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Wednesday, January 21, 1998

In accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker of the House of Representatives, presided.

The members of the House, guests, and audience rose to sing the National Anthem and Hawaii Pono'i led by the Po'okela Singers from Ka'anapali Beach Hotel.

The Chair appointed Representative Kanoho and Representative Kawakami to escort Kahuna Nui Momi Mookini Lum to the rostrum.

Kahuna Nui Momi Mookini Lum then delivered the invocation.

The Roll was called showing all members of the House of Representatives present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2330 to 2443) passed First Reading by title:

H.B. Nos.

2330 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2331 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2332 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2333 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2334 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING FUND."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2335 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CABLE TELEVISION."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

2336 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen and Hiraki.

2337 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen, by request.

2338 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

2339 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ESTABLISH LEGISLATIVE TERM LIMITS."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2340 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIANS."

Introduced by: Representatives Case, Suzuki, Yamane and Say.

2341 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAT BELTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Hiraki, Thielen, Lee, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Kahikina, Takumi and Saiki.

2342 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 'BACK SEAT' SEAT BELTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Hiraki, Thielen, Lee, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Kahikina, Takumi and Saiki.

2343 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, by request, and Lee.

2344 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES."

introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

2345 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

2346 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

2347 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki and Takumi.

2348 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Fox, Case, McDermott, Moses and Pendleton.

2349 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Pendleton, Moses, Fox and McDermott.

2350 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Pendleton, Fox, Moses, Arakaki, McDermott and Stegmaier.

2351 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY NATIVE HAWAIIAN RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Case, Suzuki and Yamane.

2352 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2353 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Tom and Garcia.

2354 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATORS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2355 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL TRESPASS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2356 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2357 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDEMNIFICATION OF COUNTY AGENCIES."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2358 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER RESTRAINT SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2359 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL ACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2360 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A COMMUNICATION SKILLS

INSTRUCTOR FOR BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2361 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TOWING FEES."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2362 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Ito and Goodenow.

2363 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAUI REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Morihara.

2364 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HONOLULU WATERFRONT AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki and Case.

2365 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2366 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Hiraki.

2367 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL TORTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Tom.

2368 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.

2369 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.

2370 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Chang.

2371 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MERCEDES CHAMPIONSHIPS GOLF TOURNAMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and White.

2372 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALIEN AQUATIC ORGANISMS."

Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.

2373 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KANEOHE BAY REGIONAL COUNCIL."

- Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.
- 2374 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."
- Introduced by: Representative Tarnas, by request.
- 2375 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Menor and Santiago.
- 2376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Aiona, Chang, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Morita and White.
- 2377 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Case, Ito, Nakasone, M. Oshiro and White.
- 2378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Case, Ito, Nakasone, M. Oshiro and White.
- 2379 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Ito, Nakasone and White.
- 2380 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNLAWFUL POSTING IN PUBLIC PLACES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Ito, Nakasone and M. Oshiro.
- 2381 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Fox, Ito, M. Oshiro, Case, Nakasone and White.
- 2382 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, White, Ito, Nakasone and M. Oshiro.
- 2383 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
- Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 2384 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Ito, Morita and Abinsay.
- 2385 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2386 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES TO RELIEVE PAIN."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2387 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2388 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABORTION."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2389 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2390 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2391 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT AGAINST MINORS."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2392 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTED SUICIDE PREVENTION."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2393 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EUTHANASIA."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2394 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER'S LICENSE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Thielen, Fox, Stegmaier, Meyer, Abinsay, Aiona, Hiraki, Kawananakoa, Lee, McDermott, Moses, M. Oshiro, Saiki and Santiago.
- 2395 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDEMNATION OF REAL PROPERTY."
- Introduced by: Representative Thielen.
- 2396 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATELY FUNDED INDUSTRIAL HEMP RESEARCH TEST PLOTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Morita, Tarnas, Abinsay, Kanohe, Saiki, Suzuki, Hamakawa, Arakaki, Fox, Kahikina, Kawakami, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro and Takai.
- 2397 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2398 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2399 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
- Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2400 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES."
- Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

2401 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR TAX LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

2402 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.

2403 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAL USE OF MARIJUANA."

Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.

2404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Case, M. Oshiro, Ward, Suzuki, Kahikina, Pendleton, Fox, Tarnas, Morita, Kanoho, Aiona, Chang, Hamakawa, Kawakami, Lee, Morihara, Saiki, Takai and Whalen.

2405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Pendleton, Case, Lee and Takai.

2406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Ward, Kawanakoa, Suzuki, Pendleton, Hiraki, Fox, Saiki, Aiona, Kahikina, Lee and Takai.

2407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN INDUSTRIAL PART ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Chang, Herkes and Hamakawa.

2410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREPAID HEALTH CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Souki and Stegmaier.

2411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Ito, Jones, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2412 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

2413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

2414 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

2415 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

2416 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

2417 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL PRINCIPALS AND VICE-PRINCIPALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Stegmaier, Case, Yamane, Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Kanoho and Say.

2418 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS AND EDUCATIONAL OFFICERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Stegmaier, Case, Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Kanoho, Say and Yamane.

2419 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 10, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE LENGTH OF THE REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION FROM SIXTY TO SIXTY-FIVE DAYS AND TO ELIMINATE THE MANDATORY FIVE-DAY RECESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Abinsay, Hiraki, Ito, Morihara, Nakasone, Saiki, Suzuki, Takumi and Yamane.

2420 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 10, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROHIBIT EXTENSIONS OF REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Stegmaier, Yamane, Jones, Abinsay, Ito, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Santiago and Takumi.

2421 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 10, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE LENGTH OF THE REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION FROM SIXTY TO SIXTY-FIVE DAYS."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Suzuki, Hiraki, Ito, Morihara, Saiki, Takumi and Yamane.

2422 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY."

Introduced by: Representative Yamane.

2423 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Yamane.

2424 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Yamane.

2425 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Tom, Jones and Saiki.

2426 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto, by request.

2427 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2428 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2429 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2430 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and Hiraki.

2431 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALVAGED MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and Hiraki.

2432 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2433 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2434 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2435 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Arakaki, Abinsay, Saiki and Ahu Isa.

2436 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII DRUG COURT."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2437 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2438 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2439 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2440 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2441 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2442 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TEEN COURT PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2443 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY ENCROACHMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Tom and Hamakawa.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 1) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 1 and 2) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO LEADERSHIP AND COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS," was offered by Representative Souki.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Kawanakoa and carried, H.R. No. 1 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 1998," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki and P. Oshiro.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Kawanakoa and carried, H.C.R. No. 1 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, P. Oshiro, Okamura and Kawanakoa.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Kawanakoa and carried, H.C.R. No. 2 was adopted.

At 10:20 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair, during which time the members of the House and their guests were entertained by Robi Kahakalau and Sean Na'auao.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:52 o'clock p.m.

At this time, the Chair delivered his Opening Day remarks, as follows:

"Governor Cayetano, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, Senator Akaka, Congressman Abercrombie, Congresswoman Mink, Chief Justice Moon, County Mayors and Council Chairs, former Governor Ariyoshi

and Governor Waihee, Ambassador McDonald, Dean of the Consular Corps, and Consular Corps members, our esteemed military leaders, Brigadier General Mattox, fellow House members, and the people of Hawaii -- Aloha!

"Before I go into my speech, I want to introduce my wife of thirty-four years, Frances. I'm very grateful that she's healthy and here with us today. My wife has been an unwavering partner throughout my career, and I again thank her for all these years that she has sacrificed.

"My daughter Desiree is here and my son-in-law, both of them just returned from two years in Tokyo.

"My son is supposed to be here but my understanding is that he is interviewing for a job and priorities come first. He needs to pay the rent and so if I know him, he won't be here.

"My friends, we meet at a time of incredible challenges. The decisions we make now will limit or expand the opportunities we enjoy tomorrow.

"1997 has been a trying year. Just look at the newspaper headlines. Our lagging economy. The deficit. Business closures. The homeless. Our students' lackluster performance.

"But 1997 has also been a very stimulating year. We took some historic steps by convening the Economic Revitalization Task Force and the House Economic Summit.

"And 1998 will be an year of invigorating changes. It will probably be the toughest session for all of us. For what we will be proposing to do will be radical, controversial, and painful. While change does not ensure progress, progress requires change.

"As President Kennedy said, 'There are risks and costs to a program of action, but they are far less than the long-range risks and costs of comfortable inaction.'

"What we do in the remaining half of the Nineteenth Legislature will prepare our unique state for the next millenium.

"We must transform, re-energize our economy and invest our resources wisely.

"We must have the guts to risk making policy choices and stick to them, even if it means not pleasing everybody.

"We must be bold. We must be innovative. We must be strong, for we are committed to the hopes and dreams of our people.

"It's not business as usual anymore.

"On August 4, 1997, the Governor, the Senate President and I, asked some of the brightest and best minds in our community -- many who had opposed each other in labor-management issues, and many who were business competitors -- to sit down and help us improve the State. We asked these small business owners, big business executives, educators, union leaders, and community activists to develop and recommend an integrated package of legislation to turn our economy around.

"Minor changes to our economy were not on their agenda. These leaders were charged with focusing on major changes to transform Hawaii into a significant player in our global economy. This historic mission

resulted in the task force actively soliciting ideas from the public through workshops, town meetings, mailouts, and on-line comments.

"In addition, our own body here was making its own history. During the summer of 1997, House Democrats and House Republicans held an economic summit. Setting aside our political differences, we met to make some strong recommendations to improve our State's economy.

"Surprisingly -- or maybe not -- there were many similarities between what the House recommended and what the task force recommended. In fact, both groups made some very radical recommendations.

"As a result, we have a bold blueprint to jump start Hawaii's economy. While the full details of these proposals must withstand public scrutiny, I am confident that with public input, we will pass a comprehensive package of economic reforms.

"Today, I'll share a few of these items. They are discussed in greater detail in our 1998 Majority Package.

"First, let me discuss the recommendation made by the Economic Revitalization Task Force that has so far received the most comments and yet, is probably the least understood. Most of the attention so far has focused on the raising of the general excise tax. But the tax recommendation also includes a large number of other items, including a significant lowering of the personal income tax.

"Tax is a painful area where tinkering around the edges is a lot more comfortable than a major overhaul. The highlights of the tax package are to:

- * Reduce the income tax from ten percent to six percent at the top bracket and proportionately for all other rates;
- * Provide a tax credit for those with low incomes;
- * Cut the corporate income tax and franchise tax rates in half to give Hawaii one of the lowest corporate income tax rates in the nation;
- * Raise the base rate of the general excise tax a third from four percent to 5.35 percent but reduce the pyramiding of this tax to balance out the increase; and
- * Relieve the tax liability on services by providing a tax structure similar to that of the taxes on goods by:
 - * Exempting exported services from the general excise tax; and
 - * Imposing the general excise tax on imported services.

"The bottom line is that this package of changes will greatly reduce the tax burden of our residents. It shifts the burden outside the State while making Hawaii more attractive to new business and new investment. This is essential to the creation of new opportunities for Hawaii.

"These changes will not only promote investment and growth, they will relieve the burden on the taxpayers. We will lower overall taxes by one hundred million dollars in the near future and by four hundred million dollars over three years.

"To deal with lowered revenues, we will continue to streamline government even more.

"We will mandate that vacant government positions not be refilled unless absolutely necessary to the core functions and services of government.

"We will restructure collective bargaining and civil service laws to improve management and facilitate merit-based personnel actions. We will continue our privatization efforts without undermining our merit principles.

"We will take a close look at the functions of the Land Use Commission, transferring them to the appropriate state or county agencies to cut our duplicated functions while protecting our valuable lands.

"To lessen the burden on business and increase competition while protecting the public, we will eliminate unnecessary boards and commissions.

"To reduce business uncertainties, we will require that all agencies establish precise time frames for the review and approval of permits and licenses.

"We will reform the tort system to create a more business friendly legal climate and to reduce the potential for lawsuit abuse.

"To meet the challenges ahead, we must build a society that will be competitive in the new millenium. And competition starts in our schools.

"To achieve educational excellence, we will restructure our statewide education system to empower schools to meet the individual needs of the students and the community. We will eliminate current jurisdictional issues that have hampered school empowerment. We propose to replace the elected Board of Education with county-based school boards appointed by the Governor.

"We need visionary principals and vice principals willing to lead the schools to educate our students to meet the challenges of our global economy. We will set two strategic goals for our students: That all eighth grade students be computer literate by the year 2000 and that all high school graduates by the year 2004 speak a second language.

"Additionally, we must position our University of Hawaii as the pre-eminent higher education institution in the Pacific-Asian Basin and gain a world class standing in key areas.

"We will empower the University to set its own future course by restructuring it into a quasi public corporation. By granting autonomy, the University can set its own priorities and use its own initiatives to become a powerful economic player.

"In addition, we will continue to position the East-West Center as an international research institution.

"Tourism is still our most valuable revenue source and probably will be for years to come. For this reason, it is imperative that we provide a predictable and adequate revenue source for the promotion and marketing of tourism. We can accomplish this by restructuring our current visitor-related taxes to fund an independent Hawaii tourism board. I believe that an independent board will be more responsive to the needs of the industry and the traveler.

"The ever-changing tide of traveler's preferences and needs makes marketing Hawaii more difficult than ever. The intense competition among all the states for tourist dollars is growing at a rapid rate.

"States like Virginia spend hundreds of thousands of dollars promoting their beaches as an inexpensive alternative for the South Western tourist dollar. We can no longer rely solely on our climate or our beaches, as beautiful as they may be, to draw tourists to our shores.

"We remain committed to helping those who are in the most desperate of circumstances.

"I believe that it is vital to maintain and improve our 'safety net.' We will provide essential services that promote personal safety and health to those who truly need these services. We will improve the safeguards for children who are at risk of abuse and neglect by improving the State's child protective system. We will continue to support the 'welfare-to-work' philosophy to break the cycle of dependency and to help people become self-sufficient.

"It is my belief, and a belief shared by many, that we must make efforts to improve the conditions for all the people of Hawaii. The Economic Revitalization Task Force and the House economic retreat have made many recommendations to improve the business climate in Hawaii. We are fully aware that unless our economy improves significantly, the resources for these services will be further reduced. Without additional resources, we will not be able to help all in need of assistance.

"To keep our communities safe, we must be tough on criminals. We will put them behind bars by constructing additional prison space in the most fiscally prudent manner.

"To accommodate needed growth in the State without jeopardizing our unique environment requires that we commit to sound land use management practices.

"The Constitution directs the State to protect its prime agricultural lands. We will fulfill this mandate by establishing a land evaluation system that identifies important agricultural lands.

"We will continue to support the expansion of diversified agriculture.

"To protect our undeveloped coastlines from urban encroachment, we will develop new safeguards that prohibit the construction of new hotels and resorts within the immediate shoreline area.

"These are just a few of the proposals we will pursue this session. Together, in the past, you and I have always looked for ways to make government more efficient, accountable and responsive.

"As a result, we have made major strides in improving the lives of our people and our businesses.

"For example, we have reformed our auto insurance system, resulting in a thirty-five percent premium savings for those choosing a basic insurance policy.

"We improved the workers compensation system that has saved businesses over one hundred million dollars while protecting the rights of our workers.

"To encourage growth in the construction industry, we authorized over one billion dollars for capital improvement projects.

"We also supported other businesses by providing income tax credits for motion picture and television production costs.

"In addition, we provided a general excise tax exemption for airlines to build an aircraft servicing facility. As a result, Continental Airlines will build a twenty-four million dollar maintenance operation, which will provide two hundred high paying jobs.

"In spite of all of these past accomplishments and our pride in public service, there is discontent, distrust, and dismay over where we find ourselves today. I know it -- and I am deeply troubled by it. The willingness to make the bold changes I have outlined today requires the public's trust.

"But public trust is not a given. It is earned, and past accomplishments are simply a foundation on which to build.

"My friends and colleagues, we have unfinished business to attend to. It exists because you and I have always looked beyond the comfort of today in search of a brighter tomorrow.

"And in our search... incredible challenges await us. We know the issues will be tough. But we will be tougher.

"Because in the end, we all have the same goal in our hearts -- to work for the benefit of this extraordinary place -- and all who call Hawaii home.

"Mahalo and thank you very much. Aloha."

The Chair then recognized Representative Okamura, Majority Leader, who responded:

"Mr. Speaker, Governor Cayetano, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, our honorable congressional delegation, our honorable mayors, distinguished guests, Chief Justice Moon, family and friends... on behalf of the Majority members of the State House of Representatives, I bid you welcome and Aloha.

"Mr. Speaker, we acknowledge that Hawaii is in a very serious economic crisis. Businesses are closing, bankruptcies are increasing, jobs are decreasing, our youth are leaving, and tax revenues are down.

"We know that this slowdown was initiated in great part by economic conditions throughout the world. We also know that we can neither control nor depend on external forces to solve our economic malaise.

"The tools of recovery must be found from within. We must initiate our own solutions!

"One year ago I stood before you and stated that a strong economy is the basis for social and fiscal progress. We acknowledged that a thriving economy was necessary to provide the jobs and wages necessary to sustain our families.

"Only when our families are economically secure can we overcome the challenges of daily survival and create the caring, prosperous, and supportive environment we all desire.

"Today, we reaffirm our commitment to creating a healthy economy and new opportunities for all of our people.

"The status quo is slowly but surely destroying us. Complacency is our enemy. To break these bonds we must demonstrate true leadership and make the tough decisions that our constituents demand.

"Change is no longer just an option, it is essential and it is inevitable.

"Mr. Speaker, I concur with your assessment that change can be difficult and very uncomfortable.

"I recently participated as a panel member in the Small Business Hawaii annual conference and had the pleasure of hearing Ms. Beth Terry speak on 'Managing the Issues of Change.' In her presentation, she emphasized that despair and fear are normal reactions to the prospect of change and uncertainty. So members, I assure you that if you are going through this now, it is very normal.

"In her words, there is a 'Valley of Despair' which separates the chaos and low morale of the status quo from the improvement that change delivers. This transition is characterized by negativity, resistance, finger-pointing and fear.

"To climb out of this despair, we need bold leadership. We need to be pro-active, to communicate, to cooperate, to develop a positive mental attitude, and to create our own solutions.

"Mr. Speaker, as the leader of this House, you have demonstrated that change can be positive and very rewarding. Under your leadership, we have created the most open and accessible Legislature in the nation.

"This year you have continued your willingness to advocate and risk change. You initiated a policy of limiting members to introducing no more than ten bills. You rose above partisan politics and brought all House members together at the House economic retreat. And historically, for the first time in Hawaii, a joint economic program was developed with both the Minority and Majority members. And you also, together with the Governor and the Senate President, co-convened the Economic Revitalization Task Force, a historic event also, for the first time ever, brought leaders from all sectors of our society together to develop an economic plan of action.

"This style of leadership -- a willingness to risk the comfort of the status quo in favor of long-term progressive change -- is essential if our economy is to grow, and our society to advance.

"Mr. Speaker, the initiatives you have just outlined represent a formula for energizing our economy. It is a comprehensive package built around consensus and bold structural change. And while this package must still fulfill the rigors of the legislative process, it clearly sets the tone and direction for our session.

"But change will not occur, and our economy will not improve, unless each of us is willing to put personal comfort and partisan politics aside. We must be willing to sacrifice a little of our own self-interest in exchange for collective prosperity.

"For example:

"Will public employees accept civil service reform in exchange for merit pay and improve management efficiency?

"Will residents and businesses accept changes to our tax system in exchange for overall economic growth?

"Will unions accept the prospect of managed competition in exchange for job security?

"Will regulated businesses accept the increased competition in exchange for deregulation?

"These are just a few of the risks we, as citizens, must be willing to accept. They are also the tough decisions that we, as lawmakers, must be willing to make.

"It is my pleasure to inform you, Mr. Speaker, that your Majority members stand ready to proceed with this task.

"We welcome full participation, and we will value the opinions of all.

"We will encourage public debate and discussion and when we disagree, we will encourage stability and respectfulness.

"We will communicate, we will collaborate, and we will educate.

"We must and we will not fear change.

"We know that we cannot please everyone. There are no simple answers and no guarantees. But as stewards of the public trust, we will live up to the public's expectations and make the tough decisions that the public expects of us, and that we expect of ourselves.

"Mr. Speaker, this is our commitment -- to our people and to this special aina that we all call home.

"Mr. Speaker, your Majority members stand united in our commitment to working together to build a bright and hopeful future.

"Thank you."

The Chair then recognized Representative Kawanakoa, Minority Leader, who responded:

"Mr. Speaker, honored guests, and colleagues:

"I'd like to share a few simple words with you here today. Familiar words that can help guide us through this session, and those words are: WHO, WHAT, WHERE, WHEN, WHY and WHY NOT.

"Now, WHO do we represent and WHO makes up your Minority Caucus, Mr. Speaker? Eleven of us are parents; three of us are grandparents; several take care of aging parents; at least seven of us own small businesses; four are attorneys; three teach; one is retired. By my count, that puts us at 32. Mr. Speaker, it seems that your Minority is growing right before your eyes! Seriously though, Mr. Speaker, we were elected from twelve districts from across our islands and we represent over 250,000 people.

"You know, I used to think about how laws affect the people in Pauoa, Punchbowl and Nuuanu -- my district. And I still do with every vote I cast. But now, in this job as Minority Leader, I have had the opportunity to reflect and to realize that once we get here, our job is to represent all the people of Hawaii.

"Mr. Speaker, our State, and more importantly, our people are in the midst of an economic crisis! While the rest of the country is enjoying an economic boom, the underlying fabric of our lives here in paradise are being attacked.

"Our families, our traditions, our very way of life are in jeopardy. People are working harder and have less hope for their future. Families are being torn apart. Children and grandchildren are leaving this place and the people they love for better job opportunities because our economy is failing them.

"Why aren't we at Battle Stations? Why aren't the sirens sounding? Mr. Speaker, what are we doing?"

"We all know that the WHAT before us is the economy. And we all understand the Governor's Task Force recommendations. And you know something? Your Minority wholeheartedly supports many of those recommendations -- good recommendations -- like the autonomy for the University of Hawaii, or reducing and lowering our state income taxes.

"Mr. Speaker, let me draw a line in the sand right now because this Minority cannot, must not, and will not support a 34 percent increase in our general excise tax.

"We've all been asked to accept this as a 'package'. From where? Tell me: WHERE is it written that there can be no other ideas? 250,000 people have sent us, the Minority, here to bring new ideas to the forefront! We represent the voices that are demanding to be heard; we represent the ideas that deserve to be reviewed and, Mr. Speaker, we are not about to forget why we were sent here, and we will not fail in our duty to fight for those ideas and to fight for what is right.

"Mr. Speaker, we propose a return to common sense. We have a plan to fuel the economy, fix education, fight crime and protect our human and natural resources, and that brings me to the WHY NOT? Mr. Speaker.

"Why not lower the personal income taxes WITHOUT turning right around and increasing the general excise tax? The Republican Tax Simplification Plan will save an average family of four \$1,000 each year. That's \$180 million that our plan pumps back into the economy immediately and we do it without raising the general excise tax one penny.

"Mr. Speaker, it's rather telling that the Task Force must spend a million dollars in order to sell this package to the public. Mr. Speaker, the Minority will simply rely on the people's common sense.

"Now, why not create the kinds of schools that have been proven to work? Our plan calls for smaller, teacher-driven schools of no more than 300 students in an elementary school or 600 students in a high school. You know that over 170 national studies have proven that smaller schools work. You know, we can do this without raising, or at no extra cost, just like Kapaa Elementary School on Kauai did, by taking their existing school buildings and dividing them into eight separate smaller schools. And you know something? Now their teachers aren't just math teachers, science teachers and history teachers. Once again they are advisors, mentors and friends. I can think of no better way, Mr. Speaker, to invest in our economy than in our schools.

"But our most important question is 'WHY?' Why do we need to fuel our economy, fix education, fight crime and protect our human and natural resources? I know there are a lot of very important people here today, many VIPs who have been recognized and mentioned. But I would like to introduce two very special guests, two people who epitomize why we must fight for changes in our government. Mr. Speaker, seated on the floor with me today are Richard and May Jackson. (Perhaps they can stand and take an applause. These are warm welcome.) You know, Richard and May were born and raised here in the islands, and so were their twin sons, Neal and Newman. But a lot has changed for the twins since 'small kid times.' Because just recently Neal moved to the Mainland with his wife and two young daughters, Kaili and Rhyan. And the real sad thing is that Newman

is thinking of moving shortly also for better job opportunities.

"Now, we talk about a lot of numbers in this body: a ten percent cut in the education budget; a \$280 million shortfall; a 34 percent increase in the general excise tax. Well, let me give you another important number: 64. Because this July, May will be turning 64 and will be celebrating her 64th birthday. But you know, this year her party won't be the same because her grandchildren won't be there to help grandma blow out the candles. They are living on the Mainland, Mr. Speaker.

"All of the numbers, or in fact, all the things we learn and hear in our deliberations cannot substitute for May and for Richard and what they mean to us. Everyone of us here knows a Richard and May Jackson, whose family and friends have had to leave our islands for better job opportunities elsewhere.

"Mr. Speaker, it's critical that we, the people's representatives, look beyond the numbers and into the faces and lives of the people who we serve.

"Richard and May and their children and grandchildren are what it's all about. Families -- and keeping them together here in Hawaii. Doing everything we can to reduce their cost of living, provide for meaningful job opportunities, and ensuring excellence in our educational system.

"You know something, ladies and gentlemen, the power to do all of this is right here in this chamber. The reason to do it is all around us -- from families in Kaneohe to Kaimuki, from Waipio to Waimea. The challenge is clear. The political will must be found, now.

"For if not now, Mr. Speaker, WHEN?

"When I was a little boy, I lived down the street from someone who took this challenge very seriously. I didn't know then how much the words and actions and wisdom of my neighbor would help me grow. My neighbor was the late Senator Mary George. Her words taught me the most basic duty of a lawmaker, and she said: 'Each morning we must look in the mirror and remember that we were elected, not anointed. That we're here to do the people's business, and that we have not forgotten why they sent us here.'

"Mr. Speaker, we, the Minority, have not forgotten.

"Thank you, Aloha and God Bless."

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 2) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 3 through 6) were referred to printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A PILOT SATURDAY PROGRAM AT RADFORD HIGH SCHOOL TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH ADDITIONAL DIRECTION, GUIDANCE, LEADERSHIP, AND DIRECTED STUDIES IN A POSITIVE EFFORT TOWARDS SELF-IMPROVEMENT," was offered by Representative McDermott.

H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO OFFER

COVERAGE FOR HIV TESTING OF ALL PREGNANT WOMEN," was jointly offered by Representatives Marumoto by request, and Lee.

H.C.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUPPORT LEGISLATION AND OTHER ACTION TO ENSURE THAT FILIPINO-AMERICAN VETERANS ARE GRANTED THE SAME VETERANS BENEFITS AS PERSONS WHO SERVED IN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES OR JOINED THE PHILIPPINE SCOUTS BEFORE OCTOBER 6, 1945," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward, Moses, Pendleton, Thielen, Abinsay, Aiona, Arakaki, Chang, Fox, Garcia, Halford, Hamakawa, Marumoto, McDermott and Stegmaier.

H.C.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A PILOT SATURDAY PROGRAM AT RADFORD HIGH SCHOOL TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH ADDITIONAL DIRECTION, GUIDANCE, LEADERSHIP, AND DIRECTED STUDIES IN A POSITIVE EFFORT TOWARDS SELF-IMPROVEMENT," was offered by Representative McDermott.

H.C.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO WORK WITH HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO BRING ABOUT THE DESIGNATION OF THE KAU DISTRICT ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII AS AN EMPOWERMENT ZONE OR AN ENTERPRISE COMMUNITY UNDER THE FEDERAL EMPOWERMENT ZONES AND ENTERPRISE COMMUNITIES PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Chang, Herkes and Hamakawa.

At this time, the Chair appointed Representative Morigara and Representative Nakasone to escort Father Henry Sabog of Hawaii's Catholic Diocese to the rostrum.

Father Sabog delivered the benediction.

In closing, the Po'okela Singers rendered a medley of songs.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:40 o'clock a.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 22, 1998.

SECOND DAY

Thursday, January 22, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr., after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Pendleton and Stegmaier, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the First Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1 through 126) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1, transmitting copies of the Inventory of Hawaii Greenhouse Gas Emissions, Estimates for 1990, prepared by the State of Hawaii's Energy, Resources, and Technology Division of the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism in partnership with the Clean Air Branch of the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 2, transmitting copies of the 1996 Annual Report prepared by the Hawaii Housing Authority, pursuant to Chapter 356, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Update Report on Various Cost Options On Customary Fee Profiles for Non-Institutional Health Care Providers prepared by the Department of Human Services, pursuant to Section 346-59, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 4, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, on the Activities of the Environmental Health Program Enhancement and Education Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, transmitting copies of the Hawaii Public Broadcasting Authority 1996-1997 Annual Report, prepared by the Hawaii Public Broadcasting Authority, Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs, pursuant to Section 314-12, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, transmitting copies of the Annual Report of the Agribusiness Development Corporation, in accordance with Act 264, Session Laws of Hawaii 1994, which also includes the progress report in response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 72, Senate Draft 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 7, transmitting copies of the following: Annual Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, in Compliance with Act 41, Session Laws of Hawaii, 1992, Establishing the Primary Health Care Incentive Program and the Primary Care Roundtable.

Gov. Msg. No. 8, transmitting copies of a report entitled "STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS - Report on Federal funds Received" (Budget Proviso Act 328, SLH 1997, Section 211).

Gov. Msg. No. 9, transmitting copies of the "Response to Act 328 SLH 1997 Section 213" (Integration of Human Resource, Payroll, Health and Retirement Systems).

Gov. Msg. No. 10, transmitting copies of a project-funded staff services budget report for the period July 1, 1997 to June 30, 1998, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 156 of Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 11, transmitting copies of the "Appropriations for Building Repairs and Alterations" (Pursuant to Section 139 of Act 328, SLH).

Gov. Msg. No. 12, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of the Interagency Federal Revenue Maximization Revolving Fund for Fiscal Year 1996-1997" (pursuant to Section 29-24, Hawaii Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 13, transmitting copies of the 1997 Report to the Legislature prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services, pursuant to Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii (SLH), 1997 Budget Appropriations Proviso, Section 131.

Gov. Msg. No. 14, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of the State Educational Facilities Improvement Special Fund for Fiscal Year 1996-1997" (pursuant to Section 36-32, Hawaii Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 15, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of Stadium Authority Special Fund Statement of Receipts, Expenditures and Transfers for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1997" (pursuant to Section 109-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 16, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Summary of Procurement Actions, July 1, 1996 to June 30, 1997" (Pursuant to Section 103D-321, Hawaii Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 17, transmitting copies of the "Annual Report of Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for \$10,000 or Less for Fiscal Year 1996-1997" (Pursuant to Section 41D-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 18, transmitting copies of an updated listing of all leases centralized within the Department of Accounting and General Services for other state agencies. This list was prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Act 328, Section 137, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 19, transmitting copies of the Report of General Fund Expenditures for Unemployment Compensation (LBR 171) for fiscal year ending June 30, 1997, pursuant to Section 23, Act 289, Session Laws of Hawaii, 1993.

Gov. Msg. No. 20, transmitting copies of the Financial Report of the Special Unemployment Insurance Fund Revenues and Expenditures for fiscal year ending June 30, 1997, pursuant to Section 383-127, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 21, transmitting copies of the Status Report on Special, Trust, or Revolving Funds for fiscal year ending June 30, 1997, pursuant to HCR 125, H.D.1, S.D.1 (1993).

Gov. Msg. No. 22, transmitting copies of the "Report and Action Plan Regarding the Implementation of Hui'Imi Recommendations" in response to Act 376, 1997 Legislative Session.

Gov. Msg. No. 23, transmitting copies of the Report on FY 1996-97 UH Tuition and Fees Special Fund

Expenditures Authorized, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to Section 304-16.5(d), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 24, transmitting copies of the Report on the University of Hawai'i Housing Assistance Revolving Fund, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to Section 304-8.96, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 25, transmitting copies of the Report on the Discoveries and Inventions Revolving Fund, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to Act 40, Section 304-8.92, SLH 1988.

Gov. Msg. No. 26, transmitting copies of the Report on the Status of the Hawaiian Green Sea Turtles prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Aquatic Resources, pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 90, Senate Draft 2.

Gov. Msg. No. 27, transmitting copies of the Report on the Findings of the Alien Aquatic Task Force prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Aquatic Resources, pursuant to Act 237, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 28, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on Geothermal Royalties and Geothermal and Cable Development Activities prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Land Division, pursuant to Sections 182-18 and 196D-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 29, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the North Shore Paukauila Streambank Erosion and Riparian Area Community Project prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Land Division, pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 223, Senate Draft 1, Regular Session of 1995.

Gov. Msg. No. 30, transmitting copies of the Report on Periodic Review of All UH System Programs Relating to Benchmarks, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to Act 161, Section 2(c), SLH 1995.

Gov. Msg. No. 31, transmitting copies of the report Requesting a Study of Ways for the University of Hawai'i To Coordinate Its Efforts To Promote Agriculture, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to HR 190, HD1.

Gov. Msg. No. 32, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on Identification of Rivers and Streams Worthy of Protection prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Commission on Water Resource Management, pursuant to Section 174C-31(c)(4), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 33, transmitting copies of the Report on Land Dispositions Made of Public Lands for Calendar Year 1997 prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Land Division, pursuant to Section 171-29, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 34, transmitting copies of the Report on the Progress of Completing a Comprehensive Inventory and Map Database of Ceded Lands prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Land Division, pursuant to Act 329, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 35, transmitting copies of the Report on the Expenditure of Funds and Progress in the Computerization of the Land Division prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Land Division, pursuant to Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997, Section 136.

Gov. Msg. No. 36, transmitting copies of the following documents: 1. The Executive Supplemental Budget for the Period 1997-1999, pursuant to Section 37-72, HRS, Budget - Supplemental Budget. 2. The Variance Report for FYs 97 and 98, pursuant to Section 37-75, HRS, Budget-Variance Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 37, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 281, on the Hawaiian Language Immersion Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 38, transmitting copies of the Teacher Education Coordinating Committee (TECC) Annual Report, 1996-97.

Gov. Msg. No. 39, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 95 on the Opening of School Facilities.

Gov. Msg. No. 40, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 209 on Decategorization Demonstration Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 41, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Act 148, Hawaii Revised Statutes, on the Mandatory Expulsion Policy for Possession of Firearm.

Gov. Msg. No. 42, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 182, on the Policy for Deaf, Hard-of-Hearing, and Deaf-Blind Children.

Gov. Msg. No. 43, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 78 on the Community-Based Youth Leadership Demonstration Project in Hilo, Hamakua and Kohala.

Gov. Msg. No. 44, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 85 on the Transfers from DHRD to DOE for the Purpose of Resuming Case Management of Workers' Compensation.

Gov. Msg. No. 45, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 152, on the Management Authority for Hawaiian Studies Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 46, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 251, on the Outrigger Canoe Paddling Pilot Project for Secondary Schools.

Gov. Msg. No. 47, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 96 on the Transfer of Funds in EDN 100 and EDN 200.

Gov. Msg. No. 48, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 146 on CIP Program Staff Costs.

Gov. Msg. No. 49, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 94 on Student-Centered Schools.

Gov. Msg. No. 50, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 73 on the Transfer of Operating Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 51, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 211 on Federal Funds Received.

Gov. Msg. No. 52, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 79 on Instructional Materials for Regular Instruction.

Gov. Msg. No. 53, transmitting copies of the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 54, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Act 272, Hawaii Revised Statutes, on the Annual Education Status Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 55, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 175 (1995 Legislature), on the Revision of the School Code

Gov. Msg. No. 56, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the Appropriations Act of 1997, Act 328, Section 75 on the Implementation of the Felix vs. Cayetano Consent Decree.

Gov. Msg. No. 57, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report of the Office of Information Practices, pursuant to Section 92F-42(7), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 58, transmitting copies of the report on All Special, Trust, and Revolving Fund Transactions prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Administrative Services Office, pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 125, House Draft 1, Senate Draft 1, Seventeenth Legislature, 1993 Session.

Gov. Msg. No. 59, transmitting copies of the Report on Project-Funded Staff Services prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Administrative Services Office, pursuant to Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997, Section 153.

Gov. Msg. No. 60, transmitting copies of the following: Annual Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, on HRS 321-291, Requiring the Department of Health to Give an Annual Financial Report for the Newborn Metabolic Screening Special Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 61, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Research and Training Revolving Fund, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to Section 304-8.1(b), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 62, transmitting copies of the Annual Report Relating to the Forest Stewardship Program prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 195F-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 63, transmitting copies of the Report in Response to House Concurrent Resolution 257, House Draft 2, Requesting the Department of Land and Natural Resources to Work With Other Agencies and Big Island Community Organizations to Determine How the Commercial Forest Industry and the Hilo Hamakua Community Can Work Together to Help Determine Future

Options for the Community, prepared by the Department on Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife.

Gov. Msg. No. 64, transmitting copies of the Report on the Feasibility of Establishing a Hunting Area Reserve Council prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife, pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 259, House Draft 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 65, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Status of the Issuance of Incidental Take Licenses for Endangered, Threatened, Proposed, and Candidate Species; and the Condition of the Endangered Species Trust Fund prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 195D-F, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 66, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Natural Area Reserves System and the Natural Area Partnership Program prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 195-6.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 67, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Hawaii Statewide Trail and Access System prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 198D-9(7) and Section 198D-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 68, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Wildlife Revolving Fund, Fiscal Year 1996-1997 prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 183D-10.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 69, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report prepared by the Civil Rights Commission, pursuant to Section 368-3 and 515-9, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 70, transmitting copies of the 1998 Special Report to the Legislature on the Re-Engineering of the Disability Compensation Information System, pursuant to Act 328, Part III, Section 15 of SLH 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 71, transmitting copies of the Annual Report of the Salaries Paid to All University of Hawai'i Executive, Managerial, and Faculty Members Including the President, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to Section 304-13.5, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 72, transmitting copies of the Criminal Injuries Compensation Commission Thirtieth Annual Report, July 1, 1996-June 30, 1997, prepared pursuant to Chapter 351, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 73, transmitting copies of the Department of Public Safety's report on the recidivism rate of pretrial inmates released under the program, pursuant to Act 216, Section 2, Session Laws of Hawaii 1996.

Gov. Msg. No. 74, transmitting copies of an annual status report by the Department of Public Safety and the Office of Youth Services (Women's Community Correctional Center and Hawaii Youth Correctional Facility), pursuant to Act 151, Section 4, Session Laws of Hawaii 1991 as amended by Act 112, Section 4, Session Laws of Hawaii 1995.

Gov. Msg. No. 75, transmitting copies of a status report by the Department of Public Safety on Federal

Fund Reimbursements Received, pursuant to Act 328, section 207, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 76, transmitting copies of a status report by the Department of Public Safety's Narcotics Division, on Controlled Substances, pursuant to Chapter 329-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 77, transmitting copies of the Department of Public Safety detailed expenditure and status report on forty-five temporary positions for Hawaii's Correctional Industries program for fiscal year 1997-1998, pursuant to Act 170, Section 3, Session Laws of Hawaii 1995

Gov. Msg. No. 78, transmitting copies of the report, "Project-Funded Staff Services Budget" (Pursuant to Act 328, Sections 141, 142, 144, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 79, transmitting copies of the report, "Special Repair and Maintenance Projects" (Pursuant to Act 328, Sections 30, 33, 40, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 80, transmitting copies of the report, "Expenditure and Status Report on Marketing and Promotional Activities for Airport Activities on the Islands of Hawaii, Maui, Molokai, Lanai, and Kauai" (Pursuant to Act 328, Section 28, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 81, transmitting copies of the report, "Requesting the Director of Transportation to Review the Skill Test Included in All Motorcycle and Motor Scooter Education Courses in the State of Hawaii" (Pursuant to Act 269, Section 2, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 82, transmitting copies of the report, "Requesting the Department of Transportation to Prepare and Submit a Report to the Legislature on the Use of the Transportation Improvement Special Fund" (Pursuant to Act 370, Section 3, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 83, transmitting copies of the report, "Requesting the Director of Transportation to Review and Study the Driver Licensing Procedures Under Chapter 286, Hawaii Revised Statutes" (Pursuant to Act 104, Section 3, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 84, transmitting copies of the report, "Federal Fund Reimbursements" (Pursuant to Act 328, Section 207, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 85, transmitting copies of the report, "Report to the Legislature on Existing Long-Term Lessees, Their Faculty and Space Requirements and Recommendations" (Pursuant to Act 328, Section 32, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 86, transmitting copies of the report, "Requesting a Discussion on a Rapid Transit Plan for the City and County of Honolulu" (Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 164, 1997 Regular Session of the Nineteenth Legislature).

Gov. Msg. No. 87, transmitting copies of the report, "Requesting a Study of the Homeless at the Honolulu International Airport" (Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 203, S.D.1, H.D.1, Regular Session of the Nineteenth Legislature and Act 328, Section 17, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 88, transmitting copies of the FY 1997 Annual Report on the Proceedings Under the Hawaii Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act prepared by the

Department of the Attorney General, pursuant to Section 712A-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for your review.

Gov. Msg. No. 89, transmitting copies of the report on the transfer of positions and funds between existing programs of state government to improve efficiencies in the workers' compensation program prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development, pursuant to Section 134 of Act 328, SLH 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 90, transmitting copies of the report on expenditures to pay unemployment compensation claims of former state employees, pursuant to Section 134 of Act 328, SLH 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 91, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, on Act 148, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997 Established Within the Department of Health A Pipeline Safety Committee.

Gov. Msg. No. 92, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Defense (State Civil Defense Division), pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 210, Supporting and Urging Implementation of the Hazard Mitigation Plan Developed in Response to the Waianae District Flooding.

Gov. Msg. No. 93, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Report to the 1998 Hawaii State Legislature on the Department of Human Services Expenditures for the PACE (Program of All Inclusive Care for the Elderly)", pursuant to Act 328, Section 67.

Gov. Msg. No. 94, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Report to the 1998 Hawaii State Legislature on the Department of Human Services Expenditures for the PACE (Program of All Inclusive Care of the Elderly)", pursuant to Act 328, Section 67.

Gov. Msg. No. 95, transmitting copies of the report, **Annual Evaluation of the Hawaii Unemployment Compensation**, which was prepared pursuant to Section 383-126.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 96, transmitting copies of a report on House Bill No. 143, HD 2, SD1, CD 1, requesting a plan to address issues relating to the direction and organization of the Housing and Community Development Corporation of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 97, transmitting copies of the report in HIPAA prepared by the Insurance Division pursuant to Act 291, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 98, transmitting copies of the Progress Report of the Motor Vehicle Insurance Benefits Task Force, pursuant to Act 251, Session Laws of Hawaii (1997).

Gov. Msg. No. 99, transmitting copies of the 1996-97 Annual Report prepared by the Hawaii Community Development Authority, pursuant to Chapter 206E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 100, transmitting copies of the 1997 report to the Legislature on the Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account, prepared by the Department of Human Services in cooperation with the Department of Health, pursuant to Section 2(d) of Act 232 of the Seventeenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, 1994.

Gov. Msg. No. 101, transmitting copies of the 1998 "Report of Findings on Adjustments to the Compensation Plan," prepared by the Public Employees Compensation

Appeals Board, pursuant to the provision of Sections 77-4 and 77-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 102, transmitting copies of the Status Report from the Task Force on Beach and Water Safety prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources State Parks Division, pursuant to Act 190, Session Laws of Hawaii 1996.

Gov. Msg. No. 103, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Board of Agriculture on the increase in the minimum annual pesticide licensing fee, pursuant to Section 4 of Act 281, SLH 1996.

Gov. Msg. No. 104, transmitting copies of the Final Compensation Plans, and the cost thereof for your information and approval, in compliance with the provisions of Section 77-4 and 77-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended, regarding the Compensation Plans for blue and white collar classes.

Gov. Msg. No. 105, transmitting copies of the 1996 Annual Report prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development, pursuant to Section 76-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 106, transmitting copies of the enclosed report for your information. This report provides required information on State positions assigned to salary ranges SC-1, SC-2 and SC-3.

Gov. Msg. No. 107, transmitting copies of the 1997 Report to the Legislature prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services, pursuant to Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii (SLH), 1997 Budget Appropriations Proviso, Section 212.

Gov. Msg. No. 108, transmitting copies of the Report on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26, HD 1, prepared by the Office of Youth Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 109, transmitting copies of the annual report to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board in Washington D.C. for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997 prepared by the Hawaii Foreign-Trade Zone No. 9.

Gov. Msg. No. 110, transmitting copies of the Report to the 1998 Legislature on Act 328, SLH 1997, Section 64, prepared by the Department of Human Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 111, transmitting copies of the 1997 Hawaii Coastal Zone Management Annual Report prepared by the Office of Planning, pursuant to Section 205A-3(10), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 112, transmitting copies of the 1996-1997 Annual Report prepared by the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts pursuant to Chapter 9, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 113, transmitting copies of the Hawaii Paroling Authority's Annual Report, July 1, 1996 - June 30, 1997, prepared pursuant to Chapter 353, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 114, transmitting copies of the report on the Feasibility of Establishing a Community-Based Management Pilot Program for One or More Small Boat Harbors prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation, pursuant to Act 160, Session Laws of Hawaii, 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 115, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report prepared by the Natural Energy Laboratory of Hawaii Authority, pursuant to Section 227D, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 116, transmitting copies of the report on the Public Utilities Commission Special Fund for fiscal year 1996-97, pursuant to Section 269-33(c), Hawaii Revised Statutes and Act 226, SLH 1994.

Gov. Msg. No. 117, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Board of Agriculture on the increase in the minimum annual pesticide licensing fee, pursuant to Section 4 of Act 281, SLH 1996.

Gov. Msg. No. 118, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report prepared by the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation, pursuant to Section 93-12, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 119, transmitting copies of the report on the activities of the Hawaiian Home Lands Trust Individual Claims Review Panel during 1997, pursuant to Section 674-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 120, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, Session Laws of Hawaii 1995, Act 189, Requesting the Department of Health to Submit Annual Reports to the Legislature Describing the Status of the Plan to Provide Developmental Disabilities Services in the Community and to Ensure that the Transition of Waimano Training School and Hospital Residents to the Community will be Client Centered, Taking into Consideration the Health, Safety, and Happiness of the Residents and the Concerns of Their Families.

Gov. Msg. No. 121, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, on Act 146, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997, Requesting the Department of Health to Establish an Advisory Task Force to Conduct an Air Quality Assessment of Campbell Industrial Park and Kahe Valley.

Gov. Msg. No. 122, transmitting copies of the 1997 Hawaii Real Estate Commission Annual Report, submitted by the Hawaii Real Estate Commission, Professional and Vocational Licensing Division, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, pursuant to Sections 467-4(5) and 514A-133(d), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 123, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, on House Concurrent Resolution 84, Requesting the Department of Health to Convene an Interagency Task Force on Food and Nutrition Assistance.

Gov. Msg. No. 124, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report prepared by the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, pursuant to Section 222, Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 125, transmitting copies of the Department of Taxation's progress and expenditure report on the redesign of the new integrated tax information management system as required by HB 350, HD1, SD1, CD1, Part III, Section 125.

Gov. Msg. No. 126, transmitting copies of the Department of Taxation's report relating to payments to the State by Electronic Funds Transfer as required by HB 1643 (ACT 177, SLH 1997).

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 1 through 7) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 1 from Margery S. Bronster, Attorney General, Department of the Attorney General, transmitting the latest publication of the crime reports from the Department's Research and Statistics Branch entitled, "Crime in Hawaii" and "Crime Trend Series."

Dept. Com. No. 2 from Sam Callejo, State Comptroller, Department of Accounting and General Services, transmitting copies of the State of Hawaii's **Information Technology Overview**.

Dept. Com. No. 3 from Marion Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report entitled, "Audit of State Vocational Education Programs and Job Training Programs."

Dept. Com. No. 4 from Ernest Y. W. Lau, Manager and Chief Engineer, Department of Water, County of Kauai, transmitting copies of the Summary of Proposed Capital Improvement Projects (CIP) Projects Request for State Aid - 1998 Legislative Session; and copies of Resolution No. 4 1998-99 Legislative Budget, that was adopted by the Kauai Board of Water Supply on November 13, 1997.

Dept. Com. No. 5 from Ronald T. Y. Moon, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, The Judiciary, State of Hawaii, transmitting a copy of the Judiciary's Supplemental Budget (1997-1999) and Variance Report (1996-1998), in accordance with Chapter 601-2 of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes; and the annual reports from the Judiciary History Center and the Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution in accordance with Chapter 6F-6 and Chapter 6B-4, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Dept. Com. No. 6 from Mahealani Kamau'u, Acting Chair, Hawaii Commission on Access to Justice, The Hawaii Justice Foundation, transmitting the following report on the Indigent Legal Access Fund pursuant to Act 305, SLH 1996.

Dept. Com. No. 7 from Elisabeth Chun, Executive Director, Good Beginnings Alliance and the Good Beginnings Interdepartmental Council, transmitting a copy of the Annual Report to the Regular Session of the 1998 Legislature as requested in Act 77 (S.B. 1631): An Act Relating to Early Childhood Education.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

Sen. Com. No. 1, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE HAWAII SUPREME COURT TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION FOR THE STATE OF THE JUDICIARY ADDRESS," which was adopted by the Senate on January 21, 1998, was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, S.C.R. No. 1 was adopted. (Representatives Pendleton and Stegmaier were excused.)

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

Misc. Com. No. 1 from the Honorable Strom Thurmond, United States Senate, expressing thanks and appreciation of the Hawaii State Legislature's views regarding S.1150 and S.1195.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2330 through 2443) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
2330	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2331	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2332	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2333	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2334	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2335	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2336	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2337	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2338	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2339	Committee on Judiciary
2340	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2341	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2342	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2343	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2344	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2345	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2346	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2347	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2348	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2349	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2350	Committee on Judiciary

2351	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2377	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2352	Committee on Finance	2378	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2353	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2379	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2354	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs	2380	Committee on Judiciary
2355	Committee on Judiciary	2381	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
2356	Committee on Judiciary	2382	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2357	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2383	Committee on Judiciary
2358	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2384	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2359	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2385	Committee on Finance
2360	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2386	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2361	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2387	Committee on Judiciary
2362	Committee on Judiciary	2388	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education
2363	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2389	Committee on Finance
2364	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2390	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2365	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2391	Committee on Judiciary
2366	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance	2392	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2367	Committee on Judiciary	2393	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2368	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs	2394	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2369	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2395	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2370	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2396	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2371	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance	2397	Committee on Finance
2372	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2398	Committee on Finance
2373	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2399	Committee on Finance
2374	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2400	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2375	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2401	Committee on Finance
2376	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance	2402	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		2403	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2404	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

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| <p>2405 Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2406 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2407 Committee on Finance</p> <p>2408 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2409 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2410 Committee on Labor and Public Employment</p> <p>2411 Committee on Water and Land Use</p> <p>2412 Committee on Higher Education</p> <p>2413 Committee on Higher Education</p> <p>2414 Committee on Higher Education</p> <p>2415 Committee on Higher Education</p> <p>2416 Committee on Higher Education</p> <p>2417 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment</p> <p>2418 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment</p> <p>2419 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2420 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2421 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2422 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2423 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2424 Committee on Finance</p> <p>2425 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2426 Committee on Finance</p> <p>2427 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2428 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2429 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2430 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2431 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce</p> <p>2432 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce</p> | <p>2433 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2434 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2435 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2436 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2437 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2438 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2439 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2440 Committee on Judiciary</p> <p>2441 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2442 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2443 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary</p> |
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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2444 through 2459) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representative Pendleton was excused.)

H.B. Nos.

2444 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen and Case.

2445 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Arakaki, Pendleton, Moses, Marumoto, Takai, Hiraki, Lee, Fox, Kahikina, Tarnas, Abinsay, Aiona, Halford, Santiago and Ward.

2446 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2447 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OR REPEALING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2448 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2449 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY REHABILITATION PROGRAMS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2450 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2451 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2452 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2453 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2454 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2455 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SONY OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Cachola.

2456 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGES."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.

2457 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE RENTALS."

Introduced by: Representative Cachola.

2458 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Cachola.

2459 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH WARRANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 3 through 5) were announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMEMORATING THE LIFE OF THE LATE MONSIGNOR CHARLES KEKUMANO AND EXTENDING DEEPEST SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES TO HIS FAMILY," was offered by Representative Souki.

Representative Okamura moved that H.R. No. 3 be adopted, seconded by Representative Kawanakoa.

Representative Kawanakoa then rose and stated:

"I'd like to rise in support and join in the honoring and remembering of Monsignor Charles Kekumano who left us just a few days ago.

"Auwe! Auwe! Auwe! Hawaii's loss is great. Monsignor was a rare leader and a good friend. I'm proud that he led our community over the years and so honorably represented the Hawaiian people. Mr. Speaker, my loss is great and very personal. I knew Monsignor my entire life. He baptized me; he married me to my wife; he was to baptize my son. Just a few months ago, he gave my father his last rights. We all sorely miss his humor, his integrity, his honor, his dedication, courage and wisdom of this dear man. Monsignor Kekumano was a fine model of leadership and of the highest ethical standards that we should all set for ourselves. Mahalo."

The motion was put to a vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 3 was adopted, with Representative Pendleton being excused.

H.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE OF THE LATE HANNIBAL TAVARES AND EXTENDING DEEPEST SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES TO HIS FAMILY," was offered by Representative Souki.

Representative Okamura moved that H.R. No. 4 be adopted, seconded by Representative Kawanakoa.

Representative Ward rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, if I was Hannibal Tavares, I would put down my microphone and I would bellow to this group because a man of his size and stature doesn't need a microphone. When Mayor Tavares spoke, the people of Hawaii listened.

"Mr. Speaker, I had the privilege of sitting at his feet for a whole full week in 1988 -- a year that you were very fond of yesterday -- I sat with Mayor Tavares for a week at the Republican National Convention in New Orleans. I saw in this man what it meant to be a statesman. I saw in this man what it meant to know what Republicanism is, what a Democrat is. I saw in this man the good judgment and wisdom to always do things for the benefit of the people and not for the party. So Mr. Speaker, I mourn with my colleagues the passing of a role model for Hawaii. A man who helped build Hawaii. A man who helped build Maui. A man who is going to be greatly missed. A man who loved us and one who we loved. Aloha."

Representative Halford then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, thank you very much. I'd be remiss if I didn't remark on this.

"Hannibal was a friend of my family. He was a supporter of mine. His counsel and advice to me has been important. Some of the things he said to me have been burned in my mind and will guide me for the rest of my life. We know that he's living in the unseen heavenly mansion, but I want to say his spirit lives very largely also in the people he touched. His presence continues with us now.

"Thank you."

The motion was put to a vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 4 was adopted, with Representative Pendleton being excused.

H.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMEMORATING THE LIFE OF

THE LATE SENATOR MARY GEORGE AND EXTENDING DEEPEST SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES TO HER FAMILY," was offered by Representative Souki.

Representative Okamura moved that H.R. No. 5 be adopted, seconded by Representative Kawanakoa.

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise to speak in strong support of the resolution and to express the sorrow that I know we all feel at the loss of Senator Mary George. Mary was a role model for women long before women really entered into the field of politics. She ran for and was elected to the City Council. She served with dignity and with wisdom. She moved on from there to the State Senate.

"Mary was known for her wit, for one thing; but she was known for her high sense of ethics and her determination that legislators and anyone in government could be better and could be more ethical. She set standards for all of us to follow; and she leaves footsteps that would be very, very difficult for anyone to fill. I know that we all share in the loss of Senator Mary George and thank her for all of her contributions.

"Thank you."

The motion was put to a vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 5 was adopted, with Representative Pendleton being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Marumoto: "Mr. Speaker, on behalf of the Minority, I'd like to thank you for the book on Abraham Lincoln presented to us yesterday. I'm happy to see that you do acknowledge that Republicans are in possession of some wisdom and that we can impart some of this wisdom to the Majority side. Thank you very much."

Representative Halford: "Mr. Speaker, I wanted to say that it's my perception that the mechanics of yesterday went very well. I know that the offices of Sergeant-at-Arms and Clerk's office were largely responsible for the great outcome. Thank you."

Representative M. Oshiro: "Mr. Speaker, there will be a Majority Caucus in the caucus room immediately after session."

Representative Moses: "Mr. Speaker, on behalf of a few members of my family, I'd like to relay their apology. They were planning to be here yesterday for opening, but the night before Kwang and Kyong Shin gave birth; or at least Kyong did, to an eight pound seven ounce baby, Annabel. And they wish me to relay their feelings of gratitude for being invited to be a part of the ceremony, but not being here. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:26 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, Friday, January 23, 1998. (Representative Pendleton was excused.)

THIRD DAY

Friday, January 23, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Dr. Paul De Mare (Great Grandnephew of Mother Marianne Cope) and Sister M. Davilyn Ah Chick, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Garcia, Halford, Morihara, Say, Souki, Stegmaier, Takai and White, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Second Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 127 through 133) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 127, transmitting copies of the Report on the Hawaii Historic Preservation Fund For Fiscal Year 1996-1997, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources, State Historic Preservation Division, pursuant to Section 6E-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 128, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report to the Governor on the State Department of Defense, Hawaii National Guard, prepared by the Public Affairs Office, State of Hawaii, Department of Defense, pursuant to Section 373F-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 129, transmitting copies of the 1997 report prepared by the Department of Agriculture, pursuant to Sections 155-14 and 219-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 130, transmitting copies of the 1997 Report of the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation of the Department of the Attorney General.

Gov. Msg. No. 131, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, Pursuant to Section 321-195, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring a Report by the Department of Health on Implementation of the State Plan for Substance Abuse.

Gov. Msg. No. 132, transmitting copies of the PASH/Kohanaiki Study Group Report prepared by the Office of Planning, pursuant to H.R. 197, HD 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 133, transmitting copies of the Interim Report of the Small Business Task Force on Regulatory Relief as required by Act 348, SLH 1997.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 2 and 3) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 2, returning House Concurrent Resolution No. 1, which was adopted by the Senate on January 22, 1998.

Sen. Com. No. 3, returning House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, which was adopted by the Senate on January 22, 1998.

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Arakaki, on behalf of the Kalihi Gang, introduced 15 students and 3 chaperones from the Kalihi YMCA Outreach Services. They were accompanied by Leon Florendo.

Representative Kahikina introduced Matsak Murgaev, a foreign exchange student attending James Campbell High School, from Kalmykia, Russia, the only Asian Republic in Russia.

Representative Ahu Isa introduced Mehana Lee from Hana, Maui, her "shadow" from the Girl Scout's Teaming for Tomorrow Program. She was accompanied by Paul Kwan.

Representative Whalen introduced Lehua Kaneo from Kealakekua, Kona, also with the Girl Scout's Teaming for Tomorrow Program. Her mentor is Linda O'Day of AT&T.

Representative Marumoto introduced Mahinahina Johnson, a senior at Kahuku High School, and her "shadow" with the Girl Scout's Teaming for Tomorrow Program. She was accompanied by Joyce Richards, Executive Director of the Girl Scouts; and Bryna Akana, her aide.

Representative Morita introduced Charlotte Powell and Janice Vannatta from the Sisters of the Third Franciscan Order; Donald Woolbright, Vice Chairperson of the Board of Directors of Saint Francis School; Frank and Lorraine Pronti from the "Garden State" of New Jersey; Ann Besson, wife of Lt. Colonel Paul Besson, Hickam Air Force Base's 15th Communication Squadron Commander; and Melissa Beard, wife of Admiral Timothy Beard, Pearl Harbor CINCPAC. "The Governor has proclaimed today as Mother Marianne Cope Day in honor of the 160th anniversary of her birth and the continuation of her cause for canonization."

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2444 through 2477) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
2444	Committee on Judiciary
2445	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2446	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2447	Committee on Judiciary
2448	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and to the Committee on Judiciary

- 2449 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2450 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2451 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2452 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2453 Committee on Finance
- 2454 Committee on Finance
- 2455 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2456 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 2457 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2458 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2459 Committee on Judiciary
- 2460 Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 2461 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2462 Committee on Judiciary
- 2463 Committee on Judiciary
- 2464 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2465 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2466 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2467 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2468 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 2469 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2470 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2471 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2472 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 2473 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 2474 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

- 2475 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2476 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2477 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

H.B. No. 2364 was re-referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation, the Committee on Water and Land Use, and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2460 through 2571) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

H.B. Nos.

2460 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanohe, Kawakami and Morita.

2461 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE GOVERNMENT PERFORMANCE AUDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Kanohe, McDermott and Tarnas.

2462 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO JUDICIAL REAPPOINTMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Meyer, Moses, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Arakaki, Cachola, Kahikina, Kanohe and McDermott.

2463 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Meyer, Moses, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Kahikina and McDermott.

2464 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Hiraki, Kahikina and Kanohe.

2465 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Ward.

2466 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

- Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Aiona, Arakaki, Cachola, Fox, Ito, McDermott, Morita, Saiki and Santiago.
- 2467 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 1, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO PUBLIC EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Arakaki, Cachola, Fox, McDermott, Morita, Saiki and White.
- 2468 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER'S LICENSES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Ahu Isa, White, Aiona, Arakaki, Cachola, Fox, Hiraki, Ito, McDermott, Morita, Saiki and Santiago.
- 2469 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Arakaki, Cachola, Fox, Halford, Ito, McDermott, Morita, Saiki, Santiago and White.
- 2470 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECURITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ward and McDermott.
- 2471 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kanohe, Cachola, Aiona, Ahu Isa, Suzuki, Yamane, White, Marumoto, Meyer, Goodenow, Case, Morihara, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Ward, Stegmaier, Abinsay, Fox, Thielen, Pendleton, Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Whalen, Chang, Kawakami, Kawanakoa and P. Oshiro.
- 2472 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE AND MOTORCYCLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kanohe, Goodenow, Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Cachola and Morihara.
- 2473 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE AND MOTORCYCLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kanohe, Tarnas, Marumoto, Ahu Isa, Meyer, Goodenow, Abinsay, Aiona, Cachola, Fox and Stegmaier.
- 2474 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREPAID HEALTH CARE ACT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kanohe, Ahu Isa, Tarnas and Marumoto.
- 2475 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 2476 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Takai, Marumoto, Thielen, Morita, Saiki, Santiago and Yoshinaga.
- 2477 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Marumoto, Arakaki, Hamakawa, Morita, Santiago and Tarnas.
- 2478 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Jones, Suzuki, Takamine, Tarnas and Yamane.
- 2479 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFIED SUBSTANCE ABUSE STAFF."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Yamane, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanohe, Morihara, Nakasone, Suzuki and White.
- 2480 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Jones, Kahikina, Kanohe, Morihara, Suzuki, White and Yamane.
- 2481 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COSTS IN CIVIL ACTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Suzuki, Yamane, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanohe, Nakasone and White.
- 2482 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kanohe, Morihara, Nakasone, Suzuki and Yamane.
- 2483 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY APPRAISALS."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2484 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE TWENTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2485 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Pendleton.
- 2486 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Tarnas and Santiago.
- 2487 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Halford, Yamane, Chang, Nakasone, Whalen, Morita, Souki, Morihara, Takamine, Hamakawa, Tarnas and White.
- 2488 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2489 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2490 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2491 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2492 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2493 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2494 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WORK OPPORTUNITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Jones.
- 2495 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS AND RECORDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2496 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICES FOR THE INDIGENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Tom.
- 2497 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POSSESSION OF TOBACCO BY MINORS."
- Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Santiago.
- 2498 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Santiago.
- 2499 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREIGN CAPITAL DEPOSITORYES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Okamura, Chang, Suzuki, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, Souki, Kanoho, M. Oshiro, Ito, Menor, Say, White, Garcia, Hamakawa, Herkes, Morita, Santiago and Takumi.
- 2500 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2501 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2502 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2503 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2504 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE AND MOTORCYCLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2505 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2506 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORECLOSURES."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2507 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2508 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE OF NOTICE."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2509 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL TREATMENT DECISIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2510 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2511 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2512 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2513 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2514 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Tarnas.
- 2515 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A NANOTECHNOLOGY CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Tarnas.
- 2516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Tarnas.

2517 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Tarnas.

2518 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HILO COMMUNITY SCHOOL FOR ADULTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Tarnas.

2519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIST OF PERSONS EXAMINING RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRIVOLOUS LOBBYING CHARGES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST QUEST PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL COUNTY REGISTER."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTESTS FOR CAUSE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS BY MAIL."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS BY MAIL."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOARDS OF REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE ELIGIBILITY TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE OR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY ELECTIONS REQUIRING A RUNOFF."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2532 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Morihara, Yamane, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Ahu Isa, Yamane, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Ahu Isa, Yoshinaga, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yonamine.

2537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Yoshinaga, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White and Yonamine.

2539 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2540 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WELFARE TO WORK TRANSITION ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2541 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMPREHENSIVE STUDENT SUPPORT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2542 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY NATIVE HAWAIIAN RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kanoho, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2543 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB REFERENCE LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2544 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL JUSTICE REFORM."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki,

Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2545 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Yamane, Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takamine, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2546 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Yoshinaga, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yonamine.

2547 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Yamane, Chang, Ito, Kahikina, Ahu Isa, Yoshinaga, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Jones, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White and Yonamine.

2548 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2549 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2550 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2551 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2552 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Yamane, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Takai, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2553 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGULATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takamine, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2554 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Ito, Jones, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2555 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2556 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A JOINT STATE-CITY WAIKIKI TASK FORCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2557 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGULATORY PROCESSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2558 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2559 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2560 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2561 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Suzuki, Takai, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2562 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2563 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-BASED BUDGETING."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Yoshinaga, Yamane, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White and Yonamine.

2564 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro,

Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2565 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL OFFICERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

2566 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2567 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DUPLICATION OF GOVERNMENTAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2568 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takamine, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

2569 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINOR TEEN VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Thielen, Morita, Yoshinaga, Ahu Isa and Marumoto.

2570 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGES."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Takai, Marumoto, Yoshinaga, Thielen, Pendleton, Morita and Menor.

2571 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOXING."

Introduced by: Representative McDermott.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 7 through 13) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO COMPUTERS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by

Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

H.C.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE HAWAII SCHOOL-TO-WORK OPPORTUNITIES SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

H.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO A MAJOR LEAGUE SPORTS FRANCHISE," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

H.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ALL PARTIES TO MAINTAIN THE VITAL ROLE PLAYED BY THE EAST-WEST CENTER," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Menor, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

H.C.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ASSESS MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AND TO PROVIDE NEEDED SERVICES FOR CHILDREN UNDER FIVE YEARS OF AGE AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Yamane, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Suzuki, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN ACTION PLAN TO DEVELOP HAWAII AS A BASE FOR MULTINATIONAL ENTERPRISES," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki, Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Tom, White, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE STATE AUDITOR STUDY THE IMPACTS UPON THE COST OF LIVING THAT RESULT FROM THE CURRENTLY PRACTICED COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL LAND-LEASEHOLD SYSTEM," was offered by Representative McDermott.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:25 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m. on Monday, January 26, 1998. (Representatives Cachola, Chang, Garcia, Halford, Morihara, Say, Souki, Stegmaier, Takai, Tom and White were excused.)

FOURTH DAY

Monday, January 26, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 9:43 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Sacred Hearts Father Arthur Dwyer, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Halford, Menor, Meyer, Takamine and Yoshinaga, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Third Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gov. Msg. No. 134, transmitting copies of the reports on the progress of project expenditures, progress reports and recommendations for funding in future years, in accordance with Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997, was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

INTRODUCTION

Representative Kanoho introduced the following individuals: John Santangelo, Gary Duguran, Tommy Ishimaru and Eddie Andrade from the Ka'u Delegation on the Big Island.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2572 through 2636) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Halford, Menor, Meyer, Takamine and Yoshinaga were excused.)

H.B. Nos.

2572 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2573 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CERTIFICATION OF HOISTING MACHINE OPERATORS."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2574 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Tarnas, Marumoto, Pendleton, Meyer, Abinsay, Case, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Kanoho and Morihara.

2575 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Case, Marumoto, Kawanakoa, Morihara, Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Aiona, Cachola and Ward.

2576 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ENSURE THAT THE STATE HAS FULL DISCRETION TO PERFORM ITS DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS IN THE MOST EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE MANNER (ConAm)."

Introduced by: Representatives Case, Pendleton, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Kawanakoa, Stegmaier, Tarnas, Marumoto, Abinsay, Cachola, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morihara and Ward.

2577 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE COUNCIL ON COMPETITIVE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Case, Kawanakoa, Fox, Goodenow, Meyer, Thielen, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Pendleton, Stegmaier, Tarnas, Marumoto, Abinsay, Aiona, Cachola, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Ward and Yoshinaga.

2578 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Case, Pendleton, Kawanakoa, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Stegmaier, Tarnas, Marumoto, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Cachola, Goodenow, Kahikina, Kanoho, Suzuki and Ward.

2579 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Tarnas, Fox, Goodenow, Kawanakoa, Morihara, Yoshinaga and Marumoto.

2580 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Pendleton, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Kawanakoa, Case, Morihara, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Marumoto, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Cachola, Goodenow, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami and Suzuki.

2581 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Tarnas, Marumoto, Stegmaier, Morihara, Kawanakoa, Meyer, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Cachola, Fox, Goodenow, Kahikina, Kanoho, Suzuki, Thielen and Yoshinaga.

2582 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Fox, Kawanakoa, Ward, Thielen, Suzuki, Morihara, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Marumoto, Abinsay, Aiona, Cachola and Kawakami.

2583 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT ACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Thielen, Fox, Kawakami, Marumoto, Kawanakoa, Case, Morihara, Yoshinaga, Stegmaier, Tarnas, Abinsay, Cachola, Goodenow, Kanoho and Ward.

2584 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Thielen, Fox, Kawanakoa, Stegmaier, Marumoto, Tarnas, Morihara and Yoshinaga.

2585 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Marumoto, Case, Thielen, Fox, Goodenow, Ward, Kawanakoa, Tarnas, Stegmaier, Aiona, Morihara and Yoshinaga.

2586 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Kawakami, Meyer and Yoshinaga.

2587 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

2588 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2589 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2590 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2591 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2592 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2593 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIVE EXOTIC ANIMAL TRAVELING EXHIBITS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen, by request.

2594 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen, by request.

2595 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Ito and Kanoho.

2596 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BARBERS POINT HARBOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Moses, Ito and Kanoho.

2597 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho and Morita.

2598 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho, Morita, Santiago and Kahikina.

2599 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

2600 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM TRANSFER-ON-DEATH (TOD) SECURITY REGISTRATION ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

2601 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and Arakaki.

2602 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2603 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONPROFIT HOSPITAL CITIZEN OVERSIGHT."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and M. Oshiro.

2604 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIANS."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago, by request.

2605 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL TRESPASS."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

2606 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RECLAIMED WATER DISTRIBUTION AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and M. Oshiro.

2607 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED."

Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.

2608 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMUNITY LANDS AND OPEN SPACE ACQUISITION FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2609 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR DETECTION OF ALIEN PEST SPECIES AT THE STATE'S PORTS OF ENTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2610 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2611 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXTENSION OF THE MOLOKAI AIRPORT RUNWAY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2612 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPANDING THE LIST OF BUSINESSES ELIGIBLE FOR ENTERPRISE ZONE BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2613 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2614 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE OFFICERS, FIREFIGHTERS, AND BANDSMEN PENSION SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2615 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION LINE FOR NONPOTABLE WATER FOR THE UPCOUNTRY MAUI WATERSHED PROJECT, KULA, MAUI."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2616 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COUNTY OF KAUAI CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2617 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COUNTY OF KAUAI CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2618 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2619 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2620 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2621 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2622 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PRACTICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2623 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PRACTICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2624 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2625 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND JOB TRAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2626 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2627 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, OR TECHNICAL SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2628 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS PLAN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Okamura, Kahikina, M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Whalen, Lee, Santiago and Yonamine.

2629 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGED CARE CREDENTIALING."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, Saiki and Santiago.

2630 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Chang, Fox, Garcia, Goodenow, Lee, Marumoto, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Suzuki, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Thielen and Ward.

2631 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Meyer, Thielen, Moses, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Cachola, Chang, Fox, Garcia, Goodenow, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Suzuki, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas and Whalen.

2632 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.

2633 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.

2634 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.

2635 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.

2636 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 14 through 17) were referred to printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO OFFER COVERAGE FOR POST-MASTECTOMY BREAST RECONSTRUCTION SURGERY," was jointly offered by Representatives Morita, Lee, Thielen, Yoshinaga, Ahu Isa, Kawakami, Marumoto and Meyer.

H.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE AD HOC COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE AND REQUESTING ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORTS ON THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE CONTINUUM OF CARE FOR VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Thielen, Morita, Yoshinaga, Ahu Isa, Kawakami, Marumoto and Meyer.

H.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COLLECTION OF DATA RELATING TO SEXUAL HARASSMENT IN STATE AGENCIES AND A PROPOSED EDUCATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM FOR STATE AGENCY DIRECTORS AND MANAGEMENT," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen, Lee, Morita, Yoshinaga, Ahu Isa, Kawakami, Marumoto and Meyer.

H.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WAHIAWA CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION COMMISSION BY EXECUTIVE ORDER," was offered by Representative M. Oshiro

At 9:51 o'clock a.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess, subject to the call of the Chair, to meet in Joint Session with the Senate, in accordance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, to receive the Governor's State of the State address.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate was called to order at 10:09 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Joseph Souki, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

At this time, the Speaker welcomed and introduced the following distinguished guests to the members of the Nineteenth Legislature:

First Lady Mrs. Vicky Cayetano;

Lt. Governor Mazie Hirono;

The Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice of the State Supreme Court;

The Honorable Jeremy Harris, Mayor, City and County of Honolulu;

County executives and legislative leaders; and

Rear Admiral Perry Ratliff, U.S. Pacific Command.

The Chair appointed Representative P. Oshiro, Okamura, M. Oshiro, and Kawanakoa and Senators Levin, Ihara, McCartney, and Anderson to escort the Honorable Benjamin J. Cayetano, Governor of the State of Hawaii, to the rostrum.

Representative Kawakami and Senator Baker presented Governor Cayetano with floral leis on behalf of the House of Representatives and Senate.

The Speaker then presented to the members of the Nineteenth Legislature and guests, the Honorable Benjamin J. Cayetano, stating:

"Members of the Nineteenth Legislature, ladies and gentlemen, please join me in extending our warmest aloha to the Governor of the State of Hawaii, The Honorable Benjamin J. Cayetano."

The Governor addressed the Joint Session, as follows:

"Thank you very much.

"President Mizuguchi, speaker Souki, Chief Justice Moon, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, members of the Nineteenth Legislature, Mayor Harris, members of the consular corps, members of the county councils, honored guests, ladies and gentlemen, good morning and aloha.

"I thank you for that warm welcome that you gave to Vicky, we surely appreciate the warmth that you have expressed to us ever since we got married in May. 1997 has been a wonderful year for me.

In 1997, I married a wonderful woman. I was also rescued by paramedics. And our state experienced a seventh year of economic problems. I guess, otherwise, my year was no different than most.

"We're all trying to make our lives better. Do our jobs well. Pay the bills. Take care of our families, and find room for the simple pleasures.

"We don't have to tell the people of our state about tough economic times. They know that we are in stormy waters. In my first State of the State speech, I said the state's budget problems were unprecedented. Now we know we are dealing with an even more challenging and complex set of issues.

"I want to suggest that these issues, taken together, constitute the beginning of a new era. Take a look back to the economic and political turmoil that followed World War II. Then, we struggled to adjust to change and become full participants in the national economy. Now, we're also struggling, this time, to become full participants in the global economy.

"For all our difficulties, I suggest that something extraordinary is happening. I believe that, as a community, we have been through enough to see what it is that we must do. We can see the outline of this new era.

"And if we can see where we must go, then we have reason to proceed with hope of success.

"Like the ancient Hawaiians, we know we cannot control the storm, but we can control our boat and where and how we steer it.

"We know that doing the right thing is seldom easy. We know we are in this together. We know that government alone cannot solve all of our problems.

"Make no doubt about it. We are engaged in a total community effort.

"What lies ahead may be the most difficult challenge our State has ever faced. But I have faith in the good judgment of our people.

"If we speak candidly, they will respond because they know it's better to take action than to do nothing.

"Before I talk about the future, I want to thank you. By working together, this administration and this legislature have already demonstrated a capacity for getting done what must be done.

"We've reduced worker's compensation rates by more than 37 percent in two years, saving employers about \$100 million.

"We've reduced auto insurance rates from 25 to 35 percent, which will save the individual driver anywhere from a \$100 to nearly a \$1,000.

"We've already built four new schools, five more are under construction and two are being built. And we've cut in half the time it takes to build them.

"We built the world-class Hawaii Convention Center, on time and on budget.

"In the past four months, we've pushed out \$335 million in much-needed public works; and that's just the beginning of an effort that will create more than ten thousand jobs.

"Finally, the state has gotten slimmer. We've reduced the growth of government from eight percent a year to less than the rate of inflation or about 1.6 percent. In 1994, state operating expenditures represented 17.5 percent of the Gross State Product. We've cut that figure down to 13.5 percent in 1997.

"And our State workers are doing far more with less. Today, this morning, we have two remarkably dedicated state workers who are good examples of what I'm talking about.

"Fiatele Bell is the state Employee of the Year. Fiatele is a custodian supervisor at Dole Intermediate School, and she always goes that extra mile. She's created a school garden to enhance learning and involved community members in the process. John Moses is a maintenance supervisor at Hilo Harbor, and you know, not only is he a great worker, John hasn't taken a day of sick leave for the past thirty years. Ladies and gentlemen, I want to introduce now John Moses and Fiatele Bell. John and Fiatele, we thank you all for being such great public servants.

"We know we can tackle tough problems. But problems keep coming at us.

"We're entering now our eighth year of a nearly flat economy. Since 1990, we've lost 12,000 construction jobs. Six plantations have closed. Too many businesses are failing. And our tax base is flat. We became accustomed to the long post-statehood economic boom. Between 1970 and 1990, we grew between four to six

percent every year compared to less than three percent for the mainland. On average more money was invested in Hawaii than across the mainland. Outside investment in Hawaii created so many new jobs that half of them were filled by in-migration.

"As the economy grew, so did government. But during the last seven years, this investment-driven growth has come to a virtual stop. We, therefore, must turn to becoming more productive. On the mainland, our sister states worked themselves out of severe economic recessions by doing just that. And that is what we must do.

"We cannot control events in Asia or on the U.S. mainland, but we can help ourselves become more productive.

"Productivity means creating an environment in which business will succeed. Productivity means using technology so that our products and services can compete with anyone's. It means providing an education that fuels initiative and innovation.

"To restructure the economy and improve productivity, the President, the Speaker and I formed the Economic Revitalization Task Force.

"We propose to more than double the state's commitment to marketing Hawaii's tourist industry by earmarking three percent of the hotel room tax. That's about \$60 million a year, up from \$25, to get our name out there and to compete.

"We also proposed major changes to our tax system. Our tax package sought to accomplish three things:

"First, to provide Hawaii's residents with the biggest tax cut in the state's history.

"Second, to reduce our income tax rates so that Hawaii can compete with other states for new jobs and investment.

"Third, to reduce the pyramiding of our excise tax to lower costs for businesses in Hawaii.

"The combined effect of these recommendations would have resulted in a 20 percent reduction in general fund revenues. Such a huge cut would cripple our ability to provide essential services to our people. To replace a portion of our revenues, we recommended that the gross excise tax be increased to enable us to export about 25 percent of our general excise tax burden to non-residents.

"Under the tax package, virtually every resident who works and pays taxes will benefit from these reforms. Even poor people, with no income, will benefit. As a result, we believe businesses will invest in Hawaii and create more jobs.

"The package seeks to shift government spending to private spending. It will put dollars directly into the hands of consumers and investors.

"Hawaii Business Magazine recently labeled this package 'dead on arrival.' Well if that's true, then our economy is dead in the water. We cannot allow that to happen! We must focus on getting the job done.

"Economic recovery is a work in progress. We've had a lot of input. We've heard reactions. We've held town meetings. Now the discussion must come to fruition.

"Let me state clearly, here today that my administration will work with you and the public to make this a better package.

"I understand the concerns about the increase in the general excise tax, but if there are fairness questions let's work them out. If the proposed tax changes fall unfairly on any particular group, let us make adjustments because that is what the legislative process is all about.

"Critics of the tax package would have us believe that this was the work of an elitist group. Far from it, 150 people from all walks of life volunteered their time and their expertise to develop the package. Whether one agrees with the recommendations or not, these citizens deserve our thanks, rather than our criticism. And I want to thank them here this morning and today.

"Respected organizations such as the Business Round Table, the Chamber of Commerce, the Retail Merchants Association, the Building Industry Association, the Construction Industry Legislative Organization along with 19 labor unions came forward to support this package. Each one of these organizations represents the faces of people who have lost their jobs over the past seven years. Every one of them has a concern about the Task Force's package -- but every one agrees that the package is the best starting point yet proposed for getting our economy going.

"You know, Bud Smyser is one of our most respected newspaper columnists; he happens to be a Republican I suppose but that's okay. In his column in the Honolulu Star-Bulletin, Bud Smyser, who's supporting the package, cautioned against allowing our emotions to overcome our reason, but he put everything in perspective when he wrote 'that the most burdensome tax on the poor, is a poor economy.'

"Let me be very blunt. Things are not going to change unless we take decisive action now.

"This year we will be able to manage the budget, but you and I know a cloud hangs over the coming biennium. The projection now is for a shortfall of \$280 million in the first year and \$240 million in the second.

"My friends, we must turn things around.

"Up to this point, we've been trimming budgets to cope with the loss of revenue. Well there isn't much left to trim, so now we must restructure. We must change not only the size but the shape of government.

"Members of the legislature, more than anything else under your control, the restructuring of government can contribute to revitalizing our economy.

"This is a case where we know what needs to be done and we must do it.

"We must set a standard of evaluating government by how it serves the public, as opposed to how government serves itself. Our services need to be more accessible and require less run-around. We must consolidate departments.

"I will present, for your consideration, a proposal to consolidate three departments -- Accounting and General Services, Human Resources, and Budget and Finance -- into two departments.

"In addition, we have departments devoted to developing and regulating business. Counting agriculture, we have three departments involved in business.

Therefore, I will propose consolidations in this area as well.

"Next week, I will send you a message that will list the state agencies and programs that we propose to eliminate.

"You may be surprised to learn that \$450 million of our current budget goes to privatization. Let me assure you, we will continue to pursue privatization where it is appropriate.

"For example, I am proposing a 2,300-bed prison to be located on the island of Hawaii at Ka'u. This prison will be built with private funds and possibly managed by a private firm. Today, we spend \$79 per day for every prisoner. With this new program, the cost will be \$50 per day. Saving us \$23 million a year.

"Besides meeting our need for more prison beds -- the new prison will create hundreds of new construction jobs to build it -- and hundreds more to run it. It will be a great boost to the Big Island's lagging economy.

"Our proposal to eliminate the State Land Use Commission has attracted a lot of criticism. It's evident to me, there is a widespread community feeling out there that the Land Use Commission is a protection against the wrong types of decisions. But if we are not going to eliminate the Commission, we must acknowledge that there are legitimate complaints of inefficiency and duplication of function with the counties. And therefore, I call on all of those who have opposed elimination of the Land Use Commission to join us in finding reforms that will lead to greater efficiency.

"Government reform is hard work, but it pays off.

"For example, in welfare reform, nearly 7,000 recipients now are working, a figure which is double that of last year. Last week, for example, 18 welfare recipients went to work for AT&T, in good jobs with good futures. Despite our economic problems, we have already exceeded the federal reform standard for welfare recipients returning to work.

"The federal government has ranked our Department of Human Services first in the country for accuracy in paying Aid-to Families-with Dependent-Children, and second in managing the Food Stamp Program; and this has been for three straight years. And I want to thank the department's hardworking employees who like all state workers have done more with less.

"When I became governor three years ago, I took a long look ahead and set priorities. I set my sights on three areas. The first was exploiting the potentials of telecommunications. The second was what we call, broadly, the quality of life. The third, the role education must play for our children in the future.

"Hawaii's relatively isolated location in the middle of the Pacific underscores the importance of a first-rate, state of the art telecommunications system. Without it, Hawaii's ability to grow as a hub for business, culture and education would be greatly limited. Three years ago, we embraced deregulation, we, you and I. And the development of our telecommunications infrastructure and industry has been truly remarkable.

"We've gone from having only one wire-based monopoly to having nine major competitors. Moreover, more than one hundred small vendors have been created, representing more than \$1 billion in investment.

"Today, Hawaii has more fiber optic cable per mile than any state in the nation. By September, Hawaii will be one of only five states with all-digital switching.

"The University of Hawaii has become a national leader in distance learning. And more than ever, the dream of the Western Governors' (Virtual) University stands to become a reality.

"I guess the importance of telecommunications was highlighted two weeks ago when a timely exchange of medical information between Maui and Oahu saved the life of a prominent citizen, 'Pundy' Yokouchi.

"Also two weeks ago, Hawaii took a huge step forward when the Weinberg Foundation gave our hospitals a \$10 million grant for the purchase of telemedicine equipment. This grant will establish a telemedicine network, which will link all of our hospitals and clinics. It will allow the sharing of important medical services and resources throughout the state.

"And it will greatly add to our vision of establishing Hawaii as the premier healthcare center of the Pacific. When completed, this exciting network will be the first in the nation. I will submit legislation to you, this session, to make it happen.

"On this score, let me quote to you an article from an article in today's Advertiser, from Richard Parson's the President of Time Morrow Inc. which owns Oceanic Cable this is what he said, 'Hawaii is the most aggressive in terms of update of new technology.' So I think Hawaii can be a leader, not only in the use of new technology, but in showing the rest of the nation how it can be used. My friends we are showing right now the rest of the nation how to use technology here in this state.

"Last year, two NASA astronauts came to Hawaii. From their spacecraft, they reaffirmed what we know to be true here on earth -- that Hawaii is the most beautiful place in the world.

"Protecting our environment has been a top priority for my administration. Last session, I asked you to increase the budget for our ocean and maritime programs. In spite of revenue shortfalls, you demonstrated your commitment by coming through with more funding.

"Early this year, we will acquire Ka Iwi Beach, on Oahu's eastern shore, settling that issue once and for all.

"Last year, consistent with Hawaii the ocean state, I approved a five-year, conditional agreement with the federal government to expand our whale sanctuaries throughout the state.

"And to protect Hawaii for future generations, we developed a Sustainability Plan, targeting the long-term management of key resources such as drinking water, open space, coral, fisheries, forests and beaches.

"You've heard a lot about economic development today, but let me take this opportunity to reaffirm here and now, that we will not pursue economic growth which destroys the environment which has made Hawaii the most beautiful place in the world.

"As an ocean state, Hawaii's waterfront, harbors and shoreline are important and critical resources.

"We are transforming the Kakaako Makai District into a park-like environment. The Children's Museum and Performing Arts Center will be coming up soon. We're looking at plans for a Hawaiian Music and Culture Center; and we're looking at a plan for a new aquarium.

"I've directed my staff to work with investors on incorporating high-tech systems in all new business construction in Kakaako. Our vision here is to create an atmosphere much like that of the Microsoft campus in Seattle. Research and development firms will work on the technologies of the 21st Century in the greatest setting in the world.

"But although we've made progress, our attempts to manage, enhance, and protect these resources have been hampered by the fact that those responsibilities lie in four different state agencies.

"As a result, prime resources such as Keehi Lagoon, for example, suffered from overlapping jurisdictions, sometimes conflicting goals and a lack of an integrated, comprehensive strategy for our waterfront, harbors, and shoreline.

"To resolve this problem, I will send you legislation, which will consolidate four existing state agencies -- DOT's Harbors Division, the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the Aloha Tower Development Corporation and the state's Small Boat Harbor Program -- into one quasi-public body.

"This body, the Hawaii Maritime Authority, will be run by a board of directors empowered to develop and finance projects of long-term benefit to our state. Such authorities have worked well on the mainland and I believe it will be a great improvement over the existing system. And therefore, I ask for your utmost consideration of this proposal.

"Just as we have with telecommunications and the environment, we're taking the long view on the entire subject of education.

"We gave our teachers a much deserved pay raise.

"For a long time I've known that Hawaii students spend far less time in the classroom than their Mainland counterparts. For example, when you add up the hours, students in Iowa spend twenty more days in the classroom than our students, in the course of a school year.

"As a result, by the time a child in Hawaii gets to the ninth grade, that child will be a year behind a student in Iowa. Therefore, I was delighted when our teachers agreed to teach seven more days in schools. It was a right step in the right direction, and I believe it will turn out to be our most significant education reform of the decade.

"Many proposals of the Task force apply directly to our schools.

"We propose a private-public partnership that will enable all 8th grade students to be computer literate by the year 2000. And to this end, the business people on the Task Force pledged to raise \$10 million for a computer fund to put 10,000 more computers in our schools.

"We also propose to decentralize our public school system by establishing four county boards of education appointed by the governor. We want the schools to be more accountable to the surrounding community, and we want parents and communities to take more responsibility for the education of their children.

"We propose to make the University of Hawaii a quasi-public institution, virtually a fourth branch of government. We want the University to become more entrepreneurial, of course, to become a leading

contributor to the growth of our economy, but most of all we want the University to have the freedom to become one of the great universities of the Pacific.

"The slogan, 'Think local, act global' has special meaning for us. Precisely because we cannot control external events in this global era, we must return again and again to what we can do for ourselves.

"People already work hard. We can't say to someone working two jobs, 'Work harder.' But we can set strategies as a community and work smarter.

"The stress and challenge of this new age falls not only on government employees but those of the private sector as well. Therefore, I want to salute the thousands of people in the private sector, who have dedicated themselves to doing a better job and becoming more productive.

"For example, at the Kaanapali Beach Hotel on Maui, everyone from custodians to the activity director studies Hawaiian culture, and all contribute to the whole with phenomenal results. Their losses to workers' compensation are 87 percent below the industry average, and the hotel's occupancy rate is 22 percent higher than the Maui average. The Kaanapali Beach Hotel just received recognition as one of the two best values among hotels in the entire world. Of course, the General Manager of that hotel just happens to be one of your colleagues, Representative Mike White.

"Over in Kalihi, the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 1186 is building on a long tradition of training programs sponsored jointly by the electrical contractors. They not only study blueprints for wiring, but blueprints for the most efficient approaches to work, such as critical path and minimizing rework as defined by Edward Deming. These are examples of creating our future, and is something that must happen every day.

"Rather than look to one big solution, such as a new industry, we must take hope from a wide range of opportunities.

"I have hope when I hear that our new high-tech firms -- Square USA, Uniden and Buzzeo Inc. -- are hiring many of their new employees from the University of Hawaii's School of Engineering.

"I have hope when despite our difficult economic times national institutions continue to rank Hawaii as the healthiest state in the nation and one of the ten best for working mothers and families.

"I have hope when I'm informed that we have 40 advance bookings for our new convention center.

"I have hope when I see our local farmers growing quality fruits and vegetables and selling all they can grow.

"I waived the airport landing fees for two years. And now I derive hope from the fact that Continental Airlines is launching new direct flights from New York and Houston to Honolulu. And United Airlines has renewed its direct flights to Kauai.

"During the summer of 1998, we will observe the 100th anniversary of America's annexation of Hawaii. Nineteen ninety-eight can be a year in which we advance the education process regarding the complex issues surrounding the history of Native Hawaiians. We can develop a greater shared understanding, and we can search for approaches to resolution.

"To those who are thinking, 'Enough! Let's wrap this all up,' I want to choose my words very carefully. I agree that resolving the status of native Hawaiians is absolutely an overriding priority. But this process cannot be rushed.

"Discussion of annexing the nation of Hawaii began in the middle of the 19th Century. It was brought about in 1898 against the will of the vast majority of the Hawaiian people. Therefore, we cannot realistically hope to neatly wrap all the issues resulting from a hundred-plus years of history, after only a few years of discussion.

"Broadly based efforts are now under way within the Hawaiian community to develop a model for Hawaiian sovereignty. Today, I urge the full spectrum of the Hawaiian community to join in this unique and historic undertaking.

"As governor, I do not possess the answer, nor should I. But as governor, I am steadfastly committed to a process that is full, that hears all opinions, and educates all of our people. We should allow this process to take its course.

"The recovery of Hawaiian self-determination is not only an issue for Hawaii, but for America. As we pursue this process of education and dialogue, let all of us, Hawaiian and non-Hawaiian, work toward a common goal. Let us resolve that in the future, we will all stand together, shoulder to shoulder, in Washington D.C. to advance a plan for Hawaiian sovereignty.

"I want to comment briefly on Kamehameha Schools/Bishop Estate. This dispute originated from the concerns of teachers, students, and alumni. It arose from a growing determination on the part of the school family to take responsibility for the institution they love.

"Recently the news media finally got into focus that the quality of education and the performance of students at Kamehameha Schools has improved significantly. I salute all who contributed.

"I asked my Attorney General to conduct an investigation because of the seriousness of the allegations. This is clearly in the public interest. I must tell you that we will perform our work with fairness but with conviction, and with a keen awareness that Hawaiians are engaged in bringing new life to their own kuleana.

"Before I close, I want to say something simple and fundamental about the future. It comes from the vantage point of my privilege of serving as your governor.

"And that is this: We still have a tendency to look upward to some lofty authority, creating a demand that government solve all of society's ills. In terms of our history, I think we still suffer a bit from the heritage of territorial and plantation times. Jack Burns referred to it as a 'subtle' sense of inferiority.

"And in our family life, we sometimes fear that our children will move away when, in this day and age, we should be proud to equip them to compete and live anywhere. In the business world, we see that money generated in Hawaii too often is invested elsewhere while outsiders continue to believe in Hawaii and invest here.

"My friends, we must believe in ourselves. We can do it. We have so much to offer the world, and all of us together are the answer.

"In 1974, I sat in this House as a freshman representative. I had a different haircut then. During my twenty-four years in public office, I've seen your

predecessors rise again and again to meet the challenges of their time. In the process, past legislators and governors have helped to build Hawaii which has become one of the great societies on the face of this earth.

"As we head into the 21st Century, how we meet the challenge we now face -- perhaps the most difficult since statehood -- will be the defining moment of leadership for all of us.

"We see where we must go, and what we must do. The choices are not easy, but they are clear.

"Winston Churchill once said, 'All my past life has been but a preparation for this hour.' My friends, we are prepared. Now is the hour. Let us seize it.

"Thank you very much, Aloha."

Senate President Mizuguchi then rose and stated:

"Governor, thank you for sharing your thoughts and vision with us today.

"We agree with you that strong measures are needed - and needed right now to get our economy moving again.

"I was privileged to work with you, the Speaker of the House, and the Economic Revitalization Task Force in recommending a comprehensive agenda for economic change that you mentioned today.

"Continuing in the spirit of collaboration and positive political engagement, we pledge to give your administration's proposals every consideration and our fullest attention. It will take political courage. And I am confident that this legislature will do the right thing for all of our people.

"Governor, I'd like to again say mahalo for your thoughtful - and most certainly, challenging - state-of-the-state address.

"If there are no further business by the members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, I now declare this Joint Session adjourned."

At 10:53 o'clock a.m., the President declared the Joint Session adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, January 27, 1998.

FIFTH DAY

Tuesday, January 27, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 9:36 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Julia McKenna-Dubin of the Ministry for Divine Harmony, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Goodenow, Menor, Meyer, Takamine, Whalen and White, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Fourth Day was deferred.

At 9:42 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 9:43 o'clock a.m.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gov. Msg. No. 135, transmitting copies of the HFDC Funds report prepared by Grant Thornton, Certified Public Accountants and the Housing Finance and Development Corporation, Department of Budget and Finance, to satisfy the requirements of Section 201E-40, Hawaii Revised Statutes, was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2478 to 2636) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.
Nos.Referred to:

2478	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2487	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2479	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2488	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2480	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2489	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
2481	Committee on Judiciary	2490	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
2482	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2491	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
2483	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2492	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
2484	Committee on Finance	2493	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
2485	Committee on Finance	2494	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2486	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2495	Committee on Judiciary
		2496	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2497	Committee on Judiciary
		2498	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		2499	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2500	Committee on Finance
		2501	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
		2502	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
		2503	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2504	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		2505	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		2506	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		2507	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
		2508	Committee on Judiciary
		2509	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2510	Committee on Judiciary
		2511	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2512	Committee on Finance	2538	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2513	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2539	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2514	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2540	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2515	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2541	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2516	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2542	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2517	Committee on Finance	2543	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2518	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2544	Committee on Judiciary
2519	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2545	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2520	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2546	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2521	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2547	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2522	Committee on Judiciary	2548	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2523	Committee on Judiciary	2549	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2524	Committee on Judiciary	2550	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2525	Committee on Judiciary	2551	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2526	Committee on Judiciary	2552	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2527	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2553	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2528	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2554	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2529	Committee on Judiciary	2555	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2530	Committee on Judiciary	2556	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2531	Committee on Judiciary	2557	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2532	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2558	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2533	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2559	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2534	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use	2560	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2535	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance		
2536	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		
2537	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary		

2561	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary		and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2562	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2586	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2563	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2587	Committee on Judiciary
2564	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2588	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
2565	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2589	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
2566	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2590	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
2567	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2591	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
2568	Committee on Finance	2592	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
2569	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2593	Committee on Judiciary
2570	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2594	Committee on Finance
2571	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2595	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2572	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2596	Committee on Water and Land Use
2573	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2597	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2574	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2598	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2575	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2599	Committee on Judiciary
2576	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2600	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2577	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2601	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2578	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2602	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2579	Committee on Finance	2603	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2580	Committee on Finance	2604	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2581	Committee on Finance	2605	Committee on Judiciary
2582	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2606	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2583	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2607	Committee on Judiciary
2584	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2608	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2585	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection	2609	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

- 2610 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 2611 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2612 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2613 Committee on Judiciary
- 2614 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 2615 Committee on Finance
- 2616 Committee on Finance
- 2617 Committee on Finance
- 2618 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 2619 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2620 Committee on Finance
- 2621 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2622 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2623 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2624 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2625 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2626 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2627 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2628 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2629 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2630 Committee on Finance
- 2631 Committee on Finance
- 2632 Committee on Education
- 2633 Committee on Education
- 2634 Committee on Education
- 2635 Committee on Education
- 2636 Committee on Education

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 2) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 3 through 6) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

- | <u>H.R.</u>
<u>Nos.</u> | <u>Referred to:</u> |
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| 2 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
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- | <u>H.C.R.</u>
<u>Nos.</u> | <u>Referred to:</u> |
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| 3 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management |
| 4 | Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs |
| 5 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 6 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following House bills were re-referred by the Speaker:

- | <u>H.B.</u>
<u>Nos.</u> | <u>Referred to:</u> |
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| 2353 | Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2354 | Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2637 through 2732) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred: (Representatives Goodenow, Menor, Meyer, Takamine, Whalen and White were excused.)

- | <u>H.B. Nos.</u> | <u>Referred to:</u> |
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| 2637 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH." |
| | Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, Saiki and Ward. |
| 2638 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE." |
| | Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee and Saiki. |
| 2639 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISCAL RELIEF FOR THOSE IN INTRACTABLE PAIN OR IN A TERMINAL CONDITION." |

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Lee, Kahikina, Arakaki, Kawakami, McDermott, Saiki and Ward.

2640 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAIN RELIEF."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Lee, Kahikina, Arakaki, Kawakami, McDermott and Saiki.

2641 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.

2642 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2643 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE REFORM."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2644 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2645 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, M. Oshiro, Yamane, Case, Ito, Nakasone, Suzuki and Tarnas.

2646 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COORDINATED CARE ORGANIZATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Case, Yamane, Suzuki, Marumoto, Abinsay, Hiraki and Nakasone.

2647 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER'S MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Case, Marumoto, Abinsay, Hiraki, Nakasone, Suzuki, Takumi and Yamane.

2648 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Yoshinaga, Case, Kawanakoa, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morihara, Moses, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Say, Suzuki, Tarnas and Yamane.

2649 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2650 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Moses, Meyer, Pendleton, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Case, Fox, Kawanakoa, Lee, Marumoto, Morita, Saiki, Suzuki and Takumi.

2651 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Fox, Hiraki, Lee, Marumoto, Morita, Moses, Pendleton, Saiki, Suzuki and Takumi.

2652 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Pendleton, Arakaki, Fox, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, McDermott, Meyer, Morita, Moses, Takumi and Whalen.

2653 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION FEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Abinsay, Arakaki, Kawanakoa, Lee, Meyer, Moses, Pendleton, Saiki, Suzuki, Takumi and Whalen.

2654 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee and Yamane.

2655 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Yamane, M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Case, Nakasone and Say.

2656 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS' AND EMPLOYEES' VACATION DAYS EARNED."

Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Yamane, Abinsay, Case, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro and Say.

2657 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Yamane, Case, M. Oshiro and Say.

2658 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Yamane, Case, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro and Say.

2659 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRESHWATER FISHING RESERVES, REFUGES, AND PUBLIC FISHING AREAS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Kawakami, Kanoho, Chang, Nakasone and Hamakawa.

2660 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Nakasone, Hiraki and Suzuki.

2661 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Suzuki.

2662 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST WASTE PROCESSING ENTERPRISES."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Ito, Kawakami, Kanoho, Chang, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, White, Kahikina, Ahu Isa, Suzuki, Nakasone and Hamakawa.

2663 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY APPRAISALS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2664 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen, by request.

2665 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPLES OF JUSTIFICATION."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2666 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2667 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS."

Introduced by: Representative Tom, by request.

2668 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Case.

2669 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Case, Yoshinaga, Chang, Hiraki, Tarnas, M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Menor, Morita, Saiki, Say, Takumi, Yamane and Yonamine.

2670 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."

Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.

2671 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST UTILITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2672 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2673 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM PRINCIPAL AND INCOME ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2674 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM PARTNERSHIP ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2675 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2676 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2677 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PARK LEASES."

Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Whalen, Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes and Jones.

2678 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes and White.

2679 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERWATER ATTRACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Case, Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Morihara and Whalen.

2680 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT-CENTERED SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Suzuki, Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Case, Fox, Hiraki, Kanoho, Kawanakoa, Lee, McDermott, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Ward and Yonamine.

2681 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Menor and Lee.

2682 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Menor.

2683 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

2684 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

2685 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-TO-WORK OPPORTUNITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Tarnas, Ito, Santiago, Cachola, Takai, Ahu Isa, Kanoho, Kawakami, Marumoto, Meyer and Morihara.

2686 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-TO-WORK OPPORTUNITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Tarnas, Santiago, Cachola, Marumoto, Ahu Isa, Kawakami, Kawanakoa, Takai, Meyer and Arakaki.

2687 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-TO-WORK OPPORTUNITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Takai, Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Kawakami and Meyer.

2688 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AQUARIUM."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Okamura, Tarnas, Santiago, Arakaki, Lee, Case, Jones, Thielen, Marumoto, Abinsay, Aiona, Chang, Garcia, Hiraki, Ito, Kawakami, Morihara, Morita, M. Oshiro and Tom.

2689 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Tarnas, Santiago, Moses, Chang, Jones, Case, Abinsay, Arakaki, Garcia, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Thielen and Tom.

2690 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Morita, Tom, Tarnas, Santiago, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Lee, Thielen, Marumoto, Chang, Okamura, Jones, Moses, Abinsay, Case, Hiraki, Ito, Kawakami and Morihara.

2691 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

2692 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITIONAL SCHOOL CLERICAL POSITIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Morita, Hamakawa, Ito, Tarnas, Jones, Moses, Arakaki, Santiago, Yonamine, Okamura, Lee, Garcia, Chang, Kahikina, Kawakami, Abinsay, Aiona, Hiraki, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Pendleton, Saiki, Stegmaier and Tom.

2693 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Jones, Marumoto, Moses, Arakaki, Case, Abinsay, Aiona, Chang, Garcia, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Lee, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, Saiki, Santiago, Tarnas and Thielen.

2694 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREPAID COLLEGE TUITION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morihara, Thielen, Moses, Kawakami, M. Oshiro, Chang, Jones, Case, Abinsay, Garcia, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto and Okamura.

2695 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Jones, Abinsay, Arakaki, Case, Chang, Garcia, Hiraki, Ito, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Okamura, Santiago and Tarnas.

2696 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Abinsay, Pendleton, Santiago, Thielen, Okamura, Case, Jones, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Lee, Marumoto, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Morihara, Morita, Moses and Saiki.

2697 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTES AND TOBACCO TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Morita, Tarnas, Santiago, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Suzuki, Lee, Garcia, Marumoto, Thielen, Okamura, Jones, Case, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kahikina, Kawakami and Saiki.

2698 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Morita, Tarnas, M. Oshiro, Lee, Thielen, Jones, Case, Marumoto, Moses, Abinsay, Aiona, Arakaki, Garcia, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Morihara, Okamura, Pendleton, Saiki and Stegmaier.

2699 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Moses, Abinsay, Ito and M. Oshiro.

2700 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Jones, Case, Abinsay, Chang, Ito, Marumoto, Morihara, Morita, Moses and M. Oshiro.

2701 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATION."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2702 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2703 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2704 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Say, Chang, White, Cachola and Aiona.

2705 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OSTEOPOROSIS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Thielen, Meyer, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Kawakami and Santiago.

2706 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACUPUNCTURE PRACTITIONERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Tom, Ahu Isa and Santiago.

2707 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2708 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2709 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCONSENSUAL COMMON LAW LIENS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2710 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2711 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF FINANCING AGREEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2712 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2713 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SECURITY PERSONNEL IN THE COURTS OF THE STATE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2714 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCOLLECTIBLE ACCOUNTS IN THE JUDICIARY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2715 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT FINES AND RESTITUTION IN THE JUDICIARY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2716 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT FINES AND RESTITUTION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2717 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2718 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2719 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2720 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2721 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2722 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICES FOR THE INDIGENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2723 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIQUOR TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2724 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WIRETAPPING AND ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2725 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MEDICAID LONG-TERM CARE DEMONSTRATION PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Cachola, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Saiki, Santiago, Tarnas, Whalen and Yonamine.

2726 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS AND PROFESSIONAL REHABILITATION COUNSELORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Santiago, Kahikina, Cachola and M. Oshiro.

2727 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE TWENTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay and Ahu Isa.

2728 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.

2729 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.

2730 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.

2731 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.

2732 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 18 through 20) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO PROPOSE AN ADMINISTRATIVE ALTERNATIVE TO ADDRESS THE PROBLEM OF STATE EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT," was offered by Representative Suzuki.

H.C.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE REGULATION OF ARCHAEOLOGISTS," was jointly offered by Representatives M. Oshiro, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Case, Takai and Tarnas.

H.C.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO MONITOR LOCAL ADHERENCE TO CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL GUIDELINES AND TO EDUCATE THE MEDICAL COMMUNITY ON OVER-PRESCRIPTION PRACTICES," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami, Saiki and Santiago.

At 9:44 o'clock a.m., Representative Okamura asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 9:45 o'clock a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Stegmaier: "The Ad Hoc Caucus on Small Business will be sponsoring a citing of the preamble and listing of endorsed bills today in Room 429 between 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. I invite all members to consider the list and to sign if they desire."

At 9:46 o'clock a.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess, subject to the call of the Chair, to meet in Joint Session with the Senate to receive Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon's State of the Judiciary Address.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, was called to order at 10:04 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Norman Mizuguchi, President of the Senate.

At this time, the Senate President welcomed and introduced the following honored and distinguished guests to the members of the Nineteenth Legislature:

Governor Benjamin J. Cayetano

Lt. Governor Mazie Hirono

Mrs. Stella Moon, wife of Chief Justice Moon

Former Chief Justice William Richardson.

Senate President Mizuguchi appointed Senators Chumbley, Matsunaga and Anderson and Representatives Tom, Yamane and Kawanakoa to escort The Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice of the Hawaii Supreme Court, to the rostrum.

Senate President Mizuguchi then presented to the members of the Nineteenth Legislature and guests, The Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice of the Hawaii Supreme Court, saying:

"Members of the Nineteenth Legislature, ladies and gentlemen, please join me in extending our warmest aloha and welcome to the Chief Justice of the Hawaii Supreme Court, The Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon."

Chief Justice Moon addressed the Joint Session, as follows:

"Thank you, ladies and gentlemen.

"Governor Cayetano, President Mizuguchi, Speaker Souki, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, distinguished members of the Nineteenth Legislature, fellow Judges and fellow Judiciary employees, former Chief Justice Richardson, members of the federal bench, other special guests, ladies and gentlemen:

"It is again a great honor and privilege to deliver my second State of the Judiciary Address to the Joint Session of the Hawaii State Legislature. As we were walking over here from the Supreme Courthouse with the members of my family and friends, my wife Stella offered me some

sage advice. She said, 'Ron, remember now, like last year's State of the Judiciary Address, don't try to be charming, witty or intellectual -- just be yourself.' And my Mom, walking next to me, I looked at her and she said: 'Ditto.'

"Before I proceed, I want to thank the Legislature for its support of the Judiciary's budget requests and legislative proposals at the last session. Without your commitment, the Judiciary could not have achieved its many accomplishments, some of which I will share with you today.

"Last year, a significant portion of my remarks addressed the basic, but critical principle that the Judiciary is a separate, independent, and equal branch of government. Over the last year, a course of events has unfolded nationally, and locally, that reflects a continuing misunderstanding of this basic principle of democratic governance.

"Nationally, we have witnessed high level threats to impeach certain judges, as well as the targeting and defeat of elected judges, because of their unpopular decisions, emotional reactions to those decisions, or both. We have also seen proposed federal legislation to limit the authority and reach of the federal courts and congressional hearings on so-called judicial activism.

"On the local front, a concerned legislator invited me to participate in a summit on the public's reactions to certain court decisions, apparently hoping that the experience would, or should, cause the court to rethink certain judicial decisions and perhaps even persuade the court to accommodate current public sentiment on certain issues. This invitation, coupled with what's been happening on the national front, exemplifies the serious misunderstandings about the judicial process and its role in our representative government -- one that successfully blends majority will, the rule of law, and protection of the rights of those who are out of political favor or are otherwise classified as minorities. If we are to maintain the delicate balance in our law and the even more delicate relationship between our respective branches, it is imperative that we correct any misunderstandings about the judicial decision-making process. Thus, I would like to revisit the issue of judicial independence again this year, specifically as it relates to the decision-making process.

"Independent judicial decision-making does not mean that judges may do as they please, based on whim, personal preference, or even majority will. Although the majority's will is the driving force in the legislative process and is appropriate for legislators to consider when deciding public policy issues, it cannot and it should not be considered by judges when deciding disputes. Judicial decisions are the result of a structured, analytical process based on traditional principles. These principles allow all parties to present evidence and argument about the law and its application to a particular dispute in a forum that is free from any influence other than the evidence, the law, and the advocacy of the parties. These principles are as old as this nation and as necessary to freedom as the individual rights set forth in our federal and state constitutions. They have made our legal system a model of fairness that is emulated by all who cherish liberty.

"While we judges must keep in mind that our decisions will affect the lives of the individuals who appear before us, we are obliged to set aside our emotions and concerns about our popularity and render our decisions based on the facts in evidence and the laws in effect at the time. Over the years, and most especially in recent years, the Hawai'i State Judiciary has been called upon to rule on several controversial cases, and, at times, public criticism

has been severe. Please -- don't misunderstand me -- I am not saying that criticizing judges or their rulings is wrong. On the contrary, criticism that is constructive and reasoned, based in fact and law, is appropriate and useful, particularly to the Judicial Selection Commission when it assesses judges seeking retention. However, when judges are perceived as formulating their decisions in response to political pressure or the perceived majority opinion of the moment, our system of government is placed in serious jeopardy. Judges must be free to rule in accordance with the law, and we must be able to make decisions without fear of reprisal, especially when the law requires a decision that is viewed as against the public will. Courts, in stark contrast to the Legislative and Executive Branches, are not, and indeed must not, be beholden to the will of the majority. The majority's will has no place in the judicial process for the simple reasons, among others, that the populace does not hear all of the evidence and does not view the law in the context of the specific events at issue.

"Imagine, if you will, a judge inviting interested members of the public to cast 'yes' or 'no' votes by calling a 1-800 number and pressing number one or number two on a touch tone telephone, then ruling in accordance with the desires of the voting majority. This, ladies and gentlemen, is my nightmare; and, I submit, your nightmare, and, ultimately, the nightmare for your constituents. When the Judiciary rises above partisan politics and is not swayed by the political passions of the moment, justice prevails -- one classical example being the case of Brown v. Board of Education which abolished school segregation.

"It is necessary that the Judiciary, the Executive, and the Legislature work together to maintain public confidence in our judicial system by addressing popular misconceptions of the courts because, without public confidence in an independent Judiciary, court orders and judgments would be rendered meaningless, legislative intent would be undermined, chaos would reign, and our system of government would surely deteriorate. I therefore see us engaged in a mutual quest for excellence in government -- a quest that includes improving the law and the overall administration of our system of justice.

"Last year, I believe the Legislature took positive steps in this quest for excellence with the passage of a judicial salary bill. On behalf of all of our judges, I sincerely thank you -- the members of the Legislature -- for your efforts and support. Indeed, we were profoundly disappointed that the bill did not become law.

"Additionally, last year, you adopted a concurrent resolution, directing the Legislative Reference Bureau to study and make recommendations regarding an appropriate salary structure for all state judges. Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 sets forth two basic assumptions. First, because of the absence of an objective, statutorily established mechanism that requires fair and adequate compensation, Hawaii's judges are continuously drawn into the potentially compromising task of lobbying the Legislature for salary increases and improvements in benefits; and, second, such lobbying is inconsistent with the traditional role of the courts as an independent and separate branch of government.

"In its report issued two weeks ago, the Legislative Reference Bureau recognized the subtle, but critical, fact that 'the pay issue extends beyond the connection between compensation and judicial excellence, striking at the very heart of judicial independence.' The Bureau's report, at pages 34 and 35, explains that, '[t]he danger posed by inadequate compensation to the Judiciary's independence is real indeed. . . . [A]bsent specific constitutional authority, one branch of government may not be

controlled by, subjected either directly or indirectly to the coercive influences of, or even embarrassed by another branch of government. It may be arguable that the failure of the legislative or executive branch to provide fair and reasonable judicial compensation is an indirect attempt to control, influence, or embarrass the Judiciary and, as such, constitutes a menace to judicial independence.'

"The Legislative Reference Bureau as well as the Judicial Salary Commission -- both impartial, non-partisan bodies -- have concluded, independently, that Hawaii's judges are significantly underpaid when compared to federal and other state judges. The Bureau's report notes that, since the last increase in 1990, judges' purchasing power has decreased by 25 percent as a result of inflation and the rising cost of living, and, that, since 1992, nine seasoned and experienced judges have left the bench. Within the last few weeks, a 58-year old judge, with over 13 years of experience, advised me that, although he loves his job, he, too, will be leaving in the next few months for a higher paying position. Ladies and gentlemen, no one -- no one -- attains excellence in the art of judging overnight. Losing judges far before retirement age is truly a waste of valuable assets, especially after having invested substantial amounts of time and monies in their training, and, after years of hands-on experience.

"Why are judges passed over year after year, while virtually all other government employees have received multiple increases in their compensation during the same period? The answer, I submit, is obvious -- the Judiciary is the weakest branch of government. Judges number only seventy-three and are bound by the Code of Judicial Conduct. They cannot participate in politics; they cannot unionize; they cannot strike; and they cannot -- no, they will not -- consider political consequences of their decisions in the hope of receiving favorable legislative or executive action. As a result of going eight years without a pay increase, some may be left wondering whether applying the strict principles of judging in any particular case will mean another year without a raise. It comes as no surprise that one federal judge on the mainland has, in fact, publicly stated that he knew it was time to resign when he found himself, for the first time in his judicial career, considering the political implications of his rulings. Our judges recognize, all too well, the economic realities of the day; however, as I said last year and I emphasize today -- fairness alone dictates that a judicial pay raise is appropriate.' The Legislative Reference Bureau agrees. Among other actions, the Bureau recommends that the Legislature again enact a judicial salary increase as proposed in last year's House Bill No. 1393, CD 1. With respect to judges' retirement benefits, the Bureau concluded that any steps towards adjusting such benefits should be preceded by a comprehensive review by qualified retirement-benefit specialists. I once again request your support and favorable consideration of this critical issue.

"Improving the public's confidence in the judicial process by their understanding of the Judiciary's role and function is, in large part, the responsibility of the Judiciary. I believe the Judiciary is meeting its part of that responsibility.

"The Judiciary has initiated programs designed to inform and educate the public about the workings of their state court system. These programs operate at no additional cost to the taxpayers and target many segments of our community, including elementary, intermediate, and high school students, law students, the public at large, and you, our legislators. Examples include: the Judges Speakers Bureau, the Afternoon with a Judge

Program, the Lunch 'N Learn the Law series, and the Legislators' Day-in-Court.

"Last year, you opened some juvenile proceedings and case records to the public. In the spirit of that law, and in an unprecedented effort to increase public understanding about the juvenile justice system, the Judiciary recently granted two major daily newspapers access to Family Court juvenile proceedings and case records usually kept confidential. We believe that, by allowing these journalists to observe first-hand what goes on in a system historically shrouded in secrecy, the public would develop a better understanding of the complexity of the issues that are brought before us and the daily struggles facing our judges, staff, and families, as well as help to identify those areas needing reform.

"We continue to work to establish better rapport between our employees and the public because we firmly believe that confidence in the courts is enhanced when the public is served courteously, promptly, and efficiently. To that end, our Judicial Education Division has developed and is conducting training in those areas. In the past year, more than half of the Judiciary's entire work force has participated in such training.

"We also recognize that the public -- as the users of the judicial system -- are in a position to help us identify problem areas. We therefore intend to systematically gather statewide public input through a variety of methods, including town hall meetings, focus groups, and exit surveys. No such effort has ever been initiated by the Judiciary. The input we receive from your constituents will assist us in assessing changes to improve the system.

"Adequate resources, however, are often required to implement changes to improve the system. We are fortunate to have been awarded federal grants that have been used to establish a court-based educational outpatient treatment program for adult misdemeanants; improve the litigation process on behalf of children in foster care and adoption proceedings; expand the family visitation program to include non-custodial fathers; enable state courts to conduct video arraignment and plea hearings; and provide statewide training in domestic violence for judges and probation officers. These grants save state general fund appropriations and allow the Judiciary to undertake innovative approaches to improve court operations.

"The Judiciary also continues to search for alternative methods to manage its growing caseload, without expending additional costs. And, although we are currently doing relatively well, there are certain areas that are in critical need of your support.

"Last year, I noted that the Supreme Court had implemented emergency measures to deal with the growing appellate backlog. These emergency measures, most notably the use of summary dispositions, that is, a brief statement or order setting forth our decision, are enabling the appellate courts to enter more timely dispositions and reduce the backlog of appeals. Between September 1996, and November 1997, we reduced the number of pending appeals by 490 cases. This is significant progress. We plan to continue to use this valuable tool as it assists us in moving closer to our goal of resolving more appeals within one year.

"I am also pleased to report that our circuit court's criminal and civil caseloads are presently at relatively manageable levels due to the tireless efforts of our judges, both full-time and per diem, and their support staff. In order to achieve these current levels, however, we have had to shuffle our judges around to handle critical situations in certain areas. For example, in June of 1997,

we faced a very serious backlog of domestic violence cases caused by the increase in demands for jury trials. In order to handle the 372 domestic violence jury trial cases pending at that time, I established a temporary First Circuit Family Court trial division, but had to 'borrow' a much-needed criminal circuit court judge to staff the temporary division. With the assistance of the temporary division, the number of pending domestic violence jury cases dropped from 372 to 139 as of December 1997.

"Although yielding positive results, moving judges around to handle such critical situations is a Band-Aid solution and analogous to turning one's attention away from one fire to put out a bigger fire. Upon returning to the original fire, it is burning out of control. We simply cannot continue to just keep 'putting out fires.' We need more judges.

"Over the past four years, our criminal caseload in the Circuit Courts has increased by over four hundred cases. Civil filings are increasing at a more modest rate, except for foreclosure actions, which have increased by more than 30 percent just in the last year. These Circuit Court increases are significant as they actually represent the actual work of, at least, one additional judge. At the family court level, the number of filings has steadily increased since 1993, which means that our judges can reasonably expect to have a perennial backlog of cases year after year. Moreover, in addition to 'borrowing' a circuit judge to handle domestic violence jury cases, we have also had to regularly call upon our per diem judges for assistance.

"With the growing criminal, civil, and family court caseloads, our judges, despite their most diligent efforts, cannot prevent the backlog and accompanying delays in resolving your constituents' cases from increasing without additional help. Justice delayed is justice denied. Consequently, we are asking that funds for two additional judges and attendant staff be appropriated to the Family Court of the First Circuit.

"We continue to emphasize the importance of children and family as demonstrated by the various programs and projects currently ongoing within the Family Court. For example, this past year, the juvenile division of the Family Court introduced a 'one judge/one family' initiative in which the same judge in child abuse cases handles all matters pertaining to a particular family. We are encouraged by the results -- as families and children benefit from the court's more comprehensive, intimate knowledge of the issues and factors affecting that particular family. As a direct result of this initiative, the number of children in foster custody has decreased by 20 percent, while the number of children eligible for adoption has increased by 25 percent.

"Thanks to the bill that you passed last year, the Judiciary now collects a \$35 surcharge from parents who file for divorce or separation. These monies support the Family Court's statewide Kids First Program, which teaches parents how to minimize the negative effects of divorce on their children. We are indeed proud of the fact that an American Bar Association committee has selected Hawaii's Kids First Program as one of 25 projects across the country that 'Makes a Difference in a Child's Life.'

"At the District Court level, our judges continue to see the great majority of individuals who pass through our court system. Over the past five years, we have averaged approximately 24,500 civil cases a year in the District Courts throughout the State. In the criminal area, roughly 46,000 criminal cases were filed last fiscal year. To give you a sense of the growth in these numbers, this represents a 35 percent increase from 1987. Even in the

traffic division, the trend is turning upward, where our flings for the last fiscal year increased by approximately 25 percent.

"We are working with the National Center for State Courts to determine how we can better and more efficiently handle the enormous number of cases filed in our District Courts each year.

"In addition to the growing number of cases, we are also experiencing, at all court levels, a growing number of court users who are representing themselves or are non-English speaking. The increase in litigants representing themselves is consistent with the national trend, but is even more prevalent in Hawai'i because of our economic downturn. The Judiciary is addressing this situation through public education -- in both English and other languages -- as well as by simplifying court procedures.

"We have produced two videos that will air regularly on public access channels and be available in public libraries. These videos, focusing on our small claims and traffic courts, explain court options and procedures step by step in language that is understandable to the lay person. In the future, the videos will also be closed-captioned for the hearing impaired as well as dubbed in additional languages.

"We are also simplifying court forms and expanding the number of information packets that are available to the public to assist them with the various types of Family and District Court proceedings. As we plan to do with our District Court videos, we hope to expand these educational materials to other languages.

"In the courtroom environment, we must depend on court interpreters to assist us in administering justice because justice surely cannot be served if, for example, a non-English speaking defendant says, in his own language: 'I was so mad that I COULD have killed him,' and the interpreter translates: 'I was so mad that I killed him.' Thus, we have made the court interpreter issue a priority within the Judiciary. In the last twelve months, we implemented a statewide interpreter registration process and held a series of two-day orientation sessions that reached over two hundred interpreters. As the result of a judges' workshop, as well as one for staff, the Judiciary is more aware of and better able to handle cases involving interpreters.

"The Judiciary has stretched existing resources to accomplish much over the past year in this area; however, an interpreter certification program cannot be created and maintained without additional help. Last year, you responded to our request by authorizing a court interpreter coordinator position. This year, we hope you will join in our efforts to service our growing non-English speaking population by funding this position so that this important work may continue.

"The Judiciary continues to promote alternative dispute resolution or ADR options at every level of our courts; assist in the development of programs in other government sectors; and educate our young people regarding such options.

"As I shared with you in my address last year, our appellate mediation program has been quite successful, with approximately 50 percent of the cases referred to it being settled -- either in full or in part. Unfortunately, over a two-and-a-half year period, only 135 cases have been referred to this program due to the lack of a full-time program administrator. We believe that a full-time administrator is critical, if we are to maximize the potential of this important dispute resolution program. We are therefore seeking your support to fund an

administrator position for the appellate mediation program.

"Also, this past year, the Judiciary, together with the Hawai'i State Bar Association, began the School Mediator-Mentor Program -- a program designed to promote a culture of personal responsibility and peaceful problem-solving among Hawai'i's youth. Volunteers, many of them attorneys, serve as mentors to student peer mediation programs at twenty-two schools. The volunteers also mediate adult school-based disputes and coordinate workshops for parents, teachers, administrators, and students. By providing Hawai'i's youth with peaceful problem-solving tools, we hope to pave the way for future generations to be less litigious, more responsible, and better oriented toward resolving disputes, without violence or costly litigation.

"In October of 1997, a local newspaper and television station conducted a survey on making our community a better place to live. When asked the question, 'How much improvement do you think is needed in Hawai'i with respect to 13 different areas?' -- which included the economy, education, and the environment -- drug abuse ranked number one, and public safety ranked number four. Both issues are directly tied to the business of our courts.

"I am pleased to report that, thus far, the Drug Court's success has surpassed all initial expectations. Since its inception, Drug Court has processed approximately 210 individuals with more than 400 criminal cases among them. The average daily cost of Drug Court is \$14 per participant compared to \$79 for incarceration. To date, only 18 percent have failed the program, and forty participants have graduated, with only two having been charged with new criminal offenses.

"Without the Legislature's funding, many Drug Court participants would not have had the incentive, guidance, or support to kick their habits and become productive members of our community. On behalf of the Judiciary, and on behalf of those participants and their families, I thank you for your support.

"Because of Drug Court's success on O'ahu, we are now looking at expanding the program to Maui, where drug use is also a growing community problem. I hope that we can count on the legislature's continued support for this exciting, successful, and innovative program.

"I turn now to the issue of public safety. Judging by recent media reports regarding the serious problem of prison overcrowding and the possibility that prisoners may have to be released, I suspect that the fourth place ranking in the October 1997 survey -- if taken today -- would be higher. The issue of prison overcrowding is not new and is not one that will be easily solved, especially in these difficult economic times. And, therefore, yesterday, I was pleased to hear the Governor's proposal to build a new prison.

"The Judiciary, in attempting to assist in addressing this long-standing problem, continues to explore alternative sentencing procedures to the extent that we can do so within the bounds of the current law. As you may know, since October 1996, one of the Circuit Court trial divisions on Maui has offered defendants the option of 'sign holding' instead of incarceration. Essentially, defendants who select this option are required to hold a sign and wear a name tag along the roadside for four hours, four days per week. They must follow written terms and conditions set by the judge. The option is limited to offenders whose sentence includes probation. Offenders given prison sentences are not eligible.

"Public response has been very positive, and our statistics show a lower rate of recidivism among defendants willing to publicly acknowledge their wrongdoing. During the one year of the program's operation, we estimate the savings in prison costs to the State to be approximately \$372,000. It is a 'win-win' situation where the sentences have the desired punitive effect and help to reform the defendant, while avoiding the expense of incarceration.

"Respect for the judicial system and confidence in the procedures are also products of a secure courthouse environment. Certainly, we cannot expect the public to have confidence in the Judiciary -- if people do not feel safe in our courts.

"Experience has shown that no court is immune to violence by virtue of its size or its geographic location. Across the country, and here in Hawai'i, court security has moved to the top of the list of concerns. The Hawai'i State Judiciary has had more bomb threats on O'ahu in the last two years than we have had in the past ten years. Just this past year: a pipe bomb was brought into the Ewa District Court; a press photographer was assaulted on Maui's court premises; the Hilo District Court building was broken into and the safe stolen; and there were several fights on court premises that required deputy sheriffs to intervene. These bomb threats and acts of violence resulted in evacuations of court facilities and lengthy interruptions in the delivery of court services. More importantly, they endangered the public and public employees and threatened the public's confidence in our ability to protect them on court property.

"With your help, we have taken steps to address the security concerns. In the last two years, we have purchased X-ray machines, metal detectors, and hand-held scanners for a number of court buildings. Unfortunately, the Department of Public Safety has not had enough deputy sheriffs to operate all of this equipment. Consequently, the Judiciary has had to hire private security guards. This session, we are seeking appropriations for additional private security guard positions for our rural and neighbor island courts. We are also seeking appropriations for surveillance cameras to replace outdated equipment at the District Court.

"These measures, however, do not address all of our security needs. Effective court security requires specialized security staffing by deputy sheriffs. At present, we are far below the adequate sheriff staffing level. In short, the Judiciary needs additional deputy sheriff positions funded for the Sheriff's Division in the Department of Public Safety.

"Ladies and gentlemen, the Judiciary recognizes that it must do its part to address the ever-increasing budget shortfall. The State Auditor recently acknowledged our efforts in the past few years to increase the collections of fines and restitution. The Auditor also identified ways we can further improve our collections. We take the Auditor's recommendations seriously, and, although we have already begun to take additional steps, certain of our initiatives will require legislative action. With your support, we will continue to make progress and help add to the State's general revenues.

"As for our 1998-99 budget request, we are seeking an estimated \$91.6 million. Although our budget request is approximately one million dollars less than our current legislative appropriation, \$9.6 million is indeed a lot of money. But, I ask you to keep the Judiciary's budget in proper perspective by taking note of the fact that, since fiscal year 1990, the Judiciary's total share of the State pie has remained at less than 3 percent. Further, despite the fact that, over the past two years, the Judiciary's

workforce has been reduced by 7 percent, or 131 fewer Judiciary employees, we continue to seek ways to maximize the precious dollars you appropriate to us.

"Moreover, in full cooperation with the Governor's recent efforts, I have ordered a Judiciary hiring freeze and placed severe limits on out-of-state travel, overtime, and training. I have also directed Judiciary officials to study and consider recommending additional reforms, including a reduction in operating expenses, withdrawing certain of our budget requests, and more systemic changes, such as combining programs, job sharing, and a 10-hour work day/4-day work week. Again, the Judiciary is fully aware that it has the identical responsibility as the Legislative and Executive Branches to take affirmative steps to address our economic concerns. However, it is apparent that, unless you are able to help us in those critical areas I've mentioned, we will simply have too few resources to serve your constituents.

"It is equally apparent that the Judiciary's workforce needs sufficient space in order to operate efficiently. Space has become a critical issue for the Judiciary across the state. I want to reaffirm my commitment to the Family Court Center and the Juvenile Detention Center at Kapolei. We thank you for your support last session regarding this project, and we ask for your further support this session to include the Judiciary in the statutory provisions relating to financing agreements. By allowing the Judiciary, like the Executive Branch, to enter into creative financing arrangements for major construction projects, the State can preserve scarce capital improvements project monies.

"Ladies and gentlemen, the state of the Judiciary remains sound, but it is fragile. Although we judges must remain independent in our decision-making in order to adhere to our constitutional responsibilities and obligations, the Judiciary is wholly dependent upon you to strengthen its infrastructure in order to maintain the concept of three separate, independent, co-equal branches of government. Without your help, our form of government with its built in system of checks and balances will surely fail.

"I thank the leadership and members of the Nineteenth Legislature for giving me the opportunity and honor of addressing you today on behalf of all of the employees of the Judiciary. We look forward to working with you to help maintain a justice system for the people of Hawaii of which we all can be justifiably proud.

"Mahalo."

Speaker Souki then rose and stated:

"Governor Cayetano, President Mizuguchi, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, Chief Justice Moon, former Chief Justice Richardson, and members of the bench, staff, members of the House, and guests: In a short rebuttal to our Chief Justice, I want to thank you for addressing the Nineteenth Legislature and for your comprehensive remarks to this body.

"The Legislature is appreciative of your proactive community outreach program that you have initiated and which is providing a great service to the people of the State. Also, we have noted and we have seen in a time of growing caseload, you have succeeded in streamlining the branch of government. These efforts are very essential in times of revenue shortfalls.

"Also, on your guidance, Chief Justice Moon, the Judiciary branch remains a strong and independent branch of the state government, a co-equal body with the Executive and the Legislative. In that spirit, we ask that

the court and the bench, when you review any cases, that you consider the legislative intent and the constitutional intent of the respective cases that you're looking at.

"The Legislature has faith in your leadership and extends deep gratitude for all of your work.

"Thank you very much and Aloha.

"I declare the Joint Session to be adjourned."

At 10:57 o'clock a.m., Speaker Souki declared the Joint Session adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, January 28, 1998.

SIXTH DAY

Wedne. Jay, January 28, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:09 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Romy M. Cachola, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Garcia, Goodenow, Kanoho, Menor, Morihara, Say, and Thielen, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Fifth Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 136) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 136, transmitting copies of the Department of Agriculture's report entitled Progress of Eradication of Banana Bunchy Top Virus in Kona, Hawaii and Justification for Continued Funding for this Purpose in accordance with the provisions of Section 11, House Bill No. 350, H.D. 1 approved by the 1997 Legislature and signed into law as Act 328, 1997 Session.

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Morita introduced 7th and 8th grade students from Kapa'a Middle School on their 1998 Opera excursion and their teachers, Mr. Keith Amano, Ms. Debbie Lea Higuchi and Mrs. Patricia Hunter-Williams; and a parent, Ms. Laurel Brier.

Representative Stegmaier introduced, on behalf of the Kalihi legislators, members from the Samoan Service Providers Association: Executive Director Leusoga Bill Emmsley, and the President of the Board, Aipopo Aipopo.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2637 through 2732) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.
Nos.

Referred to:

2637 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2638 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2639 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2640 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2641 Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2642 Committee on Labor and Public Employment

2643 Committee on Labor and Public Employment

2644 Committee on Labor and Public Employment

2645 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

2646 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

2647 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

2648 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

2649 Committee on Labor and Public Employment

2650 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2651 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2652 Committee on Finance

2653 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2654 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

2655 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

2656 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2657 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2658 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2659 Jointly to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance

2660 Committee on Finance

2661 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2662 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

2663	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2690	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
2664	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2691	Committee on Culture and the Arts
2665	Committee on Judiciary	2692	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2666	Committee on Judiciary	2693	Committee on Education
2667	Committee on Judiciary	2694	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2668	Committee on Judiciary	2695	Committee on Higher Education
2669	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2696	Committee on Judiciary
2670	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2697	Committee on Judiciary
2671	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2698	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2672	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2699	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2673	Committee on Judiciary	2700	Committee on Judiciary
2674	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2701	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2675	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2702	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2676	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2703	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2677	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2704	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2678	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2705	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2679	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2706	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2680	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2707	Committee on Judiciary
2681	Committee on Finance	2708	Committee on Judiciary
2682	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2709	Committee on Judiciary
2683	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2710	Committee on Finance
2684	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2711	Committee on Finance
2685	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2712	Committee on Judiciary
2686	Committee on Finance	2713	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2687	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2714	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2688	Jointly to the Committee on Culture and the Arts and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2715	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2689	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	2716	Committee on Judiciary
		2717	Committee on Judiciary
		2718	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2719	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	16	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2720	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	17	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2721	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	18	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2722	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	19	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
2723	Committee on Finance	20	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2724	Committee on Judiciary		
2725	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance		
2726	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		
2727	Committee on Finance		
2728	Committee on Human Services and Housing		
2729	Committee on Human Services and Housing		
2730	Committee on Human Services and Housing		
2731	Committee on Human Services and Housing		
2732	Committee on Human Services and Housing		

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 7 through 20) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.C.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
7	Committee on Education
8	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
9	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
10	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
11	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
12	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
13	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
14	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
15	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following House Bill was re-referred by the Speaker:

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2471	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2733 through 3098) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Garcia, Kanoho, Morihara, Say, and Thielen were excused.)

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	
2733	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A CANOEING PROGRAM." Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow, Aiona, Jones and Yamane.
2734	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUSES." Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Yamane, Goodenow, Jones and Hiraki.
2735	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Yamane, Goodenow, Jones and Aiona.
2736	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET." Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Goodenow, Aiona, Chang, Jones and Yamane.
2737	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow and Jones.
2738	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow and Jones.
- 2739 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AUTOMOBILE TAX."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow, Jones and Yamane.
- 2740 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF CERTAIN MOTOR VEHICLE CITATIONS BY PRIVATE SECURITY GUARDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Goodenow, Jones and Yamane.
- 2741 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITALS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Yamane, Goodenow and Jones.
- 2742 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS SELLING INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 2743 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION FOR EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT UNDER THE STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW."
- Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2744 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2745 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2746 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPENSATION OF APPOINTED COUNSEL."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2747 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2748 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2749 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow, Aiona and Say.
- 2750 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kawakami.
- 2751 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A FILIPINO COMMUNITY CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Menor, Garcia, Herkes, Pendleton and Abinsay.
- 2752 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE TAX LAW."
- Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Moses, Kawanakoa, Fox, McDermott, Marumoto, Halford, Meyer, Ward and Whalen.
- 2753 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Chang, Hamakawa and Herkes.
- 2754 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2755 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAX."
- Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Goodenow.
- 2756 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
- Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Hiraki.
- 2757 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Goodenow.
- 2758 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2759 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA CELEBRATION COMMISSION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2760 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARY PERIODS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2761 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARY PAYMENTS TO NEW EMPLOYEES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2762 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POOLED INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2763 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PARKING REVOLVING FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2764 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2765 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2766 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION PROJECTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2767 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENT STANDARDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2768 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2769 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORK."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2770 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2771 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELIEF OF CERTAIN PERSONS' CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2772 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2773 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXECUTIVE MEETINGS OF STATE AND COUNTY BOARDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2774 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT (MODIFIED)."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2775 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2776 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2777 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGANIZED CRIME."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2778 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR LEGAL SERVICES FOR DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS INDIVIDUAL CLAIMS REVIEW."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2779 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2780 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2781 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPEAT OFFENDERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2782 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2783 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HABITUAL CRIMINAL BEHAVIOR."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2784 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATES OF MIND."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2785 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROBBERY IN THE FIRST DEGREE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2786 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2787 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE KALAELOA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CLEAN HAWAII CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ISSUE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUSINESS ACTION CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2792 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."

- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPEALS FROM THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2795 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2796 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2797 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2798 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2799 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2800 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGEMENT OF STATE FUNDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2801 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2802 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2803 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2804 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2805 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' HEALTH FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2806 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH BENEFITS FOR PART-TIME, TEMPORARY, AND SEASONAL OR CASUAL EMPLOYEES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2807 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BISHOP MUSEUM."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2808 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESCROW DEPOSITORIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2809 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2810 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2811 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEMON LAW DISCLOSURE COMPLIANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2812 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARE IDENTIFICATION BADGES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2813 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE CITATIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING LAWS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2814 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENIOR PSYCHOLOGISTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2815 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POWERS OF THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO ENFORCE CHAPTER 462A, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2816 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACIST LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2817 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2818 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIRS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2819 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIALTY ELECTRICIANS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2820 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATUROPATHY."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2821 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTIGATIVE SUBPOENAS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2822 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE LEASE DISCLOSURE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2823 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2824 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE PREMIUM TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2825 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2826 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROHIBITED MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2827 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2828 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2829 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2830 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2831 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII MEDICAL MALPRACTICE UNDERWRITING PLAN."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2832 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RATEMAKING PROCEDURES FOR REGULATED WATER CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2833 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ISSUANCE OF UTILITY VOTING STOCK."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2834 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2835 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REHIRING RETIRED TEACHERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2836 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL ATTENDANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2837 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL DISCIPLINE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2838 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION PLAN."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2839 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RECRUITMENT OF EMPLOYEES FOR STATE SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2840 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION PLAN FOR MANAGERIAL POSITIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARINGS OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2842 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION ASSESSMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUNSET CLAUSE FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2845 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTE SALES TO MINORS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2847 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2848 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMMUNIZATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE VOLUNTARY RESPONSE PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL ESTATES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2851 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRANDPARENTS' VISITATION RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2852 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEHEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSE MIDWIVES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2857 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHRONIC RENAL DISEASE PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2858 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2859 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ADULT MENTAL DIVISION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTOMATION OF HAWAIIAN GENEALOGICAL RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2861 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITAL BONDS FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICES FOR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2863 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONNEL FOR MENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT ON PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT ON PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMUSEMENT RIDES, INCLUDING BUNGEE JUMPING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION INSPECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN LEASING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2875 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL LAND AND DEVELOPMENT FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESOURCE VALUE LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

- 2879 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FOREST STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2880 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2881 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF SUBMERGED LANDS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORESTRY."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAWAINUI MARSH."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2884 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION OF THREATENED AND ENDANGERED SPECIES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION FEES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMPENSATION OF CRIMINAL INJURIES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2889 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2890 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2891 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORTS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2892 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FACILITY REVENUE BONDS FOR AIRPORTS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2893 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FACILITY REVENUE BONDS FOR AIRPORTS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2894 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2895 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIDING BICYCLES ON ROADWAYS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2896 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2897 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2898 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2899 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DONATIONS TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2900 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2901 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2902 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2903 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2904 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2905 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY."
Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2906 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2907 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE."

- Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2908 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Takai, Yoshinaga, Case, Hiraki, Menor and Saiki.
- 2909 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Okamura and Jones.
- 2910 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Okamura, by request.
- 2911 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Say.
- 2912 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Say.
- 2913 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED PROPERTY."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2914 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2915 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2916 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2917 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2918 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC TRUST LANDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2919 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2920 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING AFTER LICENSE SUSPENDED OR REVOKED."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2921 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2922 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2923 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL TRESPASS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2924 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DANGEROUS INSTRUMENTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2925 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2926 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2927 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARASSMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2928 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2929 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENAL RESPONSIBILITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2930 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2931 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2932 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2933 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2934 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DETRIMENTAL DRUGS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2935 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 2936 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2937 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2938 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2939 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH WARRANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2940 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST THE PERSON."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2941 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2942 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2943 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VICTIMS AND WITNESSES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2944 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WIRETAPPING AND ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2945 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2946 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROGRAM COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Yonamine.

2948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 7, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO REPEAL A PROVISION RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE PRIVILEGE (ConAm)."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2949 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS AND PROCEDURES."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIST OF PERSONS EXAMINING RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2951 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WHISTLEBLOWERS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2954 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2955 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING LICENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

2958 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

2959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEEDING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Arakaki.

2960 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING."

Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Chang, Hamakawa, Whalen and Yoshinaga.

2961 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Fox, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Meyer, Ahu Isa, Case, Whalen, Moses, Ward, Thielen, Halford and McDermott

2962 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KIKALA-KEOKEA SUBDIVISION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Herkes, Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Kawanakoa, Morihara, Nakasone, P. Oshiro, Souki, Suzuki, Whalen and Yonamine.

2963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAII COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Tarnas, Whalen, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Garcia, Goodenow, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Marumoto, Morihara, Nakasone, P. Oshiro, Suzuki and Yonamine.

2964 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOXING."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Ahu Isa, Jones, Say, Abinsay, Herkes, Tom, Ito, Suzuki, Tarnas, Garcia, Marumoto, Whalen, Yamane, Goodenow, Kanoho, Thielen, Cachola, Arakaki, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Kawakami, Morihara, Nakasone, P. Oshiro, Souki and Yonamine.

2965 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TARO."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho, Morita, Jones and Say.

2966 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Morita, Aiona, Kawanakoa, Case, Kahikina and Kanoho.

2967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SURFING."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, M. Oshiro, Okamura, Kahikina, Morita, Aiona and Kanoho.

2968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHYSICAL THERAPY PRACTICE."

Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.

2969 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives P. Oshiro and Yoshinaga.

2970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGAN DONORS."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2971 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.

2973 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL-BIRTH ABORTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Abinsay, McDermott, Pendleton, Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Meyer and Ward.

2974 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2975 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE JUSTICE."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2976 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representative Tom.

2977 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARNED INCOME TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kahikina, Goodenow, M. Oshiro, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Garcia, Lee, Santiago and Suzuki.

2978 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Marumoto, Pendleton, Tarnas, Meyer, M. Oshiro, Cachola, Santiago, Ahu Isa, Takai, Morihara, Kanoho, Case, Garcia, Kawakami and Ward.

2979 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CENTRAL AUDITORY PROCESSING DEFICITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Kahikina, Ahu Isa, Santiago, Ward, Abinsay, Cachola, Kawakami, Marumoto and Tarnas.

2980 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR KALIHI VALLEY STATE PARK."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola and Hamakawa.

2981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FOR CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Tarnas, Santiago, Cachola, Marumoto, Ahu Isa, Kawakami, Meyer, Kahikina, Thielen, Garcia, Pendleton, Kanoho, Morihara, Takai and M. Oshiro.

2982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WELFARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Marumoto, Pendleton, Tarnas, Thielen, Meyer, Kawakami, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Cachola, Morihara, Kawanakoa, Takai, Kanoho, Ward, Case and Garcia.

2983 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RELATING TO THE RIGHTS OF CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Cachola, Thielen, Pendleton, Kawanakoa, Tarnas, Kawakami, Santiago, Takai, Morihara, Garcia and Meyer.

2984 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kanoho, Tarnas, Kahikina, Marumoto, Takai, Thielen, Meyer, Cachola, Garcia and Pendleton.

2985 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION AND WATER UTILIZATION PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2986 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2987 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2988 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK CONTROL."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2989 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2990 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2991 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2992 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTARIES PUBLIC."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2993 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2994 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2995 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2996 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2997 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TOURISM MARKETING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2998 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII MARITIME AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

2999 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3000 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH BENEFITS FOR PART-TIME, TEMPORARY, AND SEASONAL OR CASUAL EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3001 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WITNESS AND DEFENDANT EXPENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3002 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENTS OF THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3003 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3004 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF FINANCING AGREEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3005 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3006 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3007 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3008 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO REPEAL CERTAIN PROVISIONS RELATING TO JUDICIAL COMPENSATION TO PERMIT JUDICIAL COMPENSATION TO BE ADMINISTERED IN CONFORMITY WITH OTHER EXEMPT SALARIED OFFICERS OF THE STATE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3009 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3010 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCURRENT JURISDICTION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3011 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLICATION OF NOTICES BY GOVERNMENT AGENCIES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3012 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3013 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT COMPUTER SYSTEMS WHICH ARE NOT YEAR 2000 COMPLIANT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3014 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3015 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND COURT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3016 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MISCONDUCT BY PUBLIC OFFICERS OR EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3017 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REORGANIZATION OF THE DEPARTMENTS OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES, BUDGET AND FINANCE, AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3018 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REORGANIZATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND OTHER EXECUTIVE BRANCHES OF STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3019 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3020 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT OF 1920, AS AMENDED."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3021 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3022 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH FACILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3023 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3024 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3025 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3026 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL CARE SERVICES PAYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3027 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID OVERPAYMENT RECOVERY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3028 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3029 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3030 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3031 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3032 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3033 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3034 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3035 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3036 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLLECTION OF TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3037 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3038 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS TO FACILITATE REGULATORY OVERSIGHT BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3039 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR DIVIDENDS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3040 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RELIEF FOR HEALTH CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3041 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAXATION OF NONRESIDENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3042 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3043 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIGARETTE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3044 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX SUBLEASE DEDUCTION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3045 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTION FOR AIRCRAFT SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3046 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE TAXATION OF USED MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3047 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUTONOMY OF PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3048 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS UNDER CHAPTER 89, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3049 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3050 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADOPTION OF THE COMPENSATION PLAN."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3051 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION PLAN FOR MANAGERIAL POSITIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3052 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARINGS OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3053 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3054 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERFORMANCE RATINGS OF EMPLOYEES IN THE CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3055 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3056 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE AND EXEMPTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3057 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3058 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFICE HOURS FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3059 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE POLICY CONCERNING THE UTILIZATION OF VOLUNTEER SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3060 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS REFERRED BY THE HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD TO PROVIDE THIRD PARTY ASSISTANCE IN RESOLVING PUBLIC SECTOR LABOR DISPUTES UNDER CHAPTER 89, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3061 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3062 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3063 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3064 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3065 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Say.

3066 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT, MARKETING, AND TRAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3067 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3068 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3069 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH FUND MEDICARE PART B."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3070 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3071 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3072 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE ANALYST."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

3073 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3074 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE LOTTERY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3075 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DRIVER'S EDUCATION FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3076 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3077 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3078 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3079 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3080 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3081 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3082 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3083 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3084 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Kahikina and Arakaki.

3085 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXES."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Kahikina and Arakaki.

3086 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT HEALTH CARE FOR THE MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki and Kahikina.

3087 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH AND RESCUE COSTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and Garcia.

3088 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago by request.

3089 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUTRITION PRACTICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and Menor.

3090 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEGREE-GRANTING INSTITUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Morita, Takumi, Tarnas, Santiago, Stegmaier and Yonamine.

3091 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Morita, Tarnas, Santiago, Takumi and Yonamine.

3092 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Morita, Santiago, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3093 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Ahu Isa, Halford, Kahikina, Kawananaoia, McDermott, Morita, Moses and Stegmaier.

3094 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM CONFERENCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Kawananaoia, Morita and Moses.

3095 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Morita, Ahu Isa, Halford, Kahikina, Kawananaoia, McDermott, Moses and Stegmaier.

3096 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Thielen, Kahikina, Marumoto, McDermott and Morita.

3097 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Fox, Pendleton, Moses, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Meyer, Stegmaier and Thielen.

3098 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Halford.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 21 through 29) were referred to printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEASE OF BOTH FAST AND SUBMERGED LANDS AT ALA WAI SMALL BOAT HARBOR FOR REDEVELOPMENT, MANAGEMENT, AND OPERATION BY QUALIFIED PRIVATE ENTITIES FOR MARINA AND YACHT CLUB PURPOSES," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR A RECREATIONAL MARINE FISHING LICENSE," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE SCHOOL-TO-WORK OPPORTUNITIES SYSTEM," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Takai, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Kawakami, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Meyer, Morihara, M. Oshiro and Santiago.

H.C.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE URGES THE U.S. CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, AND THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO SUPPORT THE HAWAII CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION'S EFFORT TO AMEND THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT TO INCREASE HAWAII'S FEDERAL MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PERCENTAGE (FMAP)," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION TO INCREASE DRIVER EDUCATION FEES FROM \$10 TO \$50 IN ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 26, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO REVIEW HAWAII REVISED STATUTORY PROVISIONS RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR UNIFORM STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION TO THE LEGISLATURE," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 27, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING BUSINESSES THAT SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO ADOPT A DESIGNATED DRIVER PROGRAM," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 28, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII

AND THE PROVINCE OF BALI, INDONESIA," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Goodenow, Herkes, Kahikina, Marumoto, McDermott, Morihara, Morita, Takai and Tarnas.

H.C.R. No. 29, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO PETITION THE UNITED STATES PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU AS THE PACIFIC HEADQUARTERS FOR THE RENEGOTIATION OF THE COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward, Moses, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Goodenow, Herkes, Kahikina, Kawakami, Marumoto, McDermott, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Takai and Tarnas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Ward: "On behalf of my daughter Johanna Mei Ping of Jing Tsu Province, others from the China lobby in Hawaii and America -- Kung Hee Fat Choy! Happy Lunar New Year which begins the Year of the Tiger. The year, Mr. Speaker, that portends good news, strength, progress, turning around the economy, Mr. Speaker. Happy New Year!"

Representative Moses: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I just want to remind everybody that tomorrow will be the presentation by the Kapolei High School Steering Committee and the Task Force. It will be in Room 016 at 12:30 p.m. and I urge all of you to attend."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:18 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, Thursday, January 29, 1998. (Representatives Garcia, Kanoho, Morihara, and Thielen were excused.)

SEVENTH DAY

Thursday, January 29, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Bishop Chikai Shibamura of the Jodo Mission of Hawaii, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Ahu Isa, Aiona, Herkes, Meyer and Saiki, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Sixth Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gov. Msg. No. 137, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on Intercollegiate Athletics' Exemption from the Procurement Code, prepared by the University of Hawai'i, pursuant to H.B. 1660, HD2, SD1, CD1 (Act 186, 1997) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

Sen. Com. No. 4, informing the House that the Senate has made the following changes to Senate conferees assignments for the Senate Bill listed below was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2

Senator Fernandes Salling discharged as a Co-Chair and is replaced by Senator Metcalf.

INTRODUCTION

Representative Moses introduced members of the Kapolei High School Task Force and Steering Committee, as follows: Ron Kobayashi, developer and a partner in the Makai Village Partnership; Ranelle Ho, Project Manager; Kathy Kawaguchi, Chief Operating Officer; Steve Wong, Bill Chang, Laurel Nahme, Peggy Kusano and Ann Shishido from the architectural firm of Mitsunaga and Associates; Wendell Staszko, Leeward District Superintendent, Carol Jean Ching, Facilities Planner, and Anthony Chun, Education Specialist (Leeward) from the Department of Education; David Gilbert, Waipahu High School; Patty Leahey, Campbell High School; Aaron Mersberg, Campbell High School; and Ryan Oshita, Waianae High School, teacher representatives in the steering group; Gordon Lum, Administrator Representative from Waipahu Community School; Roy Kimura, DAGS-Public Works; Chuck Erhom from the Estate of James Campbell; Senator Brian Kanno, representing the community; and Cirress Quevo and Kimberly Erice, students; and "I round out the group as a parent representative."

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2733 through 3098) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.

<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
2733	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2734	Committee on Judiciary
2735	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2736	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2737	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2738	Committee on Finance
2739	Committee on Finance
2740	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2741	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2742	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2743	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2744	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2745	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2746	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2747	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2748	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2749	Committee on Finance
2750	Committee on Finance
2751	Committee on Finance
2752	Committee on Finance
2753	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2754	Committee on Finance
2755	Committee on Finance
2756	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2757	Committee on Finance
2758	Committee on Finance

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| 2759 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance | 2789 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2760 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 2790 | Committee on Finance |
| 2761 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 2791 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2762 | Committee on Finance | 2792 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2763 | Committee on Finance | 2793 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2764 | Committee on Finance | 2794 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary |
| 2765 | Committee on Finance | 2795 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2766 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 2796 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2767 | Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary | 2797 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2768 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 2798 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2769 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 2799 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2770 | Committee on Agriculture | 2800 | Committee on Finance |
| 2771 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 2801 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2772 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 2802 | Committee on Finance |
| 2773 | Committee on Judiciary | 2803 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2774 | Committee on Judiciary | 2804 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2775 | Committee on Judiciary | 2805 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2776 | Committee on Judiciary | 2806 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2777 | Committee on Judiciary | 2807 | Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2778 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 2808 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2779 | Committee on Judiciary | 2809 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary |
| 2780 | Committee on Judiciary | 2810 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2781 | Committee on Judiciary | 2811 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2782 | Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance | 2812 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2783 | Committee on Judiciary | | |
| 2784 | Committee on Judiciary | | |
| 2785 | Committee on Judiciary | | |
| 2786 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | | |
| 2787 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance | | |
| 2788 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance | | |

2813	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2837	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2814	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2838	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2815	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2839	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2816	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2840	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2817	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2841	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2818	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2842	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2819	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2843	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2820	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2844	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2821	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2845	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2822	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2846	Committee on Judiciary
2823	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2847	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2824	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2848	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2825	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2849	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2826	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2850	Committee on Judiciary
2827	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2851	Committee on Judiciary
2828	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2852	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2829	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2853	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2830	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2854	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2831	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2855	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2832	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2856	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2833	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2857	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2834	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2858	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2835	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2859	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2836	Committee on Education	2860	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2861	Committee on Finance

2862	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2885	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2863	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2886	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2864	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2887	Committee on Judiciary
2865	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2888	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2866	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2889	Committee on Judiciary
2867	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2890	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2868	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2891	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2869	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2892	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2870	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2893	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2871	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	2894	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2872	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2895	Committee on Transportation
2873	Committee on Judiciary	2896	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2874	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2897	Committee on Transportation
2875	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2898	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2876	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2899	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2877	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2900	Committee on Higher Education
2878	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2901	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2879	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2902	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2880	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2903	Committee on Judiciary
2881	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources	2904	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2882	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2905	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2883	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2906	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2884	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2907	Committee on Judiciary
		2908	Committee on Judiciary
		2909	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
		2910	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2911	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2912	Committee on Finance	2945	Committee on Judiciary
2913	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2946	Committee on Judiciary
2914	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use	2947	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2915	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2948	Committee on Judiciary
2916	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use	2949	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
2917	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2950	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2918	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2951	Committee on Judiciary
2919	Committee on Judiciary	2952	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2920	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2953	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2921	Committee on Judiciary	2954	Committee on Finance
2922	Committee on Judiciary	2955	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2923	Committee on Judiciary	2956	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2924	Committee on Judiciary	2957	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2925	Committee on Judiciary	2958	Committee on Finance
2926	Committee on Judiciary	2959	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2927	Committee on Judiciary	2960	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2928	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2961	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2929	Committee on Judiciary	2962	Committee on Finance
2930	Committee on Judiciary	2963	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2931	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2964	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2932	Committee on Judiciary	2965	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2933	Committee on Judiciary	2966	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2934	Committee on Judiciary	2967	Committee on Judiciary
2935	Committee on Judiciary	2968	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2936	Committee on Judiciary	2969	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2937	Committee on Judiciary	2970	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2938	Committee on Judiciary		
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| 2971 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance | 2995 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2972 | Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance | 2996 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2973 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 2997 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2974 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 2998 | Jointly to the Committee on Transportation, to the Committee on Water and Land Use and to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2975 | Committee on Judiciary | 2999 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2976 | Committee on Judiciary | 3000 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2977 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3001 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2978 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3002 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2979 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3003 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2980 | Committee on Finance | 3004 | Committee on Finance |
| 2981 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance | 3005 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2982 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3006 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2983 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3007 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2984 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3008 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 2985 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3009 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2986 | Committee on Agriculture | 3010 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 2987 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3011 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2988 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3012 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2989 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3013 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 2990 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3014 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 2991 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3015 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2992 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3016 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 2993 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3017 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2994 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3018 | Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture, to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and to the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |

- 3019 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3020 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3021 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3022 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3023 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3024 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3025 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3026 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3027 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3028 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3029 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3030 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3031 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3032 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3033 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3034 Committee on Finance
- 3035 Committee on Finance
- 3036 Committee on Finance
- 3037 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3038 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3039 Committee on Finance
- 3040 Committee on Finance
- 3041 Committee on Finance
- 3042 Committee on Finance
- 3043 Committee on Finance
- 3044 Committee on Finance
- 3045 Committee on Finance
- 3046 Committee on Finance
- 3047 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3048 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3049 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3050 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3051 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3052 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3053 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3054 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3055 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3056 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3057 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3058 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3059 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3060 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3061 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 3062 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary
- 3063 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3064 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3065 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3066 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3067 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3068 Committee on Finance
- 3069 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3070 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3071 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3072 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

3073	Committee on Judiciary	3096	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3074	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3097	Committee on Judiciary
3075	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3098	Committee on Finance
DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS			
The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 21 through 29) were referred to committee by the Speaker:			
H.C.R.			
Nos. Referred to:			
		21	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
		22	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
		23	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
		24	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
		25	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
		26	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
		27	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		28	Committee on Finance
		29	Committee on Finance
COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS			
The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:			
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Nos. Re-referred to:			
		2341	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2341	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2347	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2431	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2528	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
		2697	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2701	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
3073	Committee on Judiciary		
3074	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		
3075	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary		
3076	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance		
3077	Committee on Judiciary		
3078	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3079	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3080	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3081	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3082	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3083	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3084	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance		
3085	Committee on Finance		
3086	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance		
3087	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		
3088	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
3089	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		
3090	Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary		
3091	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance		
3092	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance		
3093	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance		
3094	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance		
3095	Committee on Finance		

- 2702 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2703 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Representative M. Oshiro moved that all House Bills received in the Clerk's Office up to 6:00 o'clock p.m. this legislative day pass First Reading by title and be referred to Printing, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried. (Representatives Ahu Isa, Aiona, Arakaki, Herkes, Meyer and Saiki were excused.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Stegmaier: "This year, so far, the Small Business Caucus legislative package has garnered the support of 37 members of the House and Senate. We still have an opportunity to have more people consider the package and sign on, and we would like this year to have a majority of the members of the Legislature in support. Please contact my office if you would like that opportunity."

Representative Garcia: "Your Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, together with its Senate counterpart, will be having an informational briefing on the military and its importance to our community at 12:00 noon tomorrow at the Capitol Auditorium."

At 12:19 o'clock p.m., Representative Marumoto asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

Upon reconvening at 12:20 o'clock p.m., Representative Arakaki was permitted a late introduction and he introduced to the members of the House a group of students from Kalihi-Uka Elementary School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Ms. Nakanishi and Ms. Monico.

Representative Ward: "Because we are mostly the ethnic multicultural society in the world, it is only appropriate that this body acknowledge the thirty days of fasting and prayer of the Moslem community of Hawaii and wish them a 'Happy Ramadan and Salam Wali Kum'."

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess for the purpose of receiving House Bills.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

In accordance with the motion made earlier, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 3099 through 3625) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

H.B. Nos.

3099 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Tarnas.

3100 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPLOSIVES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Herkes, Tarnas, Chang and Takamine.

3101 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

3102 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

3103 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Aiona, Pendleton and Yamane.

3104 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Moses.

3105 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.

3106 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.

3107 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Kawanakoa.

3108 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Case and Saiki.

3109 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Pendleton, Santiago and Stegmaier.

3110 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TREATMENT OF TEENAGERS DEPENDENT ON DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Lee, Arakaki, Menor, Kahikina, Pendleton, Santiago and Stegmaier.

3111 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REVERSE WARNING SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Marumoto, Thielen, Aiona, Case, Halford, Hiraki, Meyer, Moses, Pendleton, Takai, Takumi and Ward.

3112 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM AND THE TAXATION OF TOURISM ACTIVITIES."

- Introduced by: Representatives Fox, White, Aiona, Ahu Isa and Cachola.
- 3113 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS."
Introduced by: Representative Fox, by request.
- 3114 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL."
Introduced by: Representative Fox.
- 3115 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Thielen, Meyer, Aiona, Halford, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Moses, Ward and Whalen.
- 3116 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Marumoto, Morita, Yonamine, Suzuki, Abinsay, Thielen, Pendleton, Stegmaier, Moses, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Fox, Garcia, Halford, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Saiki, Santiago and White.
- 3117 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Saiki, Hamakawa, Tarnas, Okamura and M. Oshiro.
- 3118 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION DISTRICTS."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Tarnas, Thielen, Moses, Abinsay, Aiona, Arakaki, Fox, Garcia, Halford, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kawakami, Lee, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takamine, Takumi and White.
- 3119 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 3120 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 3121 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTEERS."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 3122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 3123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL MIDWIVES."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 3124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Yonamine.
- 3125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Okamura.
- 3126 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 3127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 3128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 3129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ELEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Halford.
- 3130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION."
Introduced by: Representatives Souki by request, and P. Oshiro by request.
- 3131 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO RESERVE TO THE PEOPLE THE POWERS OF INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL OF ELECTED PUBLIC OFFICERS OF THE STATE."
Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro, by request.
- 3132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGE AND HOUR LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WHARFAGE FEES."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3134 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3135 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3136 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVERS."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3137 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE."
Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Abinsay, Chang, Hamakawa, Takamine and Whalen.
- 3138 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Takamine and Whalen.

3139 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3140 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3141 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Kanoho, Marumoto, Kawanakoa, Whalen, Yamane, Aiona, Tarnas, Ward, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Goodenow, Halford, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, McDermott, Morihara, Nakasone, Say, Souki, Suzuki and Yonamine.

3142 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TEACHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Ito, Hamakawa, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Herkes, Jones, Kahikina, Kawakami, Morihara, Takumi, Tarnas, Whalen, Yamane and Yonamine.

3143 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3144 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3145 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3146 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH GRANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3147 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPEALS FROM THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3148 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY WIRELESS TELEPHONE SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3149 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee by request, Hamakawa, Menor, Morita and Saiki.

3150 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Kawanakoa.

3151 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3152 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3153 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3154 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3155 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FROZEN FOOD PRODUCTS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3156 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

3157 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

3158 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

3159 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

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3160 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

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3161 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

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3162 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago.

3163 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Santiago, by request.

3164 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PEER EDUCATION PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Tarnas, Arakaki, Abinsay, Moses, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Case, Fox, Halford, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Lee, Marumoto, McDermott, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Pendleton, Saiki, Takumi, Whalen and Yonamine.

3165 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Meyer, Kahikina, Kanoho, Goodenow, Pendleton, Tarnas, Yoshinaga, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Cachola, Case, Fox, Kawakami, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Morihara, Suzuki, Thielen and Ward.
- 3166 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Ward, McDermott, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawanakoa, Morihara, Morita, Pendleton, Saiki, Takumi and Whalen.
- 3167 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Fox, Moses, Thielen, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Halford, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Lee, Marumoto, McDermott, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Takumi, Tarnas, Ward and Whalen.
- 3168 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Moses, Tarnas, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Case, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Lee, Marumoto, McDermott, Morita, Saiki and Takumi.
- 3169 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASE-TO-FEE CONVERSION."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3170 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MASSAGE SCHOOLS AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REORGANIZATION OF STATE GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Saiki and Santiago.
- 3175 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM HEALTH CARE DEDUCTIONS FROM TAXABLE INCOME."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, McDermott, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Lee, Saiki, Santiago, Stegmaier, Whalen and Yonamine.
- 3176 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATHLETIC CONTEST OFFICIALS."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Case, Aiona, Cachola, Saiki and Whalen.
- 3177 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EAST-WEST CENTER."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Tarnas, Ahu Isa, Halford, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Morita, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takumi and Yonamine.
- 3178 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Morita, Santiago, Takamine, Takumi and Tarnas.
- 3179 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Halford, Morita, Takai, Yamane, Cachola, Case, Herkes, Hiraki, Lee, Menor, Nakasone, Tom, White and Yoshinaga.
- 3180 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PARENT-COMMUNITY NETWORKING CENTER PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Morita, Halford, Souki and White.
- 3181 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR CONTROL ADJUDICATION BOARD."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Nakasone, Ahu Isa, Chang, Hamakawa, Ito, Kahikina and Suzuki.
- 3182 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3183 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3184 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3185 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3186 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 3187 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Okamura.
- 3188 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Takumi, Takai and Morihara.

- 3189 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 3190 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3191 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3192 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3193 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3194 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3195 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3196 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3197 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM PROBATE CODE."
Introduced by: Representative Tom.
- 3198 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.
- 3199 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATIZATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Cachola, Chang and Stegmaier.
- 3200 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki and Yonamine.
- 3201 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF PENSION INCOME."
Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Kanoho and Say.
- 3202 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR DETECTION OF ALIEN PEST SPECIES AT THE STATE'S PORTS OF ENTRY."
Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Moses, Ward, Fox, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Ito, Kahikina, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Pendleton, Saiki, Takumi, Tarnas and White.
- 3203 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representatives Souki by request, and P. Oshiro by request.
- 3204 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representative P. Oshiro.
- 3205 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCOUNTING."
Introduced by: Representative Ward, by request.
- 3206 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CLONING OF HUMAN BEINGS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ward, McDermott, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Herkes, Ito, Okamura and Whalen.
- 3207 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Yonamine, Ward, Hamakawa, Takai, Moses, Kanoho, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Goodenow, Halford, Kahikina, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Pendleton, Santiago, Takamine, Takumi and Tarnas.
- 3208 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO RESTORE FUNDING TO PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC PROGRAMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Ward, Hamakawa, Takai, Goodenow, Moses, Abinsay, Kanoho, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Garcia, Halford, Kahikina, Kawakami, McDermott, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Pendleton, Santiago, Takamine, Takumi and Tarnas.
- 3209 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FROM AN ELECTED BOARD TO AN APPOINTED BOARD."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Yamane, Takai, Goodenow, Kanoho, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Cachola, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Santiago, Takamine and Takumi.
- 3210 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Thielen, M. Oshiro, Pendleton, Abinsay, McDermott, Kanoho, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Fox, Goodenow, Morihara, Moses, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Ward and Yonamine.
- 3211 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Yamane, Takai, Goodenow, Kanoho, Ahu Isa, Takumi, Abinsay, Cachola, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Santiago and Takamine.

3212 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Thielen, Takai, Kanoho, Abinsay, Fox, Goodenow, Halford, Morihara, Moses, Takamine and Takumi.

3213 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Takai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Jones, Kanoho, McDermott, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Takamine and Yonamine.

3214 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Kanoho, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Hamakawa, Jones, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Takai, Takamine and Tarnas.

3215 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS-WITHIN-SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Kanoho, Takai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Halford, Hamakawa, Jones, McDermott, Morihara, Moses, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Takamine, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3216 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representative Okamura.

3217 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Okamura, Garcia and M. Oshiro.

3218 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, by request, Ito and Kanoho.

3219 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Goodenow, Kanoho, Ito, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Fox, Halford, Herkes, McDermott, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Whalen, White and Yonamine.

3220 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Ito, Kanoho, Goodenow, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Halford, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kahikina, McDermott, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas, Whalen, White and Yonamine.

3221 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

3222 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Abinsay, Ito, Lee, Morihara, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Suzuki and Takumi.

3223 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Abinsay, Hiraki, Lee, Morihara, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Stegmaier, Suzuki and Yamane.

3224 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Yamane, Abinsay, Cachola, Case, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Stegmaier and Suzuki.

3225 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKER'S COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Case, Hiraki, Nakasone, Takumi and Yamane.

3226 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT ACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Fox, Herkes, Kahikina and Ward.

3227 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAL CONSENT FOR ABORTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Pendleton, Whalen, Moses, Ward, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, McDermott and Stegmaier.

3228 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Kawanakoa, Marumoto and Ward.

3229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Pendleton, Moses, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Fox, Halford, Kahikina, Marumoto, McDermott, Stegmaier, Thielen, Ward, Whalen, White and Yoshinaga.

3230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Tarnas, Morita, Thielen, Goodenow, Hamakawa and Ward.

3231 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer by request, and Kawanakoa.

3232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR DETECTION OF ALIEN PEST SPECIES AT THE STATE'S PORTS OF ENTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING COUNTIES FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESPONSIBILITY AND FUNDING FOR THE REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF HIGHWAYS AND PARKS WITHIN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3240 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3241 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3242 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SAFETY AND SECURITY DISTRICT ASSESSMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3243 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PICKUP TRUCKS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3244 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3245 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE AND MOPED REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3246 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCESSIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3247 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHORT TERM INVESTMENT OF COUNTY MONIES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3248 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAPSED WARRANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3249 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION FEE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3250 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3251 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3252 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY RESPONSIBILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3253 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3254 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3255 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS IN WAIKIKI."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3256 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR REALIGNMENT OF FARRINGTON HIGHWAY AT MAKAHA BEACH PARK."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3257 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECKS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3258 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XI, SECTION 7, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, CONCERNING WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3259 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3260 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETIREMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3261 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENSION AND RETIREMENT SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3262 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3263 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE PRICE POSTING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3264 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3265 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

3266 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Moses.

3267 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

3268 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

3269 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Hiraki, Moses, Goodenow, Case, Abinsay, Arakaki, Takai, Fox, Halford, Ito, Lee, Morita, Saiki, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takumi, Tarnas, Thielen and White.

3270 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Case, Suzuki, Thielen, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Fox, Halford, Hamakawa, Ito, Lee, McDermott, Morita, Moses, Saiki, Takumi and Ward.

3271 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Takai, Chang, Goodenow, Morita, Lee, Arakaki, Abinsay, Thielen, Meyer, Moses, Takumi, Case, Fox, Halford, Ito, Suzuki and Ward.

3272 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGAL IMMIGRANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Yonamine, Santiago, Abinsay, Garcia, Kahikina, Lee, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Saiki and Takumi.

3273 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Ward, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Hamakawa, Lee, Marumoto, Saiki and Santiago.

3274 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Thielen, Meyer, M. Oshiro, Kanoho, Garcia, Case, Kawanakoa, Santiago, Tarnas, Takai, Cachola, Kahikina, Morihara, White and Marumoto.

3275 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Lee, Saiki and Yonamine.

3276 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Santiago, Goodenow, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Hamakawa, Jones, Kahikina, Lee and Saiki.

3277 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kanoho, Takai, Cachola, Garcia, Kahikina, Marumoto, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Tarnas and Thielen.

3278 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE IN CREDIT SALES."

Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Moses, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Arakaki, Case, Chang, Fox, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, McDermott, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Pendleton, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas, Whalen and White.

3279 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM THE CAPITAL GAINS TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Marumoto, Ward, Moses, Kawanakoa, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Cachola, Chang, Fox, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho, McDermott, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Santiago, Takai, Tarnas, Whalen and White.

3280 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Okamura.

3281 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Yoshinaga, Tom, Cachola, Menor and Say.

3282 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Morita, White, Takai, Halford and Whalen.

3283 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WATER CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Abinsay, Chang, Takai, White and Whalen.

3284 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR GORSE CONTROL."

Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Abinsay, Herkes and Morita.

3285 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Morita, Abinsay, Chang, White, Goodenow and Halford.

3286 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK."

Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Chang, Abinsay and Whalen.

3287 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.

3288 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS, CONDOMINIUMS, COOPERATIVE HOUSING CORPORATIONS, AND TIME SHARE PLANS."

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.

3289 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives White, Abinsay and Yamane.

3290 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFAIR AND DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representatives White, Abinsay and Yamane.

3291 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISH PONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives White, Kahikina, Abinsay and Yamane.

3292 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIQUOR TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives White and Abinsay.

3293 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING PLANS."

Introduced by: Representatives White, Abinsay and Yamane.

3294 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TOUR OF CHAMPIONS MOUNTAIN BIKE RACE."

Introduced by: Representative White.

3295 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative White.

3296 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATIONS BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS IN THE TWENTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Case.

3297 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Tarnas, Halford, McDermott, Morita, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi.

3298 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Tom, Tarnas, Cachola, Halford, Hiraki, Lee, McDermott, Menor, Morita, Santiago, Takumi and Yonamine.

3299 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Chang, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Saiki, Santiago and Takumi.

3300 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Halford, Morita, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3301 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Halford, Morita, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3302 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEGREE GRANTING INSTITUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Morita, Tarnas, Halford, McDermott, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takumi and Yonamine.

3303 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEGREE GRANTING INSTITUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Halford, McDermott, Morita, Santiago, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3304 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

3305 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A RISK ANALYSIS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Hiraki, Abinsay, Chang, Jones, Morita, Takumi and Yonamine.

3306 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL BANKING ZONES."

Introduced by: Representative Morihara.

3307 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito by request and Yonamine.

3308 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3309 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3310 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Moses, Takai, Yoshinaga, Cachola, Garcia, Goodenow, Halford, Hiraki, Jones, Kahikina, Menor, Morita, Nakasone, Santiago, Suzuki, Takumi, Tom and Yamane.
- 3311 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSAULT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Goodenow, Takai, Moses, Yoshinaga, Cachola, Garcia, Halford, Hiraki, Jones, Kahikina, Menor, Morita, Nakasone, Santiago, Suzuki, Takumi, Tom and Yamane.
- 3312 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, Halford, Jones, Kahikina, Menor, Morita, Nakasone, Santiago, Suzuki, Takumi and Yonamine.
- 3313 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE OFFICERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Goodenow, Moses, Yoshinaga, Cachola, Garcia, Halford, Jones, Kahikina, Menor, Morita, Nakasone, Santiago, Suzuki, Takai, Tom and Yamane.
- 3314 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 3315 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Morihara.
- 3316 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOFTWARE COMPANIES INCORPORATED IN HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Ahu Isa, Ito, Takai, Yoshinaga, Jones and Abinsay.
- 3317 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 3318 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONFOSSIL FUEL GENERATED ELECTRICITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 3319 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 3320 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Arakaki, Hamakawa, Morihara, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 3321 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 3322 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNING."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 3323 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Saiki.
- 3324 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES."
- Introduced by: Representative Jones.
- 3325 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD PROCESSING."
- Introduced by: Representative Jones.
- 3326 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."
- Introduced by: Representative Jones.
- 3327 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Chang, Yamane and Ito.
- 3328 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROCESSING FACILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones and Chang.
- 3329 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOTTLED WATER."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones and Chang.
- 3330 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Chang, Abinsay, Halford and Whalen.
- 3331 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 3332 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow and Yoshinaga.
- 3333 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.

3334 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIVERS OF SUBROGATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Fox, Goodenow, Meyer, Moses and Tarnas.

3335 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EDUCATION OF THE CHILDREN OF HAWAII IN HAWAIIAN STUDIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Halford, Goodenow, Case, Tarnas, Aiona, Moses, Takai, Arakaki, Cachola, Meyer, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Pendleton, Takumi and Thielen.

3336 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Thielen, Meyer, Pendleton, Case, Fox, Moses, Tarnas, Aiona, Arakaki, Cachola, Goodenow, Morihara and M. Oshiro.

3337 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Hamakawa, M. Oshiro, Takai, Arakaki, Moses, Morita, Aiona, Cachola, Case, Fox, Goodenow, Halford, Meyer, Morihara, Pendleton, Takumi, Tarnas, Thielen and Yonamine.

3338 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESOURCE TEACHER POSITIONS FOR THE HAWAIIAN STUDIES PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Arakaki, Morita, Takai, Tarnas, Case, Pendleton, Goodenow, Moses, Aiona, Cachola, Halford, Hamakawa, Meyer, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Takumi and Yonamine.

3339 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MORATORIUM ON GAMBLING LEGISLATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Tarnas, Morita, Saiki, Kahikina, Santiago, Halford, Marumoto, Takai, Moses, Ward, Thielen, Takumi, Meyer, Arakaki, Fox, Pendleton, Lee and McDermott.

3340 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

3341 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Abinsay, Marumoto, Morita and Moses.

3342 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB CREATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Marumoto, Moses and Abinsay.

3343 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Ward.

3344 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRE-KINDERGARTEN."

Introduced by: Representative Ward.

3345 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Ward, by request.

3346 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KOLOA SUGAR MILL."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho and Kawakami.

3347 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWELFTH, THIRTEENTH, AND FOURTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

3348 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Whalen.

3349 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUARIUM FISH COLLECTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Tarnas, Yamane, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Lee, Morihara, Morita and Santiago.

3350 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Hamakawa and Takamine.

3351 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF A MINOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Pendleton and Tom.

3352 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Tarnas, Chang, Halford, Herkes, Morita, Takai and Takamine.

3353 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Aiona, Cachola, Goodenow, Herkes, Menor, Pendleton and Tom.

3354 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MASSAGE THERAPY."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Yamane, Pendleton, Goodenow, Cachola and Tom.

3355 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Yamane, Aiona, Cachola, Goodenow, Pendleton and Tom.

3356 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."

- Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Yamane, Pendleton, Aiona, Cachola, Goodenow, Herkes, Lee, Saiki and Tom.
- 3357 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THIRD PARTY PAYORS OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Aiona, Goodenow, Herkes, Pendleton, Tom and Yoshinaga.
- 3358 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Hamakawa, Morihara and Takamine.
- 3359 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative White.
- 3360 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUMMARY POSSESSION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Halford and Lee.
- 3361 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Santiago.
- 3362 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Santiago.
- 3363 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OPTIMAL HEALTH OF AT-RISK PREGNANT WOMEN AND THEIR BABIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Lee.
- 3364 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Santiago.
- 3365 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3366 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAL NOTIFICATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Pendleton, Kahikina and Kanoho.
- 3367 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH TOURISM."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3368 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3369 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF CRIMINALS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, McDermott, Marumoto, Arakaki, Fox, Kahikina and Whalen.
- 3370 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Marumoto, Aiona, Arakaki, Fox, Halford, McDermott and Whalen.
- 3371 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Aiona, Arakaki, Fox, Kahikina and Whalen.
- 3372 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Okamura, Tarnas, Morita, Moses, Arakaki, Case, Fox, Morihara, M. Oshiro, Takai and Yonamine.
- 3373 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S PERFORMANCE STANDARDS REVIEW COMMISSION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Morita, Moses, Arakaki, Case, Fox, Morihara, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Takai, Tarnas and Yonamine.
- 3374 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABORTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Kawanakoa.
- 3375 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Fox, Pendleton, Marumoto, Aiona, Arakaki, Halford and Whalen.
- 3376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Whalen, Aiona, Arakaki, Fox and Tarnas.
- 3377 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEMARKETING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Pendleton, Marumoto, Aiona, Arakaki, Case, Fox, Garcia, Halford, Tarnas and Whalen.
- 3378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Tarnas, Aiona, Arakaki, Fox, Halford and Pendleton.
- 3379 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICINE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Tarnas, Pendleton, Aiona, Arakaki and Halford.
- 3380 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COERSION OF STATE EMPLOYEES."

- Introduced by: Representative Kawanakoa.
- 3381 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL DEPOSITORIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Whalen and Yamane.
- 3382 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSERVATION OF PLANTS AND ANIMALS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Kanoho, Garcia and Hamakawa.
- 3383 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION LICENSE PLATES."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3384 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3385 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALA WAI CANAL WATERSHED."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Kanoho, Garcia and Morihara.
- 3386 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3387 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREIGN CAPITAL DEPOSITORIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Herkes and Menor.
- 3388 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Herkes, Ito, Menor and Yamane.
- 3389 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3390 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEGREE GRANTING INSTITUTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3391 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Case.
- 3392 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Cachola, Case, Fox, Herkes, Pendleton, Saiki, Whalen and Yamane.
- 3393 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Cachola, Case, Fox, Herkes, Pendleton and Whalen.
- 3394 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARRIAGE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Ahu Isa, Halford, Kahikina, Moses, Saiki and Whalen.
- 3395 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A HOMELESS SHELTER."
- Introduced by: Representative Aiona by request.
- 3396 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
- Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Whalen, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Fox, Herkes and Yamane.
- 3397 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Yamane, Case, Pendleton and Whalen.
- 3398 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."
- Introduced by: Representative Aiona.
- 3399 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL LIABILITY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Marumoto, Whalen, Moses, Yamane, Fox and Herkes.
- 3400 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
- Introduced by: Representative Garcia.
- 3401 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Garcia.
- 3402 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Ito and Kawakami.
- 3403 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones, Ito and Kawakami.
- 3404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jones and Chang.
- 3405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Thielen, Hamakawa, Goodenow, Kanoho, Meyer and Morihara.
- 3406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Goodenow, Kanoho, Garcia and Hamakawa.

3407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PUBLIC-PRIVATE HAWAII STRATEGIC ENVIRONMENTAL INITIATIVE TASK FORCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Thielen, Goodenow, Garcia, Hamakawa, Kanoho, Meyer and Morihara.

3408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Goodenow, Kanoho, Garcia, Hamakawa and Morihara.

3409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Thielen, Goodenow, Kanoho, Garcia, Hamakawa and Morihara.

3410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Thielen, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Kanoho and Morihara.

3411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

3412 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Garcia, Goodenow and Kanoho.

3413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX INCENTIVES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

3414 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow, Kanoho, Garcia and Hamakawa.

3415 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION."

Introduced by: Representative Case.

3416 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Jones, Kawananakoa and Saiki.

3417 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Kanoho, Chang, Kawakami and Say.

3418 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILM PRODUCTION FUNDING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Takai.

3419 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3420 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3421 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3422 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi by request.

3423 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3424 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMUNITY-BASED INTEGRATED SOCIAL SERVICE PILOT PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Moses, Garcia, Lee and P. Oshiro.

3425 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

3426 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

3427 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RISK RETENTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Aiona.

3428 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

3429 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STATE PAYROLL PILOT PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Kanoho, Ito, Chang, Goodenow and Hamakawa.

3430 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Arakaki, Goodenow, Ito, Kanoho and M. Oshiro.

3431 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL WASTES RECYCLING."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Goodenow, Kanoho, Meyer and Hamakawa.

3432 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Tarnas, Kanoho, Garcia, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Meyer, Morihara and Thielen.

3433 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLATINUM JEWELRY."

Introduced by: Representatives Menor and Cachola.

3434 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Menor by request.

3435 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Menor by request.

3436 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURERS."

Introduced by: Representative Menor by request.

3437 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING THE HAWAII HURRICANE FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Menor by request.

3438 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Whalen, Hamakawa and Morihara.

3439 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3440 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3441 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTEER SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3442 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TESTING OF WATER QUALITY IN WATER CATCHMENT SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3443 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOANS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3444 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3445 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR THE KA'U CORRECTIONAL COMPLEX AND RELATED SUPPORTING FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

3446 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Okamura and Hamakawa.

3447 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Okamura, by request.

3448 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representative Okamura.

3449 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION DISTRICTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

3450 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

3451 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 12, AND ARTICLE X, SECTION 1, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO PRIVATE PRIMARY OR SECONDARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

3452 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

3453 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

3454 "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARRIVAL OF OKINAWANS TO HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Takumi, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Okamura, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Saiki, Takai, Arakaki, Morihara and Suzuki.

3455 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Tarnas, Chang, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Meyer, Morihara, Takamine and Whalen.

3456 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEST HAWAII REGIONAL OCEAN MANAGEMENT AREA."

Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.

3457 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEST HAWAII REGIONAL FISHERY MANAGEMENT AREA."

Introduced by: Representative Tarnas.

3458 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII AVIATION TRAINING CENTER AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Goodenow, Ito, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Halford, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Santiago, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas, Whalen, White and Yonamine.

3459 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Goodenow, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Halford, Ito, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Suzuki, Takai, Tarnas, Whalen, White and Yonamine.

3460 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Halford, Meyer, Morihara, Morita, Suzuki and Yonamine.

3461 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A REVOLVING LOAN PROGRAM FOR BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Halford, Morihara, Morita, Santiago, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi and Yonamine.

3462 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PARK LEASES."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, Halford, Morihara, Morita, Suzuki, Takai and Yonamine.

3463 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE HAWAII ISLAND VETERANS CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Cachola, McDermott, Morita, Santiago, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi and Yonamine.

3464 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Chang.

3465 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Meyer, Suzuki and Takai.

3466 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETENTION OF CASHED WARRANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho, Ahu Isa and Okamura.

3467 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES AND PERMITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Hamakawa, Santiago and Yonamine.

3468 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Hamakawa, Santiago and Yonamine.

3469 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADVISOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Hamakawa, Santiago and Yonamine.

3470 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATE INCOME TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Ward.

3471 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Ward.

3472 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PATIENT ACCESS TO MEDICAL RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Ward, by request.

3473 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Ward.

3474 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAL NOTIFICATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, McDermott, Ahu Isa and Meyer.

3475 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox and Tarnas.

3476 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."

Introduced by: Representative Fox.

3477 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Thielen, Herkes and Suzuki.

3478 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABORTION INFORMED CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer by request, McDermott, Abinsay and Kahikina.

3479 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGED CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Lee, Takai, Case, Hiraki, Saiki, Takumi and Tarnas.

3480 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Lee, Abinsay, Goodenow, Hiraki and Pendleton.

3481 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Lee, Goodenow, Hamakawa, Hiraki and Takumi.

3482 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUS SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Tarnas, Santiago, Marumoto, Takai, Arakaki, Hiraki, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Saiki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi.

3483 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KINDERGARTENS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Morihara, Moses, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takai, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3484 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE KAPAA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kawakami, Kanoho, Santiago, Lee, Arakaki, Morihara, Moses, Stegmaier, Takai, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3485 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TARO RESEARCH."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kawakami, Santiago, Okamura, Meyer, Kawanakoa, Saiki, Tarnas, Takamine, Abinsay, Chang, Goodenow, Kanoho, Arakaki, Herkes, Marumoto, Suzuki, Takai and Whalen.

3486 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRODUCT PROMOTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Jones and Abinsay.

3487 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Jones.

3488 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Jones.

3489 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Garcia, Halford, Herkes, Hiraki, Jones, Morita, Suzuki, White, Yamane and Yoshinaga.

3490 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH WARRANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Marumoto, Abinsay, Aiona, Case, Garcia, Kahikina, Kawanakoa and Meyer.

3491 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Arakaki.

3492 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3493 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SAFE HAVEN PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Santiago.

3494 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Santiago.

3495 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3496 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3497 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3498 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3499 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY CHILD CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3500 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ito, Takai, Abinsay, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Souki and Suzuki.

3501 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago, Lee, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Morita and Saiki.

3502 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Kahikina and Santiago.

3503 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.

3504 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RATE OF WAGES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3505 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3506 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

3507 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

3508 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS."

- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 3509 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSE TRANSFER."
- Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Hiraki.
- 3510 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."
- Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Lee, Ahu Isa, Tarnas, Hamakawa and Goodenow.
- 3511 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Case and Yamane.
- 3512 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Santiago.
- 3513 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Takamine and Tarnas.
- 3514 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORAL."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Takamine and Tarnas.
- 3515 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 3516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PLANNING, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE HAWAII AVIATION TRAINING CENTER, AND REFURBISHMENT OF HILO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Chang.
- 3517 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Chang.
- 3518 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Chang.
- 3519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Marumoto by request.
- 3520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Jones.
- 3521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH DISTRIBUTION CENTERS FOR HAWAII AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Jones.
- 3522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Suzuki.
- 3523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 3524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE PREMIUM TAXES."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A PURCHASE OF SERVICES FOR 'ANO'ANO ALOHA'S "NATIVE SEEDS: COMMUNITY MAPPING" PROJECT."
- Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE VISITOR INDUSTRY EDUCATION COUNCIL."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB REFERENCE LIABILITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGENCIES ATTACHED TO DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3532 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 3537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 3538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow, Marumoto, Chang, Thielen, Ito, Kanoho, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Fox, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Meyer, Morihara, Say, Suzuki, Tarnas, White and Yoshinaga.
- 3539 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Case, Ito, Jones, Kahikina, Kanoho and White.
- 3540 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYER REFERENCE LIMITED LIABILITY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow, Marumoto, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Case, Chang, Herkes, Meyer and White.
- 3541 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HANA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Santiago, Halford, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Morihara and Souki.
- 3542 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita and Lee.
- 3543 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3544 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL ASSAULTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3545 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3546 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL ASSAULTS AND RELATED OFFENSES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3547 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRAUDULENT USE OF CREDIT CARD."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3548 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3549 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3550 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURGLARY IN THE FIRST DEGREE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3551 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HOMICIDE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3552 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POSSESSION OF STOLEN ITEMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3553 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORFEITURE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3554 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY RIGHTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3555 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE FORFEITURES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3556 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HOMICIDE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3557 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEMARKETING FRAUD."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3558 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3559 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3560 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3561 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIOR CONVICTIONS; CRIMINAL RECORDS; NONCRIMINAL STANDARDS."

- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3562 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3563 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3564 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3565 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3566 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PICKUP TRUCKS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3567 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS AND DANGEROUS WEAPONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3568 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRAUDULENT USE OF CREDIT CARD."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3569 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME LABORATORY SERVICE ASSESSMENT FEE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3570 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED CONTROL OF PROPELLED VEHICLE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3571 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3572 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3573 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMBLING."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3574 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3575 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES AND PROCEDURE ON ARREST."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3576 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC PENALTIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3577 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMMUNITION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3578 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVER LICENSE INFORMATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3579 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3580 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRITERIA FOR EXTENDED TERMS OF IMPRISONMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3581 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3582 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3583 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFE STORAGE OF FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3584 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3585 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3586 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3587 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3588 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
- 3589 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOARD OF EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Thielen, Halford, Whalen, Fox, McDermott, Meyer and Ward.
- 3590 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Moses, Thielen, Whalen, Fox, Ward, McDermott and Meyer.

3591 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Aiona, Thielen, Halford, Whalen, Fox, McDermott, Meyer and Ward.

3592 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT AGAINST MINORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Thielen, Aiona, Moses, Whalen, Fox, McDermott, Meyer and Ward.

3593 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Thielen, Fox, Ward, Whalen, McDermott, Meyer and Moses.

3594 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Aiona, Moses, Halford, McDermott, Fox and Ward.

3595 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Whalen, Fox, Meyer, McDermott and Ward.

3596 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Ward, Aiona, Whalen, McDermott, Fox, Meyer and Moses.

3597 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Ward, Whalen, Fox, Aiona and Meyer.

3598 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Aiona, Moses, Thielen, Halford, Fox, McDermott, Meyer and Ward.

3599 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 3, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Moses, Thielen, Aiona, Whalen, Fox, Ward, McDermott and Meyer.

3600 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF CRIMINALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Whalen, Ward, Fox, McDermott, Meyer and Moses.

3601 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKER'S COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Whalen, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Marumoto, Thielen, Moses, Fox, Ward, McDermott and Meyer.

3602 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Thielen, Moses, Ward, Whalen, Fox, McDermott and Meyer.

3603 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Halford, Whalen, Fox, McDermott, Aiona and Meyer.

3604 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Aiona, Thielen, Halford, Whalen, Fox, Ward, McDermott and Meyer.

3605 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Aiona, Fox, Thielen, Whalen, Ward, McDermott and Meyer.

3606 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Thielen, Ward, Aiona, Whalen, Fox, McDermott and Meyer.

3607 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Ward, Aiona, Thielen, Whalen, Fox, McDermott, Meyer and Moses.

3608 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Moses, Thielen, Ward, Whalen, Fox, McDermott and Meyer.

3609 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Aiona, Thielen, Moses, Whalen, Fox, Ward, McDermott and Meyer.

3610 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEPARTMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Pendleton, Halford, Fox, Aiona, Thielen, Ward, Whalen, McDermott, Meyer and Moses.

3611 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawanakoa, Pendleton, Marumoto, Halford, Aiona, Moses, Thielen, Ward, Whalen, Fox, McDermott and Meyer.

3612 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Thielen, Pendleton, Marumoto, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Fox, Herkes, Hiraki, Kahikina, Menor, Morita, Moses, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Takai, Tarnas, Whalen, Yamane and Yonamine.

3613 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Case, Garcia, Hamakawa, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami, Morihara, Morita, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Say, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Tarnas and Yonamine.

3614 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Kanoho, Goodenow, Kahikina, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Ito, Jones, Morita, M. Oshiro, Takai and Yonamine.

3615 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Ahu Isa.

3616 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Chang, Jones and Whalen.

3617 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PILOT SATELLITE WAGERING PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Chang and Morita.

3618 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Chang, Halford and Jones.

3619 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMBLING."

Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa and Chang.

3620 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Ahu Isa.

3621 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

3622 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representatives Aiona, Thielen and Fox.

3623 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Suzuki.

3624 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Jones.

3625 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION."

Introduced by: Representative Jones.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, February 2, 1998.

EIGHTH DAY

Monday, February 2, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Jerry L. Chang, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Halford and Menor, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Seventh Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 138 through 140) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 138, transmitting copies of the 1997 Hawaii Coastal Zone Management Annual Report prepared by the Office of Planning, pursuant to Section 205A-3(10), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 139, transmitting copies of the Summary of Special, Revolving, and Trust Funds for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1997, prepared by the University of Hawaii, pursuant to HRS 304-8.

Gov. Msg. No. 140, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report of the Employment and Training Fund Program prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, pursuant to Section 383-128, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

INTRODUCTION

Representative Okamura introduced members of the Democratic Party: State Chair, Marilyn Bornhorst; Oahu County Chair, Dolly Strazar; and others.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 3099 through 3202) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.**Nos.****Referred to:**

3099 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

3100 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3101 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

3102 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

3103 Committee on Labor and Public Employment

3104 Committee on Finance

3105 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

3106 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

3107 Committee on Finance

3108 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

3109 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3110 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

3111 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

3112 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance

3113 Committee on Judiciary

3114 Committee on Agriculture

3115 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary

3116 Committee on Judiciary

3117 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3118 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

3119 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance

3120 Committee on Finance

3121 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3122 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

3123 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3124 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

3125 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

3126 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary

3127 Committee on Water and Land Use, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary

3128 Committee on Water and Land Use

3129 Committee on Finance

3130	Committee on Judiciary	3156	Committee on Culture and the Arts
3131	Committee on Judiciary	3157	Committee on Culture and the Arts
3132	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	3158	Committee on Health
3133	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	3159	Committee on Health
3134	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	3160	Committee on Health
3135	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3161	Committee on Health
3136	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3162	Committee on Health
3137	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3163	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
3138	Committee on Water and Land Use	3164	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3139	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3165	Committee on Education
3140	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3166	Committee on Education
3141	Committee on Finance	3167	Committee on Education
3142	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3168	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3143	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3169	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3144	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3170	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3145	Committee on Judiciary	3171	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3146	Committee on Finance	3172	Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3147	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3173	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3148	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3174	Committee on Finance
3149	Committee on Judiciary	3175	Committee on Finance
3150	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3176	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3151	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3177	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3152	Committee on Judiciary	3178	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3153	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	3179	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3154	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3180	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3155	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	3181	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary

- 3182 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3183 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3184 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3185 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3186 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3187 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3188 Committee on Finance
- 3189 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
- 3190 Committee on Judiciary
- 3191 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 3192 Committee on Judiciary
- 3193 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3194 Committee on Finance
- 3195 Committee on Judiciary
- 3196 Committee on Judiciary
- 3197 Committee on Judiciary
- 3198 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3199 Committee on Finance
- 3200 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3201 Committee on Finance
- 3202 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bill were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

- | <u>H.B. Nos.</u> | <u>Re-referred to:</u> |
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| 2431 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 2503 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2559 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |

- 2561 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2562 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2585 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2645 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2646 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2647 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2648 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2891 Committee on Judiciary
- 2892 Committee on Finance
- 2893 Committee on Finance
- 3075 Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2347 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2347, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2332, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2332, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2336, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2336, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 4-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2358, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2358, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER RESTRAINT SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 5-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2345, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2345, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 6-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2346, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2346, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 7-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2352, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Say, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2352, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Halford and Menor being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 30 and 31) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 30, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO SUBMIT A STATE OF HAWAII APPLICATION TO THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION TO AUTHORIZE FOREIGN AIR

CARRIERS TO CONDUCT CERTAIN EXPANDED CARGO TRANSFER ACTIVITIES AT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Cachola, Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Aiona, Fox, Ito, Jones, Meyer, Morita, Ward, Whalen and White.

H.C.R. No. 31, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO SUBMIT LEGISLATION TO IMPLEMENT ELECTRIC COMPETITION IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative M. Oshiro: "Mr. Speaker, just a reminder that for the Democratic Caucus, there will be a meeting with the Democratic Party leadership immediately following the session today in Room 325."

Representative Marumoto: "Mr. Speaker, we'd just like to make a little announcement. We noticed that yesterday was the birthday of our Finance Chairman, Representative Calvin Say, and we'd like to congratulate him on that. Also, a member of our House caucus is celebrating his birthday today, Representative Pendleton. He'll need a few more before he catches up to some of us. Thank you very much."

Representative Chang: "Mr. Speaker, we have another birthday boy in the House -- our own Representative Nathan Suzuki."

Representative Arakaki: "Mr. Speaker, not a birthday, but I guess with apologies to the members of the Democratic Party leadership, we have a Keiki Caucus meeting at 12:30 in Room 329 followed by a press conference."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:19 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, February 3, 1998. (Representatives Halford and Menor were excused.)

NINTH DAY

Tuesday, February 3, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Lead Reverend Frank Chong of the United Church of Christ, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Goodenow, Menor and Tom, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Eighth Day was deferred.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 3203 through 3625) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
3203	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3204	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3205	Committee on Finance
3206	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3207	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3208	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3209	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3210	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3211	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3212	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3213	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3214	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education
3215	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3216	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
3217	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3218	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3219	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3220	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3221	Committee on Finance
3222	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3223	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3224	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3225	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3226	Committee on Judiciary
3227	Committee on Judiciary
3228	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3229	Committee on Finance
3230	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
3231	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
3232	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
3233	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
3234	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
3235	Committee on Judiciary
3236	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3237	Committee on Finance
3238	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
3239	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3240	Committee on Finance
3241	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary

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| 3242 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance | 3269 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3243 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3270 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3244 | Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance | 3271 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3245 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3272 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3246 | Committee on Finance | 3273 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3247 | Committee on Finance | 3274 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3248 | Committee on Finance | 3275 | Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3249 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance | 3276 | Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3250 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance | 3277 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3251 | Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary | 3278 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3252 | Committee on Judiciary | 3279 | Committee on Finance |
| 3253 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3280 | Committee on Finance |
| 3254 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance | 3281 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3255 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water and Land Use | 3282 | Committee on Agriculture |
| 3256 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance | 3283 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3257 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3284 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3258 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3285 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3259 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance | 3286 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3260 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3287 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3261 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3288 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3262 | Committee on Judiciary | 3289 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3263 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3290 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3264 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3291 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources |
| 3265 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3292 | Committee on Finance |
| 3266 | Committee on Finance | 3293 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3267 | Committee on Finance | | |
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| 3295 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance | 3319 | Committee on Finance |
| 3296 | Committee on Finance | 3320 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3297 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3321 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3298 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3322 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3299 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3323 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3300 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3324 | Committee on Agriculture |
| 3301 | Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3325 | Committee on Agriculture |
| 3302 | Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary | 3326 | Committee on Agriculture |
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| 3306 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance | 3330 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3307 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3331 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3308 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance | 3332 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3309 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance | 3333 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3310 | Committee on Judiciary | 3334 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3311 | Committee on Judiciary | 3335 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3312 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3336 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3313 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3337 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3314 | Committee on Finance | 3338 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3315 | Committee on Finance | 3339 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
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| 3341 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3367 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3342 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3368 | Committee on Finance |
| 3343 | Committee on Finance | 3369 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3344 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3370 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3345 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3371 | Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3346 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3372 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3347 | Committee on Finance | 3373 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3348 | Committee on Finance | 3374 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3349 | Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3375 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3350 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary | 3376 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3351 | Committee on Judiciary | 3377 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3352 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use | 3378 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use |
| 3353 | Committee on Finance | 3379 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3354 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3380 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3355 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3381 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3356 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3382 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water and Land Use |
| 3357 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3383 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3358 | Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3384 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3359 | Committee on Finance | 3385 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3360 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary | 3386 | Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3361 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3387 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3362 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3388 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3363 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance | | |
| 3364 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance | | |
| 3365 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance | | |
| 3366 | Committee on Judiciary | | |

- 3389 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 3390 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3391 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3392 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3393 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3394 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3395 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3396 Committee on Finance
- 3397 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 3398 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3399 Committee on Judiciary
- 3400 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 3401 Committee on Finance
- 3402 Committee on Agriculture
- 3403 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3404 Committee on Finance
- 3405 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3406 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 3409 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3410 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3411 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3412 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3413 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3414 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3415 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3416 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3417 Committee on Finance
- 3418 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3419 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3420 Committee on Judiciary
- 3421 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3422 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3423 Committee on Finance
- 3424 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3425 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3426 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3427 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 3428 Committee on Judiciary
- 3429 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3430 Committee on Finance
- 3431 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3432 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3433 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 3434 Committee on Finance
- 3435 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 3436 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 3437 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

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| 3438 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3461 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3439 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance | 3462 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3440 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3463 | Committee on Finance |
| 3441 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3464 | Committee on Finance |
| 3442 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance | 3465 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3443 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance | 3466 | Committee on Finance |
| 3444 | Committee on Finance | 3467 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce |
| 3445 | Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance | 3468 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3446 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance | 3469 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3447 | Committee on Finance | 3470 | Committee on Finance |
| 3448 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3471 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3449 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance | 3472 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3450 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3473 | Committee on Finance |
| 3451 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3474 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3452 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3475 | Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3453 | Committee on Finance | 3476 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3454 | Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance | 3477 | Committee on Finance |
| 3455 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance | 3478 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 3456 | Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance | 3479 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3457 | Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance | 3480 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3458 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3481 | Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3459 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3482 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3460 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3483 | Committee on Education |
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| | | 3485 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance |
| | | 3486 | Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |
| | | 3487 | Committee on Agriculture |
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| 3490 | Committee on Judiciary | 3514 | Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3491 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3515 | Committee on Finance |
| 3492 | Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance | 3516 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3493 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance | 3517 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3494 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary | 3518 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3495 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3519 | Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3496 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3520 | Committee on Finance |
| 3497 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3521 | Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3498 | Committee on Finance | 3522 | Committee on Finance |
| 3499 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3523 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3500 | Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance | 3524 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3501 | Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3525 | Committee on Finance |
| 3502 | Committee on Finance | 3526 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3503 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance | 3527 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3504 | Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3528 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3505 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3529 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| 3506 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance | 3530 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3507 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance | 3531 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3508 | Committee on Finance | 3532 | Committee on Tourism |
| 3509 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce | 3533 | Committee on Tourism |
| 3510 | Committee on Finance | 3534 | Committee on Tourism |
| 3511 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection | 3535 | Committee on Tourism |
| 3512 | Committee on Finance | 3536 | Committee on Tourism |
| 3513 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance | 3537 | Committee on Finance |
| | | 3538 | Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance |
| | | 3539 | Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| | | 3540 | Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary |
| | | 3541 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |

3542	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3572	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3543	Committee on Judiciary	3573	Committee on Judiciary
3544	Committee on Judiciary	3574	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3545	Committee on Judiciary	3575	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3546	Committee on Judiciary	3576	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
3547	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3577	Committee on Judiciary
3548	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3578	Committee on Judiciary
3549	Committee on Finance	3579	Committee on Judiciary
3550	Committee on Judiciary	3580	Committee on Judiciary
3551	Committee on Judiciary	3581	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3552	Committee on Judiciary	3582	Committee on Judiciary
3553	Committee on Judiciary	3583	Committee on Judiciary
3554	Committee on Judiciary	3584	Committee on Judiciary
3555	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3585	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3556	Committee on Judiciary	3586	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3557	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3587	Committee on Judiciary
3558	Committee on Judiciary	3588	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3559	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3589	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3560	Committee on Judiciary	3590	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3561	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3591	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3562	Committee on Judiciary	3592	Committee on Judiciary
3563	Committee on Judiciary	3593	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3564	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3594	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
3565	Committee on Judiciary	3595	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3566	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3596	Committee on Finance
3567	Committee on Judiciary	3597	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3568	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	3598	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3569	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3599	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3570	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary		
3571	Committee on Judiciary		

- 3600 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 3601 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3602 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3603 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3604 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3605 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3606 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3607 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3608 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3609 Committee on Judiciary
- 3610 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3611 Committee on Finance
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- 3613 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3614 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3615 Committee on Finance
- 3616 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3617 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3618 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3619 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3620 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3621 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3622 Committee on Judiciary
- 3623 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3624 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

3625 Committee on Agriculture

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 30 and 31) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.C.R.

Nos. Referred to:

- 30 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Transportation
- 31 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.

Nos. Re-referred to:

- 3141 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3199 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 8-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2372, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Tarnas, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2372, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALIEN AQUATIC ORGANISMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hamakawa, Menor, Saiki and Tom being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 9-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2611 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Hiraki, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2611, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXTENSION OF THE MOLOKAI AIRPORT RUNWAY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hamakawa, Menor, Saiki and Tom being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 6 and 7) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AND ADOPTING POLICIES GOVERNING THE LEGISLATIVE BROADCAST PROGRAM FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES," was jointly offered by Representatives Ito, P. Oshiro and Kawananakoa.

H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, IN COOPERATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TO ESTABLISH A SUN PROTECTION POLICY FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CHILDREN AND TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF REQUIRING SCHOOL CHILDREN TO WEAR PROTECTIVE SUN SCREEN HEADGEAR," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen, Case, Lee and Moses.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative M. Oshiro: "There will be a luncheon and meeting of all Committee chairs with the House Leadership immediately after session."

At 12:15 o'clock p.m., Representative Santiago asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:17 o'clock p.m.

Representative Santiago then requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to hear House Bill 3541 with Thursday morning's agenda, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Herkes: "This is to advise the members that there will be an informational briefing tomorrow morning at 8:30 in Conference Room 325 to receive the report of the Small Business Task Force on Regulatory Reform that this House established two years ago, and with the cooperation of Chairman Say and Chairman Menor, we are using 325 to accommodate those members that would like to sit in on that briefing."

Representative Herkes then requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to hear House Bill 2490 tomorrow at 9:30 a.m., and the Chair "so ordered."

At 12:19 o'clock p.m., Representative Ward asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:20 o'clock p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 4, 1998.

TENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 4, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor James Shiroma from Mililani Baptist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hiraki, Menor, Meyer, Morita, Takamine, Takumi, Thielen and White, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Ninth Day was deferred.

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Ward introduced Mrs. Hui Chen Cheng, a teacher and professor at the University of Hawaii, a graduate of the Hawaii Entrepreneurialship Training and Development Institute, and also the founder of Mrs. Cheng's Tofu Factory.

Representative Chang introduced visitors from Taiwan from the Diplomat Development Corporation: Mr. Fan Chuan Sheng, Mr. Chan Chang, and Mr. Vincent Chen; and Mr. Steven Wang and Mr. Robert Kuo from the Universal Link Consultant Group.

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 12:31 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 6 and 7) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R.

Nos.

Referred to:

- 6 Committee on Legislative Management
- 7 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.

Nos.

Re-referred to:

- 974 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
- 975 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

- 976 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 977 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2553 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2627 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2641 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2645 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2646 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2647 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3154 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3172 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3275 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3276 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3364 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 10-98) recommending that H.B. No. 974, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Takai, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 974, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts with Representatives

Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Stegmaier, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 11-98) recommending that H.B. No. 975, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Takai, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 975, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Stegmaier, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 12-98) recommending that H.B. No. 976, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Takai, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 976, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Stegmaier, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13-98) recommending that H.B. No. 977, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Takai, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 977, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Stegmaier, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 14-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2690, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Takai, seconded by Representative Takumi and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2690, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative McDermott voting no, and Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 15-98) recommending that H.B. No. 611, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources.

On motion by Representative Tarnas, seconded by Representative Hamakawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 611, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCES," was recommitted to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources

with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

At 12:34 o'clock p.m., Representative M. Oshiro asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:35 o'clock p.m.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Takamine, Thielen and White were excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2352, HD 1:

Representative Say moved that H.B. No. 2352, HD 1, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Kawakami.

Representative Moses rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

"I urge the Speaker of this House to urge the Governor to review this bill in its current form. I know it's still going to the Senate, but to urge him and the AG's office to just be prepared for any changes that might arise at the last minute. And to start review of the bill now so that the staff can get paid on time."

Representative Kawanakoa then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

"I also rise in support of the measure, but we were just briefed this morning on some of the difficulties with this bill. I understand that this is something that comes up every year. We have a problem with getting paychecks out because of our fiscal year. It's off the constitutional fiscal year and so forth and so on, and this year our staff won't be paid until Monday. They were supposed to be paid last Friday, I guess January 30.

"This is a problem. It's a big problem. And I understand that part of the problem is that the Governor is having difficulty signing this bill in a more timely manner."

The Chair interrupted Representative Kawanakoa stating:

"Representative, I'm going ask you to speak to the merits or demerits of the bill that's before you and not on the logistical problems."

Representative Kawanakoa continued, stating:

"This bill is a meritorious bill. It does pay the salaries to people who truly need it. This delay is untenable. Our staff need to pay their rent, buy food for their children."

The Chair interrupted Representative Kawanakoa, stating:

"Alright Representataive, it's already been mentioned. Again, it has no relationship to the bill at all. To the merits or demerits of the bill, please."

Representative Kawanakoa continued, stating:

"Well then, I'll just simply close, Mr. Speaker. You know, I've offered my staff that if they're in a pinch that they can stop by, and I'd be willing to make a small personal loan. I think we all need to pitch in and help out our staff. If other staff members in the House need assistance, I'd be willing to help out in that manner also. I know I have my paycheck paid on time. I wish the Governor would act in a more expeditious manner."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.B. 2352, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Takamine, Thielen and White being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 2352 had passed Third Reading at 12:36 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 8) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION TO RELOCATE THE GIRLS' STATE SOCCER TOURNAMENT BACK TO OAHU," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Case, Garcia, Hiraki, Ito, Jones, Lee, Marumoto, McDermott, Meyer, Okamura, M. Oshiro, P. Oshiro, Santiago, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Jones rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing with decision making on H.B. No. 3202, and the Chair "so ordered."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:38 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, Thursday, February 5, 1998. (Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Morita, Takamine, Thielen and White were excused.)

ELEVENTH DAY

Thursday, February 5, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Tom Van Culin of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church - Waimanalo, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki, who were excused.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the House of Representatives of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Days were approved. (Representatives McDermott, Menor, Souki and Takumi were excused.)

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Pendleton introduced Raymond and Catherine Joseph, friends of his visiting from Florida.

Representative Yamane introduced Dr. Ken Moritsugu, Assistant Surgeon General; Ms. Lisa Cory, Executive Director of the Transplant Recipients International; Mrs. Yamane, his wife; and Mr. Chris Pablo.

Representative Herkes introduced Councilman John Santangelo from Ka'u.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2435	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2489	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2490	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2823	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, to the Committee on Judiciary, and to the Committee on Finance
3100	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3450	Committee on Judiciary
3516	Committee on Finance

3575 Committee on Judiciary

3585 Committee on Judiciary

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 16-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2489, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2489, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS," was recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 17-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2490, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2490, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS," was recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 18-98) recommending that H.B. No. 609, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 609, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 19-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2405, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2405, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 20-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2370 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2370, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 21-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2371 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2371, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MERCEDES CHAMPIONSHIPS GOLF TOURNAMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 22-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2549 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2549 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Marumoto.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"My reservations are that we have discussed the sports complex for a number of years. We've pretty much decided that it was going to be in Kapolei, and because of that a lot of development has been centered around it: north/south road, parkway, even the designated parking and the park and ride that is going to feed the city of Kapolei and the new State Office Building.

"My concern is that in the bill there is wording that say we should reconsider the Kapolei site or at least look at other sites. If we are to do that, it could jeopardize other plans that we already have in place for the city of Kapolei.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2549, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 23-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2455, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2455, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SONY OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 24-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2496, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2496, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Marumoto.

Representative Whalen rose to speak in support of the bill with some concerns, stating:

"I would like to express my concerns because the purpose of this bill was to basically have a start-up fund for these services for the indigent. What we've done basically is tax the public to provide a service that if we feel is necessary, we should fund this straight up instead of hiding it in the filing fees.

"I would like to note for you, Mr. Speaker, that everyone who testified for this bill were lawyers, and as a lawyer we should be providing these services pro bono if there is such an asset and we have such a burden to provide them instead of relying on the general public with their filing fees to fund it.

"And finally, just to note, one of the testifiers for the services just collected over \$80,000 from the state in legal fees. So it seems like it's a double dip, so to speak.

"Thank you very much."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2496, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICES FOR THE INDIGENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 25-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2531, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2531, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY ELECTIONS REQUIRING A RUNOFF," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 32) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 32, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII IMPLEMENT REGULATIONS TO ASSURE THAT APPRAISERS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY MEET CERTAIN QUALIFICATIONS AND CONFORM TO PROVISIONS OF UNIFORM STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONAL APPRAISAL PRACTICE," was offered by Representative McDermott.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Kahikina: "I wanted to announce that nationally, the Boys and Girls Club is celebrating Girls' Day today -- for all you women, especially our women caucus. Today, the Waianae Boys and Girls Club is implementing our three-on-three girls basketball, and I just wanted to let you know that every Thursday night is All Girls Night at my Club. And I just wanted to announce that today is National Girls' Day. Congratulations to all those girls."

Representative Suzuki: "I would like to announce that this coming Monday, we will be hosting the Moanalua High School Symphonic Orchestra, and immediately following we'll have a luncheon reception, so I want to make sure you mark your calendars and please join us."

Representative Yoshinaga then rose and asked that her comments be entered into the Journal.

At 12:20 o'clock p.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.

Representative Okamura: "I just wanted to inform the members that the Lt. Governor will be signing the legislative appropriations bill tomorrow, so all of the staff members will be paid by tomorrow afternoon."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:22 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 6, 1998. (Representatives McDermott, Menor and Souki were excused.)

TWELFTH DAY

Friday, February 6, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Chris Halford, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Chang, Ito, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Eleventh Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 141 through 150) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 141, transmitting copies of a report entitled: **Model Drug Law Conference: A Symposium on Crime in Hawaii**. The conference and report were produced by the Department of the Attorney General, pursuant to Act 145.

Gov. Msg. No. 142, transmitting copies of the Department of Agriculture's Annual Report for fiscal years 1995-1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 143, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report of the Hawaii Aquaculture Advisory Council prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources Aquaculture Development Program, pursuant to Section 189G-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 144, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2788, which makes a supplementary appropriation in fiscal year 1997-98 for manufacturing using recycled materials, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 145, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2790, which makes a supplementary appropriation and authorization for the increase in expenditure level in fiscal year 1998 for the Hawaii Community Development Authority, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 146, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2997, which makes a supplementary appropriation in fiscal year 1997-98 for tourism marketing, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 147, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 3032 for the fiscal year 1997-1998, which makes a supplementary appropriation for the Department of Public Safety.

Gov. Msg. No. 148, transmitting copies of the report to the 1998 Legislature on the First-to-Work Program in accordance with the provisions of Section 346-276, HRS, prepared by the Department of Human Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 149, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, In Compliance with Session Laws of

Hawaii 1995, Act 189, Requesting the Department of Health to Keep Waiting Lists of all Individuals with Developmental Disabilities, Mental Retardation or Both, Who are Eligible for Services and Supports but for Whom Services and Supports have not been provided for any Reason, and to Report Annually to the Legislature the Numbers of Persons Waiting for Services and Supports and the Reasons for the Lack of Services and Supports.

Gov. Msg. No. 150, submitting for consideration proposed changes to the original Executive Supplemental Budget for Fiscal Biennium 1998-99.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

Sen. Com. No. 5, returning H.B. No. 2352, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 6, 1998, was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introductions were made to the members of the House:

Representative Santiago introduced a group of nursing students from Hawaii Pacific University, Hawaii Loa Campus, with instructors Allison Williams Chung and Dale Allison.

Representative Morihara introduced students from the University of Hawaii International Student Services with their instructor, Satomi Kurazumi.

Representative White introduced students from the English as a Second Language Class from the Maui district with their leaders and teachers.

Representative Arakaki introduced his cousin, Osamo Arakaki, and his new wife, Yuki, visiting from Tokyo.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 8) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 32 and 33) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R.No. Referred to:

8 Committee on Education

H.C.R.Nos. Referred to:

32 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

33 Committee on Education

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

- 2834 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3213 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 26-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2533 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2533, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 27-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2767 pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2767, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENT STANDARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 28-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2714, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2714, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCOLLECTIBLE ACCOUNTS IN THE JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 29-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2786, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2786, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 30-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2430 pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2430, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 31-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2341, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2341, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAT BELTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2342, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2342, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative McDermott rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd just like to register a no vote for Standing Committee Report 32-98 on page 2."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2342, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 'BACK SEAT' SEAT BELTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative McDermott voting no, and Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 33-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2547, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2547, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 34-98) recommending that H.B. No. 688, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 688, HD 1,

entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 35-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2262, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2262, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 36-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2792 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2792, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 37-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2548 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2548 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Fox rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to register a no vote on Standing Committee Report No. 37-98, Kakaako High Tech Industrial Park.

"I'm a bit concerned because this vote has 39 signatures on it, and there was no testimony in favor of this bill in Committee. There was certain testimony about the intent of the bill being worthy, but if this is the right thing to do to promote high tech, it's being done in the wrong way in connection with this bill. And I have to vote no."

Representative Aiona then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd also like to register a no vote on the same measure," and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2548, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Aiona and Fox voting no, and Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 38-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2515, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2515, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A NANOTECHNOLOGY CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 39-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2435 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2435, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 40-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2395, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2395, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDEMNATION OF REAL PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 41-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3025, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3025, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 42-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3029, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3029, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 43-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2770 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2770, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 44-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2524, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2524, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTESTS FOR CAUSE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 33) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 33, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ELIMINATE SOCIAL PROMOTIONS AND TO PROMOTE STUDENTS FROM ONE GRADE TO THE NEXT BASED SOLELY ON ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE," was jointly offered by Representatives Stegmaier, Whalen, Kawanakoa, Arakaki, Goodenow, Halford, Hiraki, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Nakasone, Okamura, M. Oshiro, Santiago, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tarnas and Yonamine.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Moses: "I would just like to remind this body and yourself that today, as we celebrate the great presidents' month, is also the birth date of Ronald Wilson Reagan. He's 87 today, and among his other significant accomplishments, we have to credit him with the ending of the Cold War. Today, we no longer have people wondering how they're going to pay for a bomb shelter. So I think we should remember his birth and commend him for all those great things that he did. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

At 12:22 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.

Representative Marumoto: "Mr. Speaker, there will be a Republican Caucus at about 12:40 p.m. at the previously designated location."

Representative Tom: "Mr. Speaker, I'd like to make an announcement of a conference committee today -- House and Senate -- on Senate Bill 1285, Senate Draft 1,

House Draft 2, Relating to Publication of Notices by Government Agencies. It will be at 1:00 p.m. in Conference Room 016.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:24 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 6, 1998. (Representatives Chang, Souki, Stegmaier, Takamine and Takumi were excused.)

THIRTEENTH DAY

Monday, February 9, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Alan Urasaki of the Aiea Hongwanji Mission, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Saiki, who was excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Twelfth Day was deferred,

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 151 through 155) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 151, transmitting copies of the addendum to Chapter I, D. ICSD/Department Reports Summary, to the 1997 Report to the Legislature prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services, pursuant to Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii (SLH), 1997 Budget Appropriations Proviso, Section 212.

Gov. Msg. No. 152, transmitting copies of the Summary of Insurance Business for the Year 1996, Report of the Insurance Commissioner of Hawaii 1997, pursuant to Section 431:2-211, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 153, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, In Compliance with Session Laws of Hawaii, Act 221, Relating to the State Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund of the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 154, informing the House that on February 6, 1998, he signed the following bill into law:

House Bill No. 2352 as Act 1, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN."

Gov. Msg. No. 155, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, In Compliance with Session Laws of Hawaii 1997, Act 216, Relating to Fees Collected by the Department of Health.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2699	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2870	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

3009	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3049	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3224	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3240	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)

H.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING MOANALUA HIGH SCHOOL'S 165-MEMBER SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AND ITS CONDUCTOR ELDEN T. SETA," was offered by Representative Suzuki and was announced by the Clerk.

On motion by Representative Suzuki, seconded by Representative Abinsay and carried, H.R. No. 9 was adopted.

At this time, Representative Suzuki, in commending the Moanalua High School Symphonic Band for being invited to perform at Carnegie Hall in New York, introduced the following: Elden Seta, Orchestra Conductor; Benjamin Tsauro, Orchestra President; Beth Tamayose, Orchestra equipment; Jean Kiyabu, Vice Principal of Moanalua High School; Wally Nishiguchi, Booster Club President; Winnie Kwok, Sean Umamoto, David Heindl and Hannah Choi, members of the Symphonic Band.

At 12:20 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:35 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 45-98) recommending that H.B. No. 1358, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1358, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 46-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2230, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2230, HD 1,

entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII-HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 47-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2449, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2449, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY REHABILITATION PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2771 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2771, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELIEF OF CERTAIN PERSONS' CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 49-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2436, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2436, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII DRUG COURT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 50-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2865, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2865, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose in opposition to the bill, stating:

"I would just like my no vote to be recorded, Mr. Speaker," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ward then rose to speak in opposition to the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I ask the question: I know this is the year that same-sex marriage is going to go on the ballot, but why should the cost of marriage go up 60 percent. . .

The Chair interrupted: "Representative, are you speaking against the measure?"

Representative Ward answered:

"Yes, with the following question: I know that same-sex marriage is going to be on the ballot this November, but why should the cost of marriage go up 60 percent. . .

The Chair interrupted: "You're out of order in relation to the same-sex marriage."

Representative Ward continued:

"This bill, Mr. Speaker, causes the price of marriage to rise from \$25 for a license to \$40 for a license. Should I repeat the question? Why should it go up 60 percent when in effect to make a corporation is almost this amount of money? And also, we are on a biennium budget and if they wanted to raise this, it should have been last year, not as we did last year. We raised it and now they're coming back in for another raise consecutively. For those reasons, I vote no."

Representative Pendleton then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him and that his remarks be entered into the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton's remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker: I rise in opposition to Standing Committee Rep. No. 50-98, H.B. 2865, HD 1. This bill relates to Department of Health fees and in fact raises fees for various certificates and licenses. We raised some of these fees last year and now the Administration has returned to raise fees again.

"I am concerned that we are unnecessarily raising the cost of government services for our public. Note that Hawaiians are particularly hard hit by this bill, as government agencies require them to submit such certificates to demonstrate appropriate blood quantum amounts.

"Additionally, last year we were told that the fee was raised to cover the cost of the service. Are we now saying that the cost of the service has increased by a dollar since last year? I respectfully vote no.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative McDermott then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would just like to register a no vote on the same measure," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kawanakoa then rose in opposition to the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, seeing that this fee equates to a tax in my estimation, I will be voting no. I understand last year we had the same discussion with regard to raising the fees in this particular area, and once again we are back for another raise. When will it stop?

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Thielen then rose to register a no vote on the measure, stating:

"This bill will raise the fees for people that are of Hawaiian descent that are trying to establish their genealogy. It can be very burdensome when you start adding up the amounts that they will now have to pay.

"Mr. Speaker, the bill is opposed by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and other Hawaiian organizations, and I think their opposition has significant merit. I would ask members to look at this again before it moves further.

"Thank you."

Representative Herkes then rose and stated:

"Just to be consistent, I wish to vote no on that same measure. As a relative newlywed, I don't think you ought to pay that much money to get a marriage license, and they do a lousy job of administering those licenses anyway.

"Thank you."

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

"For those Representatives that weren't there at the hearing, it was mentioned that the going actual fee schedule should be somewhere up around sixty dollars which is the average for the rest of the nation. We are looking at forty dollars. It's a user fee; it's not a tax against everybody. It's a user fee.

"And for those people that want to have a credit, that's their call. As far as the service, maybe it will offset some of the divorce costs later on.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Kawanakoa responded:

"Mr. Speaker, I was present on the Judiciary Committee last year, and I do understand the concerns that are before this honorable body. And as far as I'm concerned, again I reiterate: this is a tax.

"So other jurisdictions have higher user fees. The problem with our State is that we're one of the highest taxed states in the nation. We have other user fees. We have high corporate tax fees. We have all sorts of fees. It is inappropriate for us, at this time, to keep pointing to other jurisdictions. Let's measure apples with apples, oranges with oranges, if we're going to do that as opposed to pointing to find a place where we don't happen to have nearly as high a fee or tax and say, let's raise that one. . .

At this point, the Chair interrupted: "Please stick to the merits or demerits of the marriage fees."

Representative Kawanakoa responded:

"Well, the merits are that we don't need an increase in fee in this area for one of the reasons that was given with regard to equating it with other jurisdictions. I believe there was argument on the floor justifying this increase because it is relatively low compared to other jurisdictions. If we're going to make these comparisons, I'm asking that we take it in whole and look at the entire system. And it is hard for me to argue or to defend an argument that says that our constituencies are overtaxed or overfed. To call a tax a fee is, I think, inappropriate.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2865, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes, Kawanakoa, McDermott,

Moses, Pendleton, Thielen and Ward voting no, and Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 51-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3009, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3009, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Case rose to speak in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

"I voted in favor of this bill without reservations in committee last week because I do strongly believe that the judges should get a raise immediately, although I did express some reservations on one particular aspect of the issue. But over the weekend I had reservations about not voting with reservations, which I would like to address now briefly.

"My particular concern is with the fact that this bill does not include the Governor's proposed language on eliminating the ten years and out regardless of age portion of the judges' benefits. This, of course, has been a continuing source of disagreement for those state employees, including legislators, legislative staff and judges, that have this benefit, and I think we should continue to evaluate doing away with it across the board.

"But in the specific situation of judges, I think there is a particular reason for doing it, and that is the fact that the entire problem we are trying to address with this raise is what the Judiciary says is a real crisis in retaining qualified judges -- experienced judges -- on the bench. The Judiciary is trying to promote careerism, but it seems to me inconsistent for us to promote careerism by increasing the salaries while providing a disincentive against careerism by allowing judges to retire after just ten years of service. This problem is further aggravated when you realize that the average age of entry for judges onto the bench is declining.

"I think there is an additional practical reason for making this change, and that is that the Governor vetoed the pay raise bill last year for precisely this reason. It seems to me that we should simply take account of that fact right now and correct that portion of the bill so that we can ensure that the judges do in fact get their raise rather than going through the prospect of another veto for our failure to address it at this time.

"So I would simply like to raise those concerns as this bill moves along in the legislative process.

"Thank you."

Representative Thielen then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

"I did vote 'with reservations' in the Committee, Mr. Speaker, and I continue to have the same reservations about this judicial salaries bill.

"My concern is a little bit different from Representative Case's. I don't like the idea that the Legislature sits in judgment over the judges' salaries. I think that that really

infringes upon the separation of powers. I believe that we have a process established -- the Judicial Selection Commission. That Commission can make the determination and then the salaries could be tied to a cost-of-living index to see whether or not they should be increased in the future.

"I find it very uncomfortable when the Chief Justice comes before us as a legislative body to ask us for a salary increase. I think that is demeaning to the Chief Justice and to the Judiciary as a whole. And I think we ought to get out of this process.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"I stand with the reservations of my two colleagues, and for one of the reasons to vote no on that is I voted 'no' last year, and I will do so again this year. And I would ask my colleagues to acknowledge that fifty minutes lobbying that we had that was called the state of the Judiciary, because it primarily focused on what my colleague just said: give us the raise. I don't think that was the purpose of the state of the Judiciary. It was to tell us where we are, where we've gone, and where we're going, and I would hope in the future that would be so indicated.

"Thank you."

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

"I would like to register a 'no' vote. With regard to increasing their salaries, the way these guys have been voting, I would like to ask for a refund.

"Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, first of all, the night is still young: the session just started, there is a lot of discussion yet. But I will tell you this: We, as a Legislature, passed a bill last year. We passed it straight up. We gave the 73 individuals who do constitute a coequal branch of government as we do, a pay raise. That is what we did last year -- no reservations. And you know what happened after that.

"I made the decision here not to include the retirement at this time because I felt that we had to live up to our obligation again and do what we had to do. Decisions have to be made. The average age anyway of these judges is age 63. If there is any kind of innuendo that these guys are all leaving the bench when they are not supposed to and that we should penalize them, I think that's wrong.

"The other thing, too, I would like to point out. We're treated like judges, and there is a reason for that. Being judges is not an easy task. I may not like all of their decisions but I may know something just because they are small in number. They have a tremendous responsibility of making big decisions interpreting the laws of this great State, and I think they ought to be given that deference.

"Again, as I said, the average age is 63, and like legislators, a lot of these judges who come into the bench are young. They are not 50 year olds -- a lot of these guys are in their 30s. And I'll tell you this: they have lives too. They don't have a pay raise and they are stuck to wait to 55 to get any retirement, and they're young. That kind of hampers them, like it hampers many of us as

young legislators who want to do a good thing for our community.

"I think we're going too far in trying to mix oranges and apples. Let's look at the apples at this point. The apple is what we did last year -- we gave them a pay raise. We stick to that because that is the right and fair thing to do.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"While I have a great deal of admiration for the Chair of Judiciary, I think as he said it in some of his later remarks, many of the judges are coming in quite young today. The Representative from Manoa made the point that this is a consideration. I don't think anybody would expect people to retire after ten years.

"I think there is no good purpose served if we pass a bill the same way we did last year. The Governor vetoed it; he made it very clear as to why he vetoed it. If we are in favor of the judges getting raises, which I think they do deserve, then we should place our minds to what the Governor's feelings are and we should amend the bill to take those things into consideration so that the bill will have an opportunity to pass.

"Thank you."

Representative Ahu Isa rose and asked for a conflict ruling, saying that her brother is a Circuit Court judge, and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

Representative Ahu Isa then rose in support of the bill and asked that the words of Representative Tom be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3009, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives McDermott, Meyer and Ward voting no, and Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 52-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2626 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2626, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 53-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2699 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2699, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 54-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2705 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2705, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OSTEOPOROSIS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 55-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2718 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2718, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 56-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3541 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3541, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HANA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 57-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2523 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2523, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL COUNTY REGISTER," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 58-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2530 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2530, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 59-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2708 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2708, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 60-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2779 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2779, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 61-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2522, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2522, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 62-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2707, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2707, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Tom and Garcia, for the Committees on Judiciary and Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 63-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2381, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2381, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Say and Tom, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1) recommending that S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, as amended in CD 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 and S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLICATION OF NOTICES BY GOVERNMENT AGENCIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga were excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2531, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2531, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY ELECTIONS REQUIRING A RUNOFF," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

H.B. No. 2770:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2770, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

H.B. No. 2524, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2524, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTESTS FOR CAUSE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. Nos. 2531, 2770 and 2524 had passed Third Reading at 12:55 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Arakaki: "We have Valentine's Day coming up very soon and for all of us who are concerned and care very much about our office staff, we have an opportunity to give them a personal visit and consultation offered by the Occupational Therapy Association of Hawaii. They're offering these twenty minute workshops, and they'll come to the offices and look at things like providing a more comfortable work station, controlling risk factors for carpal tunnel syndrome, and doing exercises. And even if you don't care too much about your office staff, at least you might want to care about some workers' comp issues. The deadline for sign-up is

on February 11, and the workshops are going to be on the 17th and 19th, and they can call my office to set up an appointment."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:56 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, February 10, 1998. (Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Yonamine and Yoshinaga were excused.)

FOURTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 10, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Robert N. Herkes, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Herkes, Kahikina, Menor, Morihara and M. Oshiro, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirteenth Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gov. Msg. No. 156, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, In Compliance with Session Laws of Hawaii 1997, House Bill 120, Relating to Program of All Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE), was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

INTRODUCTION

Representative Abinsay introduced, on behalf of himself and the other Kalihi legislators -- Representatives Cachola and Arakaki -- a group of fifth grade students from Likelike Elementary School with their teachers, Mr. Harvey Nakano and Mrs. Linda Hall; aides, Mrs. Margaret Magoon and Ms. Doreen Vargas; and a parent, Juanita Pan.

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 12:51 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2565	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2974	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3238	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
3487	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
3625	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

At 12:51 o'clock p.m., Representative Okamura asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:52 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 64-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2433 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2433, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawananao, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 65-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2692 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2692, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITIONAL SCHOOL CLERICAL POSITIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawananao, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 66-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2442, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2442, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TEEN COURT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawananao, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 67-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2565, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2565, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL OFFICERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawananao, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 68-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2974, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2974, 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 Labor and Public Employment, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 69-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2357, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2357, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDEMNIFICATION OF COUNTY AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 70-98) recommending that H.B. No. 718, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 718, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LIVESTOCK WASTE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 71-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2006, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2006, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO OBTAIN A FEDERAL MARKETING ORDER TO PROTECT AND PROMOTE MAUI ONIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 72-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3202, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3202, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR DETECTION OF ALIEN PEST SPECIES AT THE STATE'S PORTS OF ENTRY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola,

Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 73-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3021 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3021, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 74-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3110 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3110, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TREATMENT OF TEENAGERS DEPENDENT ON DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 75-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2498, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2498, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 76-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2973, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2973, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Garcia.

Representative Ward rose in support of the bill, stating:

"My colleague doesn't know if my microphone is on. Are your ears open?"

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this bill, but as much and even more, I rise in support of my colleagues. This is a very important bill. It's not the volatile bill that I think it may be made out to be. And I want to assure my colleagues that a vote for this bill now in the Judiciary is okay. It's not a pro-life or pro-choice bill. It's about what's the human thing to do. We should know that we're not alone in voting for this bill. A full 85% of the

American population has said: let's not do a second trimester abortion of which this bill says is the case. And then a full 93% of the population says: let's not have a third trimester abortion. That's the American people, these are our constituents in Hawaii.

"Additionally, Mr. Speaker, the American Medical Association, the U.S. Congress, and the U.S. Senate have all voted to pass a bill such as this. Mr. Speaker, the bottom line is: it's okay to vote for this bill. The American people want it. It's one that we can move now and complete.

"Thank you, very much."

Representative Case then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses then rose in support of the bill, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On the same bill, I just want to indicate that the Department of Health, in its testimony, indicated that these procedures are never done. This is infanticide. This is not abortion. They said these procedures are not done in this State. So, therefore, I would ask the question: Why should we not vote for a ban?

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Saiki then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tarnas then rose in opposition to the bill, stating:

"Thank you. I just really would like to emphasize that the way this bill is written is far too broad, and I think erodes the ability of the woman to decide whether or not to have an abortion. So I must speak against it."

Representative Lee rose to cast her "no" vote and requested that her remarks be entered into the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee's remarks are as follows:

"I would like to enter the words of the testimony of the Department of Health as my own:

'This third-trimester procedure is currently not in use in Hawaii, and prohibition of its use would be covered under existing legislation which states the extreme limit for pregnancy termination to be twenty-five weeks.

'Furthermore, the decision to use this procedure would be a medical one. This procedure is meant to be used in cases in which prospective parents learn very late that the fetus has gross abnormalities, and in which no other method of termination is safe for the woman.

'There is no reason to criminalize this procedure, and to place additional restrictions on abortion at this time, as the medical community is extremely consistent in its adherence to the law. Passage of this legislation would undoubtedly create confusion regarding the legality of abortion per se, and thus interfere with a woman's legal right to terminate a pregnancy in a timely manner.'

Representative Morita then rose in support of the bill with "serious" reservations, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Takumi then rose in support of the bill with "serious" reservations, stating:

"I'd just like to comment that it seems to me that whatever each of us might think about this procedure, the approach that we're taking to put physicians in prison, I have some grave concerns about it. I'll reserve my final vote should it come to the floor for Third Reading. Thank you."

Representative Thielen then rose in support of the bill, but with "serious" reservations, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto then rose in support of the bill with reservations and requested that her remarks be inserted into the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto's remarks are as follows:

"I am voting for a ban on partial birth abortion (PBA), but wish to express some reservations regarding the measure. Descriptions of the PBA procedure are indeed horrible, and many of us hope for the day when abortion is no longer necessary, and that education and technology will enable every child that is conceived to be a wanted child.

"But the language of the bill is 'vague and confusing' according to the Board of Medical Examiners. The Department of Health said the bill would 'create confusion'. There must be some changes before it is passed into law.

"The Hawaii Medical Association said the phrase partial birth abortion generally describes 'dilation and extraction' and concludes that 'both the American Medical Association and the American College of Obstetricians have reviewed scientific literature and have been unable to identify circumstances when intact dilation and extraction would be the only appropriate option to save the life or the health of a woman...' And further, '...it may not be the most appropriate procedure in a specific circumstance to save the life of the mother.' They conclude that only a doctor and the patient should make this decision -- not a legislative body.

"The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, District VIII states that the 'language describing these procedures are so vague and do not delineate a specific procedure recognized in the medical in the medical literature...' and '...descriptions of these procedures included elements of many recognized abortion and operative obstetric techniques.... The intervention of legislative bodies into medical decision making is inappropriate, ill-advised and dangerous.'

"Despite remarks by others, this proposal is not a late term abortion ban, but covers the entire pregnancy period. It amends the present law under Roe v. Wade.

"Lastly, I am also concerned with the heavy penalties for performing PBA's. Jail terms and fines are harsh. It would suffice to have doctors' licenses removed by the medical board if found that the procedure was unnecessary.

"Because the Commission on the Status of Women said that abortion should be a 'private issue', the Hawaii Women Lawyers said that abortion is 'a personal and private decision', and the Family Planning Centers see this proposal as 'unconstitutional', we should move cautiously. And because of the testimony from other eminent and respected organizations, we must assess this bill very carefully before it is enacted in Hawaii."

Representative Yamane then rose in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"I have some problems -- several problems with the bill."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2973, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL-BIRTH ABORTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Case, Lee, Saiki and Tarnas voting no, and Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 77-98) recommending that H.B. No. 1332 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1332 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, seconded by Representative Garcia.

Representative Meyer rose to cast a "no" vote and requested that her comments be inserted into the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer's remarks are as follows:

"I am voting 'no' on H.B. 1332. I believe the bill will not improve the water regulation and control by the Commission on Water Resource Management. Rather, I feel strongly that the bill will hinder water regulation and control because it emphasizes agricultural interests to the potential detriment of all other interests. My 'no' vote is supported by the Governor's own Department of Land and Natural Resources and by the Environmental Center of the University of Hawaii at Manoa."

Representative Morita then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1332, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE WATER CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use with Representatives Meyer and Morita voting no, and Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 78-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3283 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3283 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, seconded by Representative Garcia.

Representative Morita then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tarnas then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3283, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WATER CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use with Representatives Meyer, Morita and Tarnas voting no, and Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 79-98) recommending that H.B. No. 717 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 717, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 80-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3330 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3330, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, with Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 81-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3487, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3487, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 82-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3625, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3625, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawanakoa, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 83-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2447 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2447, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OR REPEALING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawananaoia, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga being excused.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2523:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

H.B. No. 2530:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

H.B. No. 2708:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

H.B. No. 2779:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:01 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 11, 1998. (Representatives Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Kawananaoia, Menor, M. Oshiro, Tom, Yonamine, and Yoshinaga were excused.)

FIFTEENTH DAY**Wednesday, February 11, 1998**

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m. with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Shinkai Murakami of the Pearl City Hongwanji Mission, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hiraki and White, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Fourteenth Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 157 through 160) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 157, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Part III, Section 6 of Act 328-97 SLH.

Gov. Msg. No. 158, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. 2778 which makes a supplementary appropriation and authorization for \$94,216 to allow the Department of the Attorney General to continue its legal representation of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands under Chapter 674, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for the period March 1, 1998 through June 30, 1998, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 159, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. 2990 which makes an emergency supplementary appropriation for \$10.2 million for purchase of the Waiahole Irrigation System, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 160, transmitting copies of the Hawaii Community Development Authority's project-funded staff services budget report, pursuant to Section 155 of Act 328, Session Laws of Hawaii 1997.

INTRODUCTION

Representative Okamura introduced to the members of the House Ms. Cheryl Lee Duvauchelle, Deputy Director of The Council of State Governments - West.

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 12:25 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

By unanimous consent, S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1 (CCR 1) was placed under Item No. 5, Final Reading; and H.B. Nos. 2523 (SCR 57-98); 2530 (SCR 58-98); 2708 (SCR 59-98) and 2779 (SCR 60-98) were placed under Item No. 6, Third Reading.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 84-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2384, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2384, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 85-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3178 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3178, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representatives Morihara and Stegmaier, for the Committees on Higher Education and Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 86-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2627 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2627, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, OR TECHNICAL SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 87-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2901 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2901, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 88-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2539, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2539, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE,"

passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 89-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3454, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3454, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARRIVAL OF OKINAWANS TO HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 90-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3616 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3616, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 91-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3618 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3618, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 92-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3164, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3164, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PEER EDUCATION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Health, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 93-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3365 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3365, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 94-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3294, as amended in HD 1,

pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3294, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TOUR OF CHAMPIONS MOUNTAIN BIKE RACE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 95-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3526, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3526, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE VISITOR INDUSTRY EDUCATION COUNCIL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 96-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2965 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2965, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TARO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 97-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2988 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2988, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 98-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3284 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3284, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR GORSE CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 99-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3305 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3305, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A RISK ANALYSIS," passed Second Reading and

was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 100-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2691, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2691, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto 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. (Representatives Hiraki and White were excused.)

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 and S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1:

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1, pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I am voting with reservations on this bill which will, I am afraid, limit notice to the public about government actions. Mr. Speaker, I voted 'no' on this last year, and then I guess it's been modified a bit through the conference draft.

"I still believe, Mr. Speaker, it may not provide as full public notice as we presently have to the public of actions that the government is undertaking, and I don't think that's in the best interest of the way we operate things here.

"Thank you."

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

"First of all, Mr. Speaker, I didn't know when I saw this on the calendar whether I was dreaming or not because, normally, except for the pay bill and the salary bill at the beginning, we normally reach Final Reading at the end of the session. And I think this is one of the first times that I can recall and probably stand here to say that a bill of this nature we're handling at the beginning of the session which shows, under your leadership, Mr. Speaker, that things move very quickly here and expeditiously.

"Mr. Speaker, virtually all government notices are currently published through contracts with the Hawaii Newspaper Agency which handles the finances for The Honolulu Advertiser and the Honolulu Star-Bulletin. This is because current law restricts publication of such notices by newspapers of general circulation. The effect of the current law, Mr. Speaker, severely limits competition in bidding for these government publication contracts.

"This bill is the product of several years worth of effort to craft a measure that ensures adequate public notice while reducing the expense to the taxpayers of providing that notice.

"In its final form before us today, this measure gives the State the flexibility to take advantage of the changes in the print and electronic media to reduce costs to the taxpayers while still providing the public with timely and adequate notice of government activities.

"I want to make it very clear, Mr. Speaker, that this bill does not in any way prevent the two daily newspapers from continuing their long-standing role of publishing government notices.

"However, this bill gives the State the opportunity to hear proposals from other publishing outlets which have become larger and more sophisticated in recent years.

"By injecting an element of competition into bidding for publication contracts with the government, we can assure the public that they will be getting the best notice possible at the lowest possible cost.

"What is wrong with competition? What is wrong with looking at different options in getting public notices to the general public?

"Without sacrificing the public's right to be informed, I firmly believe that our State comptroller will ensure that the best and most efficient method of getting notice to the public will be used.

"We live in a new and exciting age, Mr. Speaker, an age of mobility, an age of change, options, and where even the most imaginative dreams can become reality. Mr. Speaker, this bill passing Final Reading is not a dream but a reality today, a reality we all can be proud of.

"I would like to take this opportunity to thank you, to thank Leadership, to thank the conferees of the House and Senate, especially my Co-Chair, Finance Chair Say, for assisting us in this endeavor, and I would like to give special thanks to the manager on the Senate side, Senator David Ige, for ensuring that this bill moved so swiftly and expeditiously.

"Thank you."

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

"I rise in support and would just like to note that I wholeheartedly concur with the previous speaker. The Chair of Judiciary made a very eloquent remark with regard to competition in government and how we certainly should allow so many of our operations and functions to be open to the competitive bid process, that we can have the best quality and the best prices for all of our services and agencies, so I wholeheartedly concur.

"Thank you."

Representative Thielen, in response, stated:

"I just wanted to respond briefly to the Judiciary Chair's comments. He is stating that the present system prohibits competition. I would say when these notices are published in widely-read newspapers, that it very much enables for public notice. So I don't think that the trade-off is really a good one.

"The other thing is about the electronic media. How many people out there in the public really have computers that are hooked up on line, that they are able to punch up and find out what government is doing? Frankly, that's a minority of the population. But those same people can put fifty cents in a vending machine, get a newspaper, and find out what government is up to. That's the kind of notice that we should be giving to the public.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLICATION OF NOTICES BY GOVERNMENT AGENCIES," passed Final Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1285 had passed Final Reading at 12:35 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2523:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2523, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL COUNTY REGISTER," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2530:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2530, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2708:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2708, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2779:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2779, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2522, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2522, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2707, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2707, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2381, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2381, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

H.B. No. 2447:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2447, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OR REPEALING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and White being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. Nos. 2523, 2530, 2708, 2779, 2522, 2707, 2381 and 2447 had passed Third Reading at 12:36 o'clock p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:37 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 12, 1998. (Representatives Hiraki and White were excused.)

SIXTEENTH DAY

Thursday, February 12, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Dr. Mitsuo Aoki from the United Church of Christ Hawaii Conference, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Ito, Morihara and White, who were excused.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the House of Representatives of the Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth Days were subsequently approved. (Representatives Morihara and White were excused.)

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gov. Msg. No. 161, transmitting copies of the 1997 Annual Report of the Hawaii Labor Relations Board prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, pursuant to Section 89-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 6 and 7) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 6, transmitting S.B. No. 2775, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA CELEBRATION COMMISSION, which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 11, 1998.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, S.B. No. 2775, SD 1, passed First Reading by title and further action was deferred. (Representative Morihara was excused.)

Sen. Com. No. 7, informing the House that S.B. No. 1285, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLICATION OF NOTICES BY GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, passed Final Reading in the Senate on February 11, 1998.

INTRODUCTION

Representative P. Oshiro introduced students from Ewa Beach Elementary School, "the school at which my two daughters attend, one of whom is with the group today."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.
Nos. Re-referred to:

2354 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs

2435 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

2688 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

2691 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance

2778 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3273 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 101-98) recommending that H.B. No. 974, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Tourism.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 974, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Tourism, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 102-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2535, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2535, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Kawanakoa rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support of Standing Committee Report 102-98, House Bill 2535, HD 1. I just wanted to note some reservations. There are some concerns I have, of course Finance can take a look at that as it moves through the process.

"One concern I have is that I believe we have taxed bonds to this particular development or the use of the private sector in building our prisons that may. . . I stand corrected, this is not the correct bill on that matter. I simply would stand and rise in support of this measure and see that it continues through the process."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2535, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 103-98) recommending that H.B. No. 288 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 288, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUYBACK OF EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM MEMBERSHIP SERVICE CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 104-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2625 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2625, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND JOB TRAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 105-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2422, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2422, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 106-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2598, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2598, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 107-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2997, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2997, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TOURISM MARKETING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 108-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3367, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3367, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

HEALTH TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Santiago and Arakaki, for the Committees on Health and Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 109-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2601 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2601, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Santiago and Arakaki, for the Committees on Health and Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 110-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3364 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3364, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 111-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2564 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2564, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 112-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2561, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2561, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Ward rose to speak against the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, here we go again. The people of Hawaii have already spoken against an appointed Board of Education, overwhelmingly. I believe it was 80 percent the last time we brought this before them. They said: 'No, we want accountability by elected ability.' So, Mr. Speaker, why are we reinventing the wheel? And I think this is prophetic in the sense that it's the same way that the people don't want their taxes and the GE taxes raised..."

The Chair interrupted: "You're out of order. Stay on this bill."

Representative Ward continued his remarks, saying:

"This is a logical parallel to syllogism. When you're losing logic, you can use other examples, Mr. Speaker. That's the point..."

The Chair interrupted: "Representative, I just hope we don't get into the situation of last year. Please stick to the bill."

Representative Ward continued, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I don't want to repeat last year; I want to get my point clear. The people of Hawaii have already spoken on this bill. We represent the people of Hawaii. We should keep their will clear."

"Thank you very much, and they still don't want the GE tax."

The Chair stated: "Again, you're out of order. And to let the members know that you speak on the merits or demerits of the particular bill."

Representative Moses then rose to speak against the measure, stating:

"I'd like to tell this body that on January 12, 1992, a Task Force charged with finding ways to improve accountability and streamline delivery of services to Hawaii's, often criticized at that time, public school system, recommended elimination of the current statewide Board of Education in favor of elected, I'll say again, elected county boards. The Task Force was appointed by Governor John Waihee, the Legislature, and the Board of Education. The leader of the Task Force was then Lieutenant Governor Benjamin Cayetano. The vote was 11 - 2. Polls at that time, as my colleague just indicated, were that 80 percent of the people preferred elected boards; 12 percent thought an appointed board was a good idea; the other 8 percent didn't know. This body has repeatedly been on record opposing appointed boards. In your Committee on Education, this bill passed 4 ayes, 3 nays."

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative McDermott then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose to speak against the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, thank you. I just want to make it crystal clear, as we sit here and vote, that the people of Hawaii voted on this issue in 1994. The past and appointed school board would have taken 188,505 votes, that measure got 158,675 votes. 176,242 of our fellow citizens, the people who elect us for the State House, said: 'No, we do not want an appointed board.' Why does this keep having to come up to be thrown in the face of the people of Hawaii who have spoken on this issue? Register a 'no' vote for me."

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Halford then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton then rose to declare a potential conflict, saying that his wife is an elected member of the school board, and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

Representative Pendleton then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto then rose to speak in opposition to the bill, stating:

"This, too, reminds me that the 1978 Constitutional Convention did address this measure and they decided to keep the elected board. As you know, your Republicans in the House have a position for elected county boards. We feel that this might be a good reform rather than an appointed board. Many people say that they don't know who they are voting for on the ballot but, certainly, if we went to elected county boards they would know the people from their own counties much better."

"Thank you very much."

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

"I simply note that the people of Hawaii have spoken on this issue, and if I could have the remarks of the previous speaker, Representative Marumoto, entered into the Journal as if they were my own (the Chair 'so ordered' -- by reference only) because I do share her concern that we do need to get things down to the county level for it to be better on an elected basis."

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"I'd ask that the members give the people an opportunity to voice their view on this measure. Over the years there have been a number of times when the people have been consulted and each time those who feel an elected board no longer serves the best interest of the people of Hawaii and our students increases."

"As Representative Fox points out, four years ago the vote was very, very close. As he pointed out just now, the difference between those who wanted to end the election of our school board and those who wanted to maintain that was 18,000 people only. As he points out, 176,000 were in favor of maintaining the present system and 158,000 wanted a change. Four years later, there's even further experience and information that I believe will indicate, if we allow the people to speak this year, that a majority is now in favor of a change, one that will make the policymaking of our school system more accountable to the people who are involved."

"Remember members, we are not talking about a lessening of accountability, we are talking about a strengthening of accountability. The Governor, whoever that might be, will appoint the members. He or she will be responsible for those appointments. Right now, as you are well aware in your discussion with your constituents, people don't feel as though the members of the board are accountable to them. In fact, there are cases right now where because of the breadth of the districts, members are serving on the board who are not voted, not supported in the districts most familiar with them, but continue to be elected or re-elected because others who are participating, who are unfamiliar with them, vote them into office."

"This is an untenable situation. We need to streamline the process of policymaking for our education system. Let's not obfuscate the issue by creating local boards at the county level. Let's return the power to where it should be, which is at the school level. That's what would happen: a centralized policymaking board accountable to the Governor and the Legislature, and then

the rest of the policymaking being done at the school level.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I concur with the Education Committee Chair's reasoning for an appointed board. All we're saying is, let's give the voters a chance to express their opinion. They're going to make the choice whether we're going to have an appointed board or not. As he stated, the vote has been very close in the last election, an election in which there was no real organized effort by any major group opposing or supporting the appointed board, and yet the vote was so close.

"I had the privilege of serving as a board member in 1978-1980, and I was convinced ever since then that we should switch to an appointed board. There was tremendous micromanagement by a lot of the members in getting into personnel matters, insisting on certain appointments of certain principals, etc.

"While those, and I think that the Committee did a good job because the ERTF opposed county boards, appointed boards, I think that also would have created problems. We're in a time of tight fiscal constraints. Whether it's an appointed or elected county or district boards, that is certainly going to increase the cost of government, and I think it would add to a lot of micromanagement, particularly when you look at Kauai. It's a very small island, it has very few schools, and I think having board members elected at that level is going to create further micromanagement. Thank you."

Representative Aiona then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Whalen then rose to speak in opposition to the bill, stating:

"Part of the reason that we're hearing this support is to create greater accountability in the board. As it stands now, there are many departments that the Governor appoints, yet are held unaccountable. The public is very dissatisfied with the way various things run in government, and yet when we turn to the Governor, he raises his hands and says: 'Well, it's Mike Wilson's choice.' Mr. Speaker, we've decided, the people have decided in the past that they do not want an appointed board.

"We heard about the cost. One of the reasons why I hear that we should not have another constitutional convention on the ballot is because it costs so much to put it on the ballot. Yet here we are, four years later, throwing this out on the ballot again just to say: let's just find out what the people want four years later. Mr. Speaker, I think that there are other things we should put our money into and we should vote down on this. Thank you."

Representative M. Oshiro then rose to speak in favor of the bill, stating:

"When I go out into my community of Wahiawa -- Whitmore Village -- and I explain to people the legislative process as well as the budgetary process and the role that the Executive branch or Governor plays in our schools, one of the first things that they come to realize is that the Governor is the one who controls the 'purse strings' when the Legislature leaves this building. And as such, it's the Governor who releases the monies and gives it down to the schools. I think the person who holds the 'purse

strings' should be the one we hold accountable for our schools.

"Second point I need to make, Mr. Speaker, why I'm supporting this bill is that in 1994, the sentiment of the community or the people at-large may have been 176,000 to 158,000 regarding the status quo. But this is 1998 and I think the public awareness of how their schools function or does not function is becoming better understood by our community. As such, I think it's appropriate in 1998 to give our citizens a choice and let them decide.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Very briefly, the Committee Chair has rightly spoken that accountability is what the people of Hawaii do want. Mr. Speaker, however, small is beautiful. And to counter my previous remarks, I want to publicly endorse the Governor's Economic Revitalization Task Force, which says, small is beautiful. Boards of education on a county level is what they feel is the best way to do this. I think what we have said on this side of the aisle, that smaller schools is the way to go totally -- smaller boards of education, smaller schools. We have twice the high school size, we have twice the elementary size, and where the Governor's Economic Revitalization Task Force is going is in the right direction. That was to outweigh my negative comment about the Governor's Economic Revitalization Task Force unmentionable tax increases."

Representative Fox then rose and stated:

"A brief comment if I may. A previous speaker called the vote in the 1994 election close. There were only 42 percent of the voters voting in favor of the constitutional amendment. That would have required 50 percent in order to pass. That's an 8 percent margin. If 8 percent is close, Frank Fasi would be Governor.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2561, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Aiona, Fox, Halford, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Meyer, McDermott, Moses, Pendleton, Ward, and Whalen voting no, and Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 113-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2562, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2562, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the bill, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We heard all that great rhetoric a few minutes ago about the people just don't know, they don't know. I bet if we go to some of my colleagues' districts, they'll find out the people don't know who their representatives are. Therefore, we ought

to be lobbying in this body for an appointed House of Representatives, using that exact same logic.

"Secondly, if we don't like an elected board, we're told that we can't do anything, but if we have an appointed board, we can go after the Governor. Well, what if we don't like two of the board members, or three of them, or four of them. What do we do? Do we take a piece of the Governor? What if we end up with multiple appointed boards, which was the ERTF's idea to have about seven boards? What do we do? If we don't like one board, do we take a seventh out of the Governor? You know, it just doesn't work that way. We talk about, this is more accountability. What it means is more power. It's not a diversion or a splitting of power. It's not divesting the power down to the people. We're putting more power in one person's hands.

"Lastly, we say we don't know who our elected school board members are because of the large geographic size of the board right now, and we hear there are members who don't live in the districts they represent. So we go to smaller boards, elected by the people. They'll see their board members in Safeway. They'll see them at the gas station. They'll know who they are. They can lobby them one on one just like those of you who out in your district get lobbied all the time. That's the democratic process.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative McDermott then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton then rose to declare a potential conflict, and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

Representative Pendleton then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Aiona then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ward then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kawanakoa then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Whalen then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2562, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Aiona, Fox, Halford, Kawanakoa, Marumoto, Meyer, McDermott, Moses, Pendleton, Ward, and Whalen voting no, and Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No.

114-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2736, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2736, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 115-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2834, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2834, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

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

"For the members edification, contrary to what the Order of the Day states before us, actually the transfer is from PSD to the DOE. I rise in support of the transfer, Mr. Speaker, because the Public Safety Department does have a full agenda with respect to the prisons and such. I concur with the Education Committee's decision to transfer the security functions from Public Safety to the Department of Education as it was originally. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2834, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 116-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2837, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2837, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL DISCIPLINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 117-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2428 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2428, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 118-98) recommending that H.B.

No. 2702 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2702, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 119-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2793 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2793, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 120-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3027 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3027, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID OVERPAYMENT RECOVERY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 121-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3494 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3494, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 122-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3496, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3496, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 123-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3274, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3274, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 124-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2538, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2538, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 125-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2486, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2486, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Case, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 126-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3335 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3335, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EDUCATION OF THE CHILDREN OF HAWAII IN HAWAIIAN STUDIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Case, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 127-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3415 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3415, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 128-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3298 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3298, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Say, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 129-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2493, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2493, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," was recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, with Representatives Okamura, Say, Takai, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 130-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2529 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2529, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE ELIGIBILITY TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE OR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Okamura, Say, Takai, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 131-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2734 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2734, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUSES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Okamura, Say, Takai, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 132-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2709, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2709, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCONSENSUAL COMMON LAW LIENS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Okamura, Say, Takai, Tom and Yonamine being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Takamine rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to hear House Bill No. 2532 which will be added to the agenda of the joint Committees on Water and Land Use and Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources for tomorrow morning at 8:30 a.m. in Room 312, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, as a Vietnam veteran, I'm proud to announce that today marks the 25th Anniversary of the first 591 prisoners of war who were freed in 1973. But I'm sad to say that there are still those who are missing in action and POW's somewhere within that particular region. So February 12th is a day to remember that we have 591 freed 25 years ago, but there are those families who are still grieving for their captive loved ones. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:41 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 13, 1998. (Representatives Okamura, Say, Takai and Tom were excused.)

SEVENTEENTH DAY

Friday, February 13, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Michael Loscalzo of the Waianae United Pentecostal Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Garcia, who was excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Sixteenth Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 162 through 167) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 162, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2802 which makes a supplementary appropriation in fiscal year 1997-98 for the Unclaimed Property Program, authorized by Chapter 523A, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 163, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2854 which makes a supplementary appropriation and authorization for \$13,272,606 to allow the Department of Health to continue its operations of the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division under Chapter 321, Hawaii Revised Statutes, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 164, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2858 which makes a supplementary appropriation and authorization for \$292,180 to allow the Department of Health to fund the January 1, 1998 through June 30, 1998 contract cost for emergency ambulance services on the islands of Maui, Molokai, and Lanai, under Chapter 321-228, Hawaii Revised Statutes, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 165, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2859 which provides an emergency appropriation of \$455,045 from existing Department of Health special funds for the period of March 1, 1998 through June 30, 1998. In November, 1997, the U.S. Department of Justice requested the Adult Mental Health Division of the Department of Health to prepare a clear remedial plan addressing deficiencies in community services so that patients from Hawaii State Hospital (HSH) could be successfully discharged. This emergency appropriation will allow the Department to develop outpatient community mental health services necessary to facilitate discharge planning and discharge of patients from HSH and to provide alternatives to hospitalization at HSH, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 166, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 3021 which makes a supplementary appropriation and authorization for \$5,000,000 to allow the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation to prevent the reduction or discontinuance of services at the facilities under the control of the corporation for this fiscal year, in accordance with

Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 167, transmitting copies of the itemized expenditure report prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development, pursuant to Section 132 of Act 328, SLH 1997.

At 12:15 o'clock p.m., Representative M. Oshiro asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 34) was referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.C.R.No. Referred to:

34 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.Nos. Re-referred to:

2493 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

2592 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

2778 Committee on Finance

3367 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance

3429 Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 133-98) recommending that H.B. No. 976, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 976, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 134-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2977, as

amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2977, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARNED INCOME TAX CREDITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 135-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3273, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3273, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 136-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2844 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2844, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUNSET CLAUSE FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 137-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3484 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3484, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE KAPAA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 138-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3527 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3527, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 139-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2971, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2971, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 140-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3383, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3383, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION LICENSE PLATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 141-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3405, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3405, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 142-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2856, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2856, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 143-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3531, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3531, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, for the members who haven't had a chance to look at the bill yet or who were not on the Health Committee, this bill has been amended to transfer the functions of the Office of Environmental Quality Control to the Department of Health.

"Mr. Speaker, a number of years ago, I was appointed by then Governor Ariyoshi to be on the Environmental Council. I joined other members such as James Morrow, formerly of the American Lung Association, and other environmental advocates. We were a rather active appointed board and one of the major tasks we did was to break the ties and relationship and control of the Department of Health over the environment. We asked for independence, and we pushed for independence, and we won independence.

"There were a number of conflicts between the Department of Health and those who were promoting the well-being of our environment. We found that it didn't make sense for 'the fox to guard the chicken coop,' so to speak, and it really prevented the advocacy for the environmental segment when the Department of Health was really in control.

"So, Mr. Speaker, I look at this as a giant step backward. We got independence for the Office of Environmental Quality Control and the Environmental Council. Now they're being put back in under the Department of Health umbrella. That's not in the best interest of our environment, and I would ask members to take a second look at that as we go forward. I'm not challenging or criticizing the committee's work on this. I think they were trying to combine government functions, but we went through this road before. It was the wrong road to go down, and luckily the appointed board was successful in breaking that tie so the environment could be independently represented.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Santiago then rose and stated:

"Just for your clarification and for the clarification of the members, the amendment was not made in the Committee. The bill came to the Committee as an Administration bill with this request. What the Committee did amend, however, was delete all reference to SHPDA in the bill.

"On the subject of health, the Health Committee felt OEQC could better be dealt with within the proper committee in EEP, so we did not touch that section of the bill but did only deal with the SHPDA section.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair stated:

"So this bill only concerns the deletion of SHPDA."

Representative Thielen, in response, stated:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker, but the bill does transfer the functions of the Office of Environmental Quality Control. The former speaker is correct. The amendment was to eliminate the SHPDA provision, but I am speaking against the transferring of OEQC, and I don't think that that is a good idea to do. I know we'll get a chance to look at that aspect when it goes to Energy and Environmental Protection, and I'm glad we'll have the opportunity to do that.

"I'm sorry, Mr. Speaker, I couldn't hear the former speaker and what he was saying. The microphone was a

little bit dim, so I couldn't hear it. I will talk to him after session.

"Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3531, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection with Representative Thielen voting no, and Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 144-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2979 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2979, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CENTRAL AUDITORY PROCESSING DEFICITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 145-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2592, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2592, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was recommitted to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

Representative Case, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 146-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2966, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2966, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Kawananaoka rose to speak in strong support of the bill, stating:

"I just wanted to bring to the attention of my colleagues what wonderful testimony we had on behalf of this bill. It is interesting to note that this is a wonderful program. It's an excellent tool to educate our students, especially some of our Hawaiian students, that are at risk in our public school system. It makes an appropriation to further the goals of the Hawaiian Immersion Program within our Department of Education. It's a wonderful bill, and I hope as it moves on to Education, that we take to heart that this is a means by which the Hawaiian people can become more educated and more successful in their homeland.

"You know, one of the testifiers gave a wonderful story. I'm not sure she'll be there for your benefit so I would like to share it very briefly, Mr. Speaker.

"She discussed her child, a young girl, who, up until she entered the Immersion Program, was -- she called her her 'opihī child' -- because she always clung to her, always behind her, and always shy and afraid to express

herself. After entering the Immersion Program, this mother said, with tears in her eyes, that from the back of the cafeteria or auditorium where that school play was on, she would watch her child come forward and be so proud and participate, and to be an active participant in the educational process.

"All around, this is a wonderful tool. And I think the Department of Education is on the right track. I think, as far as us as legislators, we should give them the directive and the encouragement to continue down this track, because for every 'opihī child' out there, we here can change their lives.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2966, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto 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

H.B. No. 2529:

Representative Okamura moved that H.B. No. 2529 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

The Chair stated:

"Please limit your discussion to the recommittal."

Representative Marumoto rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I think we should take a vote on this measure and I think it's a very important one. I think we should allow people to live in the districts from which they run, and I think they should live there. And. . .

The Chair interrupted and stated:

"Again, discuss the recommittal and not the substance of the bill. I will have to call you out of order if you are going to discuss the substance of the bill."

Representative Marumoto continued, saying:

"So, Mr. Speaker, I do think that this is something that the House should be able to vote on and should be reported out. And the people will have a voice as to where their candidates should live -- in their district or not. . .

The Chair interrupted: "Again, you're speaking on the substance of the bill. Speak on the merits or demerits of the recommittal."

Representative Tom then rose to speak in support of the recommittal, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in looking at the bill, we wanted to ensure. . .like in any other bill, we want to make sure that we come out with the best piece of legislation we can.

"I firmly believe that as the amendment is currently written, it may put persons in real jeopardy; say, for example, because of reapportionment they are placed in another district that they represented formerly, or in a situation where a person wants to represent district one and he wants to move, or he is planning to move to district two, for example, but may not be there by the time that he files his papers. Does that mean then that if he does move, he has to divide. . .

The Chair interrupted, stating:

"Mr. Chairman. . .

Representative Tom continued, saying:

"Okay, I'm just speaking in support that these are the kinds of questions that we have to look into."

Representative Ward then rose on a point of information and asked:

"Would the Chair of Judiciary submit to a question as to whether or not the recommittal is alive. . .

At 12:40 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:42 o'clock p.m.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.B. No. 2529, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE ELIGIBILITY TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE OR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES," was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

H.B. No. 2734:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2734, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUSES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Chang, Garcia and Yonamine being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 2734 had passed Third Reading at 12:43 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 34) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 34, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION TO AMEND THE AGREEMENT CONTAINING CONSENT ORDER IN THE MATTER OF SHELL OIL COMPANY AND TEXACO INC. (FILE NO. 971-0026)," was offered by Representative P. Oshiro.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Thielen: "Mr. Speaker, I know that I will be speaking for all of the women legislators. We all want to thank you very much for our wonderful Valentine's gift, and I say 'thank you very much' for the thoughtful gesture. I noticed in Ann Lander's column that when she polled her readership with the different question about: Do you want to be greeted with an 'I love you' at night, or a 'let's go out for dinner,' that, overwhelmingly, the women voted to say, 'let's go out for dinner.' I'm not asking for that invitation, but thank you again for your kindness."

Representative Meyer: "Mr. Speaker, in honor of Valentine's Day, I would like to thank Representative Morita for her very thoughtful gesture of providing all of us with these attractive little hearts, and we know her heart's in the right place and we appreciate it."

Representative Kahikina: "Aloha to everybody. I just wanted to announce that this Sunday, we have Ho'omau. Ho'omau is an annual concert that supports immersion in the State of Hawaii, and I want to invite all of you to hele oku to Ho'omau."

Representative Marumoto: "Republicans will be caucusing right after session."

Representative Ward: "Lest we forget Presidents Lincoln and Washington on whose birthday we are celebrating as Presidents' Day on Monday -- Happy Presidents' Day!"

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:46 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon on Tuesday, February 17, 1998. (Representatives Chang, Garcia, Herkes and Yonamine were excused.)

EIGHTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 17, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Michael Puamamo Kahikina, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives McDermott and Yonamine, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Day was deferred.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 168 through 170) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 168, transmitting copies of the 1997 Barbers Point Naval Air Station Redevelopment Commission Annual Report, pursuant to Act 359 of the Session Laws of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 169, transmitting copies of the following: Report to the Nineteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, 1998, In Compliance with Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapters 128D and 128E, on the Activities of the Department of Health, Environmental Health Administration, Office of Hazard Evaluation and Emergency Response and Use of the Environmental Response Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 170, transmitting copies of the Department of Human Services Story 1998 which is also the Department's annual report for FY 1997.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRAL

The following Senate Bill was referred to committee by the Speaker:

S.B.
Nos. Referred to:

2775 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.
Nos. Re-referred to:

2415 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2519 Committee on Judiciary

3282 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary

3398 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

3400 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

3405 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 147-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3079 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3079, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 148-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3082 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3082, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3185, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3185, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 150-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2756, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2756, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 151-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3078, as

amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3078, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2684, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2684, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2361, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2361, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TOWING FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 154-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3183, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3183, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 155-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2832, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2832, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RATEMAKING PROCEDURES FOR REGULATED WATER CARRIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 156-98) recommending that H.B. No.

3032, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3032, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 157-98) recommending that H.B. No. 977, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 977, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 158-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2872, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2872, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION INSPECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 159-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2899 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2899, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DONATIONS TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 160-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2520, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2520, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRIVOLOUS LOBBYING CHARGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 161-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3072, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3072, HD 1 pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in full cognizance that this is Second Reading. However, this is not only the second, the third, this is the fourth or the fifth time around for this bill, as you know, Mr. Speaker. But in view of the fact that we've had seven years of famine, we need to get our numbers together.

"Mr. Speaker, this legislative analyst is the one who would 'crunch' those numbers for us. This is the bill that we've cried for, and out of need for the last seven years we haven't got it. And I'm afraid if we don't get our act together by getting our own 'number cruncher', we would be at the mercy of the Executive who, as you know, now with the Economic Revitalization Task Force, is leading us rather than we being able to lead him because of our numbers, even though I would submit this Caucus is able to lead from this side of the aisle and look at the numbers.

"The point is, Mr. Speaker, whoever is the one that for the past years has sunk this or stuck it into a black hole needs to say: we need this legislative analyst more so than we need an Economic Revitalization Task Force. This bill, Mr. Speaker, must pass. I encourage all of my colleagues, whoever in the past have not allowed it to pass, would please step aside. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3072, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE ANALYST," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 162-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2854 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2854, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 163-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2855 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2855, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSE MIDWIVES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 164-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2528 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2528, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 165-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2563 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2563, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-BASED BUDGETING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Stegmaier, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 166-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3170 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3170, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 167-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3443 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3443, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 168-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2798 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2798, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 169-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2569, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2569, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINOR TEEN VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 170-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3277, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3277, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 171-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3005, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3005, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 172-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3446 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3446, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 173-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2981, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2981, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FOR CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 174-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3361, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3361, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand.

Com. Rep. No. 175-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3391, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Tourism.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3391, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Tourism, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 176-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3089, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3089, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUTRITION PRACTICE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 177-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3187, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3187, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 178-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2768 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2768, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 179-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3285 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3285, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 180-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2909, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2909, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 181-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3485, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3485, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TARO RESEARCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 182-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2985 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2985, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION AND WATER UTILIZATION PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 183-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2987 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2987, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 184-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3487, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3487, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 185-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3327, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3327, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 186-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3024 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3024, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 187-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3523 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3523, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 188-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2801, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2801, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 189-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3030, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3030, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 190-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3424, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3424, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMUNITY-BASED INTEGRATED SOCIAL SERVICE PILOT PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 191-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2414, as amended

in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2414, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 192-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2415, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2415, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 193-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3400, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3400, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 194-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2895 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2895, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIDING BICYCLES ON ROADWAYS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott and Tom being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 195-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2613, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2613, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott and Tom being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 196-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2800 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2800, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGEMENT

OF STATE FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott and Tom being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 197-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3417 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3417, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott and Tom being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 198-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3041, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3041, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAXATION OF NONRESIDENTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott and Tom being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 199-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3466, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3466, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETENTION OF CASHED WARRANTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives McDermott and Tom being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 200-98) recommending that H.C.R. No. 26, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 26, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO REVIEW HAWAII'S IMPAIRED DRIVING STATUTES AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR UNIFORM STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 201-98) recommending that H.R. No. 6, be adopted.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.R. No. 6 be adopted, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Ward rose to speak in favor of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this resolution because it's a refinement of last year's policy. As you know, you and I had a 'bit of a tiff' on the floor here when I said this was 18 hours for the Majority and one hour for the Minority, and you ruled me out of order. And now we've, in effect, got a bill that says this is a bipartisan effort for policies which, Mr. Speaker, I want to personally thank you for not having the infomercials on last fall. After we got out of the 1997 session, you, in effect, cut those, you pulled them, you yanked those infomercials, and I want to personally thank you now publicly and for the record.

"However, Mr. Speaker, as we've been talking about freedom of speech, I am cautioned in my spirit the way that when I would meander by one word, as I did last week, you would hammer me out of order. Mr. Speaker, I take that in the spirit of you having passed this bill in order to allow freedom of speech that when we speak on the floor and we say one word that's just a little bit out of the disposition, whether it's for an analogy or a story, that you would bear with us because you're aware in the Senate, Mr. Speaker, they have a point of personal privilege where at any time they are able to stand up and speak.

"So I beg your indulgence, but I thank you for having this bill, and I thank you for implementing the policy of not having infomercials at the end of the session. And I trust, Mr. Speaker, that this bill would not have infomercials right at the end of this session when we go into the election cycle. And I know it's left up to you, so we trust you, and I leave you with this 'thank you' publicly."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AND ADOPTING POLICIES GOVERNING THE LEGISLATIVE BROADCAST PROGRAM FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES," was adopted, with Representative McDermott being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representative McDermott was excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2709, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2709, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCONSENSUAL COMMON LAW LIENS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McDermott being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 2709 had passed Third Reading at 12:29 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 35) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 35, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A RURAL HEALTH PLAN FOR THE DISTRICTS OF PUNA AND KA'U," was offered by Representative Herkes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Tarnas rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to hear House Bill Nos. 1521, 2373 and 2679, and decision making only on House Bill Nos. 612 and 2880 on Thursday morning 8:30 a.m. in Room 312, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Our colleague Bob McDermott is excused today due to the unexpected passing of his mother on Friday. She was only 58. They did not know the reason at the time when he had to leave. I ask the Speaker to entertain a moment of silence in this body today, and also to entertain a resolution of condolence from this body. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair then asked the members to observe a moment of silence for the late Patricia McDermott.

Representative Yoshinaga: "Mr. Speaker, just to make an announcement that one of the bills for decision making at our hearing tomorrow is not listed, and I just want to point that out, that being House Bill 3212, relating to the environment, for decision making only."

Representative M. Oshiro: "Mr. Speaker, there will be a short meeting with all Committee Chairs in your conference room immediately after session."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:32 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 18, 1998. (Representative McDermott was excused.)

NINETEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 18, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Ezra R. Kanoho, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Day was deferred.

INTRODUCTION

Representative M. Oshiro introduced to the members of the House a group of 45 students from Wahiwai Intermediate School. They were accompanied by their teachers, Ms. Lianne Shiroma and Mr. Rodrigo Vargas; and parents, Mrs. Janet Sterling, Mrs. Stacey Johnson and Mrs. Diane Aquino.

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 12:20 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
3106	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3527	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 202-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3125, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3125, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 203-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3272, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3272, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGAL IMMIGRANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 204-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3276 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3276, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 205-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2653, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2653, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 206-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3177, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3177, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EAST-WEST CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 207-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3445, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3445, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

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

"I just wanted to bring to the attention of the Finance Committee Chair that I had a concern that wasn't fully addressed in our Committee with regard to the funding of

the special purpose bonds in order to facilitate or to construct the private prison in Ka'u.

"I just note that on page 3, Section 3, line 6, it says: 'The special purpose revenue bonds issued under this Act shall be issued pursuant to Parts IV and V, Chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the power to issue special purpose revenue bonds to assist processing and industrial enterprises.'

"My concern is whether or not, if this bill passes, if a private construction of a correctional facility encompasses industrial enterprises or a processing plant. So that would be my concern.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3445, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR THE KA'U CORRECTIONAL COMPLEX AND RELATED SUPPORTING FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Garcia and Tom, for the Committees on Public Safety and Military Affairs and Judiciary, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 208-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2353, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2353, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 209-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3289 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3289, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 210-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2536, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2536, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 211-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3586, as amended in HD 1,

pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3586, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 212-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2443, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2443, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY ENCROACHMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 213-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2460, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2460, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 214-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2878 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2878, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 215-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3438 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3438, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 216-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2330, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2330, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 217-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2701, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2701, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 218-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2374, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2374, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 219-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2874, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2874, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN LEASING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 220-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2670, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2670, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott,

Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 221-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2858, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2858, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representatives Santiago and Arakaki, for the Committees on Health and Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 222-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2845, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2845, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 223-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3225, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3225, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKER'S COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 224-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3453, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3453, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," was recommitted to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 225-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3004, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3004, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF FINANCING AGREEMENTS," was recommitted to the Committee on Finance, with

Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 226-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3034, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3034, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," was recommitted to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Say, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 227-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2399, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2399, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," was recommitted to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 228-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2780 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2780, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Tom, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 229-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3130, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3130, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, this is a good and important measure. It is important to place this again before the voters so that we can hear explicitly what their wishes are with respect to the constitutional convention.

"I just have one concern though, Mr. Speaker. The reason why we are having to place this on the ballot again is because the voters apparently did not have enough information when they voted the first time. For instance, they didn't know what the effect of a blank ballot would be. That's why we again have this before us and will be putting it before the voters.

"The concern I have has to do with the form the HD 1 takes. There is no guidance, at least as I see, which is going to be given to the voters as to the consequence of a

blank ballot. And so we may again, theoretically, find ourselves in this very same position again through the vote should they be unclear as to what should happen if they leave it blank. We could find ourselves here again voting on this, and I just wish there were some way we could have in the bill information which would make it absolutely clear to the voters as to what happens or what is the consequence of living the ballot blank. So that's my concern.

"Again, I support this bill but wish that we could address that concern somehow in this legislation.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3130, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto 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

H.B. No. 2895:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2895, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIDING BICYCLES ON ROADWAYS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

H.B. No. 2800:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2800, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGEMENT OF STATE FUNDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

H.B. No. 3417:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 3417, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Takamine, Ward and Yonamine being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. Nos. 2895, 2800 and 3417 had passed Third Reading at 12:34 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Case rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on Senate Bill 2775, SD 1, relating to the King Kamehameha Celebration

Commission, tomorrow morning at 8:00 o'clock in Conference Room 309, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Garcia rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the purpose of hearing and decision making on House Bill 3400, HD 1, relating to the expansion and conversion of the minimum security facility at Kulani, this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in Conference Room 312, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stegmaier rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing for decision making only on House Bill No. 3215, relating to schools within schools, tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the regularly scheduled Education Committee hearing, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Yoshinaga: "This is just to announce that we ran out of time for decision making at our regularly scheduled Energy and Environmental Protection Committee hearing. We have deferred decision making on all measures as listed, as well as the matters discussed today, until Friday immediately following the Water and Land Use hearing, so if all members of our Committee could be present to ensure quorum for those purposes. We've got a number of important measures to be decided."

Representative Takai then rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the Higher Education Committee to conduct a public hearing with decision making to follow on House Bill 2415, HD 1, this afternoon at 2:15, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jones then rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing and decision making on House Bill 3322, relating to agricultural lands, tomorrow morning at 9:30 in Conference Room 423, and the Chair "so ordered."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:37 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 19, 1998. (Representatives Cachola, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Pendleton, Takamine, Ward, Yamane and Yonamine were excused.)

TWENTIETH DAY

Thursday, February 19, 1998

The House of Representatives of the Nineteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1998, convened at 12:15 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Chaplain David Kaupu from Kamehameha Schools, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takumi and Ward, who were excused.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the House of Representatives of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth Days were subsequently approved. (Representatives McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takumi and Ward were excused.)

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Takai introduced a group of fourth, fifth and sixth grade students from Waiiau Elementary School's Student Council with their teachers, Lowell Tsuchiyama, Elaine Tsuchiyama and Wesley Tom.

Representative Kawakami introduced a group of students from Kapaa, Kauai and Waimea High Schools with their advisors, Mrs. Janice Nitta of Waimea High School and Mr. James Kawamura of Kauai High School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
640	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2552	Committee on Finance
2856	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3225	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)

H.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING CHIEF OF POLICE MICHAEL S. NAKAMURA FOR HIS TIRELESS LEADERSHIP AND DEDICATION TO THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE ENTIRE HAWAII COMMUNITY," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Menor, Arakaki and Tom.

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Menor and carried, H.R. No. 10 was

adopted, with Representatives Halford, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier and Ward being excused.

At this time, Representative Lee introduced Chief Michael S. Nakamura, commending him for his tireless leadership and dedication to the Honolulu Police Department and the entire Hawaiian community.

At 12:34 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:58 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Tarnas and Takamine, for the Committees on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources and Water and Land Use, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 230-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2659, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2659, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRESHWATER FISHING RESERVES, REFUGES, AND PUBLIC FISHING AREAS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 231-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3133 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3133, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WHARFAGE FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 232-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3136 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3136, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 233-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3581 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3581, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE

TRAFFIC CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 234-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2953, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2953, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 235-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3482, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3482, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUS SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 236-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2553, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2553, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGULATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 237-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2815, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2815, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POWERS OF THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO ENFORCE CHAPTER 462A, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representatives Morihara and Stegmaier for the Committees on Higher Education and Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 238-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3301 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3301, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 239-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3346, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3346, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Morita rose and requested a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3346, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KOLOA SUGAR MILL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Morita voting no, and Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 240-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3299 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3299, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 241-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3091, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3091, 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, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 242-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3142, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3142, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TEACHER EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee

on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 243-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2573, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2573, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Whalen rose to speak in opposition of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, despite the other problems I have with the bill, there is a significant problem I see that could be fixed in Finance. That is, the licensing as written now includes everyone from the crane operators that we normally think of, including fork lift drivers, and I'm certain that the intention behind the Committee is not to include every fork lift driver in the State under this licensing. So I'd ask the Finance Committee to take a look at that and change it.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Aiona then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton then rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2573, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CERTIFICATION OF HOISTING MACHINE OPERATORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Aiona, Pendleton and Whalen voting no, and Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 244-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2671, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2671, 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, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representatives Menor and Tom, for the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 245-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2995, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2995, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with

Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 246-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2753, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2753, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representatives Hiraki and Cachola, for the Committees on Transportation and Tourism, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 247-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2366, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2366, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representatives Hiraki and Cachola, for the Committees on Transportation and Tourism, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 248-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2376, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2376, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 249-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2814 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2814, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENIOR PSYCHOLOGISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 250-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2816 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2816, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACIST LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer

Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 251-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2817 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2817, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 252-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2843 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2843, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION ASSESSMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 253-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2863 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2863, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONNEL FOR MENTAL HEALTH.," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 254-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2637, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2637, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 255-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2842, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2842, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 256-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2852, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2852, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEHEALTH.," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 257-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3363, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3363, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OPTIMAL HEALTH OF AT-RISK PREGNANT WOMEN AND THEIR BABIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 258-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2409 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2409, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN INDUSTRIAL PARK ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 259-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3317 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3317, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 260-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2957, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2957, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with

Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 261-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3331, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3331, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 262-98) recommending that H.B. No. 717 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Okamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 717, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to register a "no" vote, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 717, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Thielen voting no, and Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 263-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2857 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2857, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHRONIC RENAL DISEASE PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 264-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2963 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2963, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAII COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 265-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2970 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2970, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGAN DONORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 266-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2859, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2859, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ADULT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 267-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3493, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3493, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SAFE HAVEN PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 268-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2478 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2478, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 269-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2803 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2803, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 270-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2866 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2866, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT ON PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 271-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2867 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2867, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT ON PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 272-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3002 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3002, 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, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 273-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3003 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3003, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 274-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3063 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3063, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 275-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3071 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3071, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 276-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3528 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3528, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 277-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3529 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3529, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB REFERENCE LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 278-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3028 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3028, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 279-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2799, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2799, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 280-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3282, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3282, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Jones, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 281-98) recommending that H.B. No. 3461, as amended in HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3461, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A REVOLVING LOAN PROGRAM FOR BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 282-98) recommending that H.B. No. 640, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 640, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," was recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Yonamine, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 283-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2649, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2649, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," was recommitted to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 284-98) recommending that H.B. No. 2900, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2900, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 285-98) recommending that H.B.

No. 611, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 611, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2613, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2613, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

H.B. No. 3041, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 3041, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAXATION OF NONRESIDENTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

H.B. No. 3466, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 3466, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETENTION OF CASHED WARRANTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

H.B. No. 2780:

On motion by Representative Okamura, seconded by Representative M. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2780, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes, with Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. Nos. 2613, 3041, 3466 and 2780 had passed Third Reading at 1:04 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 36) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 36, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE BIENNIAL REVIEW OF THE COMPENSATION PLANS AND THE COSTS THEREOF," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Yoshinaga rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to reconsider prior decision making on House Bill 3449, which was previously heard on February 11, 1998. Decision making to take place on February 20th in Room 312, and the Chair "so ordered."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:05 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 20, 1998. (Representatives Ahu Isa, McDermott, Meyer, Stegmaier, Takai, Yonamine and Ward were excused.)