints arise from the fact that renegotiated rents that is currently going on today are starting to cut into their profits. That's the whole issue isn't it? You didn't hear them screaming thirty years ago or twenty-somewhat years ago when they came to the table to sign their leases. They were elated! Only now, after they've been subsidized by landowners thirty years down the line, as is explicitly detailed in their leases, renegotiation for those lease rents come up and now this is the time that they are called upon to share those profits with landowners, and they're screaming like hell. Greed should be another word for it.

"Myth number five. 'The Legislature, aware of the special circumstances of small landowners, lessors and trusts set up to benefit native Hawaiians, recognizes the need to provide alternatives which will allow landowners to hold on to their lands.' Again, a myth.

"The reality is that this is a cruel hoax. Mom and Pop landowners, Hawaiian trusts, charitable organizations and schools are allowed to hold on to their lands only if they agree to the confiscatory capping of their lease rents, and it doesn't stop there. They must also agree to waive their revisionary interest which has already been upheld by the courts, and you decided to turn your back on that. There's provisions in this bill that is clearly unconstitutional. . .

At this point, the Chair interrupted and informed Representative Peters "your ten minutes are up."

Representative Souki yielded his ten minutes to Representative Peters.

Representative Peters thanked the Chair and continued his remarks:

"As Representative Tom has indicated, this is no choice -- you're really not giving the landowner a choice. Clearly, it is extortion. It is a scheme that will not pass or pass constitutional muster. In the mechanics of this bill, the justification should have been given to enact this measure to continue the charade, and let me give you four examples.

"The bill will especially address the need. . . and this is myth number six. 'The bill will especially address the needs of those on fixed income who, in all likelihood, will be displaced entirely from the ranks of homeowners in this State.'

"The reality. The bill includes criteria that makes families of four with annual incomes up to \$87,400 eligible for rent relief. And this is adjusted gross income which means they still can hide other assets and income. These income guidelines must undoubtedly set the oldtime record high of those social assistance programs. It really has to -- \$87,400 adjusted gross. I have constituents on the Waianae Coast who own a fraction of this amount, yet fail to qualify for affordable housing programs. Consequently, they are unable to purchase a home in leasehold or fee simple. Are these citizens who are trapped in the rental market, or worse, others who are without shelter altogether, more deserving and more pressing priorities for public assistance than these lessees who already possess many benefits and comforts? They're homeowners. That's recognized by the Tax Department. They can turn around and sell that asset for a considerable windfall. Isn't it remarkable that this bill finds need while the Tax Department finds wealth? I suspect our judgment has been impaired by the temptation of spending someone else's money.

"Myth number seven. 'The Legislature must act before landowners have done because landowners have done nothing to respond to the issues and concerns raised by lessees.' This is an out and out lie, and many of you know that. As for conversion opportunities, over seven thousand lessees and some one hundred projects have purchased their lease fee interest from landowners who voluntarily sold to them. There's nearly twenty percent of leasehold projects out there.

"As for rent renegotiation difficulties, several condominiums and cooperatives have already reached agreement upon mutually acceptable lease rents. In other cases, for some lessees who have been able to afford the increases, landowners have offered rent deferrals or special payment programs that enable lessees to pay a lease rent that was within their budget. Because of these efforts, we are not aware of a single residential lessee who has been evicted as a consequence of lease rent renegotiations, contrary to all the rhetoric that you may have heard. For lessees who have had reasonable expectations and were willing to pay fair rents, the marketplace has worked. There are some, mostly acting on the advice and encouragement of outside influences such as the Hale Coalition and some of those greedy lawyers, who have sought government intervention to tip the scales in their favor. Their motivations prompt neither a crisis nor a legitimate reason for intercession.

"I think, at this point, it is important that I share with you that I am very bothered by one of the comments made by our colleague from Waikiki who has alluded that it was reasonable for lessees out there to expect their elected officials to assist them in conversion. Is it really reasonable? Does two wrongs make a right? You wonder why people run off, making all these kinds of allegations about what goes on in this mythical world of the Legislature. He also indicated that lessees were faced with a 'take it or leave it' proposition. You mean to tell

me somebody had a gun at their heads, saying 'sign this'? Who do you think you're kidding? Buying a home is serious business. I can't believe that anyone realizing that this perhaps may be the most expensive investment they'll ever make in their lifetime did not take the time to understand what he or she was signing. They are lying through their teeth as is typical of those groups of detractors who have come before this body for well over twelve years. Isn't it reasonable for us to visit the holocaust of 516? Who's been stonewalling all these years, and why? This is the first time that a resolution has been considered by the Housing Committee. That's the only thing I would give the Chairman of Housing credit for because I know she's got a lot of pressure to the contrary.

"Myth number eight. 'Landowners will be justly compensated for their property.'

"Immediately upon conversion, lessees are able to sell the property as unencumbered and fee simple if the bill requires them to pay the landowners only for the value of the lease fee interest, as if somehow the lease were not extinguished by the condemnation action. This is a far different approach than is used in normal eminent domain proceedings and it results in the landowner being ripped off.

"Your Committees were presented with ample evidence of lessees who made extraordinary profits from this demeanamous approach to valuation of the property, yet proponents contend that the landowners should be satisfied with these proceeds and protest when we accuse them of out and out theft. . .

At this point, the Chair interrupted and informed Representative Peters "your second ten minutes are up."

Representative Bellinger rose and yielded his ten minutes to Representative Peters.

Representative Peters thanked the Chair and continued his remarks:

"I would like to see these individuals offer the same weak excuses to the police if they walked off a car lot or out of a store with an item for which they only paid a fraction of the price. The car dealer and store owner and our laws would never let them get away with it so why do we, as legislators, condone such larceny when it comes to land? I realize its fashionable to rip off Hawaiians. If you think I'm going to lie down and play dead and let you do it again, you gotta be kidding! Don't landowners have the same rights as other citizens?

"Myth number nine, and hopefully I'll end with that, Mr. Speaker. 'Multi-family conversion is justified by the precedence set by single-family leasehold conversion laws.'

"The reality is that every study on this subject, commissioned by the Legislature and the testimony of all real estate experts, have recognized that there exists substantial differences between land ownership patterns, ownership interests, and lease terms of single family as compared with multi-family leaseholds. Because of this, neither the Legislative Reference Bureau nor the HFDC study recommends mandatory conversion legislation. None of them! And in a just completed research project, Professor Ordway who holds the endowed Chair of Real Estate at the University of Hawaii identifies numerous adverse consequences which should be studied before we adopt policies to eliminate residential leaseholds. Sometimes it takes courage to exercise the authority of our office. As public servants, we fail, not when we are unable to give constituents the privileges that some may seek, but when we neglect to protect and preserve the constitutional rights that all are guaranteed. Then I think we have failed.

"In closing, Mr. Speaker, I want to quote a statement made by an American Indian back in the nineteenth century when he addressed non-natives who wanted to purchase the land he lived on, and I quote: 'Our land is more valuable than your money. It will last forever. It will not even perish by the flames of fire. As long as the sun shines and waters flow, this land will be here to give life to men and animals. We cannot sell the lives of men and animals; therefore, we cannot sell this land. You can count your money, but only the Great Spirit can count the grains of sand and the blades of grass of these plains. As a present to you, we will give you anything we have that you can take with you (even our Aloha spirit) but our land -- never.' Never!"

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"I rise to speak to the benefits of this bill and to the truth of the mythology of the Lieutenant Governor's remarks. The Representative from Waianae has spoken very eloquently but I believe for five reasons, possibly mistakenly.

"The first is the timing. This body cannot postpone the inevitable. This is a bill whose time has come. Just like the 26 of you who voted for bingo. It was zeit geist -- the spirit of the moment. Lease to fee conversion's timing has come -- zeit geist is here.

"Secondly, equity. Like lease to fee conversion for single-family dwellings, the time has come for this multifamily dwellings. The people have waited in line for this equity long enough.

"Fairness. This bill is fair, it's not a taking, it's not a stealing. It's not a Hawaiian issue. It's not against cosigners. It's not against anybody. But it's against a system that says, we're going to give you a house and then you're going to turn around and give it back to us. Let's get away from temporary housing. We have a housing crisis in this State and we have a leasehold system that puts people on hold.

"What is really at stake? The gentleman before me represents 350,000 acres of which at stake is 900 acres of which, if the whole condominium conversion is put into context, it is less than 2,000 acres.

"However, my colleagues, these are 100,000 people and the future of Hawaii, and because of our limited land, is going to be vertical people -- vertical dwellers.

"Inevitably, this bill has got to pass. We cannot postpone the inevitable. You can't run away from lightning. Its time has come. Let's reason together and let's get this temporary housing thing behind us.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Shon then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I truly believe that some of the previous speakers have missed the point. For one thing, I do not believe that I am as charged voting for this bill because I don't understand it and just want to get something out. I think that is an unfair statement. And many of those who do support this bill have spent a lot of hours trying to understand this difficult issue.

"Secondly, on a very personal note, I think that there has been a debate on this bill that deals with whether or

not this somehow is an intended attack on the Hawaiian people or portion of the Hawaiian people. And I firmly believe that it is not. My personal view of what we should be doing with ceded lands is probably far more radical, in terms of the benefits of the Hawaiian people, and many of the opponents of this bill would accept.

"I had the opportunity, a couple of years ago, to participate in the writing of a Hawaiian history textbook, and through that experience it always struck me how ironic it was that when the native Hawaiians, reluctantly or willingly, embraced private property where the free market system invariably lost, and I find it very ironic today that we are in a situation where the embracing of the free market system is seen as a refuge.

"You know, I really do believe that something spiritual in the land is lost when you pave it over, and I have always had a difficult time reconciling my own imperfect image of the love of the land and the water, in the flora and fauna, and the environment and the ecosystem, and the intimate relationship that native peoples have with these resources. I've always had a very difficult time reconciling that relationship with the paving over of a piece of the aina and putting up a condominium on it. And even though I live in a condominium, an awful lot of my constituents live in condominiums, I am always saddened by the thought of what that area, that space, was before somebody paved it over and lost that relationship. And I do not believe that this bill is about that relationship anymore. I believe this bill, as much of the discussion has centered on, is about peoples' homes and their economic circumstances, and the difficulty that we're all in when forced to use land and that relationship as an investment. And indeed, we are talking about investments to generate funds and money. And frankly, no one has ever shown me, or even attempted to show us, as far as I know, how a single child at Kamehameha Schools lost their education because of the Land Reform Act, or how a single child will lose his education or have fewer books, or whatever, if such a bill were to pass. That relationship, that assertion, is a fair one. Something is lost when you pave it over, when you enter the free marketplace, when you ride the tail of the capitalist tiger, and we're all sort of riding that tail right now, and we all are not really quite sure how to tame that tiger, and some of us want to embrace it even more and others want to put a muzzle on it, but the fact of the matter is, we're talking about 100,000 people whose little concrete boxes built on top of what was once a beautiful aina -- those boxes are their homes. That's home! And that's the difference between a source of money and it may be true that some people will sell that home and turn it into a source of money. And we should strive to finally tune this bill, or whatever bill we come up with, so as to minimize embracing of the tiger.

"I have never been an overall enthusiast of free enterprise as the answer, and I really don't think it is the answer for the lessors and those who have a special relationship to the resources, to the shoreline, to the sand. I'm not sure but I think a previous quote read was one which I stated as a delegate to the Constitutional Convention on the creation of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. As long as the wind blows and the sun shines. . . well it doesn't blow and it doesn't shine on those concrete areas any more, and that's the problem too. That spiritual special relationship has been severed and now we're dealing with money -- in cash and resources -but we're also dealing with homes, and that's why this is such an important bill, and that's why it's not an anti-Hawaiian bill, and that's why it's not without its compromises. It's a very sensitive bill and I'm sure I couldn't prove it and so could everybody else, but not collectively. I think we've done a wonderful job collectively trying to craft a bill that represents the needs

and desires and the sensibilities of many different individuals in the State. This is a home bill. That's what it's about. That's why so many people are so interested in it and, you know, I have heard in private discussions, members of this lessor group or that lessor group, and even the Estate say, 'well, maybe we would like to get out of leasehold and sell our land. . .

At this point, the Chair interrupted and informed Representative Shon that his ten minutes was up whereupon Representative Young yielded her ten minutes.

Representative Shon thanked the Chair and continued his remarks:

"And I'm not surprised by such statements because I truly believe this issue has to do with the generation of economic resources far more than it does to the relationship with the original natural resources. It's a home bill, it's a personal rights bill. It's a fairness bill, it's a let's solve the problem bill. It's let's join hands together as a society, it's a reconciliation bill, and it's very true that the leasehold system, in times past, may have created problems which we've never anticipated, and it is true that private property and the capitalist system do not solve all our problems and should not be embraced as the answer to all. And I think this is an attempt to deal with our social values, our social values in a very fundamental sense. I realize the sensibilities involved, I realize the economics involved. When you come down to it, you're talking about a higher order of magnitude -- someone's very home versus an economic investment. And for this reason, for as long as the wind blows and the sun shines, I will be for the special relationships that the native Hawaiians have with the land, but I don't think that's what this bill really is about. I think it really is about the homes of 100,000 folks and how we're going to deal with the impending tragedy if those folks cannot afford to live in those homes in the future.

"For these reasons, I support the bill."

Representative Lee then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"It is an anti-Hawaiian bill, no matter what you say. Who's speaking against that bill? Only non-Hawaiians are speaking for that bill. Non-Hawaiians! It is not philosophy, it is not homes, it's land -- the land that belongs to the Hawaiians! You took the land back in the 19th century, dispossessed the Hawaiians. The 400,000 Hawaiians who lived here were decimated through disease brought by the outside people.

"Those who bought condos signed leases. These are contracts. You cannot take land from other people -- you cannot take other people's property. How would you like it if I took your chair, your clothes? It's not only Hawaiians who owned those lands but also other people -very small people. Indeed, a lot of the Hawaiians who owned the land used to live in Waikiki. They are the ones who took the entrepreneurial leap, provided the land for the construction of condos. If one doesn't want to live in a concrete box, find some other place. There's always freedom of choice in our society, but why force confiscation on others? The lessee is only arguing about money -- money! There is room for negotiations. No one has been kicked out of his home. He's only asked to fork over what is a fair value and what you want to do is take everything away from the small owners and Hawaiians. Shame on you! It is an anti-Hawaiian bill, and I want to stand with the Hawaiians on this issue. Where are the rest of you? You are very quick to cry 'discrimination.' Resolutions against discrimination -- I signed one recently. If people do it against you, it's discrimination,

but if you do it against the Hawaiians -- what is it? It's only fair play.

"This is going to be a very divisive issue because you want to take the land and you have the tools to do it. You did it in the 19th century. You did it against the Indians in Georgia, Florida, against the Seminoles. You did it against the Hawaiians here last century. It's about time that you look beyond your economic interest.

"And I address not only those non-Hawaiians who spoke up. I also addressed those non-Hawaiians who do not speak up. They're the ones who are eager to cry 'discrimination,' fight for justice -- for themselves. How about for the Hawaiians? Don't they deserve some of your justice? After all, the Hawaiians received you here with open arms. My ancestors were. They remember the Hawaiians. Just because you're not Hawaiians at the numbers, the law, the lawyers, the philosophy, you think you're going to prevail at this confiscation? You can only do this as they did in China or Russia, or on the They killed the kulaks, they killed the rich peasants in China, they killed the Indians, but you cannot kill anybody these days. Just think of it! Just think of it! Don't use all these highfalutin words of fair play, justice, homes and all of that when all you mean is that you want to take all the appreciation and the land to go along with it. You're selfish! You're not only selfish but you are being true to the traditions that brought you here in the first place. . .

At this point, the Chair interrupted and stated:

"Representative Lee, the Chair would like to caution. . I have no problem with your passion but I caution you --you are bordering on sarcastic aspersions directed at your colleagues. I would hope that you would, in your own judgment, temper the direction of your assault."

Representative Peters then rose on a point of order and remarked:

"If the shoe fits, wear it."

The Chair responded:

"The Chair's order stands."

Representative Lee continued his remarks, saying:

"Thank you for your description. You have done it much more magnificently and precisely than I could ever hope to compete. And with that, if you think it's sarcastic, it is to the point, and if the shoe fits, wear it."

Representative Bellinger then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"If part of the issue here is homes, the reasons that the homes even exist is because the lessors at some point in time made it possible for them to exist. If, over time, the values have appreciated and the lessees have enjoyed the appreciation and all the values, it's been wonderful on their behalf. But yet the lessors have had to bide their time. If we say that this is not really a taking, then perhaps it might be more adequately described as a stealing. If there are lessors who are saying, maybe it's time for us to get out of the land management business for the land ownership business and they wish to divest themselves of their assets, then it should be by their choice. It should not be by the force of government to compel them to sell if they do not wish it. Any time that government will mandate a forced selling of property, basically what we are doing is we are penalizing the landowner or his heirs for sometime having been successful in their history. Part of the whole premise that our country was based on was that free enterprise system -- being able to go out and work hard, being able to go out and obtain land ownership. Part of the dream of being able to come to America was that freedom of choice, that freedom of work, that freedom to go and obtain property without danger of confiscation, and yet, these types of measures are basically going in and ripping at the heart of that whole concept. You got something and I don't so I want yours.

"Representative Lee's passionate words are well The mere thought that we are going out suggesting that it's a crime for a landowner to own his land and then we're going to turn around and say, tough on you, I'm going to own it now -- that's ridiculous. And in terms of housing, if this bill passes, what is it going to do? How many more new houses are going to be put on the market to address the housing situation here? None -- not one! So if we are interested in the housing issue, then we should be looking at developing new homes, we should be looking at developing State lands, we should be looking at encouraging the development of fee simple lands. We should not be looking at the taking away from people who already own their lands because by going and taking these properties, by stealing these properties, we have not assisted the housing problem in this State one darn bit.

"And again, back to Representative Lee's words, shame on all of us if this bill passes.

"Thank you."

At 5:10 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 5:14 o'clock p.m.

The Chair then stated:

"Members, the Chair recognizes how important this issue is and, of course, I have no intention of stifling debate or remarks that any individual member feels they're absolutely compelled to make.

"It seems that most of the compelling arguments for the issue have been pretty well stated articulately on the part of both sides. I will call for further discussions but would seek your individual cooperation that unless you have new facts or new arguments to add, that you refrain from rising to speak. Of course, this does not prevent you from having your remarks inserted into the Journal.

"So, given that request, any further discussions?"

Representative Amaral rose on a point of personal privilege and stated:

"Certain comments have been made here on the floor with regard to our ethnic background and our heritage and it is important for me to note that I am a native Hawaiian, that I am Napua O Nalani, that I speak in favor of this bill, and I speak in favor of this bill because it is the measure that allows the Hawaiian trust and the Hawaiian lands to go on in perpetuity. And I do that in all good conscience. Anyone questioning my line, look up the genealogy of Keawe Aimoku and there you will find me.

"Thank you."

Representative Anderson rose on a point of clarification and stated:

"Representative Shon said that he would like to know what was there where he is at now and because I do remember. . .one good thing about getting older as you go along. . .the corner that you have your condominium at was part of the. . Blaisdell lived there. If I remember correctly, when I was quite young, it was a large parcel. It had mango trees and the house was yellow and white. Across the street, this is on Keeaumoku, I believe was Kam Fui Market. Across the street from where your condo is was the HSPA. . .

At this point, Representative Arakaki interrupted on a point of order and stated:

"I'm just wondering if this has any relevance to the bill. I think he should provide this information to Representative Shon personally."

Representative Anderson continued his remarks:

"When people say there is concern for land, Mr. Speaker, it's not just what happens to it and how we feel. We remember, and it was something that was very dear and, you know, some people are saying that it's Hawaiian. I'm related to Hawaiian, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Filipino, and there's a lot of ethnic backgrounds of my friends that own lands, and they didn't want to lose what they own. They married some of my family in and out. They wanted to keep what they had so they had a condo built. It wasn't that they wanted it boxed up or whatever. They wanted something to leave their children. It's something that we all have to remember, but you don't give up something for a buck. You don't turn it into concrete because you want to. You turn it into concrete because people came and we said, 'komo mai,' property tax went up, and other things that they couldn't afford. They would have lost it. So they had to have a way to retain what they held dear and that's why they did it. It wasn't something that came very simple to them, and that's what I was trying to explain.

"The HSPA now doesn't live or doesn't have that large parcel of land across the street but it was there for many, many, many years. I was sorry to see it go. I just wanted to explain that some of the things that we do, we don't do because we want to -- we do it out of necessity.

"Thank you very much."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1255, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND REFORM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 33 ayes to 18 noes, with Representatives Alcon, Anderson, Bellinger, Bunda, Chang, Duldulao, Honda, Horita, M. Ige, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Peters, Say, Souki, Tam, Tom and Yoshimura voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 154, 1168, 1204, 1249 and 1255 had passed Third Reading at 5:20 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 1714, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1714, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1207, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1207, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO OSTEOPATHY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1205, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1205, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REFUNDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 2144, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 2144, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRADE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1757, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1757, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"After carefully studying all of the testimonies submitted on this bill, as it has worked its way through the Senate and now the House, I note that this measure, as it started out in the Senate, would have prevented refiners from owning and operating gasoline service stations, better known as divorcement.

"The proponents of this divorcement legislation have alleged that such integrated refiners who sell gasoline to the public are somehow engaging in predatory pricing behavior and that this has led to independent franchise dealers going out of business. They argued that permitting refiners to own and operate retail gasoline stations place the dealers in an unfair and competitive disadvantage.

"However, in reviewing the information and data that have been prepared by numerous sources contained in the testimony and elsewhere, I have not been able to identify any documented evidence to support the statements that such actions and activities are being promoted in our State, On the contrary, study after study from the Federal Trade Commission, from the Federal Department of Energy, the state of Maryland, the Commonwealth of Virginia, the states of Washington and Arizona, have discounted the allegations of unfair competition committed by integrated oil companies. In fact, the FTC found the divorcement laws have resulted in higher motor fuel prices and fewer choices for consumers.

"In hearing this bill, Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to note that your Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary chose not to support the Senate's position. While I concur with the Committees' decision not to endorse the divorcement, I strongly oppose the amendment which imposed a two-year moratorium on refiners opening retail gas outlets. I believe this action is premature and another example of unwanted government intervention in the marketplace.

"Although the House draft that we have here allows for very few narrow exceptions, it is unconscionable that we, as a legislative body, would condone interfering with the marketplace and prohibit certain business activities based on no real documented evidence.

"Mr. Speaker, the other amendments in this House draft call for studies to be conducted by the Attorney General's Office and the DCCA from a cost and consumer

protective. If the studies are needed, then let's study the issue. If data on the Hawaii market is required, then let's get the data. But it's unfair to penalize those parties and the consumers while the jury is still out and before the evidence is in. I cannot see any other alternative but to vote 'no' on this bill, and I urge my colleagues to do the same.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Thielen then rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"In a free market system such as ours, the general rule is that the more competition there is, the better. There must be a strong presumption against any measure which bans a company from competing.

"This bill contains just such a ban -- a two year moratorium. Although there was no convincing evidence that oil refiners are competing unfairly, the bill was passed out of Committee.

"The ultimate loser of course, as always, will be the consumer. We do not do gasoline buyers any favor by telling them that they cannot buy from a refiner, even if the refiner offers the lowest price for gas.

"Hawaii and the federal government already have adequate antitrust laws forbidding anti-competitive actions by oil companies. If there is evidence of antitrust violations, the proper authorities, including our Office of the Attorney General, should act vigorously to enforce those laws. Otherwise, the government should stay out of the free market.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Alcon then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"You know, it really blows my mind, Mr. Speaker. At one point, we speak about supporting the small businesses, and at another point we say, let the big businesses murder all the small businesses. I think that's wrong.

"Thank you."

Representative Metcalf then rose and requested that Representative Alcon's "very candid analysis" be inserted into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

Representative Thielen then rose and remarked:

"Mr. Speaker, as a supporter of free enterprise, I don't support homicide.

"Thank you."

Representative Metcalf rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to thank the Representative for that clarification because based on the remarks from that side of the aisle, it was unclear."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1757, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROHIBITION AGAINST RETAILING OF MOTOR FUEL BY REFINERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 5 noes, with Representatives Bellinger, Chang, D. Ige, Tatibouet and Thielen voting no.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1714, 1207, 1205, 2144 and 1757 had passed Third Reading at 5:24 o'clock p.m.

At 5:25 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 5:28 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 1352, HD 2:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1352, HD 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in favor of the bill, with reservations, stating:

"The relocation provisions are a legal nightmare; they will create a mountain of new litigation. They will effectively ban condominium conversions for four years. The bill does nothing to solve the housing crisis, unfortunately, and it doesn't encourage the creation of affordable housing. But, reluctantly, I am in support of the legislation."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1352, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Anderson and Horita voting no.

S.B. No. 1822, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1822, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"I support this bill, Mr. Speaker. This extends an adopting parent's health insurance to a child adopted within 30 days of birth.

"My only quarrel with the bill is that it doesn't go far enough. We also should extend coverage to infants and toddlers who are adopted to cover any pre-existing medical problems. Small children need health insurance and we shouldn't penalize a child for not being adopted within 30 days of that child's birth.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1822, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 aves.

S.B. No. 1719, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1719, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE ARTICLE 6 - BULK SALES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 819, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 819, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE

FINANCIAL SERVICES LOAN INDUSTRY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 2008, SD 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 2008, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUST COMPANY POWERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 1352, 1822, 1719, 819 and 2008 had passed Third Reading at 5:30 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 348, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 348, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLISION INSURANCE FOR RENTED MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Say voting no.

S.B. No. 178, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 178, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION BUDGETS AND RESERVES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1469, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1469, SD 1, HD 1, ehtitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1396, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1396, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE ALOHA TOWER COMPLEX," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 193, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 193, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTIFICATION OF VICTIMS OF CRIMES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 348, 178, 1469, 1396 and 193 had passed Third Reading at 5:31 o'clock p.m.

S.B. No. 791, SD 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 791, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 600, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 600, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 602, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 602, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

S.B. No. 1539, SD 1, HD 1:

Representative Arakaki moved that S.B. No. 1539, SD 1, HD 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Taniguchi.

Representative Tatibouet rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"I will make my remarks brief since everyone is anxious we're on the last page and it's been a long day.

"I speak against the proposed bill as currently written because it is unnecessary, premature and unfair in my estimation. It will eliminate the only protection employees and employers have to have a court of law review the factual determinations of the Civil Rights Commission de novo.

"Senate Bill 1539 is unnecessary because a companion bill, House Bill 1004, will accomplish the same ends without the elimination of the guarantee of de novo review of the factual findings which is contained in House Draft 1 of this bill.

"Senate Bill 1539 is premature because the Civil Rights Commission only assumed jurisdiction as of January 1st, 1991, and did not have a single hearing as of today. The Commission has had no experience nor opportunity to interpret the discrimination laws or apply the rules of evidence. Until a track record has been established by the Commission with guidance and approval of the Hawaii courts, the guarantee of de novo review as originally provided in the Civil Rights Commission legislation is, I feel, essential to maintaining a perception of fairness to all participants in the process. It is too early to take away this integral, substantive right accorded all parties in the Commission proceedings.

"Senate Bill 1539, I find, is unfair because eliminating the de novo review will eliminate the court review of Commission decisions.

"Currently and as originally enacted, Chapter 368 requires de novo review. Both the Hawaii Women's Political Caucus and the Chamber of Commerce testified that eliminating the de novo review is a bad idea. The Commission seeks to insulate itself from a court review by replacing de novo review with Chapter 91 review. Chapter 91 review alone I feel is just not good enough. The Civil Rights Commission is the only State Commission with drastic power to award compensatory and punitive damages, yet relies exclusively, according to this bill, on a streamlined hearing process.

"Finally, Senate Bill 1539 places the cart before the horse, it seems, by eliminating the substantive safeguard of de novo review but specifying in Section 10 of the House Draft 1 that de novo review would be returned to the law on July 1st, 1994. I'm not sure, Mr. Speaker, whether this is called the reverse sunset provision or a sunrise provision, but it seems at odds with the concern expressed by all those who would be protected by de novo review. If it is warranted in three years, what reason exists to delete it now? De novo review belongs in the law more than ever.

"In conclusion, I would say the Civil Rights Commission is just in its infancy, yet has extraordinary powers. We, in the body, should not act hastily to abandon a citizenry to an untested process.

"I, therefore, urge my colleagues to vote 'no' on Senate Bill 1539 as it is presently contained in House Draft 1.

"Thank you."

Representative Anderson then rose and requested that Representative Tatibouet's remarks be inserted into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 1539, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES OF THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes to 3 noes, with Representatives Anderson, Kanoho and Tatibouet voting no.

S.B. No. 1529, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1529, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. Nos. 791, 600, 602, 1539 and 1529 had passed Third Reading at 5:36 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Taniguchi: "Your Majority Caucus will be holding a meeting tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. in Room 328."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Very briefly but very profoundly, I would like to announce the gratefulness of my district to this body for not increasing the GET tax today.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

ADJOURNMENT

At 5:40 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Wednesday, April 10, 1991.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

Wednesday, April 10, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Bishop Ambrose Velasco of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Pearl City), after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Amaral, Santiago, Takamine and Yoshimura, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Sixth Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-Sixth Day was approved.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 412 to 591) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 412, returning H.B. No. 7, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER EDUCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 413, returning H.B. No. 22, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 414, returning H.B. No. 24, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 415, returning H.B. No. 27, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND PENALTIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 416, returning H.B. No. 30, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 417, returning H.B. No. 42, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING NETS AND TRAPS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 418, returning H.B. No. 45, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 419, returning H.B. No. 62, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 420, returning H.B. No. 83, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

GUARDIANSHIP PROCEEDINGS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 421, returning H.B. No. 114, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 422, returning H.B. No. 139, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 423, returning H.B. No. 183 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 424, returning H.B. No. 201, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE VACANCIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 425, returning H.B. No. 237, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII'S PETROLEUM INDUSTRY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 426, returning H.B. No. 249, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST UTILITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 427, returning H.B. No. 256, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH, ALCOHOL, AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 428, returning H.B. No. 333, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN AGRICULTURAL PARK," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 429, returning H.B. No. 340 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 430, returning H.B. No. 359 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 431, returning H.B. No. 362, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPOUSES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 432, returning H.B. No. 364 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 433, returning H.B. No. 375, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE COORDINATING COUNCIL ON DEAFNESS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 434, returning H.B. No. 382, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CABLE TELEVISION SYSTEMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 435, returning H.B. No. 387, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 436, returning H.B. No. 409, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 437, returning H.B. No. 411 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 438, returning H.B. No. 505, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 439, returning H.B. No. 513, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STERILIZATION OF ADULT WARDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 440, returning H.B. No. 515, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIVING WILLS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 441, returning H.B. No. 544, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 442, returning H.B. No. 547, HD 3 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 443, returning H.B. No. 589, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS LAW STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 444, returning H.B. No. 598, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 445, returning H.B. No. 601, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT COSTS AND FEES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 446, returning H.B. No. 608, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE LICENSE REVOCATION,"

which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 447, returning H.B. No. 621, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 448, returning H.B. No. 661, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 449, returning H.B. No. 662, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE ARTICLE 4A - FUNDS TRANSFER," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 450, returning H.B. No. 664, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALES TO OWNER-OCCUPANTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 451, returning H.B. No. 665, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION AND ESTABLISHING A CONDOMINIUM PROJECT POSITION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 452, returning H.B. No. 667, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PUBLIC REPORTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 453, returning H.B. No. 669 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPENSING OPTICIANS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 454, returning H.B. No. 699, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 455, returning H.B. No. 701, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS BUDGET," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 456, returning H.B. No. 734, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SERVICES EXCISE TAX CREDIT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 457, returning H.B. No. 792, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SALE OF VEGETABLE AND AGRICULTURAL SEED," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 458, returning H.B. No. 793, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPORTS OF FLOWERS AND FOLIAGE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 459, returning H.B. No. 794, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL

QUARANTINE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 460, returning H.B. No. 795 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEAT INSPECTION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 461, returning H.B. No. 760, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY PROVIDERS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 462, returning H.B. No. 804, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CERTIFICATE FOR LIQUOR LICENSES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 463, returning H.B. No. 813 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDIT FOR EMPLOYMENT OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION REFERRALS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 464, returning H.B. No. 816, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS BY THE STATE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 465, returning H.B. No. 818, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW MOTOR VEHICLE WARRANTIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 466, returning H.B. No. 819, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARING AID DEALERS AND FITTERS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 467, returning H.B. No. 820, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 468, returning H.B. No. 821, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 469, returning H.B. No. 822, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT (MODIFIED)," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 470, returning H.B. No. 823, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 471, returning H.B. No. 824, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY PERMITS TO PRACTICE NURSING," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 472, returning H.B. No. 825 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING OF PSYCHOLOGISTS," which passed Third

Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 473, returning H.B. No. 826, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONALS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 474, returning H.B. No. 831 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAL CLAIMS CONCILIATION PANEL," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 475, returning H.B. No. 838, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE SPECIAL AND REVOLVING FUNDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 476, returning H.B. No. 844, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR IMPROVING THE STATEWIDE RAINFALL AND FLOOD INFORMATION SYSTEM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 477, returning H.B. No. 851, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE CAPITOL TOUR AND INFORMATION PROGRAM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 478, returning H.B. No. 865, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INTEREST LOANS TO DISASTER VICTIMS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 479, returning H.B. No. 889, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LITERACY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 480, returning H.B. No. 893, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 481, returning H.B. No. 894, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 482, returning H.B. No. 895, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST CLAIMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 483, returning H.B. No. 896, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT, CONTROL, DISTRIBUTION AND SALE OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 484, returning H.B. No. 903, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENERGY RESOURCES COORDINATOR," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 485, returning H.B. No. 907, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS AMONG BUSINESS LOAN REVOLVING FUNDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 486, returning H.B. No. 910, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 487, returning H.B. No. 917, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF ALL FUNCTIONS, POWERS AND DUTIES INVOLVING THE REGULATION OF OCEAN RECREATIONAL BOATING AND COASTAL ACTIVITIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 488, returning H.B. No. 918, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 489, returning H.B. No. 919, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI AQUARIUM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 490, returning H.B. No. 922, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL FINES AND PENALTIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 491, returning H.B. No. 923, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASBESTOS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 492, returning H.B. No. 925, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USED OIL TRANSPORT, RECYCLING AND DISPOSAL," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 493, returning H.B. No. 928, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAD ACID BATTERIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 494, returning H.B. No. 933, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 495, returning H.B. No. 935, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 496, returning H.B. No. 936, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW FLOW WATER FIXTURES AND DEVICES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 497, returning H.B. No. 937, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 498, returning H.B. No. 938, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRANTS, SUBSIDIES, AND PURCHASES OF SERVICE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 499, returning H.B. No. 949, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF INSPECTION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 500, returning H.B. No. 954, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 501, returning H.B. No. 955, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER POLLUTION CONTROL," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 502, returning H.B. No. 964, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 503, returning H.B. No. 966 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMPENSATION OF CRIMINAL INJURIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 504, returning H.B. No. 971, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 505, returning H.B. No. 972, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONGLINE FISHING," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 506, returning H.B. No. 976 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 507, returning H.B. No. 979 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHANA VALLEY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 508, returning H.B. No. 980, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 509, returning H.B. No. 985, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 1989," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 510, returning H.B. No. 987, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHORTAGE CATEGORY CLASSES FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 511, returning H.B. No. 991, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 512, returning H.B. No. 998, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES BY THE DIRECTOR OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 513, returning H.B. No. 999, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 514, returning H.B. No. 1001, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 515, returning H.B. No. 1004, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES OF THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 516, returning H.B. No. 1005, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONNEL OF THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 517, returning H.B. No. 1007, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELIEF OF CERTAIN PERSONS' CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 518, returning H.B. No. 1012 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTIGATIONS BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND THE COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 519, returning H.B. No. 1016, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE LICENSE REVOCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 520, returning H.B. No. 1017, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSET FORFEITURE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 521, returning H.B. No. 1019 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT (MODIFIED)," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 522, returning H.B. No. 1021, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 523, returning H.B. No. 1023, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 524, returning H.B. No. 1025, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOL AND AERONAUTICS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 525, returning H.B. No. 1032, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATION OF THRILL CRAFT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 526, returning H.B. No. 1033, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 527, returning H.B. No. 1034, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 528, returning H.B. No. 1035, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 529, returning H.B. No. 1037, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 530, returning H.B. No. 1038, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 531, returning H.B. No. 1039, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 532, returning H.B. No. 1040, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES EXCLUDED FROM COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER ADJUSTMENTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 533, returning H.B. No. 1044, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 534, returning H.B. No. 1047, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 535, returning H.B. No. 1053, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 536, returning H.B. No. 1090, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO CURFEW FOR MINORS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 537, returning H.B. No. 1116 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO REVIEW THE LAWS RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 538, returning H.B. No. 1121, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 539, returning H.B. No. 1124, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE AND EXEMPTIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 540, returning H.B. No. 1177, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A TOTALLY ELECTRONIC VOTING SYSTEM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 541, returning H.B. No. 1208 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 542, returning H.B. No. 1230, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 543, returning H.B. No. 1275 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY IN PROVIDING A HEALTH CARE FACILITY TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 544, returning H.B. No. 1288, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 545, returning H.B. No. 1304, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOITERING FOR PROSTITUTION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 546, returning H.B. No. 1344, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 547, returning H.B. No. 1428, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS TO RECREATIONAL AREAS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 548, returning H.B. No. 1454, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL PARKS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 549, returning H.B. No. 1509, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS AND SERVICES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 550, returning H.B. No. 1517, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY REVENUE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 551, returning H.B. No. 1538, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE LAW," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 552, returning H.B. No. 1557, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE AND COASTAL RESOURCES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 553, returning H.B. No. 1567 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTORCYCLE AND MOTOR SCOOTER INSURANCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 554, returning H.B. No. 1604 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 555, returning H.B. No. 1682, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC MONEY AND PUBLIC CONTRACTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 556, returning H.B. No. 1685, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 557, returning H.B. No. 1697, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL AREA PARTNERSHIPS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 558, returning H.B. No. 1699, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 559, returning H.B. No. 1705, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM FOR THE COMMUNITY-BASED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form

Sen. Com. No. 560, returning H.B. No. 1707 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH PLANNING," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 561, returning H.B. No. 1748, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 562, returning H.B. No. 1757, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL LUNCH," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 563, returning H.B. No. 1768, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS OF EMPLOYEES ON PUBLIC WORKS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 564, returning H.B. No. 1855 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 565, returning H.B. No. 1891, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAGE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 566, returning H.B. No. 1930 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POWER OF ATTORNEY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 567, returning H.B. No. 1952, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESSORY USES ON AGRICULTURAL LANDS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 568, returning H.B. No. 1955 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A COOPERATIVE STUDY BETWEEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING AN ANALYSIS OF THE STATEWIDE WATER RESOURCES MONITORING PROGRAM," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 569, returning H.B. No. 1985, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASE DISCLOSURE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 570, returning H.B. No. 1989, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 571, returning H.B. No. 1993, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 572, returning H.B. No. 1995, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATUROPATHY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

Sen. Com. No. 573, returning H.B. No. 1998, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 574, returning H.B. No. 2004 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTACHMENT AND EXECUTION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 575, returning H.B. No. 2009, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTER EDUCATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 576, returning H.B. No. 2034, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAGE AND HOUR LAW," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 577, returning H.B. No. 2049, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST OLOKELE SUGAR COMPANY IN IMPROVING ITS ELECTRICAL POWER GENERATION CAPABILITY," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 578, returning H.B. No. 2052, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PARKS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 579, returning H.B. No. 2067, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 580, returning H.B. No. 2100, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NAMING OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFFAIRS AS A DEFENDANT IN QUIET TITLE ACTIONS INVOLVING KULEANA LAND," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 581, returning H.B. No. 2107, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOUNT OLOMANA," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 582, returning H.B. No. 2109, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH AND VOLCANIC AIR POLLUTION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 583, returning H.B. No. 2117, HD 1 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND THE DISABLED," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 584, returning H.B. No. 2119, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNTIY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 585, returning H.B. No. 2138, HD 2 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 586, returning H.B. No. 2157, HD 2 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 587, returning H.B. No. 2174, HD 1 (SD 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 588, returning H.B. No. 2223 (SD 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991, in an amended form.

Sen. Com. No. 589, returning H.B. No. 1036, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE HIGHWAYS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on April 9, 1991.

By unanimous consent, H.B. Nos. 22, HD 2; 24, HD 1; 27, HD 1; 42, HD 2; 45, HD 2; 83, HD 1; 114, HD 1; 139, HD 1; 183; 201, HD 1; 237, HD 2; 249, HD 2; 256, HD 2; 333, HD 1; 340; 359; 362, HD 2; 364; 375, HD 1; 382, HD 2; 387, HD 2; 409, HD 1; 411; 505, HD 1; 513, HD 2; 515, HD 1; 544, HD 2; 547, HD 3; 589, HD 1; 598, HD 2; 601, HD 2; 608, HD 2; 621, HD 1; 664, HD 2; 665, HD 1; 667, HD 1; 669, HD 1; 699, HD 1; 701, HD 2; 734, HD 1; 792, HD 2; 793, HD 1; 794, HD 1; 795; 760, HD 1; 804, HD 1; 813; 816, HD 1; 820, HD 1; 821, HD 2; 823, HD 1; 824, HD 2; 825; 826, HD 1; 831; 838, HD 1; 844, HD 1; 851, HD 2; 865, HD 2; 889, HD 1; 893, HD 2; 894, HD 1; 895, HD 2; 896, HD 1; 907, HD 1; 910, HD 1; 917, HD 2; 918, HD 1; 919, HD 1; 922, HD 1; 923, HD 1; 925, HD 2; 928, HD 2 936, HD 2; 937, HD 1; 938, HD 1; 949, HD 1; 954, HD 2; 955, HD 2; 964, HD 2; 966; 971, HD 1; 972, HD 2; 976; 979; 980, HD 1; 985, HD 1; 987, HD 2; 998, HD 1; 999, HD 2; 1001, HD 1; 1004, HD 2; 1005, HD 1; 1007, HD 2; 1012; 1016, HD 1; 1017, HD 1; 1019; 1021, HD 2: 1023, HD 1; 1025, HD 1; 1033, HD 1; 1037, HD 1; 1038, HD 1; 1039, HD 1; 1040, HD 1; 1044, HD 1; 1047, HD 2; 1053, HD 1; 1090, HD 1; 1116; 1121, HD 1; 1124, HD 1; 1177, HD 1; 1208; 1230, HD 2; 1275; 1288, HD 2; 1304, HD 1; 1344, HD 2; 1454, HD 1; 1509, HD 1; 1517, HD 1; 1538, HD 2; 1557, HD 2; 1567; 1604; 1682, HD 1; 1685, HD 1; 1697, HD 2; 1699, HD 2; 1705, HD 1; 1707; 1748, HD 2; 1757, HD 1; 1768, HD 2; 1855; 1891, HD 1; 1930; 1952, HD 1; 1955; 1985, HD 1; 1989, HD 1; 1993, HD 1; 1998, HD 1; 2004; 2009, HD 1; 2034, HD 1; 2049, HD 1; 2052, HD 1; 2067, HD 1; 2100, HD 1; 2107, HD 1; 2109, HD 2; 2117, HD 1; 2119, HD 1; 2138, HD 2; 2157, HD 2; 2174, HD 1; and 2223, as amended by the Senate, were placed on the Clerk's desk, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. Nos. 22, HD 2, SD 1; 24, HD 1, SD 1; 27, HD 1, SD 1; 42, HD 2, SD 1; 45, HD 2, SD 2; 83, HD 1, SD 1; 114, HD 1, SD 1; 139, HD 1, SD 1; 183, SD 2; 201, HD 1, SD 2; 237, HD 2, SD 2; 249, HD 2, SD 1; 256, HD 2, SD 1; 333, HD 1, SD 2; 340, SD 1; 359, SD 1; 362, HD 2, SD 1; 364, SD 1; 375, HD 1, SD 1; 382, HD 2, SD 2; 387, HD 2, SD 1; 409, HD 1, SD 1; 411, SD 1; 505, HD 1, SD 1; 513, HD 2, SD 2; 515, HD 1, SD 2; 544, HD 2, SD 2; 547, HD 3, SD 1; 589, HD 1, SD 1; 598, HD 2, SD 1; 601, HD 2, SD 1; 608, HD 2, SD 2; 621, HD 1, SD 1; 664, HD 2, SD 1; 665, HD 1, SD 1; 667, HD 1, SD 1; 669, HD 1, SD 1; 699, HD 1, SD 2; 701, HD 2, SD 2; 734, HD 1, SD 1; 792, HD 2, SD 1; 793, HD 1, SD 1; 794, HD 1; SD 2; 795, SD 1; 760, HD 1, SD 1; 804, HD 1, SD 1; 813, SD 1; 816, HD 1, SD 1; 820, HD 1, SD 1; 821, HD 2, SD 1; 823, HD 1, SD 1; 824, HD 2, SD 1; 825, SD 1; 826, HD 1, SD 1; 831, SD 1; 838, HD 1, SD 1; 844, HD 1, SD 1; 851, HD 2, SD 1; 865, HD 2, SD 2; 889, HD

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Sen. Com. No. 590, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 134, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION OBSERVING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE JAPANESE ATTACK ON PEARL HARBOR," which was adopted by the Senate on April 9, 1991.

By unanimous consent, further action on S.C.R. No. 134 was deferred.

Sen. Com. No. 591, informing the House that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1914, SD 2, HD 1, and has requested a conference on the subject matter thereof, in consequence of which the President has, on April 9, 1991, appointed Senators Yamasaki, Chairman; A. Kobayashi, Ikeda and George as Managers on the part of the Senate for the consideration of said amendments.

By unanimous consent, naming of the conferees on the part of the House was deferred.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Oshiro, on behalf of Representative Amaral and himself, introduced eight students from the Hale Olu Alternate Learning Center in Ewa. They were accompanied by their teacher, Mr. John Meyer; and social worker, Ann Marie Bonneville.

Representative Baker introduced Tsulan Purdy from Molokai, who was seated in the gallery.

Representative Arakaki introduced Mr. Roy Pilien, President of the United Group of Home Operators, and a constituent of his.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 36 and 83) were disposed of as follows:

S.C.R. Nos. Referred to:

36	Committee on Transportation
83	Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Intergovernmental Relations and
	International Affairs

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 96, 299, 328, 334 and 340) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 86, 280, 293, 315 and 321) were re-referred as follows:

H.R. Nos.	Re-referred to:
96	Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Legislative Management
299	Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
328	Committee on Health
334	Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
340	Jointly to the Committees on Health and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

H.C.R. Nos.

86	Jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, then jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Legislative Management
280	Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
293	Committee on Planning and Economic Development
315	Jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary
321	Jointly to the Committees on Health and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 406 and 407) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 406, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING ROY YAMAGUCHI ON THE SUCCESS OF ROY'S RESTAURANT," was jointly offered by Representatives Horita, Alcon, Bellinger, Cachola, Chang, Chun,

Duldulao, Hagino, Hirono, Honda, D. Ige, M. Ige, Ihara, Isbell, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, Metcalf, Morihara, Peters, Say, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Taniguchi, Yonamine, Yoshimura and Young.

On motion by Representative Horita, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, H.R. No. 406 was adopted.

Representative Horita rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and fellow colleagues, Roy Yamaguchi is an example of what I envision the children of Hawaii becoming, with one foot firmly planted in the Hawaiian/American experience and the other foot in the international realm. His grandfather and father were both born and raised on Maui where his grandfather owned a tavern in Wailuku during the 1940's. Roy, however, was born and raised in a bilingual home in Tokyo and his odyssey began upon high school graduation when he followed the suggesstion of his high school counselor and to our good fortune, applied to culinary school.

"He traveled to New York, where he had been accepted at the Culinary Institute of America and was trained in the classical style and techniques. It seems whenever he graduated from school, Roy would move thousands of miles before settling again. This time his journey took him to California where he gained experience in apprenticeships at world renown restaurants L'Escoffier and L'Ermitage.

"It was just a matter of time before his accomplishments were noticed and he became the executive chef at La Serene in the Sheraton Plaza. In 1984, he opened his first restaurant -- 385 North in Los Angeles. During this time, he was named as the 1986-87 'California Chef of the Year' by the California Restaurant Writers Association and his style was described as 'California-French-Japanese-Eclectic.'

"In 1988, the sirens' call of Hawaii compelled him to sell his restaurant and open what is probably Hawaii's current #1 restaurant, Roy's, in Hawaii Kai. For those of you who haven't gone, you must go. Numerous national and international publications have named Roy's as one of the restaurants in Hawaii that is a must at which to dine. The restaurant is filled every day of the week with a mixture of both local residents (who travel from all over Oahu) and tourists (who brave the drive from Waikiki) to taste the simply delicious and deliciously simple composite of ingredients he brings together in his original creations.

"For those of you who live on Maui, you won't have to come to Honolulu just to exeprience the ambience and food that is Roy's for he is opening another restaurant in Maui this year. We in Honolulu, of course, hope that he stays here for part of the Roy's experience is to see him busily and happily working in his kitchen with his team, baseball cap and all!"

Representative Horita then introduced Mr. Roy Yamaguchi and asked the honoree to stand to be recognized.

Representative Horita continued, saying:

"In a successful partnership, there is always an equally successful partner and, at this time, I would like to do some background information on his wife, Janie, because I will ask her to stand.

"Janie has a successful career. She is an artist in her own right. She is also an extremely supportive wife. She coordinates the art shows that occur at Roy's every month and she has done the interior to his restaurant. She is also a mother of two children -- Nicole and Roy, Jr. So, she manages to do all of that at the same time."

Representative Horita then asked Janie to stand to be recognized.

Representative Lee then rose and stated:

"Representative Horita has lovingly and caringly described the personal aspects of our honorees today. That is what life is about. But I think it would be remiss if I didn't point out the economic analysis in this very handsome and very successful couple.

"Roy grew out of the visitor industry. The visitor industry has afforded the opportunities and he became executive chef at the major hotels outside of Hawaii, but he returned to his roots and with what he has discovered outside of Hawaii, he began a new business. And that is what life is about, not only to two very handsome people, but also about our economy.

"Congratulations!"

Representative Ward then rose and added:

"Hawaii Kai is very proud to have such a culinary refuge in its district and the rave reviews that they've had. Even as I walked door to door, they talked about Roy's restaurant. So I hope all of you will have a chance to participate and do come and see it.

"Thank you."

Representative Horita then presented the honoree with a Certificate of Recognition while Representative Chun presented him with an ilima lei and Representative Chang presented a pikake lei to Mrs. Yamaguchi.

H.R. No. 407, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE RECIPIENTS OF THE HAWAII EDUCATOR AWARD FOR 1990," was jointly offered by Representatives Kihano, Tam, Bunda, Chun, Hashimoto, Isbell, O'Kieffe, Santiago, Shon, Stegmaier, Tatibouet and Young.

On motion by Representative Tam, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, H.R. No. 407 was adopted.

Representative Tam rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and fellow colleagues, we are very fortunate to have six educators in our State representing character, intelligence, productivity and compassion. These six educators are widely known for their dedication and contribution in providing quality education for Hawaii's public school students.

"It's especially our State's honor to have these six educators to be honored by the Milken Family Foundation who recognizes educators from thirteen states and Hawaii being one of those states. Each educator before us was awarded \$25,000 by the Milken Family Foundation in Los Angeles, California, on March 23, 1991.

"In closing, Mr. Speaker, it is my pleasure to proudly state that the State of Hawaii has quality and dedicated educators who produce quality students within our public schools."

Representative Tam then asked the following honorees to stand to be recognized: Lea Albert, Principal of Kahuku High and Intermediate School; Ronald Bright,

teacher-coodinator of Castle High School's Performing Arts Learning Center; Jean Miyahira, teacher-coordinator of Waipahu High School's Business and Computer Technology Learning Center; Ralph Murakami, Principal of Lihikai School on Maui; Donna Saiki, Principal of Hilo High School; and Yvonne Toma, Gifted and Talented Class teacher at Kipapa Elementary School. Accompanying the honorees were Mr. Charles Toguchi, Superintendent of Education, and Debbie Hartman, Vice Chair of the Board of Education.

Representative M. Ige then rose and stated:

"Since Representative Ward invited the legislators to dinner at Roy's, I didn't want to let this opportunity go unchallenged.

"Mr. Speaker and Representative Tam, thank you for inviting Mr. Bright here. Representative Tom seems to be in such a good mood and such a philosophical mood, I needed to take this opportunity to invite all of you to 'Hello Dolly' which will be opening this weekend, I believe, at Castle High School. We are very proud of our students. We are very proud of Mr. Bright and we are willing to put our money where our mouth is. We are willing to open up invitations to all of you and your guests on May 3rd, on Friday, with some reserved seats and that will come out of our funds. I understand Representative Tom just had his fundraiser so I'm positive he'll agree to this. I haven't asked him yet but like I said, he's in such a great mood I needed to take this opportunity to meet the challenge and invite anyone who wanted to bring a guest to 'Hello Dolly' on May 3rd, please call my office.

"Mr. Speaker, thank you."

Representative Tom then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, first of all, I just wanted to speak in favor of the resolution and, you know, I just can't think of a person that can bring out so much life and love and joy out of any individual. I don't care who the individual is around Ron Bright. I had to get up to say that because you don't even have to see the guy to know that when you just hear him, he is filled with so much life and love and I know that all six of these individuals are of all equal status but I just wanted you to know that Ron Bright is not only an example in Kaneohe -- he is an example for the State and the world. You know, when I think about him, every month he does a new play and this month, it's 'Hello Dolly.' You know, I just feel like singing when I think of him, knowing that 'Hello Dolly' is coming up this week, and I noticed Representative M. Ige says 'we' all the time. Representative M. Ige, I know, just had his fundraiser. Fortunately, I didn't have mine yet but I want you to know, yes, it is a play -- all of his plays -are worth seeing. He just brings out the best in every human being. I just love that guy and I just want all of you to know that he is just #1 in my eyes in terms of bringing out the best in every individual in the performing arts.

"Ron, thank you for just touching the lives of so many people.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Lee then rose and stated:

"I am also very happy to add a few words on behalf of my colleagues for Ron Bright. My family and I, Representative Ige, won't be able to take up your good invitation. We will be going to the performance on April 27th and we will really enjoy it. "What I would like to say, however, concerns a friend, a neighbor -- Yvonne Toma. She is at Kipapa School and I was very happy to be at the Milken Foundation dinner and to see all those people there, dressed in their finery, in their formal wear -- in gowns and in suits. And today, it is also a pleasure to see them in their aloha attire.

"Mrs. Toma has a very fantastic reputation in Mililani -- very well deserved. We really appreciate what she has done for all the children at Kipapa Elementary School. I just had the good fortune again this year to see the performance of the children at Leeward Community College. It was absolutely marvelous and you must realize that she and her children write the words -- all topical -- concerning Mililani and concerning her own school and her music as well.

"It's really a joy to see teachers and principals up there because they remind us that our schools are a mirror of our society. We do have our problems but today, we celebrate our successes.

"My congratulations, and I am very pleased to see all of you here.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Metcalf then rose and stated:

"In respect to Donna Saiki who is the Principal of Hilo High School, I think the resolution states very well her dedication, her innovation, and her commitment to education. And what she's done with her sixteen-hour day -- she goes off to coach the basketball team that won the State championship. No, actually she doesn't do that but since everybody's speaking in such superlatives this morning, I thought I would add that in.

"She is an excellent educator and one we can all be proud of in Hilo High today. It ranks among the best high schools in the State and that, too, I think we can all be proud of.

"Thank you."

Representative Young then rose and stated:

"As a State Representative, I'd like to congratulate all the educators who are honored today and as a Windward legislator, I would echo Representative M. Ige's words also, but as a colleague of Ron Bright at the University of Hawaii back in the 50's, along with Representative Yonamine here, we remember him to be very active at that time -- very exuberant, very personable, and a cheerleader, if I remember correctly at that time, and he has continued on with his wonderful skills and to the school system. It has really made a difference in the life of the students that he has been working with and I commend him greatly.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Morihara then rose and stated:

"I would also like to speak in support of this resolution and point out Mr. Ralph Murakami, the Principal of Lihikai School. He is also an Upcountry resident and knowing him so well up there, I realize the dedication and the good work he's put in and it's reflected in the numerous awards that he's won as a Principal of Lihikai School.

"Thank you."

Representative Kawakami then rose and stated:

"Mr. Ralph Murakami and I were administrative interns in the program some years back, and I'm happy to see him here today, and also a good friend, Donna Saiki, and she has been a great principal also. So it's a thrill to see all of these people receiving the educators' awards because they were great then and they must be twice as great today.

"Thank you."

Representative Duldulao then rose and stated:

"Congratulations again, Mrs. Jean Miyahira!

"Mr. Jean Miyahara has been teaching at Waipahu High School for quite some time and again, Jean, you did it! You have received a lot of great recognition in the past and I know that you will continue to do so.

"My fellow colleagues, Jean has inspired a lot of students at Waipahu High School, and she is just doing an excellent and terrific job out there and we need you, Jean.

"Thank you, and congratulations!"

Representative Yonamine then rose and stated:

"I also want to congratulate Jean Miyahara who is a resident of our district. She has been an outstanding teacher, administrator, and she has been before this body to be recognized as an outstanding teacher. So, keep up the good work, Mrs. Miyahira -- congratulations!"

Representative Shon then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, we can't let our escorts go without some words today. So the only thing I could think of is, I would like to congratulate the Board of Education for their new smoking policy, and congratulate Charlie for quitting.

"Thank you."

Representative Apo then remarked:

"Since we are all being so talkative, I didn't want to feel left out, and I would just like to suggest that perhaps Debbie Hartman and Charlie Toguchi, after the presentation, would want to get together with Roy Yamaguchi and talk about our school lunch program."

Representative Bellinger then rose and stated:

"In particular, I would like to recognize the outstanding efforts of the Principal of Kahuku High School, Mrs. Lea Albert. Under her guidance, Kahuku High School and the Kahuku complex has gone through a tremendous transformation over the last several years. Kahuku High School is recognized as one of the most outstanding high schools in the nation, and she was also recognized as one of the most outstanding Principals in the nation.

"For the Finance Chairman, Kahuku High School has been under water for the last couple of weeks. We would appreciate your continued assistance as well as the assistance in helping this continued improvement and renovation of that complex.

"Mrs. Albert has done a terrific job and along with the rest of our honorees -- Mr. Ron Bright lives in my area and he has so much talent, it's disgusting. It should be illegal. We have one man with so much talent and then some with so little. Debbie Hartman is also from the Windward area and from my district out in Hauula, and

she also has done just an outstanding job for the Board of Education.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Alcon then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, as a retired teacher, I would like to also add my support for the resolution. I would like to say also, Mr. Speaker, that no amount of national testing or no amount of committee on standards can set outstanding teachers like those. You either have it or don't have it.

"I would like to also say at this point, Mr. Speaker, that vocational education also helps.

"Thank you very much."

Floral leis and Certificates of Recognition were then presented to the honorees by Representatives Baker, Hirono, Metcalf, Shon, Morihara, Taniguchi, Bunda, Duldulao, Marumoto and Tam.

At 12:25 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 12:35 o'clock p.m., the Vice Speaker assumed the rostrum.

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 405, 408 and 409) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 405, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING WALLY YONAMINE ON HIS LIFETIME **ATHLETIC** ACCOMPLISHMENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, Fukunaga, Alcon, Anderson, Apo, Arakaki, Bainum, Baker, Cachola, Chang, Chun, Duldulao, Hiraki, Hirono, Honda, D. Ige, Isbell, Kihano, Lee, Metcalf, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Oshiro, Peters, Santiago, Say, Souki, Stegmaier, Tajiri, Takamine, Tam, Taniguchi, Thielen, Ward, Yonamine, Yoshimura and

On motion by Representative Hagino, seconded by Representative Fukunaga and carried, H.R. No. 405 was adopted.

Representative Hagino rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this is the best of all times to bring Wally Yonamine to the State Legislature and to present him with a resolution in his honor. It is Springtime; it is the beginning of a new baseball season; it is a time to honor one of the great baseball players.

"Wally Yonamine, growing up at a time when Hawaii was still a Territory, was quite simply "the Natural." Playing first for Lahainaluna, then Farrington High School, he excelled in football, basketball and baseball. At Farrington High School, he led that school to championships in all three sports.

"As noted, he played professional football for the San Francisco 49ers. After suffering a wrist injury, he then concentrated on baseball. It was in baseball that Wally Yonamine met his destiny.

"He has been called the Oriental Jackie Robinson for good reason. He was the first American to play Major League baseball in Japan after World War II. Even before the war, only a handful of foreigners had ever played baseball in Japan. When he started playing baseball in Japan, Wally Yonamine faced crowds

screaming, 'Yankee go home.' Angry fans would pelt him with vegetables, fruits and even bento lunches. Some fans accosted him and even tried to physically assault him.

"Like Jackie Robinson, however, he responded to these challenges on the baseball diamond. He won three Central League batting championships. He led his team, the Yomiuri Giants, to eight championships -- eight championships in ten years! He was the league's Most Valuable Player in 1957. He was the first foreign professional baseball manager, leading the Chunichi Dragons to a pennant in 1974. Most importantly, as was noted in the resolution we adopted, he changed forever the shape of baseball in Japan.

"If someone would ever put together an All-World, All-Time Baseball Team, Wally Yonamine would be on that team.

"It is with great pleasure, Mr. Speaker and honorable members, friends in the audience, that I introduce to you -- Wally Yonamine."

The honoree then rose to be recognized.

Accompanying Mr. Yonamine were his son, Paul Yonamine, and his daughter-in-law, Linda Yonamine, Paul's wife, who then rose to be recognized.

Representative Fukunaga then rose and stated:

"I would just like to let the rest of our colleagues know that throughout his very outstanding career, he had two watchwords and key thoughts that inspired him to do all of the inspiring and magnificent things he did, and perhaps these watchwords will hopefully stimulate and encourage us all. I think the thing that was most inspiring in listening to his story at his testimonial dinner was that the things that drove him were the two phrases -- 'Give 100 percent' and 'Never give up.'

"I think in our work here today, that if we can remember that kind of approach to life, then certainly Wally Yonamine is an inspiring example for all of us."

Representative Stegmaier then rose and stated:

"I just wanted to mention that, as a young boy growing up in Japan, Wally Yonamine was a special person in my life. He and Andy Miyamoto were both Americans playing for the Yomiuri Giants and as I became accustomed to Japanese life, Mr. Miyamoto and Mr. Yonamine were a bridge for me. As I watched them play baseball on TV and went to the stadium from time to time, and I wanted to mention an instance in my life. . . a kind of a long, lingering regret that I have, which is that I saw the two of you together in Tokyo at a snack shop one time. And I was a young Haole boy, very shy at that time, and I was just too shy to go up and say, 'Hello," and I am very happy to have the opportunity to do that today.

"Thank you very much."

Representative Alcon then rose and stated:

"I would like to say, Mr. Speaker, that Mr. Yonamine is probably my contemporary. Mr. Yonamine was coaching football at Schofield when I was taking basic training, and I would like to congratulate him for all his accomplishments."

The Chair then said:

"Representative Hagino, before you make your presentation, the Chair would like to take the liberty of correcting one of your statements for purposes of the Journal, and that is that Jackie Robinson was known as a 'Black Wally Yonamine'."

Representative Hagino presented the honoree with a Certificate of Recognition while orchid leis were presented to the honoree by Representative Fukunaga; to Paul by Representative Hirono; and to Linda by Representative Hiraki

H.R. No. 408, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING APRIL CADIZ ON HER FINE ACCOMPLISHMENT AS THE 1991 STATE SPELLING BEE CHAMPION," was jointly offered by Representatives Okamura, Yonamine, D. Ige, Hashimoto, Alcon, Apo, Bainum, Bunda, Chun, Hirono, Isbell, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, O'Kieffe, Say, Souki, Tajiri and Takamine.

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative D. Ige and carried, H.R. No. 408 was adopted.

Representative Yonamine proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"Before adding some comments on the resolution, I just wanted to let the legislators know that Wally Yonamine's family lived on Olowalu, my family lived on the Honokawai side. Our family attended Lahainaluna High School. His kid brother's name is Noboru and that's where the talent ends on our side, but congratulations, Wally.

"On behalf of Representatives Okamura, D. Ige and Hashimoto -- colleagues, we are talking about what is good about public schools, and I think you have seen the very best of our teachers and administrators. We honored them earlier this morning.

"We also have the very good and the best of our public schools in April Cadiz. She is a scholar-student, she is a champion, she earned this honor the hard way. April won the Spelling Bee in the academic fields of combat -- on the school, district and State levels -- under the glare of hot lights and the pressure of competition. April Cadiz and the finalists kept us spellbound for the two hours in the TV arena, and all of us who saw that Super Bowl cheered and grimaced with the fortunes of each contestant.

"We all know that spelling in itself is more than the retention, storage and retrieval of words. It involves knowing the meaning of these words as well as the techniques and methodologies in identifying them and then to spell these words. It is a vigorous application of a fine mind to the accumulation of knowledge.

"And so we commend you, April, for being the champion, and we also send our congratulations to the thousands of students who participated in this contest. And indeed it is also a privilege, on behalf of my colleagues, to commend April for being an all-around student. She is the Eighth Grade Class President, member of the National Junior Honor Society, and a member of Highlands' outstanding band.

"We must also congratulate the coaches for working long hours, tutoring, inspiring and motivating April and all of the students at Highlands Intermediate School. We also want to commend a teacher who is not here this morning but whom we can call the 'Youth Rockne' of spelling coaches, and that's Vivian Kaneko.

"April will be going to Washington, D.C., accompanied by her mother and Mrs. Carol Kimura, and we wish you Good Luck in Washington, D.C."

"Mr. Speaker, we would also like to recognize four winners of the statewide/nationwide Math Count in which, as we recognize them during the introductions, we'll talk further about their achievements."

Representative Yonamine then asked the following honorees to stand to be recognized: Spelling Bee Champion, April Cadiz; Mrs. Luziminda Cadiz, mother of April; and Coach Carol Kimura, who were seated on the chamber floor; and in the gallery, Linda Miyasato, and Mrs. Jane Himeda, Principal of Highlands Intermediate School.

Representative Yonamine continued his introduction, saying:

"I would also like to recognize with Certificates of Achievement to the four winners of the nationwide Math Count. This is a written examination and a question and answer, head-to-head competition, combining algebra and geometry. These four students are the very best we have among the very elite students, very competent in mathematics. The four students will be going to Washington, D.C. for the national competition.

"I would like to introduce them on behalf of Representative Hashimoto of Pearl City, Representative Sam Lee of Mililani, Representative Tajiri of Hilo, and Representative Brian Taniguchi of Manoa."

Representative Yonamine then asked the following honorees, who were seated on the chamber floor, to stand to be recognized: Weston Eguchi, Alan Aspinwall, Margaret English, and Sean McCabe.

Representative Yonamine then asked the following 'special' persons who were seated in the gallery to stand to be recognized: Mrs. Leslie McCabe and Mr. Louis McCabe, parents; and Esther Yokoyama, Harold and Rona Yokoyama, grandparents of Sean; Kenneth Nagahara, Mark Yamashita and Geri Hamada, coaches for Weston; Mr. Thomas English, father of Margaret; and Evelyn Chong, coach for Sean; and people responsible for the contest: Rowena Blaisdell, Dexter Kubota, President of the Honolulu Chapter of HSPE; James Mullis, Manager for Corporate Relations, Hawaiian Electric Co., and Mr. Joseph Bussen, Principal of Wheeler Intermediate School.

Representative Yonamine then thanked the honorees and guests for being here.

Representative Lee then rose and stated:

"I would like to add a few words on behalf of the resolution and certificates, as well as on behalf of the young man who is representing Wheeler Intermediate School.

"I am very pleased to see that today we honor not only educators -- the principals and the teachers -- but also our wonderful students. They are the ones who prove to us that the schools are doing things right, and I would like to add that for Alan Aspinwall, it's a real joy because all four of my children went through Wheeler Intermediate School. And I am also very pleased to see in the gallery, Mr. Bussen, the Principal of Wheeler. And I think Alan's mother, Mrs. Angela Aspinwall, is up there. Will you please rise and be recognized by the House?"

Mrs. Angela Aspinwall rose to be recognized.

Representative Lee continued, saying:

"Just one additional comment. We have before us two aspects of education -- the verbal and math -- and both of them are well represented here today.

"And I would like to congratulate April Cadiz, and I wish you Good Luck in the national competition, and also congratulate all the young people in the Math Count competition, and also have a good trip and a successful trip to Washington.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Certificates of Recognition and floral leis were presented to the honorees by Representatives Yonamine, Hashimoto, Taniguchi, Tajiri, D. Ige, Duldulao, Chang, Young and I ee

H.R. No. 408A, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE LEEWARD OAHU DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR ITS EFFORTS IN THE PLANNED ESTABLISHMENT OF A CHALLENGER LEARNING CENTER AT BARBER'S POINT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL," was jointly offered by Representatives Duldulao, Kihano, Oshiro and Amaral.

On motion by Representative Duldulao, seconded by Representative Oshiro and carried, H.R. No. 409 was adopted.

At 1:00 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:07 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Taniguchi: "Just a reminder that we have a Majority caucus today at 2:30, Room 328."

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I just wanted to, on behalf of the Minority group, thank the Majority for letting us eat with you yesterday. I thought that was a very nice gesture and I enjoyed the camaraderieship.

"Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:10 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Taniguchi, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Thursday, April 11, 1991.

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

Thursday, April 11, 1991

The House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1991, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Pastor Bob Coggins of the Diamond Head Seventh-Day Adventist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Isbell, Kihano, Say, Souki, Tajiri, Ward and Yoshimura, who were excused.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Seventh Day.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of the Forty-Seventh Day was approved.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Tam introduced 55 students from Nuuanu Elementary School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Lynne Murakami and Mrs. Nellie

Representative Ihara introduced students from Germany.

Representative Thielen then welcomed the students in German.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 409 and 410) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 409, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION TOWARD EXCELLENCE IN THE SPORT OF GOLF," was jointly offered by Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho, Apo, Arakaki, Baker, Chun, Fukunaga, Hirono, Honda, D. Ige, Ihara, Isbell, Lee, Oshiro, Say, Souki, Takamine, Tam, Tatibouet, Yoshimura and Young.

On motion by Representative Kawakami, seconded by Representative Kanoho and carried, H.R. No. 409 was adopted.

Representative Kawakami rose and proceeded to introduce the honoree, stating:

"Mr. Speaker and fellow legislators, on our lovely Garden Island of Kauai, when the subject of golf is discussed, two things always come to mind: Wailua Golf Course and Toyo Shirai. Both are golfing institutions on Kauai and both have personified 'excellence' to the great game of golf.

"For many years, Wailua Golf Course has been ranked as one of the 'top ten' public golf courses in the United States. It was selected as the site for two national public links golf championship tournaments in 1975 and again in 1985. As Wailua's Golf Superintendent for 32 years, Toyo was instrumental in developing Wailua Golf Course into a nationally recognized public golf course.

"But Toyo's forte was not in building golf courses but in building character and instilling the desire for 'excellence' in the thousands of young golfers who were privileged to learn the game from him. Long before the Junior Golf Program was born, Toyo was already teaching the finer points of the game to the caddies that worked for him at Wailua. His efforts were rewarded when one of his students, David Ishii, went on to golfing greatness by winning the 1990 Hawaiian Open Championship.

"Toyo is often described as a humble person and shies away from accolades that are bestowed on him. We are fortunate that we were able to get him here. His achievements in Hawaii's golfing history is legendary. In 1989, he was elected into the Hawaii Golfing Hall of Fame. More recently, in 1990, he was recognized by the Aloha Section of the PGA as the Teacher of the Year for his dedication and contributions to the Hawaii Junior Golf Program.

"Mr. Speaker and members, it gives me great pleasure to introduce to this honorable body, Mr. Toyo Shirai, a man who has engraved his name in Hawaii's golfing history."

The honoree, Toyo Shirai, rose to be recognized.

Accompanying Mr. Shirai on the House floor was his wife, Yoshie, "who incidentally has won her share of golf tournaments," and she rose to be recognized.

At 11:57 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:05 o'clock p.m.

H.R. No. 410, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE MOILIILI ATHLETIC CLUB FOR FIFTY-SEVEN DEDICATED YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Hagino, Bainum and Hirono.

On motion by Representative Hagino, seconded by Representative Bainum and carried, H.R. No. 410 was adopted.

Representative Hagino then rose and proceeded to introduce the honorees, stating:

"Today, we welcome members of the Moiliili Athletic Club founded 57 years ago by individuals drawn together by the love of this great American past-time of baseball," and asked the following honorees to stand to be recognized: Wallace "Nick" Kawabata, Coach; Fred "Jinks" Morimoto, Tatsuo Omiya, Charles Tanaka, Harold Kokubun, and Fred Ishikawa. They were accompanied by their wives, Mrs. Mae Kokubun, Mrs. Muriel Omiya and Mrs. Alice Tanaka.

Floral leis were presented to the honorees by Representatives Amaral, Duldulao, Hashimoto, Young, Marumoto and Thielen, while Representatives Bainum, Chun, Hirono, Ihara, Shon and Hagino presented them with certified copies of the resolution.

At 12:15 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:26 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Honda, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1259) recommending that H.R. No. 257, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Honda, seconded by Representative Alcon and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 257, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE HAWAII FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING STATE REGULATORY CONTROLS TO INCLUDE THE LABELING OF ALL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS GROWN OR MADE IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

Representative Honda, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1260) recommending that H.C.R. No. 232, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Honda, seconded by Representative Alcon and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 232, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE HAWAII FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING STATE REGULATORY CONTROLS TO INCLUDE THE LABELING OF ALL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS GROWN OR MADE IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

Representative Bellinger, for the Committee on Planning and Economic Development, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1261) recommending that H.R. No. 303 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Bellinger, seconded by Representative Alcon and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 303, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING DEVELOPMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE REGIONAL PLAN FOR THE HANA DISTRICT, COUNTY OF MAUI," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management, with Representative O'Kieffe voting no.

Representatives Oshiro and Ihara, for the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1262) recommending that H.R. No. 96, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Oshiro, seconded by Representative Ihara and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 96, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A RECIPROCITY SYSTEM FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS BY OUT-OF-STATE VISITORS," was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Legislative Management.

Representatives Oshiro and Ihara, for the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and

International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1263) recommending that H.C.R. No. 86, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Oshiro, seconded by Representative Ihara and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 86, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A RECIPROCITY SYSTEM FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS BY OUT-OF-STATE VISITORS," was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Legislative Management.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1264) recommending that H.C.R. No. 119 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Tanigichi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 119, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE CERTIFICATION OR REGULATION OF DRINKING WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATORS WOULD BE CONSISTENT WITH THE POLICIES SET FORTH IN SECTION 26H-2, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Takammine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1265) recommending that H.C.R. No. 214, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 214, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONFERENCE OF PERSONNEL SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE PRICING OF PERSONNEL CLERKS AND TECHNICIANS," was referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Tam, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1266) recommending that H.R. No. 189, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 189, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE ISSUE OF GOVERNANCE IN EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Tam, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1267) recommending that H.R. No. 190 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 190, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF THE HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF LUMP-SUM FUNDING FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF

EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Oshiro and Ihara, for the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1268) recommending that H.R. No. 361, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 361, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO TEMPORARY MOTOR VEHICLE PLATES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representatives Oshiro and Ihara, for the Committees on Transportation and Intergovernmental Relations and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1269) recommending that H.C.R. No. 336, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 336, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO TEMPORARY MOTOR VEHICLE PLATES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1270) recommending that H.R. No. 91 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 91, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING TAX INCENTIVES TO PROMOTE RIDESHARING," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1271) recommending that H.C.R. No. 81 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 81, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING TAX INCENTIVES TO PROMOTE RIDESHARING," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272) recommending that H.R. No. 123 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 123, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLE LANES," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273) recommending that H.C.R. No. 114 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative Taniguchi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 114, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLE LANES," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

At 12:15 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 12:26 o'clock p.m., Representative Morihara was given permission to make a late introduction and he introduced Mr. David Ramos who was seated in the gallery.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:30 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Arakaki, seconded by Representative O'Kieffe and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Friday, April 12, 1991.