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In accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, the House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say, Speaker of the House of Representatives, presided.

Kahu Kamaki Kanahele and Kahu Kauila Clark delivered a traditional Hawai'ian Oli and Puli.

The members of the House, guests, and audience rose to sing the National Anthem and Hawai'i Pono'i led by Ms. Nalani Olds.

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

Kahuna Nui Lum then delivered the invocation.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Gov. Msg. No. 1, informing the House of the appointment of Willie C. Espero to fill the vacancy in the State House of Representatives, 41st District, was received and read by the Clerk as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
Honolulu

December 30, 1999

The Honorable Speaker and
Members of the House of Representatives
The Twentieth Legislature
State Capitol
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear Sirs and Mesdames:

In accordance with section 17-14, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, I am please to inform you of my appointment of Willie Espero to fill the vacancy in the State House of Representatives, 41st District, effective immediately.

The term of Mr. Espero's appointment will expire on General Election Day 2000.

With warmest personal regards,

Aloha,

/s/ Benjamin J. Cayetano

BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO"

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Credentials presented a report (Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1) which was read by the Clerk as follows:

"Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twentieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2000
State of Hawai'i

Sir:

Your Committee on Credentials begs leave to report that it has thoroughly considered the matter of the seating of Willie C. Espero as a member of the House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i.

Your Committee was referred the communication from the Governor of the State of Hawai'i on the appointment of Willie C. Espero to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of former State Representative Paul T. Oshiro. After reviewing the communication of appointment and the qualification of the appointee, your Committee finds the said appointee to be qualified and recommends that Willie C. Espero be seated as a member of the House of Representatives from the Forty-First Representative District.

Respectfully submitted,

Eric G. Hamakawa, Chair
Scott K. Saiki, Vice Chair
Marilyn B. Lee
Roy M. Takumi
David A. Pendleton
Paul Whalen"

Representative Hamakawa moved that Special Committee Report No. 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Saiki and carried. (Representative Okamura was excused.)

The Chair appointed Representatives Catalani and Yoshinaga to escort the Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice of the Hawai'i State Supreme Court, to the rostrum to administer the oath of office to Willie C. Espero.

The Chair then appointed Representatives Garcia and Santiago to escort Willie C. Espero to the rostrum.

OATH OF OFFICE

The Chair called upon Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon who then administered the oath of office to Willie C. Espero, in accordance with the provisions of Article XVI, Section 4, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

The Chief Justice then stated:

"Mr. Speaker, thank you for allowing me this honor and privilege to swear in the newest member of the House of

Representatives. And on behalf of the Hawai'i Judiciary, we extend to Mr. Espero congratulations on his appointment and we commend him for his pursuit of public service in this regard."

The Roll was then called showing all members of the House of Representatives present except Representative Okamura who was excused.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1756 through 1799) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representative Okamura was excused)

H.B. Nos.:

1756 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow, Catalani and Takai.

1757 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow, Catalani and Takai.

1758 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow, Catalani and Takai.

1759 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow, Takai and Catalani.

1760 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1761 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow, Catalani and Takai.

1762 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow and Takai.

1763 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Hamakawa, Catalani and Takai.

1764 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1765 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1766 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DRIVERS EDUCATION FUND UNDERWRITERS FEE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1767 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow and Takai.

1768 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow and Catalani.

1769 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow, Catalani and Takai.

1770 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Takai.

1771 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Takai.

1772 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENEWAL PERIOD FOR STATE IDENTIFICATION CARDS."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1773 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MOTOR CARRIER LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1774 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1775 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1776 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1777 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1778 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAX PROTECTION OF ROTH IRA'S."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1779 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1780 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER."

- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Yamane, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Cachola, Ito, Takai and Whalen.
- 1781 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL OFFENSES."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Whalen, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae and Ito.
- 1782 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I AT HILO."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Cachola, Halford, Hamakawa, Ito, Takai, Whalen and Yamane.
- 1783 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Cachola, Halford, Hamakawa, Ito, Takai, Whalen and Yamane.
- 1784 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Thielen.
- 1785 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL WASTE."
Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Goodenow, Pendleton, Takumi, Fox and Hamakawa.
- 1786 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL CASUALTY INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Fox, Goodenow, Hiraki, Thielen, Catalani, Takai and Hamakawa.
- 1787 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER."
Introduced by: Representative Chang.
- 1788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 1789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 1790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TESTING."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING THE REPEAL OF ARTICLE XIII OF THE HAWAI'I CONSTITUTION RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING BY PRIVATE AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1792 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, OF THE HAWAI'I CONSTITUTION TO ESTABLISH LEGISLATIVE TERM LIMITS."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONTINUED OPERATION OF THE HAWAI'I COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES CONTRACTS."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1795 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RIGHT-TO-WORK IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1796 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS OF LEGISLATORS."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1797 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 1798 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ANNUAL GENERAL EXCISE TAX HOLIDAY."
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Rath, Whalen and Meyer.
- 1799 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE REFORM."
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Rath, Whalen, Meyer and Thielen.

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 1756 through 1799) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
1756	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1757	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1758	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1759	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
1760	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1761	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1762	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

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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, relating to committee assignments, was jointly offered by Representatives Case and Marumoto.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, H.R. No. 1 was adopted with Representative Okamura being excused.

H.C.R. No. 1, relating to the mandatory recess for the Regular Session of 2000, determined to be the 23rd, 24th, 25th, 28th, and 29th days of February 2000; and the dates of the recesses, other than the dates of the mandatory recess, for the Regular Session of 2000, determined to be the 28th day of January, the 6th and 8th days of March, the 10th, 12th, and 18th days of April, and the 1st day of May, 2000, pursuant to Article III, section 10, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, was jointly offered by Representatives Case and Marumoto.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, H.C.R. No. 1 was adopted with Representative Okamura being excused.

H.C.R. No. 2, requesting the Governor to address the Legislature, assembled in joint session on Monday, January 24, 2000 at 10:00 a.m. in the Chambers of the House of Representatives, was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case and Marumoto.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, H.C.R. No. 2 was adopted with Representative Okamura being excused.

At 10:22 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the House and their guests were entertained by the following: the Ryukyu Kobudo Taiko Hawai'i-shibu drum troupe (Mr. Travis Eguchi, Ms. Shannon

Onomoto, Mr. Garrett Maekawa, Mr. Reid Muiishi, Mr. Gavin Tamashiro, Ms. Mika Tanji, Ms. Megan Tamashiro, Mr. Reece Sakai and Mr. Howard Eguchi) Chief Sielu Avea, Ms. Kristian Hegwood and Mr. Rodney Kwock.

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

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

"Governor Cayetano, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, former Governor John Waihee and his lovely wife Lynn, First Lady Jean Ariyoshi, our honorable Congressional delegation, Chief Justice Moon, family, guests, and friends:

"Before I begin, I'd like to introduce my pillars of support, my wife Cora, and my two sons, Geoffrey and Jared.

"Also with us this morning is our former House colleague but our friend always -- Paul Oshiro, who after 16 years of distinguished public service, decided to share his talents and knowledge with the private sector.

"Visiting us today are government officials from two countries. From Japan, we have Senators Takaoka, Hayashi, Ide, and Sukenobu. They are from the Fukuoka prefectural government. Another distinguish colleague from Canada, we have the Speaker of the House of Commons, Mr. Gilbert Parent, and his wife, Sarah. Welcome to our islands!

"Aloha!

"Today, I invite you to take a voyage of discovery with me. And in so doing, I ask you to bring three essential items:

"Courage. Faith. And the Spirit of Aloha.

"These are the provisions we will need as we embark on our voyage of discovery. I imagine these are the same provisions that the brave Polynesian voyagers brought with them when they embarked on their own journey of discovery and set sail over an unknown sea more than a millennium ago.

"Bring courage because courage is a necessary part of taking risks. As a French philosopher once noted: 'You cannot discover new oceans unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shores.'

"Bring faith because faith is the anchor we will need when we face the seas of opposition and the unknown. Faith is the hope in a child's eyes. Faith is the touch of an elder person's hand. Faith is the smile on the face of the poor and the sick.

"And bring the Aloha Spirit because taking a voyage of discovery together requires teamwork, respect, and self-discipline. It is the same Aloha Spirit I asked you to embrace when I gave you Nana Veary's book as a gift last year. I hope her words instilled in each of you its true meaning and significance, that you live the Aloha Spirit by listening not just with your ears -- but like the Hawai'ians of yesteryear, with your eyes, your mind, and your heart.

"A voyage of discovery requires action. As with any action, there are risks and costs. But just imagine where we would be, if not for the bold action of the early Polynesians who set sail for places not yet on the map!

"Our voyage of discovery will take us to many places in the days ahead. Let us discover the possibilities that await us! Let us take the bold actions required of us!

"We know from our own experience that bold actions and change, however difficult, also bring opportunity and renewal.

"Nowhere else is that more evident than at the University of Hawai'i. When faced with unprecedented budget cuts, the University went through a painful process of deciding which programs were core to the University's mission and cutting those that weren't. They did what was required to balance their budget and developed innovative ways to enhance their own sources of revenue.

"But the University wasn't done yet. They dared to dream big and they went after people who could make that dream a reality.

"Four of them are with us today. These are the mavericks, these are the visionaries, the motivators -- the kind of people who try to do more than they're expected to do -- to help the University regain its international stature and help drive Hawai'i's economy forward.

"First, we have Dr. Edwin Cadman. This former Yale physician, educator, and hospital administrator is now the new Dean of the Medical School and the interim Dean of the School of Public Health. Dr. Cadman has a vision that Hawai'i can lead the rest of the nation in medical research and innovative teaching techniques. To fulfill that vision, he is creating partnerships with other groups, both locally and nationally. Among other things, he envisions that biomedical research is an industry that can generate enormous economic activity for Hawai'i.

"Next is Dr. Wai-Fah Chen. He left his prestigious post as the Goodwin Distinguished Professor of Engineering at Purdue University to become the new Dean of the College of Engineering. He is known as an imaginative leader in engineering and his leadership is welcomed here. Our future will depend heavily on strong, vibrant, and creative technological and industrial bases. Dr. Chen's work will help train Hawai'i's students to work in the many fields of technology, including a share of E-commerce, which is predicted to be a trillion dollar industry by 2003.

"Next is Dr. David McClain. Dr. McClain was the Henry Walker Distinguished Professor of Business Enterprise and is now the new Dean of the College of Business Administration. He has been instrumental in bringing together the University and entrepreneurs to nurture the development of high tech firms in Hawai'i. High technology is almost a two billion dollar industry in Hawai'i. His leadership can help to transform our State into the high-tech center of the Pacific.

"Finally, we have Coach June Jones. He left a high paying professional coaching job to take on a winless college team. He said he took it because it was a challenge. We all know how that turned out. In one season, the University went from worst to first place, won a bowl game, and turned a budget deficit into a million and a half dollar profit for the Athletic Department. But most impressive to me is the attitude and confidence he inspired in his student-athletes. He is the kind of leader that former Notre Dame coach, Ara Parseghian, said 'will make his players see what they can be, rather than what they are.'

"It is often said that knowledge is the new strategic resource and education is the best way to attain it. We are all excited at what you will bring, not only to the University but to the rest of the State. You represent the kind of visionaries that the University -- the entire State -- needs. Not only will you be educating and inspiring our future leaders, but you have set in motion plans to ensure that the University is an integral part of the economic engine of our State.

"It is this kind of excitement that attracts international attention to the University. Just recently, I had the privilege of receiving a delegation from the National Assembly of Taiwan. They told me that the Taiwanese private sector is very interested in investing in educational and cultural enterprises in Hawai'i. They have already started discussing a joint venture with the University of Hawai'i at Hilo. These are the kind of

innovations that the University can further draw upon to become a leader in the Pacific-Asia arena.

"President Mortimer -- I thank you -- and please convey my thanks to the regents, the faculty, the students, and the administration -- for showing us the way, that the difficult fiscal seas that the University has been navigating through has resulted in unprecedented opportunities for everyone in the State. It is not just about the money; it is about having a vision --- and the courage, faith, and the Aloha Spirit to make it a reality.

"It is not only the University that has been establishing a new course. Our own House members have been busy preparing for the voyage into the future.

"At the end of last session, I asked our House members to continue working, especially on our troublesome issues: civil service, collective bargaining, Public Employees Health Fund, Employees' Retirement System, business regulation, Hawai'i State Hospital, and children's mental health system.

"Some members examined whether our tax dollars were properly spent on projects we approved. Others educated themselves about our schools systems, our farms, and alternate energy ventures.

"These issues dominated the last session, will dominate the session before us, and will probably continue to be with us for the next few years.

"This was a very busy year.

"I know that as a part-time Legislature, you all have jobs and commitments outside of the Capitol. Thank you for taking the time to participate in these work groups. Your work will play an essential role in our journey ahead.

"Although our economy is slowly growing, we still face rough fiscal waters. While the Council on Revenues predicts a moderate growth for the next few years, the Council has also issued a negative one point one percent growth rate for this fiscal year. It is still a time of budgetary caution and constraints.

"But, unlimited demands are being placed on our limited resources.

"Some of the demands are being placed by the courts, notably the federal courts. I highly respect the role of our courts in our system of government. But on too many occasions in recent years, courts have interpreted state laws beyond what we intended, and applied federal laws beyond what Congress intended.

"No doubt each court felt its decision was justified. But the sum total of these decisions has been to place enormous fiscal demands on our limited state resources. That is clearly wrong. We are the ones elected by the public and entrusted by them to create laws. We have the big picture. We know where the greatest needs are. We have the constitutional power to make these decisions and set the policy direction for the State, not the courts.

"We will work in good faith with all concerned to carry out our own intent and the Congress' intent. We ask for judicial appreciation of the enormous tasks we face, and for judicial restraint.

"Even with these court decisions, we cannot -- must not -- shirk from the responsibilities that surround us.

"Let us discover the opportunities that can be done even with these tight fiscal reins.

"Let us closely examine the regulatory burdens placed upon our businesses. We must ensure that the administrative rules are not outdated, that the rules meet their intended purposes, and that the rule-making process is more flexible and responsive.

"Let us remain committed to the tax reductions we provided in the last two years to ease the burden on our businesses and consumers.

"Let us spur construction, and assist our tourism industries at the same time, through a properly established hotel and resort construction tax incentive.

"Let us keep our streets safe through adequate prison space, treatment and rehabilitation alternatives to incarceration, and better gun control.

"Let us give the Department of Education the needed fiscal and administrative authority and accountability to improve the educational governance.

"While these initiatives will help us stay the course on our voyage, let us boldly explore new routes.

"We should explore ways of assisting tourism without using more of our tax dollars. We should develop more partnerships with this industry since increased tourism not only helps the State but provides profits for the stakeholders in the industry. One possibility is to work together with the large passenger cruise lines to improve our inadequate State terminals. Rather than issuing general obligation bonds and incurring the debt for the State, why not offer the passenger cruise lines a long term lease and allow them to pay for upgrading the terminals through their own special purpose revenue bonds?

"We should explore our growth policies and consider their overall, long term impact on the entire State's quality of life. I am troubled by directives issued by established communities not to increase densities in their neighborhoods. So, where is the growth going to take place in the next ten to fifteen years? Does it make sense to spend money to accommodate new growth when there are areas where the infrastructure already exists? What will happen to the beauty of our State when our green belt disappears? What will happen when political power and resources shift to the growth areas? We need to look at growth in terms of our environment, our revenues, and our overall quality of life.

"We should explore our advantages as the 'Health State'. We should create opportunities, not only with the Western methods and medicines, but with our own specialized know-how of Hawai'ian, Pacific, and Asian healing methods and medicinal herbs. Consumers spent more than six point five billion dollars in dietary supplements in 1996 alone. We suffer because of time delays waiting for approval of these products from the Mainland labs. Let's share our knowledge and invite the federal Food and Drug Administration and the National Institutes of Health to set up a pilot project in Hawai'i to test these products before it goes on the market. We can lead the way for the rest of the nation in testing, developing, and promoting safe medicinal herbs and products.

"We should also explore land policies to help us become much more self-sufficient. Land is both sacred and scarce in Hawai'i. Our rich soil, year-round growing climate, and strong agricultural traditions, including a well established irrigation system, means we can grow most of the food we need. With the decline of the large sugar and pineapple plantations, more land is available for entrepreneurial farmers. But our farmers need help. They need to count on land and water being available to them at a reasonable cost. Perhaps we should also look at tax and other incentives to make it attractive for both the landowner and the farmer to use fallow agricultural lands productively. Businesses which lease lands also deserve some assistance. Many, facing huge rent increases, may be driven out

of business. A few years ago, when single family homeowners faced similar problems during their lease/rent renegotiations with the large landowners, the Legislature did not look the other way. Perhaps we have another opportunity to help.

"These are just a few of the many opportunities for us to explore in the voyage ahead.

"Let us be bold. In adversity, there is opportunity!

"At the same time that we are exploring new routes, let's also take a close look at government services.

"We will continue our work at making systemic changes. As times change, so must government. We need a new government for a new millennium.

"As has been evident in the past years, government cannot solve all of the problems for us.

"We need a new style of government that will provide the tools for us to solve our own problems. That means a government that is smaller, lives within its means, and provides public services efficiently.

"We will look at modernizing our State's personnel policies. Our statewide civil service system was created, just think, over sixty years ago and needs to be scrutinized to ensure that it responds to the needs and resources of Hawai'i today. We will look at performance-based pay, collective bargaining, classification flexibility, and benefits.

"Government will have a new role in the coming millennium. But, government alone cannot do all the work. Each of us must share in the responsibility with the new government. Parents and guardians must make sure their children are ready for school. Businesses must hire people off of the welfare rolls. Each of us must work with our neighbors to keep our streets safe. We must learn to share responsibility for our family, our neighbors, and our community, and not simply rely on government to do all the work.

"The twentieth century is ending. A new century is beginning. A new millennium is dawning.

"This is the time in our history for us to use the wisdom that an ending provides, and to ponder our dreams that only a beginning can offer.

"Discovery for the people of Hawai'i did not end the day that the early Polynesians landed their canoes here. We still have much to discover.

"Let us launch our new voyages and face the turbulent seas of change.

"Together, with courage, faith, and the Spirit of Aloha, let us cast off our own canoes and make our own discoveries. Our future awaits.

"Aloha!"

The Chair then recognized Representative Case, Majority Leader, who rose and responded:

"Mr. Speaker, distinguished guests, respected colleagues of the minority party, but, first and foremost, to our bosses, the people of Hawai'i, from the 39 members of your House of Representatives whom you have elected from the majority party and charged with the obligation of leadership: Aloha!

"It is as you say, Mr. Speaker, that we must all enter, with courage, faith and the spirit of aloha, upon a voyage beyond sight of our current shores. We must do so because the shores we depart can no longer sustain us, and because we believe deeply that we will find and mold a destination that can.

"We have not entered upon this voyage blindly, or recklessly. We have prepared for it. We have stocked what has worked and we are leaving behind what hasn't. We know where we are going and why.

"In fact, we are already some years into this journey. But let's first back up and review the mission statement with which we embarked. With credit to Representatives Mina Morita and Sol Kaho'ohalahala, whose cultural heritage has encompassed this ideal for generations, our mission is sustainability.

"Sustainability is familiar to us in the environmental sense, and certainly protecting the carrying capacity of our natural bounty is a key element of our mission. But, in a broader sense, sustainability means our very ability to preserve the best of our society for future generations. It means a mutually agreeable and maintainable set of commitments to each other, an equilibrium on which we can all depend, through good times and bad.

"Sustainability does not mean no growth, no change, absolute stability and predictability. Growth and change and human progress are constants in today's world, just as are instability and unpredictability. Our mission is to build a better foundation, to identify a better set of guideposts, on which and by which to adjust to and master this new world. As Charles Darwin observed: 'It is not the strongest of the species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the one most responsive to change.'

"Let's now look at the specific components of our mission, starting with our most immediate destination, which has to be economic sustainability. Today's dynamic economies are like natural fusion, feeding on themselves, creating jobs, improving the quality of life, and producing adequate tax revenues to fund core government functions like education and public safety and pay public employees' salaries and benefits. This New Economy -- built on knowledge, innovation and adaptability -- is fostered by a fair and broad-based tax structure, a focused and flexible regulatory environment, a trained workforce, and carefully targeted government incentives.

"We have already traveled far here. In 1998 and 1999, your House majority led in enacting eight separate tax reform measures, including the personal income tax and the general excise tax cuts, which over the next six years will leave in the pockets of consumers and businesses for investment and spending an aggregate \$2 billion which would otherwise have been collected in taxes. In 1999, your House majority led in creating a comprehensive measure to foster the high technology industry in Hawai'i.

"We will stay this course and fully absorb these tax cuts. Now we must turn our attention inward to comprehensive regulatory reform, following the lead of Representative Bob Herkes and his bipartisan interim workgroup's efforts. We must all -- from businesses to consumers to regulators to legislators -- kick our addiction to over-regulation.

"We have traveled the least, and we have the farthest to go, toward government sustainability. In short, we seek an affordable, flexible, performance-driven, customer-oriented, responsive, externally-focused government that can adjust quickly to changing needs in the delivery of core functions.

"Complete reform of Title 7, encompassing civil service, collective bargaining and public employee benefits, must be our goal, because without it government will not be able to deliver what we need, either financially or operationally. We must also continue a moderate and prudent fiscal policy which recognizes that our last decade's journey of budgetary adjustment is not over.

"The sustainability of our education system, both lower and higher education, deserves separate note because the keys to

virtually all of our other efforts lie here. Our goals for government reform apply doubly here. Additionally, we seek greater fiscal and administrative autonomy for education as the fastest and best means to achieve our goal. To this end, we endorse Superintendent LeMahieu's initiatives in education-specific reform to increase accountability and authority, from the classroom to deep within the corridors of the Department of Education.

"We also seek equilibrium in our commitments to each other's well-being and protection, and to a vibrant civic life. In recent years, we have molded a sustainable safety net, but we have reached a place where continued sustainability must be achieved through efficient delivery rather than reduced coverage. To sustain the crime reductions we have achieved, we must and will provide both adequate prison space and preventive rehabilitation and treatment. And, while we have implemented comprehensive election reform in recent years, we must take it to the next level and now try full public financing of selected campaigns.

"Finally, back to environmental sustainability, we must distance ourselves, once and for all, from our overdependence on imported petroleum and outdated power generation and distribution policies. We must move toward full implementation of our existing state policy favoring renewable local energies to which, thus far, we have paid merely lip service.

"In sum, the voyage upon which we have already embarked, and on which, Mr. Speaker, your majority now continues, lies down several parallel but interdependent paths, all arriving at the same destination. While we have journeyed far already on tax and fiscal reform, we will now advance just as far on civil service/collective bargaining reform, regulatory reform, education reform, civic reform and energy reform.

"These are ambitious goals, but, if we are to fulfill our mandate, to lead this voyage for all, we must not and cannot be tentative. Nor will we neglect the guideposts of our core Democratic principles -- equality, opportunity, tolerance and compassion -- because they have repeatedly, repeatedly proven to offer the best hope for the most members of our diverse society.

"And as we do what must be done, we say:

"-- to you, Governor Cayetano, and your administration, that, as members of a separate, independent and co-equal branch of government, your House majority appreciates the spirit of partnership in which we have worked these past months and years. While we may and will disagree from time to time on course adjustments, we believe that together we represent the mainstream collective wisdom of the often silent majority of Hawai'i's people;

"-- to our minority colleagues, that we also appreciate the bipartisan spirit with which we have together done the people's work, and urge that together we both hold down the distracting rhetoric of an election year while we get our work done;

"-- to our Senate colleagues, that ultimately we are on this voyage together. We will give you our best set of directions and we will welcome yours, and we will work with you in good faith to implement what we agree on and resolve what we don't;

"-- to those who would abandon, under the guise of self-sufficiency, the old and weak, the vulnerable, the truly needy, those who honestly strive for a better life, that we will not go there with you;

"-- to those, both inside government and out, who would still practice a centralized control, personality-based brand of politics, that you have no place in this House, that we meant what we said about this open, inclusive, externally-focused

marketplace of ideas where each of us is accountable to each other and to the people; and especially;

"-- to those who just cannot let go of the status quo, cannot let that old shore disappear under the horizon behind us, we say to you that we have tried our level best to show you why we must go, but we can no longer wait for you.

"But most important, Mr. Speaker, we say to our bosses, the people of Hawai'i, that this is your voyage, that you know we must all go, and that the shore lying ahead will provide the safe harbor we seek. Oliver Wendell Holmes said: '[T]he great thing in this world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving. We must sail sometimes with the wind and sometimes against it, but we must sail, and not drift, nor lie at anchor.'

"Mr. Speaker, we are underway!"

The Chair then recognized Representative Marumoto, Minority Leader, to present the Minority's response:

"Mr. Speaker, Honorable Governor Cayetano, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, Chief Justice Moon, Congresswoman Mink, distinguished mayors, distinguished guests, friends and family, and my colleagues -- Aloha Kakahia'ka. Good Morning! We are at the dawn of a new Millennium! It is an exciting time to take bold initiatives, strike out in new directions, and take some risks. Yes, we can do it! In fact, we must do it!

"Though economists tell us our economy is looking up, it is still structurally very small and very weak, overly dependent on tourism, government expenditures and outside forces. Our regulatory apparatus stifles formation of new businesses and expansion of businesses, and our antiquated civil service system requires modernization. And high taxes remain a formidable barrier to capital formation.

"Forty years ago, John F. Kennedy looked out over a nation mired in economic stagnation and proclaimed, 'We can do better.' Twenty years ago, Ronald Reagan, facing even greater economic stagnation along with high inflation, said America needed 'a government as good as its people.'

"Well, today Hawai'i needs a government as good as its people.

"The U.S. mainland is enjoying the longest period of uninterrupted prosperity in its history. But, Hawai'i is the State the boom forgot. Politically we are still frozen in a past generation and a one-party state; the aging old boy network is alive and well. But I think people are disenchanting with political power plays and tired of excuses for non-performance.

"Our people want to work. They want good jobs. However, Hawai'i's high cost of living, especially high taxes on everything, including food, rent, and medical services, is driving our friends and families into bankruptcy - or to the mainland. If we lower the cost of government, lower taxes, increase efficiency, and ease up on illogical regulation, then we make Hawai'i more attractive for investment, and will eventually see more prosperity and increased revenues to the State. New revenues will then pay for government services that are necessary.

"How do we turn things around?

"Experts tell us we need structural reform, something the mainland economy went through over a decade ago. We have no reason not to believe them. Republicans have great hope for Hawai'i if we are willing to make some necessary changes -- take some risks.

"This Caucus knows that state government can create a business-friendly climate, a simplified tax filing system, lower taxes, and increased opportunities for privatization. We can

enact strong legislation to promote clean government and clean elections. We can push for safer streets and increased drug programs - in prison and out - since Hawai'i is in the grip of a crystal meth or ice epidemic that is tearing our families apart. We can construct a privately-built and privately-run prison - in Hawai'i.

"And because we believe that it is more effective to spend money on prevention than punishment, Republicans support full use of the tobacco settlement money, whatever the exact total is, -- 100 percent, not just 60 percent -- to pay for health programs that are investments in prevention. Why spend only 60 percent on important programs? Why save the remainder of the settlement money for a rainy day fund? As one senator said, 'it is raining now!' We can use the money for substance abuse and mental health programs and programs that prevent child abuse in order to give families a good start. Many studies confirm that prevention programs reduce future costs to government.

"Randolph Court, from the Democrat-supported Progressive Policy Institute, said recently that the new economy requires of us 'less stability, more risk and opportunity.' To compete in the new economy, Hawai'i must produce public school graduates who can read, write, handle math, speak English, speak one other language, and know how to take chances.

"The most important structural change Hawai'i needs is a public education system that works. The solution lies with granting decision-making authority closer to communities, educators, parents and students. Local boards of education, student-centered and charter schools are part of the solution as are small schools and 'schools within schools.'

"The current Board of Education system has few supporters. Democrats favor a centrally-controlled statewide appointed board, but voters have not once, not twice, but three times rejected that option. Hawai'i's people want to vote for their board of education. Regional, elected boards would encourage greater district involvement.

"Republicans are concerned that Hawai'i has by far the largest high schools in the country. Our high schools are 20 percent larger than high schools in #2 Florida. Teachers teach better if they know their students. Students learn better when they are valued members of an educational team. It helps, therefore, to divide large schools into smaller schools on the same campus -- so-called 'schools within schools,' or multiplex schools. Teachers, parents and students who then select a small school have a bigger stake in making the program work. And it goes without saying that we should preserve our current stand-alone small schools that are perennially threatened with extinction.

"We applaud the new support for charter schools. But current practice violates a basic charter school principle by allowing only one entity to grant charters. Republicans recommend that in addition to the BOE, the University of Hawai'i and even the counties be considered as chartering authorities.

"The school principal is perhaps the most important job in Hawai'i. Here is the person most able to lead Hawai'i public schools in a new, positive direction. We should consider paying Hawai'i's principals substantially more, provided they are willing to work under a limited-term contract tied to performance outcomes.

"Superintendent LeMahieu deserves credit for his emphasis on accountability. He offers the promise of a public school system that measures performance, and uses those measurements to reward and assist schools. It is an important starting point.

"I am also heartened by the news that the Department of Education and Kamehameha Schools will work cooperatively for the benefit of Hawai'i's keiki.

"We should further encourage Kamehameha Schools to follow the suggestion of former trustee Oswald Stender. He invited Kamehameha to take over the operations of public schools in areas with heavy concentrations of ethnic Hawai'ians. If Kamehameha uses existing public school facilities, they would save millions of dollars in construction costs in expanding their own system. And the Department of Education would save millions of dollars for not having to pay for students under the tutelage of Kamehameha. It is a win/win situation for all concerned.

"Finally, if we want to take our State rapidly into the knowledge era, we must ensure adequate funding and sufficient autonomy for the University of Hawai'i. A strong state university and community college system is our surest route to economic success and a ladder to success for its students.

"Hawai'i's future is a bright one, if we follow our instincts to change public education for the sake of the children. Let us take some risks to make structural reforms in our government. To continue to do things the same way is to be blind to the opportunities of a new century and a new millennium. Let us see, instead, the light of a new day in Hawai'i, and work together to let it shine for our children and our children's children.

"Thank you."

At this time, the Chair appointed Representatives Kanohe and Kawakami to escort Pastor Rob DeWolfe of the Good Samaritan Episcopal Church to the rostrum.

Pastor DeWolfe delivered the benediction.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Garcia: "Mr. Speaker, your Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs will be holding an informational briefing at 9:00 o'clock tomorrow morning in Room 325, for the purposes of discussing what, I believe, will be a glimpse of the future and a new vision on an issue which will be of major concern to not just this House, but for the Legislature. An issue that I hope we will be able to work on with our Governor as we deal with the pressing concern of prison overcrowding. I will unveil at tomorrow's briefing a new vision along the lines of what our Minority Leader has so graciously announced in her speech today. Thank you very much."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:03 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 20, 2000. (Representative Okamura was excused.)

SECOND DAY**Thursday, January 20, 2000**

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Kelii Akina, Executive Director, Hawai'i Youth for Christ, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Okamura and Whalen, 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. 2 through 98) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 2, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Teachers Education Coordinating Committee Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, transmitting copies of the report on Act 223, SLH 1998, Relating to Duplication of Government Services, Phase 2, a joint report prepared by the State and County Duplication Task Force.

Gov. Msg. No. 4, transmitting copies of the Report on the Development of a Master Plan for Pohoiki Boat Ramp in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 118, Senate Draft 1, Regular Session of 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on Identification of Rivers and Streams Worthy of Protection in response to Section 174-31 (c) (4), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, transmitting copies of the Report on all Special, Trust, and Revolving Fund Transactions Carried Out Over the Previous Fiscal Year prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in response to House Concurrent Resolution 125, House Draft 1, Senate Draft 1, Seventeenth Legislature, 1993 Session.

Gov. Msg. No. 7, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Annual Report of Decentralized Decision-Making in the University of Hawai'i System.

Gov. Msg. No. 8, transmitting copies of the Department of Transportation's Airport Landing Fees, Rates, and Charges Strategic Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 9, transmitting copies of the Department of Transportation's Pacific Cargo Network System Master Plan.

Gov. Msg. No. 10, transmitting copies of the Department of Transportation's Special Maintenance Expenditure Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 11, transmitting copies of the Department of Transportation's Project-Funded Staff Services Budget Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 12, transmitting copies of a project-funded staff services budget report for the period July 1, 1999 to June 30, 2000, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 75 of Act 91, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 13, transmitting copies of a report entitled "A Plan to Reduce Lease Costs and a Progress Report on the Implementation of That Plan" prepared by the Department of

Accounting and General Services (pursuant to Act 91, Section 63, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999).

Gov. Msg. No. 14, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of the Interagency Federal Revenue Maximization Revolving Fund for Fiscal Year 1998-1999" (pursuant to Section 29-24, Hawai'i Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 15, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of Stadium Authority Stadium Special Fund Statement of Receipts, Expenditures and Transfers for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1999" (pursuant to Section 109-3, Hawai'i Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 16, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Summary of Procurement Actions (\$25,000 or more) July 1, 1998 to June 30, 1999" (pursuant to Section 103D-321, Hawai'i Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 17, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Emergency Appropriation for State Government to Implement Year 2000 Compliance Efforts for the Calendar Year Ending December 31, 1999" (pursuant to Section 6, Act 61, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999).

Gov. Msg. No. 18, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for \$10,000 or Less for Fiscal Year 1998-1999" (pursuant to Section 41D-4, Hawai'i Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 19, transmitting copies of a report entitled "Annual Report of the State Educational Facilities Improvement Special Fund for Fiscal Year 1998-1999" (pursuant to Section 36-32, Hawai'i Revised Statutes).

Gov. Msg. No. 20, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's FY 1999 Annual Report on the Research and Training Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 21, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's 1998-1999 Fiscal Year Report on Tuition and Fees Special Fund Expenditures for the Purpose of Generating Private Donations.

Gov. Msg. No. 22, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Annual Report on Transfer of Appropriated Funds and Positions.

Gov. Msg. No. 23, transmitting copies of the Hawai'i State Public Library System's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 1999. The reports are prepared by the Hawai'i State Public Library System, Department of Education, pursuant to Act 129, SLH 1989 (Library Fines and Lost Books) and Act 327, SLH 1993 (Library Fee for Enhanced Services) as amended by Act 45, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 24, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Summary of Special, Revolving, and Trust Funds for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 25, transmitting copies of the Child Support Enforcement Agency's report on the Child Support Enforcement Program pursuant to section 29 of Act 91, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 26, transmitting copies of the Department of Public Safety's report on the State budget, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 27, transmitting copies of the Department of Public Safety's report on alternatives to incarceration for women, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 28, transmitting copies of the Department of Public Safety's report on dual diagnoses, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 29, transmitting copies of the Department of Public Safety's annual report on the recidivism rate of pretrial inmates released into the community to prevent overcrowding, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 30, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Annual Report of the Salaries Paid to All University of Hawai'i Executive, Managerial, and Faculty Members Including the President.

Gov. Msg. No. 31, transmitting copies of the Annual Report Detailing Accomplishments, Recommendations for Changes in the State Plan or Future Programs and Account of all Income, Expenditures and Fund Balance of the Hawai'i Historic Preservation Fund in response to Section 6E-3, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 32, transmitting copies of the report, Annual Evaluation of the Hawai'i Unemployment Compensation, which was prepared pursuant to Section 383-126.5, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 33, transmitting copies of the FY 1999 Annual Report on the Proceedings Under the Hawai'i Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act prepared by the Department of the Attorney General, pursuant to Section 712A-16, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 34, transmitting copies of the following: 1) The Executive Supplemental Budget for the Period 1999-01, pursuant to Section 37-72, HRS, Budget -- Supplemental; 2) The Variance Report for FYs 1999-01, pursuant to Section 37-75, HRS, Budget -- Variance Report; and 3) The Program Structure for FB 1999-01.

Gov. Msg. No. 35, transmitting copies of the Report to Submit a Project-Funded Staff Services Budget in response to Act 91, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999, Relating to the State Budget -- Section 73.

Gov. Msg. No. 36, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the North Shore Paukauila Streambank Erosion and Riparian Area Community Project in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution 223, Senate Draft 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 37, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Geothermal Royalties and Geothermal and Cable Development Activities in response to Sections 182-18 and 196D-11, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 38, transmitting copies of the Equipment Modernization Efforts in response to Section 45 of Act 91, Sessions Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 39, transmitting copies of the Status Report on the Natural Area Reserves System and the Natural Area Partnership Program in response to Section 195-6.6, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 40, transmitting copies of the Requesting the Convening of a Meeting to Consider Means to Attract Carbon Investments to Mitigate Global Warming Through Sustainable Forestry in Hawai'i in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution 202, 1999 Regular Session.

Gov. Msg. No. 41, 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 in response to Section 195D-26, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 42, transmitting copies of the Report Detailing the Transfer of Statewide Savings to the Forest Wildlife Resource Program (LNR 402) for Fire Suppression Purposes in response to Act 91, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 43, transmitting copies of the Annual Report Relating to the Forest Stewardship Program in response to Section 195F-6, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 44, transmitting copies of the Annual Report on the Status of the Wildlife Revolving Fund in response to Section 183D-10.5, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 45, transmitting copies of the Annual Report of the Hawai'i Statewide Trail and Access System, known as "Na Ala Hele" in response to Section 198D-9(7), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 46, transmitting copies of the amended University of Hawai'i's Report for the Fiscal Year 1998-99 on Tuition and Fees Special Fund Expenditures for the Purpose of Generating Private Donations.

Gov. Msg. No. 47, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Housing Assistance Revolving Fund Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 48, transmitting copies of the Status Report Relating to State & County Immunity from Liability, Section 3, in response to Act 190, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1996 as amended by Act 101, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 49, transmitting copies of the Feasibility Study for Kukaniloko Birthstones State Monument in response to House Resolution No. 188.

Gov. Msg. No. 50, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Annual Report on the Discoveries and Inventions Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 51, transmitting copies of a special report, "The Piggyback Income Tax for Hawai'i?" prepared by the Department of Taxation.

Gov. Msg. No. 52, transmitting copies of the report providing required information on State positions assigned to salary ranges SC-1, SC-2, and SC-3, in compliance with Section 77-13(d), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 53, transmitting copies of the report on actions taken to create a new class, advanced practice registered nurse in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 188, Regular Session of 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 54, transmitting copies of the 1998-99 Annual Report prepared by the Public Utilities Commission pursuant to section 93-12 of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 55, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 28 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 94, on Music as a Regular and Integral Part of the Core Curriculum in All Schools.

Gov. Msg. No. 56, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 7, on Restructuring DOE to Ensure Accountability at All Levels.

Gov. Msg. No. 57, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 210, on Middle Schools.

Gov. Msg. No. 58, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Act 199, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, on School-by-School Expenditures.

Gov. Msg. No. 59, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 18, on Expanding Family and Parenting Classes Training and Guidance for High School Students.

Gov. Msg. No. 60, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 194, on the Fitness and Physical Activity of Hawai'i's Children and Youth.

Gov. Msg. No. 61, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 1999, Act 91, Section 68 on the DOE's CIP Staff Costs.

Gov. Msg. No. 62, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 1999, Act 91, Section 33, on the Programs in Comprehensive School Support Services (EDN 150).

Gov. Msg. No. 63, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 1999, Act 91, Section 22, on the Mental Health Services to Children and Adolescents.

Gov. Msg. No. 64, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to Act 74, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, on Educational Assessment and Accountability.

Gov. Msg. No. 65, transmitting copies of the Hawai'i Public Broadcasting Authority 1998-1999 Annual Report, prepared by the Hawai'i Public Broadcasting Authority, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, pursuant to Section 314-12, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 66, transmitting copies of the annual report on Incentive and Innovation Grants (Chapter 302A-301, HRS).

Gov. Msg. No. 67, transmitting copies of the annual report on the Mandatory Expulsion Policy for Possession of a Firearm, Act 148 (1995 Legislature).

Gov. Msg. No. 68, transmitting copies of the Annual Education Status Report, Act 272 (1994 Legislature).

Gov. Msg. No. 69, transmitting copies of the Teacher Education Coordinating Committee (TECC) Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 70, transmitting copies of the 1998-99 Annual Report prepared by the Hawai'i Community Development Authority, pursuant to Chapter 206E, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 71, transmitting copies of the report prepared by the High Technology Development Corporation pursuant to Act 91 SLH 1999, Part III, Section 5, also submitted to the Legislature under Act 178, which also requests a consolidation report.

Gov. Msg. No. 72, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Report on the Tuition Waiver Program, 1998-99.

Gov. Msg. No. 73, transmitting copies of the itemized expenditure report prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development, pursuant to Section 60 of Act 91, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 74, transmitting copies of the "Tax Credits Claimed by Hawai'i Individuals and Corporations-1997" prepared by the Department of Taxation.

Gov. Msg. No. 75, transmitting copies of the 1998-1999 Annual Report for the Department of Taxation, pursuant to Chapter 231, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 76, transmitting copies of the Department of Human Services, Report on Fiscal Year 1999 which meets the requirements of HRS 346-5 and Act 100 Session Law of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 77, transmitting copies of a report prepared in response to HCR 65, HD1, entitled Domestic Violence & the Criminal Justice System in Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 78, transmitting copies of the report on expenditures to pay unemployment compensation claims of former state employees pursuant to Section 61 of Act 91, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 79, transmitting copies of the 1999 Hawai'i Real Estate Commission Annual Report, submitted by the Hawai'i Real Estate Commission, Professional and Vocational Licensing Division, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, pursuant to Sections 467-4(5) and 514A-133(d), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 80, transmitting copies of the 1999 annual report prepared by the Civil Rights Commission, pursuant to Section 368-3 and 515-9, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 81, transmitting copies of a list containing the claims paid from the \$1 million emergency appropriation received by the Department of Budget and Finance's Unclaimed Property Program, as required by Act 59, Twentieth Legislature, 1999 Session.

Gov. Msg. No. 82, transmitting copies of the 1999 annual report prepared by the Aloha Tower Development Corporation, pursuant to Section 206J-19, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 83, transmitting copies of the 1999 annual report prepared by the Department of Education, pursuant to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 1999, Act 91, Section 46, on the Quarter Status Report on Meeting the Requirements of the Felix v. Cayetano Consent Decree.

Gov. Msg. No. 84, transmitting copies of the 1999 annual report prepared by the Office of Planning, Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, pursuant to Section 205A-3(10), Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 85, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Board of Agriculture, pursuant to Section 4 of Act 281, SLH 1996.

Gov. Msg. No. 86, transmitting copies of a report of the Activities of the Kaneohe Bay Regional Council in response to Section 200D-5, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 87, transmitting copies of the Financial Report of the Special Unemployment Insurance Fund Revenues and Expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1999, pursuant to Section 383-127, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 88, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Department of Agriculture on House Resolution No. 58, HD 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 89, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Public Employees Compensation Appeals Board, pursuant to the provision of Sections 77-4 and 77-5, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 90, transmitting copies of the 1999 annual fiscal report of the Office of Information Practices.

Gov. Msg. No. 91, transmitting copies of the 1999 annual fiscal report of the Department of Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 92, transmitting copies of a report of the Joint Study on the Compensation Parity for Educational Officers pursuant to Section 148 of Act 91, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 93, transmitting copies a report of the Final Compensation Plans pursuant to Section 77-4 and 77-5, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 94, transmitting copies of the Hawai'i Community Development Authority's budget report, pursuant to Section 74 of Act 91, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 95, transmitting copies of the Implementation of Chapter 190D, Hawai'i Revised Statutes Ocean and Submerged Lands Leasing, pursuant to Act 176 (Section 12), SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 96, transmitting copies of the report on Commission Docket No. 96-0493, pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 22, HD 2.

Gov. Msg. No. 97, transmitting copies of the Department of Transportation's Intra-Island Water Ferry Transportation System Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 98, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Office of Information Practices on The Commercial Use of Personal Information, pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 196 and House Resolution 180 (Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999).

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

Senate Comm. No. 1, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled: "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 19, 2000, was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, S.C.R. No. 1 was adopted, with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

ORDER OF THE DAY

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 194 and H.B. No. 142, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1:

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, Conference Committee Report No. 194 and H.B. No. 142, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," was recommitted to the Committee on Conference with Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1800 through 1890) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Goodenow, Hiraki, Okamura and Whalen were excused.)

H.B. Nos.

1800 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1801 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY PARK."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1802 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE COLLEGE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1803 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1804 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FALSE CLAIMS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Takumi.

1805 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1806 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1807 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1808 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1809 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOL CREATION AND ADMINISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Rath, Moses, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen and Halford.

1810 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZERO-BASE BUDGETING FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen and Halford.

1811 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION AGAINST INTERRUPTION OF COMMERCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Meyer and Thielen.

1812 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXCLUSION OF FOOD, RESIDENTIAL RENT, AND HEALTH CARE SERVICES FROM THE GET."

- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen and Halford.
- 1813 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX SIMPLIFICATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Rath, Leong, Pendleton, Halford, Auwae, Moses and McDermott.
- 1814 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAR AGAINST CRYSTAL METHAMPHETAMINE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen, Fox and Halford.
- 1815 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS FOR BUSINESSES OFFERING DRUG TREATMENT TO EMPLOYEES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Rath, Leong, Pendleton, Whalen, Auwae, Moses and McDermott.
- 1816 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FUNDING OF THE SENTENCING SIMULATION MODEL PRISON POPULATION STUDY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Moses, Rath, Thielen, McDermott, Leong, Meyer, Whalen, Fox and Auwae.
- 1817 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN REFORM ENFORCEMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen, Fox, Rath, Leong, Pendleton, Auwae, Moses and McDermott.
- 1818 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER FRAUD AND ELECTION FRAUD PENALTIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen and Halford.
- 1819 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, Moses, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen and Halford.
- 1820 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES II, III, AND XVII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Meyer and Thielen.
- 1821 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Fox, McDermott, Auwae, Leong, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Thielen and Halford.
- 1822 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLITICAL ACTIVITIES AT WASHINGTON PLACE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Meyer, Rath, Leong, Pendleton, Halford, Fox, Auwae, Moses and McDermott.
- 1823 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSISTENT SUBSTANCE ABUSE TESTING OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Whalen, Pendleton, Auwae, Rath, Moses, McDermott, Leong, Meyer and Fox.
- 1824 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF BRIBERY OFFERS OR SOLICITATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Meyer, Thielen, Leong, Fox, Pendleton, Rath, Auwae, Moses and McDermott.
- 1825 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPEAT INTOXICATED OFFENDERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 1826 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
- Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.
- 1827 "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.
- 1828 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee and Leong.
- 1829 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIVING WAGES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Morita, Leong, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Luke, Santiago, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Menor and Saiki.
- 1830 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Ahu Isa, Leong, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Schatz, Thielen, Auwae, Luke, Oshiro, Kawakami, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Menor and Saiki.
- 1831 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WELFARE REFORM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Ahu Isa, Leong, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Santiago, Luke, Takai, Morihara, Takumi, Menor, Oshiro, and Saiki.
- 1832 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Morita, Leong, Marumoto, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Oshiro, Arakaki, Thielen, Auwae, Luke, Takai, Takumi, Menor, Morihara and Saiki.
- 1833 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES AND EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."

- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Morita, Leong, Yoshinaga, Thielen, Auwae, Luke, Arakaki, Takai, Takumi, Menor, Morihara, Saiki and Santiago.
- 1834 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Arakaki, Schatz, Oshiro, Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Case, Takai, Takumi, Menor and Morihara.
- 1835 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Case, Takai, Takumi, Schatz, Menor, Morihara, Oshiro, and Saiki.
- 1836 "A BILL FOR AN ACT REPEALING SECTION 327E-13(G), HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Arakaki, Thielen, Luke, Oshiro, Case, Takai, Takumi, Schatz, Menor and Saiki.
- 1837 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Morita, Leong, Marumoto, Lee, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Case, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Schatz, Oshiro, Menor, Morihara and Santiago.
- 1838 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE PROTECTIVE ORDERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Case, Takai, Takumi, Oshiro, Menor, Morihara and Santiago.
- 1839 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AWARDING CUSTODY AND VISITATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Oshiro, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Schatz and Menor.
- 1840 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Ahu Isa, Leong, Morita, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Oshiro, Case, Takai, Arakaki, Schatz and Menor.
- 1841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Arakaki, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Oshiro, Schatz, Case, Takai, Takumi, Menor, Morihara and Santiago.
- 1842 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Case, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Schatz, Oshiro, Menor and Santiago.
- 1843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Schatz, Case, Takai, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Takumi, Menor, Morihara and Santiago.
- 1844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF PROTOCOLS AND THE SPECIAL TRAINING OF PARAMEDICS IN THE TREATMENT OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PATIENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Thielen, Auwae, Luke, Takai, Oshiro, Takumi, Arakaki, Menor, Morihara and Santiago.
- 1845 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Case, Takai, Takumi, Oshiro, Menor, Morihara, Saiki and Santiago.
- 1846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE GOOD BEGINNINGS ALLIANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Case, Marumoto, Catalani, Menor, Morihara, Takai, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Luke and Santiago.
- 1847 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Menor, Catalani, Thielen, Arakaki, Yoshinaga, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Case, Takai, Schatz, Saiki and Santiago.
- 1848 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Takai, Case, Schatz, Menor, Morihara, Saiki and Santiago.
- 1849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX OFFENDERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Thielen, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Takai, Case, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Menor, Morihara, Saiki and Santiago.
- 1850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF FORCE IN SELF-PROTECTION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Lee, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Oshiro, Leong, Morita, Takai, Arakaki and Menor.
- 1851 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF FORCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Yoshinaga, Luke, Morita, Meyer, Leong, Lee, Thielen, Auwae, Arakaki, Takai and Menor.
- 1852 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STALKING."

- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Meyer, Luke, Thielen, Auwae, Takai, Arakaki, Schatz, Oshiro, Menor and Santiago.
- 1853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Leong, Luke, Oshiro, Thielen, Auwae, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Menor, Morihara and Santiago.
- 1854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Luke, Thielen, Auwae, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Morihara, Menor, Santiago and Oshiro.
- 1855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representative Santiago.
- 1856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
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- 1857 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
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- 1858 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
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- 1859 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representative Santiago.
- 1860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Morihara, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Yamane, Cachola, Suzuki, Takumi, Kawakami, Menor, Ahu Isa, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Espero, Yoshinaga, Chang and Ito.
- 1861 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Morita, Abinsay, Herkes, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Espero, Morihara, Yoshinaga, Chang, Ito, Lee, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Yamane, Cachola, Suzuki, Takumi, Kawakami, Menor, Ahu Isa, Souki and Hamakawa.
- 1862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Menor, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Yamane, Suzuki, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Takamine, Goodenow, Morihara, Yoshinaga, Cachola, Takumi, Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Schatz, Stegmaier, Espero, Chang and Ito.
- 1863 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Menor, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Yamane, Cachola, Suzuki, Takumi, Kawakami, Menor, Ahu Isa, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Espero, Morihara, Chang, Yoshinaga and Ito.
- 1864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Herkes, Abinsay, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Espero, Morihara, Yoshinaga, Chang, Ito, Yonamine, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Yamane, Cachola, Suzuki, Takumi, Kawakami, Menor and Ahu Isa.
- 1865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia, Arakaki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Cachola, Suzuki, Takumi, Kawakami, Menor, Ahu Isa, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Espero, Yoshinaga, Chang and Ito.
- 1866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Cachola, Garcia, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Suzuki, Takumi, Menor, Hamakawa, Takamine, Stegmaier, Espero, Ito, Yamane, Saiki, Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Goodenow and Yoshinaga.
- 1867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Cachola, Garcia, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Kanoho, Yamane, Suzuki, Kawakami, Menor, Ahu Isa, Hamakawa, Takamine, Luke, Saiki, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Goodenow, Stegmaier, Espero, Yoshinaga, Ito and Chang.
- 1868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCESS FOR MANAGED COMPETITION SPECIFIED IN ACT 230, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1998."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Cachola, Garcia, Arakaki, Herkes, Abinsay, Kanoho, Yamane, Suzuki, Kawakami, Menor, Ahu Isa, Souki, Luke, Yoshinaga, Chang, Ito, Morita, Lee, Saiki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Espero, Goodenow, Stegmaier and Morihara.
- 1869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Cachola, Garcia, Herkes, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Yamane, Suzuki, Menor, Hamakawa, Takamine, Goodenow, Espero, Morihara, Stegmaier, Chang, Yoshinaga and Ito.
- 1870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Suzuki, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, Chang, Garcia, Herkes, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Cachola, Menor, Hamakawa and Espero.

1871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Suzuki, Case, Yonamine, Cachola, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Espero, Goodenow, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Souki, Ahu Isa, Kawakami, Takumi, Catalani, Yamane, Herkes, Hamakawa, Takamine, Stegmaier, Chang, Yoshinaga, Ito and Saiki.

1872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Yamane, Suzuki, Takamine, Goodenow, Espero, Chang, Garcia, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Cachola, Catalani, Saiki, Takumi, Menor, Hamakawa, Souki, Yoshinaga and Stegmaier.

1873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Cachola, Catalani, Saiki, Yamane, Takumi, Kawakami, Suzuki, Souki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Hamakawa, Takamine, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Espero, Goodenow, Morihara, Chang, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Takumi, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Catalani, Saiki, Yamane, Cachola, Kawakami, Hamakawa, Suzuki, Souki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Takamine, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Espero, Goodenow, Morihara, Chang, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1875 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Cachola, Garcia, Arakaki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Suzuki, Souki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Hamakawa, Takamine, Kawakami, Takumi, Catalani, Saiki, Yamane, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Espero, Goodenow, Morihara, Chang, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia, Lee, Arakaki, Morita, Luke, Suzuki, Catalani, Ahu Isa, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Kanoho, Saiki, Yamane, Cachola, Souki, Menor, Hamakawa, Takamine, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Goodenow, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Ito, Espero and Morihara.

1877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATIONAL PRIVACY."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia, Cachola, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Yamane, Catalani, Saiki, Arakaki, Takumi, Kawakami, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Souki, Menor, Hamakawa, Takamine, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Espero, Goodenow, Morihara, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Takumi, Garcia, Lee, Hiraki, Abinsay, Morita, Luke, Kanoho, Saiki, Cachola, Yamane, Kawakami, Arakaki, Catalani, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Souki, Hamakawa, Takamine, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Espero, Goodenow, Morihara, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1879 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Ahu Isa, Garcia, Morita, Lee, Takumi, Hiraki, Abinsay, Luke, Kanoho, Saiki, Cachola, Yamane, Kawakami, Arakaki, Catalani, Suzuki, Menor, Souki, Hamakawa, Takamine, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Espero, Goodenow, Morihara, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1880 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Espero, Garcia, Morita, Lee, Hiraki, Abinsay, Luke, Kanoho, Saiki, Cachola, Kawakami, Takumi, Arakaki, Catalani, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Morihara, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Ito and Yamane.

1881 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Ahu Isa, Hiraki, Garcia, Arakaki, Herkes, Abinsay, Morita, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Yamane, Saiki, Cachola, Catalani, Kawakami, Suzuki, Menor, Takumi, Souki, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Espero, Morihara, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Ito and Goodenow.

1882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Kawakami, Garcia, Arakaki, Morita, Lee, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Luke, Kanoho, Yamane, Saiki, Cachola, Catalani, Takumi, Souki, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Espero, Morihara, Goodenow, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga and Ito.

1883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Yamane, Garcia, Arakaki, Morita, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Lee, Luke, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Hamakawa, Schatz, Takamine, Kaho'ohalahala, Espero, Takumi, Catalani, Kawakami, Saiki, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Ito, Morihara and Goodenow.

1884 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Kawakami, Garcia, Arakaki, Luke, Morita, Lee, Kanoho, Yamane, Cachola, Catalani, Suzuki, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Saiki, Takumi, Ahu Isa, Souki, Menor, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Morihara, Goodenow, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga, Ito and Espero.

1885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE

HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL NONVOTING MEMBER TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Garcia, Takai, Arakaki, Chang, Morihara, and Stegmaier.

1886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Chang, Arakaki, Garcia, Morihara and Stegmaier.

1887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Catalani.

1888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF A MULTI-PURPOSE SPORTS COMPLEX AND WORLD TRADE CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Chang, Luke, Morihara and Takai.

1889 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND ANIMALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Garcia, Chang and Takai.

1890 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL TURF."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai and Luke.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 2 through 6) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 3 through 7) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A SYSTEM TO IDENTIFY AND PROVIDE SERVICES AND SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN OF INCARCERATED PARENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Kawakami, Meyer, Luke, Takai, Case and Saiki.

H.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING CONTINUED FUNDING OF HAWAII HEALTHY START WITH GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Catalani, Kawakami, Marumoto, Takai, Thielen, Auwae, Meyer, Luke, Arakaki, Schatz, Menor and Santiago.

H.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEVELOPMENT OF PROTOCOLS AND THE SPECIAL TRAINING OF PARAMEDICS IN THE TREATMENT OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PATIENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Marumoto, Catalani, Thielen, Luke, Oshiro and Case.

H.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Marumoto, Kawakami, Auwae, Meyer, Oshiro, Case, Takai and Arakaki.

H.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE HAWAII STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia, Morita, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Lee, Luke, Kanoho, Yamane, Saiki, Cachola, Kawakami, Takumi,

Souki, Hamakawa, Arakaki, Catalani, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Takamine, Espero, Morihara, Goodenow, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga and Ito.

H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A SYSTEM TO IDENTIFY AND PROVIDE SERVICES AND SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN OF INCARCERATED PARENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, Thielen, Meyer, Arakaki, Yoshinaga, Auwae, Luke, Takai, Case, Menor, Saiki and Santiago.

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H.C.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEVELOPMENT OF PROTOCOLS AND THE SPECIAL TRAINING OF PARAMEDICS IN THE TREATMENT OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PATIENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Leong, Ahu Isa, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Meyer, Luke, Marumoto, Auwae, Case, Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, Schatz, Menor and Santiago.

H.C.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Luke, Case, Takai, Takumi, Morita, Leong, Marumoto, Thielen, Auwae, Arakaki, Menor, Morihara, Saiki and Santiago.

H.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE HAWAII STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia, Takumi, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Luke, Kanoho, Yamane, Saiki, Cachola, Souki, Schatz, Espero, Arakaki, Morita, Lee, Catalani, Kawakami, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Menor, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Takamine, Morihara, Goodenow, Chang, Stegmaier, Yoshinaga and Ito.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Case: "Your Majority members are reminded of our joint presentation of our Majority Package immediately after session in Room 325."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and Aloha. Happy new millennium. Know that it's a new millennium, which belongs to our keiki, we'll be setting the agenda for not only the new millennium, but this legislative session, for the Keiki Caucus. We will be meeting at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon in Room 329."

Representative Halford: "Mr. Speaker thank you. I'd just like to acknowledge that a lot of work went into gearing up for this session and that yesterday went off flawlessly. I'd like to acknowledge the Sergeant-at-Arms and Clerk's Offices for doing a great job."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:13 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, January 21, 2000. (Representatives Goodenow, Okamura and Whalen were excused.)

THIRD DAY

Friday, January 21, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative David D. Stegmaier, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Kaho'ohalahala and Okamura, 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 MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 99) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 99, transmitting copies of the report by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 201, Twentieth Legislature, 1999, wherein the Department is to report on the enforcement of workers' compensation mandatory coverage requirements on licensed contractors.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 15 and 16) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 15 from Ms. Kathryn S. Matayoshi, Director, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, State of Hawai'i, transmitting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' Report on Goals and Objectives, pursuant to Section 7 of Act 100, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 16 from Mr. Kazu Hayashida, Director, Department of Transportation, State of Hawai'i, transmitting the Department of Transportation's Goals and Objectives, pursuant to Section 7 of Act 100, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 2 and 3) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 2, returning H.C.R. No. 1, which was adopted by the Senate on January 20, 2000.

Sen. Com. No. 3, returning H.C.R. No. 2, which was adopted by the Senate on January 20, 2000.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Kahikina introduced two visitors from New York, Mr. Jeff Clinkenbeard and Mr. Kyaw Tha Hla.

Representative Takai, on behalf of Representative Ito and himself, introduced students from the Hawai'i State Student Council and Hawai'i State Student Conference.

Representative Lee introduced her "student shadow" from the Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Teaming for Tomorrow Program, Ms. Julia Chen from Maryknoll High School.

Representative Ahu Isa introduced her "student shadow" from the Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Teaming for Tomorrow Program, Ms. Michelle Alari from Kealakehi High School.

Representative Kawakami introduced her "student shadow" from the Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Teaming for Tomorrow Program, Ms. Meimei Fong from Castle High School.

Representative Catalani introduced her student shadow from the Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Teaming for Tomorrow Program, Ms. Joybelle Cacacho from Waipahu High School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 1800 through 1890) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
1800	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1801	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1802	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
1803	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1804	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1805	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1806	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1807	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1808	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1809	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1810	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1811	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education
1812	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1813	Committee on Finance
1814	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1815	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1844	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1816	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1845	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1817	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1846	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1818	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1847	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
1819	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1848	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1820	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1849	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1821	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1850	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1822	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1851	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1823	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1852	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1824	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1853	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
1825	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1854	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1826	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1855	Committee on Health
1827	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1856	Committee on Health
1828	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1857	Committee on Health
1829	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	1858	Committee on Health
1830	Committee on Finance	1859	Committee on Health
1831	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	1860	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1832	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1861	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1833	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	1862	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1834	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	1863	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1835	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1864	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1836	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1865	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1837	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1866	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
1838	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1867	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
1839	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1868	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
1840	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1869	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
1841	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		
1842	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		
1843	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		

- 1870 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1871 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 1872 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1873 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1874 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1875 Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 1876 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 1877 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1878 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1879 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1880 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 1881 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 1882 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then jointly to the Committee on Legislative Management and the Committee on Finance
- 1883 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1884 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1885 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 1886 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 1887 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1888 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1889 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1890 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

H.B. Nos.

Re-referred to:

- 1786 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1836 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 1870 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 1872 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1891 through 1913) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Cachola, Kaho'ohalahala, Okamura and Suzuki were excused.)

H.B. Nos.

1891 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC RIGHT OF ACCESS TO ROADS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami and Cachola.

1892 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Kanoho and Hiraki.

1893 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Goodenow, Kaho'ohalahala, Luke, Takumi, Cachola, Takai, Saiki, Santiago and Oshiro.

1894 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Luke, Kaho'ohalahala, Takumi, Cachola, Takai, Goodenow, Saiki, Santiago and Oshiro.

1895 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Goodenow, Luke, Takai, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Takumi, Saiki and Santiago.

1896 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Auwae, Marumoto, Abinsay, Ito, Whalen, Herkes, Kanoho and Morihara.

1897 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAUI REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1898 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone, by request.

1899 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

- Introduced by: Representative Thielen.
- 1900 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 1901 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PARKS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Kanoho, Meyer, Morita, Thielen and Garcia.
- 1902 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE WATER CODE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Kanoho, Meyer, Thielen, Takumi, Schatz, Morita and Garcia.
- 1903 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRAIN INJURY."
- Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 1904 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 1905 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL FEES."
- Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 1906 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING OF PSYCHOLOGISTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, McDermott, Lee, Santiago, Morihara, Yamane and Leong.
- 1907 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF PARENTS AND GUARDIANS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, McDermott, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Arakaki, Santiago and Leong.
- 1908 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNT CONTRIBUTION TAX CREDITS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Ahu Isa, Leong, Marumoto, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Kawakami, Thielen, Auwae, Luke, Oshiro, Arakaki, Abinsay, Takai, Takumi, Schatz, Santiago, Morihara, Menor, Saiki, Ito, Hiraki, Halford, Suzuki, Espero, McDermott and Yonamine.
- 1909 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Ahu Isa, Rath, Herkes, Abinsay, Ito, Auwae, Takai, Cachola, Whalen, Yamane, Takamine, Suzuki, Espero, Fox, Kanoho and Say.
- 1910 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 1911 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.

1912 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.

1913 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING CITATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.

At 12:17 o'clock p.m., Representative Case asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:18 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Morihara: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I would like to invite all members who are interested in Higher Education bills to Room 309 immediately after session today and also members of the Higher Education Committee."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Aloha 'Aui'na la, to my colleagues as well. Begging your indulgence, Mr. Speaker and colleagues, I know that our briefing is already scheduled and attached to our agenda, but I did want to remind our members, and also invite any of my colleagues who are interested, because we don't normally have Saturday hearings. We're going to have a briefing on various Human Services issues tomorrow, starting at 8:30 a.m. in Conference Room 329. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Pendleton: "Mr. Speaker, I'd like to let the Minority Caucus know that we have a caucus immediately following this session."

Representative Case: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is a reminder to members that today is the last day for unlimited bill introductions. Bills are due in the Clerk's Office by 6:00 o'clock p.m. and commencing Monday we will be under a five bills per day limitation. Also, just a reminder to members to note on the Order of the Business that the House session will convene at 9:30 a.m. on Monday."

The Chair then announced a correction to Committee Referral Sheet No. 2, page 11, and announced that H.B. Nos. 1870 and 1872, would be re-referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance jointly.

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., Representative Oshiro asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:21 o'clock p.m.

At this time, Representative Yonamine moved that all bills received by 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 Pendleton and carried. (Representatives Cachola, Kaho'ohalahala, Okamura and Suzuki were excused.)

At 12:22 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives stood in recess for the purpose of receiving bills.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

In accordance with the motion made earlier, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1914 through 2173) which were received in the Clerk's Office up to 6:00 o'clock p.m. this legislative day passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

H.B. Nos.

- 1914 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL REFORM."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Takumi and Takai.
- 1915 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee and Santiago.
- 1916 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Takumi, Leong, Abinsay, Saiki, Santiago, Thielen and Morihara.
- 1917 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago, Takai, Abinsay, Morihara, Takumi, Thielen, Leong and Lee.
- 1918 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Morita, Kahikina, Santiago, Leong, Abinsay, Morihara, Takai, Takumi, Thielen and Lee.
- 1919 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Leong and Lee.
- 1920 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Santiago, Kahikina and Lee.
- 1921 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRADUATED DRIVER LICENSING."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Santiago, Kahikina and Lee.
- 1922 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1923 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1924 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1925 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1926 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1927 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY TORT LIABILITY."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1928 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1929 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1930 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Suzuki, Say, Kawakami, Takamine, Chang, Herkes, Ito, Luke, Lee, Yoshinaga, Kanoho, Goodenow, Morihara and Schatz.
- 1931 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 1932 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow, Hamakawa, Abinsay, Morita and Lee.
- 1933 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNLICENSED CONTRACTORS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 1934 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPTOMETRY."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 1935 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 1936 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 1937 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE USE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO INSTALL UTILITY LINES UNDERGROUND."
Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 1938 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVISED UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE ARTICLE 9-SECURED TRANSACTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 1939 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHOO LAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 1940 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT APPOINTED COUNSEL LEGAL FEES."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

- 1941 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 1942 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 1943 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 1944 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX."
Introduced by: Representatives Menor and Kawakami.
- 1945 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Fox, Morita, Saiki, Hiraki, Takai, Hamakawa, Kahikina and Takumi.
- 1946 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Takai, Hamakawa, Kahikina and Takumi.
- 1947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHERIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Takumi, Morita, Takai and Kahikina.
- 1948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Takai, Saiki, Hiraki, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Morita and Takumi.
- 1949 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALIEN AQUATIC ORGANISMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Takumi, Morita, Saiki, Hiraki, Takai, Hamakawa and Kahikina.
- 1950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY OF HEALTH CARE INFORMATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Goodenow, Catalani, Takai, Hiraki, Schatz and Saiki.
- 1951 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPOINTED COUNSEL."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Morita, Thielen, Lee, Hamakawa, Saiki, Garcia, Chang, Schatz, Cachola, Whalen, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala and Auwae.
- 1952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HANDGUNS."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Schatz, Case, Catalani, Thielen, Takai, Kahikina and Oshiro.
- 1953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEAL BREAKS."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Catalani, Goodenow, Schatz, Hiraki, Takai and Saiki.
- 1954 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 1955 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CORRECTIONS POPULATION MANAGEMENT COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Chang, Kaho'ohalahala, Pendleton and Hamakawa.
- 1956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS."
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes and Luke.
- 1957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1958 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes, by request.
- 1959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION DIRECTING THE LEGISLATURE TO REFRAIN FROM ENACTING LAWS THAT AFFECT CONSUMERS UNLESS THE LAW IS BENEFICIAL TO CONSUMERS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1960 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER ACTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1961 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1962 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1964 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1965 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1966 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WIND FARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

- 1969 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MATCH FEDERAL FUNDS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF MANUFACTURING EXTENSION PROGRAMS."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREPAID TELEPHONE CALLING SERVICE."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1971 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST RESERVES."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 1972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRAFFITI."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Morita, Whalen, Thielen, Pendleton, Lee, Meyer, Saiki, Takumi, Cachola, Auwae, Kaho'ohalahala, Garcia and Hiraki.
- 1973 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 1974 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 1975 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 1976 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 1977 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE DEALERS."
Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 1978 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARITIME."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 1979 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Takumi.
- 1980 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STOLEN PROPERTY."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM DISCLAIMER OF PROPERTY INTERESTS ACT."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1983 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND COURT."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1984 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS"
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1985 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERAL ANIMALS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1986 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1987 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1988 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1989 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Takamine, Hamakawa, Nakasone, Morita, Luke, Morihara, Kanoho, Abinsay, Takai, Herkes, Rath, Whalen, Saiki and Kawakami.
- 1990 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 1991 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Yonamine, Lee and Leong.
- 1992 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITALS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Lee and Leong.
- 1993 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PINEAPPLE RESEARCH."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Ahu Isa, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala, Ito, Whalen, Espero, Morihara and Suzuki.
- 1994 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Ahu Isa, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala, Ito, Whalen, Espero, Morihara and Suzuki.
- 1995 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Ito, Espero, Morihara, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Kaho'ohalahala and Whalen.
- 1996 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Ahu Isa, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala, Ito, Whalen, Espero, Morihara and Suzuki.
- 1997 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Ahu Isa, Halford, Ito, Espero, Morihara, Suzuki, Kaho'ohalahala and Whalen.
- 1998 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE LEASES."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Ahu Isa, Ito, Espero, Morihara, Suzuki, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala and Whalen.
- 1999 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL QUARANTINE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Santiago, Chang, Ito, Whalen, Espero, Morihara, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Halford and Kaho'ohalahala.
- 2000 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL REVENUE BONDS FOR PROCESSING ENTERPRISES."
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2001 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2002 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION OF HEALTH INFORMATION BY PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURERS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2003 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION FUND FOR THE INSTALLATION OF OVERHEAD LINES UNDERGROUND."
Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2004 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY OF HEALTH CARE INFORMATION."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2005 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVERSE MORTGAGES."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2006 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2007 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 2008 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A NEW DRUG REHABILITATION FACILITY."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2009 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Thielen and Lee.
- 2010 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Fox and Lee.
- 2011 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Lee, Schatz and Takumi.
- 2012 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RECYCLING OF BATTERIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Fox, Ahu Isa, Suzuki, Kahikina and Catalani.
- 2013 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL RESEARCH."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Lee, Kahikina, Leong, McDermott, Kawakami and Stegmaier.
- 2014 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2015 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION."
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2016 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2017 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTION AGENCIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2018 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2019 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL WORKERS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2020 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OBSOLETE LAWS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2021 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACT 316, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1993, AS AMENDED BY ACT 157, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1995; AND TO ACT 278, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1999."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2022 "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 OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."

- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2023 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE."
- Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2024 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2025 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCREASED PENALTIES FOR FIREARMS USE IN COMMISSION OF A FELONY."
- Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2026 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Stegmaier, Takumi, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Goodenow, Catalani, Arakaki, Ito, Hiraki, Morita, Chang, Garcia, Morihara and Yoshinaga.
- 2027 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Lee, Espero, Marumoto, Morihara, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Kahikina, Abinsay, Arakaki, Chang, Ito, Schatz, Moses and Catalani.
- 2028 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito, Marumoto, Chang, Hiraki, Morihara, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Arakaki, Morita, Moses, Garcia and McDermott.
- 2029 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Thielen, Arakaki, Chang, Ito and Kahikina.
- 2030 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Hiraki, Takumi, Thielen, Garcia, Moses, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Espero, Ito, Kahikina, Leong, Marumoto, Morihara, Santiago, Stegmaier and Yoshinaga.
- 2031 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Lee, Pendleton, Hiraki, Espero, Marumoto, Moses, Morihara, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Yoshinaga, Schatz, Arakaki, Rath, Garcia, Catalani, Chang, Ito, Cachola, Goodenow and McDermott.
- 2032 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH BENEFITS COVERAGE FOR SOCIAL ANXIETY DISORDER."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Santiago.
- 2033 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Lee, Santiago, Espero, Takumi, Thielen, Morita, Suzuki, Schatz, Abinsay, Catalani, Chang, Kahikina and Leong.
- 2034 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Santiago, Catalani, Suzuki, Morihara, Hiraki, Lee, Marumoto, Takumi, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Morita, Goodenow, Abinsay, Chang and Garcia.
- 2035 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Morihara, Hiraki, Lee, Marumoto, Leong, Kahikina, Thielen, Espero, Abinsay, Catalani, Cachola, Garcia and Santiago.
- 2036 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito, Stegmaier, Arakaki, Lee, Morihara, Hiraki, Espero, Marumoto, Takumi, Yoshinaga, Chang, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Morita, Suzuki, Garcia, Schatz, Catalani, Moses, Cachola, Goodenow, Kahikina and McDermott.
- 2037 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SECURITY ATTENDANTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito, Arakaki, Lee, Morihara, Hiraki, Espero, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Morita, Garcia, Schatz, Yoshinaga, Catalani, Moses, Chang, Kahikina, McDermott and Rath.
- 2038 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Marumoto, Ito, Lee, Morihara, Hiraki, Espero, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Arakaki, Fox, Goodenow, Schatz, Moses, Cachola, Catalani, Chang, Garcia, Santiago and Takumi.
- 2039 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito, Marumoto, Arakaki, Lee, Morihara, Hiraki, Espero, Cachola, Takumi, Thielen, Abinsay, Kahikina, Leong, Morita, Goodenow, Rath, Garcia, Chang, Yoshinaga, Schatz, Catalani, Moses, McDermott, Santiago and Yonamine.
- 2040 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito, Morihara, Hiraki, Marumoto, Espero, Arakaki, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Goodenow, Schatz, Catalani, Moses, Abinsay, Cachola, Chang, Fox, Garcia, McDermott, Rath and Yoshinaga.
- 2041 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPUTER ACCESS BY MINORS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Ito, Morihara, Marumoto, Rath, Pendleton, Stegmaier, Hiraki, Leong, Kahikina, Morita, Takumi, Espero, Abinsay, Fox, Schatz, Moses, Goodenow, McDermott, Thielen, Garcia, Chang, Yoshinaga, Catalani and Santiago.
- 2042 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY."

- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Pendleton, Morihara, Stegmaier, Hiraki, Espero, Marumoto, McDermott, Rath, Schatz, Takumi, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Morita, Fox, Goodenow, Ito, Moses, Lee, Cachola, Chang, Garcia and Catalani.
- 2043 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Hiraki, Takumi, Moses, Cachola, Morihara, McDermott, Schatz, Kahikina, Abinsay, Suzuki, Yoshinaga, Chang, Ito and Catalani.
- 2044 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOOS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Pendleton, Marumoto, Thielen, Leong, Kahikina, Rath, Ito, Moses, Cachola, Espero, Takumi, Abinsay, McDermott, Garcia, Chang and Catalani.
- 2045 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BODY PIERCING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Pendleton, Thielen, Moses, Cachola, Espero, Marumoto, Abinsay, Kahikina, Leong, McDermott, Rath, Garcia, Chang, Ito and Catalani.
- 2046 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Morihara, Hiraki, Lee, Espero, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Goodenow, McDermott, Chang, Yoshinaga, Garcia, Kahikina, Arakaki, Santiago, Schatz and Catalani.
- 2047 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Morihara, Hiraki, Espero, Marumoto, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Kahikina, Arakaki, Goodenow, McDermott, Garcia, Chang, Schatz, Yoshinaga, Santiago and Catalani.
- 2048 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Morihara, Stegmaier, Hiraki, Lee, Espero, Marumoto, Takumi, Thielen, Schatz, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Arakaki, Suzuki, McDermott, Garcia, Chang and Catalani.
- 2049 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Morihara, Hiraki, Chang, Yoshinaga, Arakaki, Fox, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Kahikina, Abinsay and Leong.
- 2050 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Morihara, Hiraki, Lee, Espero, Marumoto, Takumi, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Fox, Goodenow, Arakaki, McDermott, Rath, Garcia, Chang, Schatz, Yoshinaga and Catalani.
- 2051 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STUDENT CRIMESTOPPERS PROGRAMS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Morihara, Hiraki, Takumi, Thielen, Arakaki, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Fox, Schatz, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, Stegmaier, Marumoto, Espero, Garcia, Chang, Catalani and Yonamine.
- 2052 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
- Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2053 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED CONTROL OF PROPELLED VEHICLE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2054 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2055 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2056 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL TRESPASS IN THE FIRST DEGREE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2057 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2058 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2059 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MAJOR COMMERCIAL PUBLIC EVENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Yoshinaga.
- 2060 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Ito, Leong, Oshiro, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2061 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Ito, Leong, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2062 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Ito, Arakaki, Leong, Oshiro, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2063 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Ito, Arakaki, Leong, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2064 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Ito and Arakaki.
- 2065 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Ito, Arakaki, Leong, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2066 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII FACILITIES USE REVOLVING FUND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Ahu Isa, Ito, Arakaki, Leong, Oshiro, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2067 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 10, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE SELECTION PROCESS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Ito, Leong, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2068 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Ito, Oshiro, Arakaki, Leong, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2069 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Ito, Leong, Oshiro, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2070 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara and Takai.
- 2071 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara and Takai.
- 2072 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NEW ECONOMY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara and Takai.
- 2073 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara and Takai.
- 2074 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara and Takai.
- 2075 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HO'OPONOPONO."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Arakaki, Chang, Morita, Lee and Takumi.
- 2076 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LITTER CONTROL AND BEAUTIFICATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Morita, Marumoto, Kanoho, Thielen, Schatz, Souki, Stegmaier, Takai and Takumi.
- 2077 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Ito, Takai, Marumoto, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Arakaki, Kahikina, McDermott, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2078 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Ito, Takai, Stegmaier, Marumoto, Takumi, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Arakaki, McDermott and Santiago.
- 2079 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Lee, Catalani, Garcia, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Saiki, Santiago and Souki.
- 2080 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Goodenow, Yamane, Garcia, Cachola, Catalani, Herkes, Ito, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Lee, Morihara, Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Souki and Yonamine.
- 2081 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
- Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 2082 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Catalani.
- 2083 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Fox, Hamakawa, Luke and Takumi.
- 2084 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Fox, Hamakawa, Luke, Oshiro and Takumi.
- 2085 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Schatz, Kahikina, Hamakawa, Abinsay, Morita, Takumi, Arakaki, Oshiro, Santiago, Souki, Thielen and Yonamine.
- 2086 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND CHILD WELFARE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani and Ito.
- 2087 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILES."

- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani and Ito.
- 2088 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Catalani and Ito.
- 2089 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."
Introduced by: Representative Ito.
- 2090 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Yoshinaga.
- 2091 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Yoshinaga.
- 2092 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Stegmaier and Morihara.
- 2093 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Stegmaier and Morihara.
- 2094 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REHIRING RETIRED TEACHERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Morihara and Stegmaier.
- 2095 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Stegmaier and Morihara.
- 2096 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Morihara and Stegmaier.
- 2097 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Stegmaier and Morihara.
- 2098 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Stegmaier and Morihara.
- 2099 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Ito.
- 2100 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Ito.
- 2101 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Ito.
- 2102 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Ito.
- 2103 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE VETERANS CEMETERY."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Pendleton and Ahu Isa.
- 2104 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Leong, Kahikina and Ahu Isa.
- 2105 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Leong, Kahikina and Ahu Isa.
- 2106 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX DEDUCTIONS FOR TEACHERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago, Pendleton, Leong and Takai.
- 2107 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR BLUEPRINT FOR CHANGE."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Leong, Thielen, Santiago, Lee and Pendleton.
- 2108 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Thielen, Leong, Kahikina, Santiago, Lee, Abinsay, Morihara and Ahu Isa.
- 2109 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Fox, Ahu Isa, Leong and Yonamine.
- 2110 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Luke, Schatz, Santiago, Takai, Takumi, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Kahikina, Morihara and Fox.
- 2111 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Takai, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay, Lee, Fox, Pendleton and Stegmaier.
- 2112 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago, Takai, Takumi, Thielen, Lee, Leong, Abinsay, Morihara and Fox.

- 2113 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ahu Isa, Kahikina, Santiago, Takai, Morihara, Takumi, Thielen, Leong and Abinsay.
- 2114 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Santiago, Lee, Thielen, Morihara and Fox.
- 2115 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay, Santiago, Thielen, Morihara and Fox.
- 2116 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2117 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEE BENEFITS."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2118 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2119 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2120 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2121 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROBBERY."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND TIPS OF EMPLOYEES."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION ACT."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2126 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED USE OF ANOTHER PERSON'S INFORMATION TO OBTAIN SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWN BROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECONDHAND DEALERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2131 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBER TERRORISM."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL DETENTION OF PREARRAIGNMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 2134 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL FEE SCHEDULES."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2135 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL PROPERTY APPRAISALS."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2136 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRECIOUS METALS."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2137 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLATINUM."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2138 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE FORECLOSURES."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2139 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2140 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

- 2141 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE BENEFITS."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2142 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2143 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM PRINCIPAL AND INCOME ACT."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2144 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2145 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII LAW REVISION COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2146 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2147 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2148 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTORCYCLE AND MOTOR SCOOTER INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2149 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."
Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Arakaki.
- 2150 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2151 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2152 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2153 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2154 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2155 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Saiki.
- 2156 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR BASIC DENTAL SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Leong.
- 2157 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATHLETIC CONTEST OFFICIALS."
Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.
- 2158 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.
- 2159 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO INCREASE HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Santiago, Kahikina and Leong.
- 2160 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY TRUST FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Leong.
- 2161 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Leong.
- 2162 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Leong.
- 2163 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Leong.
- 2164 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Leong.
- 2165 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Leong, Kahikina, Santiago, Ahu Isa, Souki and Auwae.
- 2166 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Leong, Thielen, Kahikina, Santiago and Ahu Isa.
- 2167 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Thielen and Pendleton.
- 2168 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga, by request.

2169 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2170 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOARDS OF WATER SUPPLY."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEAL BREAKS."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPREHENSIVE STATE TAX REFORM."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 7 and 8) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 8 through 10) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING STATE AGENCIES TO USE TWO-SIDED COPYING OF ALL DOCUMENTS WHEN FEASIBLE AND PRACTICABLE," was offered by Representative Luke.

H.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING CONTINUED DISCUSSION FOR A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF CURRENT CHILD PROTECTION LAWS," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Leong, Takumi, Morihara, Thielen, Kahikina, Abinsay, Santiago, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Lee and Fox.

H.C.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A DRUG COURT IN HILO," was offered by Representative Hamakawa.

H.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING STATE AGENCIES TO USE TWO-SIDED COPYING OF ALL DOCUMENTS WHEN FEASIBLE AND PRACTICABLE," was offered by Representative Luke.

H.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING CONTINUED DISCUSSION FOR A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF CURRENT CHILD PROTECTION LAWS," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Takumi, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Santiago, Abinsay, Morihara, Fox and Pendleton.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:00 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m. on Monday, January 24, 2000.

FOURTH DAY

Monday, January 24, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 9:38 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Father Mark Alexander of the Sacred Hearts Parish, after which the roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Meyer, Morihara, Okamura, Santiago, Souki and Whalen, 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 MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 100-103) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 100, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Department of the Attorney General on the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation.

Gov. Msg. No. 101, transmitting copies of the Department of Agriculture's Annual Report for fiscal year 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 102, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Department of the Attorney General on the FY 1999 Annual Report on Recommendation for Denial of Claims Filed Under the Legislative Relief Act pursuant to Section 37-77, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 103, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Insurance Commissioner on the Summary of Insurance Business for the Year 1998 pursuant to Section 431:2-211, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

ORDER OF THE DAY**COMMITTEE REFERRALS**

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 1891 through 2173) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

**H.B.
Nos.****Referred to:**

1891 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1892 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1893 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

1894 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1895 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1896 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1897 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1898 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1899 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1900 Committee on Finance

1901 Committee on Water and Land use, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1902 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance

1903 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1904 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1905 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1906 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1907 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1908 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

1909 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance

1910 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

1911 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1912 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

1913 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1914 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1915 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1916 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1917 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1918 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1919 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

1920 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1921	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1947	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1922	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1948	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1923	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1949	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
1924	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1950	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1925	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1951	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1926	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1952	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1927	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1953	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
1928	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian affairs	1954	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1929	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian affairs	1955	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1930	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	1956	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1931	Committee on Transportation	1957	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1932	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1958	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1933	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1959	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1934	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	1960	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1935	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1961	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1936	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	1962	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1937	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1963	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
1938	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1964	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
1939	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1965	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns
1940	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1966	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1941	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	1967	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
1942	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		
1943	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance		
1944	Committee on Finance		
1945	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		
1946	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance		

1968	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance	1994	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
1969	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	1995	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1970	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1996	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
1971	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	1997	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
1972	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1998	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
1973	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	1999	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1974	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2000	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
1975	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2001	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1976	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2002	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1977	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2003	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1978	Committee on Transportation	2004	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1979	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2005	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1980	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2006	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1981	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2007	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1982	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2008	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1983	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2009	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1984	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2010	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1985	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2011	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
1986	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2012	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1987	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2013	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1988	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2014	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
1989	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2015	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1990	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2016	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
1991	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance		
1992	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance		
1993	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance		

2017	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2041	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2018	Committee on Finance		
2019	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2042	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2020	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns	2043	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2021	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns	2044	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2022	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns	2045	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2023	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2046	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2024	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2047	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2025	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2048	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2026	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	2049	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2027	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2050	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2028	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2051	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2029	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2052	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2030	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2053	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2031	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2054	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2032	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2055	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2033	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2056	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2034	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2057	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2035	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2058	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2036	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2059	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2037	Jointly on the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2060	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2038	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2061	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2039	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2062	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2040	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2063	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
		2064	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2065	Committee on Finance	2091	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2066	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2092	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2067	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2093	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2068	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2094	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2069	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2095	Committee on Education
2070	Committee on Higher Education	2096	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2071	Committee on Higher Education	2097	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2072	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns	2098	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2073	Committee on Higher Education	2099	Committee on Education
2074	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns	2100	Committee on Education
2075	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2101	Committee on Education
2076	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2102	Committee on Education
2077	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2103	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2078	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2104	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2079	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2105	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2080	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2106	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2081	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2107	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2082	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2108	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2083	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2109	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2084	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2110	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2085	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2111	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2086	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2112	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2087	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2113	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2088	Committee on Finance	2114	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2089	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2115	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2090	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2116	Committee on Labor and Public Employment
		2117	Committee on Labor and Public Employment

2118	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	2145	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2119	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2146	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2120	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	2147	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2121	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2148	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2122	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2149	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2123	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2150	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
2124	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2151	Committee on Finance
2125	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2152	Committee on Water and Land Use
2126	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2153	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2127	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2154	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2128	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2155	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2129	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2156	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2130	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2157	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2131	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2158	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2132	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2159	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2133	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2160	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2134	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2161	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2135	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2162	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2136	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2163	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2137	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2164	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2138	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2165	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2139	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2166	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2140	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2167	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2141	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance		
2142	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance		
2143	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance		
2144	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		

- 2168 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2169 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2170 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2171 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2172 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2173 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 2 through 6) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 3 through 8) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

- | <u>H.R.</u>
<u>Nos.</u> | <u>Referred to:</u> |
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| 2 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 3 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 4 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 5 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 6 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |

- | <u>H.C.R.</u>
<u>Nos.</u> | <u>Referred to:</u> |
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| 3 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 4 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 5 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 6 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 7 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 8 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |

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> |
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| 1877 | Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2024 | Committee on Finance |
| 2065 | Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2150 | Committee on Finance |

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Aloha kakahia'ka. Just an additional piece of information to our announcement of the joint Health and Human Services supplemental budget briefing. We will be serving lunch at 12:00 noon. So I'd like to ask our members to please be on time and also invite our other colleagues to join us. Thank you."

At 9:43 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 of the Twentieth Legislature was called to order at 10:03 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker then welcomed and introduced the following distinguished guests to the members of the Twentieth Legislature:

First Lady Mrs. Vicky Cayetano
A floral lei was presented to Mrs. Cayetano by Senator Taniguchi;

Lt. Governor Mazie Hirono and Mr. Leighton Oshima
Floral leis were presented to Lt. Governor Hirono and Mr. Oshima by Representative Espero and Senator Hanabusa, respectively;

Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon
A floral lei was presented to Chief Justice Moon by Representative Luke;

The Honorable Patsy Mink, U.S. Congresswoman;

The Honorable Stephen Yamashiro, Mayor of the County of Hawai'i;

The Honorable James Apana, Mayor of the County of Maui;

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

The Honorable Maryanne Kusaka, Mayor of the County of Kauai;

The Honorable Ronald Kouchi, Council Chair, County of Kauai;

The Honorable Patrick Kawano, Council Chair, County of Maui;

The Honorable Jon Yoshimura, Council Chair, City and County of Honolulu;

Mr. Clayton Hee, Trustee, Office of Hawai'ian Affairs; and

Ms. Minerva Jean A. Falcon, Dean of the Consul Corps and other Consular Corps members.

The Speaker appointed Representatives Oshiro, Case, Yonamine and Marumoto and Senators Chumbley, Ihara, Chun and Anderson to escort the Honorable Benjamin J. Cayetano, Governor of the State of Hawai'i, to the rostrum.

A floral lei was presented to Governor Cayetano by Representative Kawakami and Senator Fukunaga on behalf of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

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

"Members of the Twentieth Legislature, ladies and gentlemen, please join me in extending our warmest aloha and welcome to the Governor of the State of Hawai'i, the Honorable Benjamin J. Cayetano."

The Governor addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"Thank you very much.

"I was glad to see that measure of cooperation. I've never kissed a Representative and a Senator at the same time.

"Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, distinguished members of the House and Senate, Lieutenant Governor Hirono, Congresswoman Mink, Chief Justice Moon, Mayors Apana, Harris, Kusaka and Yamashiro, members of the County Councils and City Council, members of the Consular Corp, distinguished guests and friends.

"First I want to tell you that for the first time ever, the viewers on the World Wide Web are watching this address at their desktops in Hawai'i and throughout the world and for this we have to thank, the University of Hawai'i, PixelWorld, Oceanic Cable, the Department of Information and Computer Science, and the High Technology Development Corporation. To all of our on-line viewers, aloha and thank you for logging on.

"Now before I begin, I want to introduce three outstanding individuals, who I believe symbolize everything that is right with public service in Hawai'i. First is someone who is part of our cabinet, he served our country and state in peace and war with great distinction. He served under three governors and as State Adjutant General. He built the Hawai'i National Air and Army Guard into one of the best in the Nation. We are going to miss him, but he's earned a well deserved retirement. May I present ladies and gentlemen Maj. Gen. Edward Richardson.

"Faye Nakamoto. Faye heads the Department of Health's WIC program. WIC stands for Women, Infants and Children. When Faye was faced with a 30 percent budget cut, Faye rolled up her sleeves, restructured her unit, implemented the most sophisticated computer check system in the nation, and continued to provide quality service to the 35,000 needy women, infants and children in the WIC program while saving money. Last year Faye was selected as one of only three state employees in the entire country for the National Governors' Association prestigious Distinguished Service Award. Ladies and gentlemen, please give a hand to Faye Nakamoto.

"When our First Lady Vicky first heard that the University of Hawai'i was considering hiring a person named June Jones to

coach the University of Hawai'i Rainbow Warriors football team, for a moment, being the kind of women's advocate she is, she thought Hawai'i had made history by hiring the first woman football coach. Well June, she wasn't disappointed, believe me. June Jones is a special person. He loves Hawai'i. He understands what makes Hawai'i special. I wanted to acknowledge June today because his leadership and vision go far beyond the football team. What he has accomplished in just one year is the beginning of a new era for the University of Hawai'i's athletic program. June please stand to be recognized.

"This morning it is my privilege to make my sixth address to you on the State of the State.

"I am struck by the historical significance of this moment. As Governor, and as members of the Legislature, you and I have been given the honor of being the first to lead our State into the dawn of the New Millennium. For this, I thank the people of the Hawai'i for giving me the privilege of serving them for the past 26 years.

"I want to thank my wife Vicky, our children, my son Brandon who is here, our family and all of our supporters who helped make this day possible.

"When I took office in December of 1994, Hawai'i's economy was stagnant -- absolutely zero growth since 1991 -- with severe dislocations in tourism, construction and real estate. Japanese investment in particular had dried up, pure and simple.

"State government faced its worst fiscal crisis ever with a projected shortfall of more than \$600 million -- approximately 20 percent of the State's \$3.1 billion general fund budget.

"We needed to make tough decisions. And we did. We cut spending and we implemented policies to make state government more efficient and productive. We protected lower education from budget cuts, but at the expense of other departments.

"To boost tourism, we built a world-class convention center, created the Hawai'i Tourism Authority and gave the Authority \$60 million to market Hawai'i.

"We gave one of the biggest tax cuts in the country -- \$2 billion over six years. And we reformed workers compensation, cutting premiums by as much as 30 to 50 percent.

"We developed new, aggressive strategies to diversify Hawai'i's economy with a focus on industries such as biotech, high tech, healthcare, and multimedia.

"Well, I am happy to report our efforts seem to have borne some fruit.

"Recent economic indicators reveal: That personal income is up by more than 2 percent since 1997; The unemployment rate is down nearly a full percentage point compared to a year ago; Visitor arrivals are up 2 percent this year; Real estate sales have been up since 1997, and in 1999 are growing at double-digit rates; Automobile sales are at record levels; Construction, our hardest hit industry, is also recovering. The value of private building permits is up 30 percent indicating a resurgence of private construction.

"And last month, the Council on Revenues surprised all of us by increasing its revenue forecast by an average of a full percent each year for the next five years. Compared to the Council's September projections, this adds nearly one-half billion dollars by 2005.

"A year ago, few of our economic experts even acknowledged a hint of recovery. Today, all of them agree that Hawai'i's economy is in recovery. Some, like Bank of Hawai'i's Paul Brewbaker, have told you that they believe

Hawai'i's economy is past recovery and is now in the expansion stage. What a difference a year makes!

"We are on the right track. But now is not the time to rest. We still have much more to do. The work of government never ends. And as the leaders of this New Century, we have a tremendous opportunity to build a New Economy for our children's future.

"So let me share with you, this morning, my priorities over the next few years.

"Education has been, and will continue to be, my highest priority. Over the past five years, we've increased -- I repeat, increased -- education's budget. We've built a record thirteen new schools, added more than 900 classrooms, gyms, cafeterias, and libraries. We've extended the school year by seven days. And we've increased teachers' pay.

"This year, our supplemental budget gives the Department of Education nearly 400 new positions and \$21.7 million in additional general funding. This includes \$2.7 million for the DOE's Hawai'i Content and Performance Standards, and \$4.4 million for additional regular education teachers, who teach special education in their classrooms.

"In addition, I am proposing to you a three-year, \$210 million repair and maintenance program for our schools, university and public buildings.

"Last year, the National Education Association ranked Hawai'i 21st in the nation for per student spending. This year we're spending \$6,229 per student. Next year we'll be spending \$6,865 per student.

"It is important for all of us to realize that 38.4 percent of our general fund budget is going in to lower education and 12.7 percent of the general fund is going into higher education. This represents 51 percent of our general fund.

"All of us would like to provide more funding to our schools. But the funding debate should not detract from the real issue. No matter how much we fund education, little will change unless we hold people accountable for their performances.

"In my 26 years in elected office, I've seen many educational reforms developed with high hopes -- Three on Two, the Hawai'i English Program, School Community Based Management, Rollover Savings -- just to name a few.

"In spite of our well-intended efforts, we have yet to show really satisfying results. To be frank, we all know our taxpayers are not satisfied with our public schools; and too many of our educators are demoralized by the state of affairs in public education.

"We need to ask ourselves why. Accountability. Or rather, the lack of accountability, I believe, is the answer. Study after study shows that every state which has made significant improvements in student performance, has a strong accountability system. And we simply don't have one here in Hawai'i.

"Fortunately, we have a Superintendent of Education who understand this only too well and is willing to do something about it. And I agree with him in concluding that a system of accountability is what Hawai'i's public schools need most of all.

"Therefore, I propose the following:

"First, that we support Dr. LeMahieu's proposal to implement a system of accountability and give him the authority necessary to make it happen. Dr. LeMahieu, please stand.

"Second, that we implement teacher competency testing by the start of the 2001 school year. Teachers who are not knowledgeable about their subjects are of no help to their students. It's unfair to the teacher, and it's unfair to our children.

"Establishing competency testing should not be difficult. After all, Hawai'i and Washington are the only two states in the nation that do not have it. And so there are 48 models from which we can choose. We do not have to reinvent the wheel to do this. I ask for your support.

"Everyone agrees there should be some system of accountability when you ask them. But some say accountability is a subject of negotiation in collective bargaining. On this issue, I respectfully disagree. Setting performance and accountability standards which have to do with the education of our children, cannot -- must not -- and should never be negotiated.

"In his book, *Work of Nations*, former U.S. Secretary of Labor Robert Reich, said that the nations, states, cities which will prosper in the new century are those which have a highly skilled and educated workforce. This holds true for individuals as well. This is why I have given education the highest priority.

"Today, I'm very happy to announce our plans for bringing Hawai'i's educational institutions -- and the people they serve -- into step with the competitive challenges of the new century. These plans call for a number of investments in new programs at the Department of Education and the University of Hawai'i.

"Our children, Hawai'i's future leaders, must have the best K-12 education in reading, writing, science, math, and technology. Therefore, I propose investing \$1 million in the Hawai'i Networked Learning Communities Program, an innovative e-school approach using the latest technologies for students and teachers. This is a joint effort of the DOE, the University of Hawai'i, and the private sector, that is attracting the attention of the National Science Foundation. I ask you to support this.

"There are some exciting things happening at the University of Hawai'i besides the football team. The University has recruited a couple of academic leaders of bold vision who are nationally renowned in their particular fields and they happen to be experts in two fields in which I believe we have high priority: Healthcare and Technology.

"A first rate medical school is fundamental to our desire to make Hawai'i the Premier Healthcare Center of the Pacific. A first rate medical school sets the standards which others -- physicians and scientists -- aspire to.

"Dr. Edwin Cadman, the new dean of the medical school proposes to establish the Asia Pacific Center of Medical Biosciences. According to Dr. Cadman, this center will transform the University's medical program 'into absolutely one of the tops' in biomedical research.

"Dr. Cadman, formerly from Yale, brings with him a distinguished national reputation. Moreover, for those of us who have met him, he is the ultimate and the most extreme optimist. With community support, he believes we can develop a medical school and a bioscience program that in five to ten years will become one of the best in the nation. And he believes that this school will be an economic boon for our State.

"Therefore, I propose to give \$1 million to the medical school to help Dr. Cadman build his center. And I ask that you support me in supporting Dr. Cadman and the University School of Medicine.

"Dr. Cadman is here today. Those of us who have had the opportunity to know him, know that he really loves Hawai'i. He's an outdoor person and besides being really smart in what

he's an expert in, he's a great guy. Dr. Cadman, please stand up and be recognized.

"All of you know who Guy Kawasaki is, local grown Iolani graduate and one of the pioneers at Apple Computer. He's also now a nationally known hi-tech consultant, business person and some say evangelist. Guy once told me that if Hawai'i wanted to develop a high tech industry, it must have a world-class engineering school.

"We are fortunate to have Dr. Wai Fah Chen, the new dean of the College of Engineering. Dr. Chen hails from Purdue University and is nationally renowned in the field of engineering.

"Dr. Chen tells me that the University of Hawai'i already has a fine College of Engineering. He leads what he calls an all-star faculty. Almost 25 percent of the UH school's professors have earned the National Science Foundation's Presidential Young Investigator award. This award only goes to the nation's best and brightest young faculty. Dr. Chen says that our ratio is better than many of the best engineering schools in the country, and to me that demonstrates the quality that we have already at our engineering school.

"Dr. Chen believes that the College of Engineering can become even better, in time, one of the best in the world. As a start, he proposes to build the Hawai'i Wireless Communication Center. I am inspired by his enthusiasm and vision. Therefore, I propose that we give an additional \$1 million to him to build his center. This first-of-its-kind facility will enable the school to integrate cutting edge research and development with teaching. Ladies and gentlemen, I'm pleased to introduce Dr. Wai Fah Chen.

"In 1998 the internet economy generated over \$300 billion in revenue and 1.2 million jobs. By comparison, it took the automobile industry 100 years to reach such heights. For this reason, Hawai'i and its workforce must be competitive in global e-commerce.

"Under the direction of Dr. David McClain, the new dean of the University of Hawai'i's College of Business Administration, the College is developing the Asia Pacific Center for E-Commerce and Entrepreneurship. I am excited by this project and I propose to give \$1 million to this program as well. This will give students the skills they need to take advantage of business opportunities in the explosive Internet industry. Dr. McClain could not be here today, but I ask your support for this program as well.

"Hawai'i's community colleges are also preparing our workforce for the challenges of the future. Their new Pacific Center for Advanced Technology Training will provide the rapid re-training needed for workers to compete for better, higher paying technology jobs. I propose \$1 million for this program as well.

"Each of these initiatives contribute to our vision. Hawai'i's education system will become a network of complementary institutions producing a skilled workforce to compete in the new economy.

"We want to build a more flexible, more responsive education system in Hawai'i, one that will work in close cooperation with both public and private sectors.

"Now you may be wondering, how do we intend to pay for these projects? I was wondering that myself when I thought it up.

"As a start, I propose to use funds from the \$27 million the state realized from its Digital Island investment. The success of Digital Island was a grand-slam home run for the State. Digital Island was started at the State's Manoa Innovation Center by a

fourth-generation 'local boy' named Ron Higgins. Today, that company is a global corporation valued at more than \$3 billion.

"To encourage more Digital Islands, we must attract more venture capital to Hawai'i. And we can't expect to do this without first investing in Hawai'i ourselves.

"Hawai'i has many assets attractive to technology companies: the high quality of life, a fine college of engineering, and a world-class communications infrastructure. But, we don't have venture capital.

"The availability of venture capital to finance start-up companies is vital to building our technology industry. We need more venture capital.

"Therefore, I propose establishing a new \$50 million state venture capital fund called the Hawai'i Technology Fund. This fund will be comprised of proceeds from the State's Digital Island holdings, together with an investment from the Employees' Retirement System.

"I believe these funds can be leveraged with Small Business Administration Programs up to \$90 million. And we will encourage our labor unions and private and charitable trusts to invest into the fund.

"I ask that you support our legislation to establish this Fund.

"Hawai'i's landmark Technology Omnibus Bill, Act 178, was passed last year and it creates a great framework to move Hawai'i's technology industry into the new century. Private industry, including national corporations, have given this new law high marks. Compared to other states, it is one of the most progressive in the nation.

"At this time, I'd like to thank you, members of the Legislature for passing this bill, and I would also like to acknowledge its key authors, Representative David Morihara and Senator David Ige, who went with me to Silicon Valley and talked to all those CEOs, for their vision and their fine work in authoring this bill.

"Act 178 also calls for the consolidation of the state's technology agencies. I propose a plan which takes the best of these agencies and consolidates them into a single new entity. This entity will work in close partnership with the private sector.

"The Act also calls for integrating technology into government. I am pleased today to announce that we have developed a state web portal called Access Hawai'i. Access Hawai'i is a great public and private partnership. Beginning next month, state on-line services will be delivered to the public at no cost to the state.

"In six months, every state department will offer services online. My long-range goal is to work closely with the mayors of each county so that in two years, state and county information technology services are completely integrated. This will result in a more efficient state and county government.

"Recently in the news, AdTech -- one of the best in its field in the world, located right here in Hawai'i -- was having trouble finding 30 to 40 engineers to work in its business here in Hawai'i. AdTech's experience reveals there is a shortage of technology workers in the state.

"To address this problem, we have launched a plan to bring our brightest technology minds back to Hawai'i. We have established an online expatriate recruitment website. Look it up, it can be found on the web. This is part of our strategy to bring all of the best and brightest back home.

"A few weeks ago, a business executive -- according to the newspaper -- said the technology industry in Hawai'i is but a

dream -- like Alice in Wonderland. I disagree. Hawai'i definitely has a future in technology industries -- and like Donna Tanoue said in her TV ad, no ifs, ands, or buts about it. We have a future in technology.

"Although economic revitalization remains our primary focus, we have also been concentrating on addressing the other needs of our people.

"For example, working with you, Hawai'i's homeless program has been held up as one of the best in the country. Since 1992, the number of homeless in the state has declined by nearly 40 percent. Moreover, we've partnered with the private sector to develop more affordable housing than at any other time.

"And for our Native Hawai'ian community, I'm proud to say, our Department of Hawai'ian Homelands has designed, built and developed more homesteads during this administration than at any time in the history of the Program and we're going to build even more.

"For the fifth straight year, the federal government has ranked Hawai'i among the top three for accuracy in managing the Food Stamp program. And we got a bonus -- \$1.7 million for the excellent work by our people in the Department of Human Services. And we've moved more people from the welfare rolls to the workplace on a per capita basis than any other western state and we've done it in this down economy.

"Our work in this area, however, is not over. As a result of the reforms made to the federal welfare laws -- December 1, 2001 will be a date to remember. On that day, 3,000 of our Hawai'i families will be moved off the welfare rolls, whether they like it or not. Thereafter, every month, 90 to 100 families will lose their benefits.

"Many of these people work. Yet, because they are earning such low wages, the minimum wage -- they are below the poverty level and qualify for welfare. We must help them make the transition.

"Therefore, I propose an increase in the state minimum wage. Our bill will follow the lead of Alaska, and tie our state wage to the federal minimum wage.

"My friends, this is not a partisan issue. A few years ago the federal minimum wage was increased by a Republican Congress with the support of a Democratic President. And Congress today is currently looking to increase it again. And so should we -- because it's the right thing to do.

"Nothing is more important than the care of our children, and we are taking better care of them.

"Working with the private sector, we've achieved great success in finding loving homes for many of our children. Our state posted the highest adoption increase in the nation and we received a half-million dollar federal bonus for doing it.

"Though we have one of the highest rates of health-insured children in the country, we've set a goal to enroll 100 percent of all eligible children in our program. Through a performance partnership entitled 'Boost for Kids', we intend to reach this goal.

"On July 1st, we'll take another step toward children's universal health insurance coverage in Hawai'i. The new program, known as 'CHIP' (Children's Health Insurance Program), will expand coverage to another 4,000 children and thereby close the gap.

"One area where we fall short, however, is dental care. Hawai'i's children have one of the worst rates of tooth decay in the country. We can, and we must do better. We need to

fluoridate our water. For every \$1 we spend fluoridating, we'll save \$80 in dental expenses down the road.

"Last year, we approved legislation that will help Hawai'i boost its role as the number one Health State in the Country.

"With 60 percent of the tobacco settlement earmarked for health promotion, we rank among the top in the nation in our use of settlement monies for health-related purposes.

"We will establish a 'Healthy Hawai'i Initiative.' This program will include everything from replacing candy bars in school vending machines with healthier snacks -- to innovative programs to tackle problems such as tobacco use.

"Substance abuse is one of our greatest social problems. It is an issue that affects both public health and public safety. We need to step up our efforts at rehabilitation and prevention. Therefore, I will submit proposals to expand drug treatment programs for those on probation and parole.

"To fund these initiatives, I ask that you increase the tax on alcohol and tobacco. Doing so will help us raise \$4 million in revenues to expand the Judiciary's Drug Court and drug rehabilitation programs in our prisons.

"For several years we've been weighing our options on the site of a new prison. Two years ago you gave me the authority to locate a site, but you didn't give me any money to build one.

"While there may be a resurgence of community support for a prison in Hawai'i -- there's no getting around the fact that building and operating a State prison in Hawai'i is too expensive. That's why we've been exploring the possibility of building a prison on the mainland.

"Let me be very candid. If you want a prison in Hawai'i, then give me the authority to not only select a site, but to fully privatize the operation and maintenance of the prison.

"Time does not permit me to do proper justice to our plans on a number of other issues vital to our future: agriculture, culture and the arts, transportation, the environment, mental health, the revitalization of Waikiki, small business problems, and the Lt. Governor's SWAT program figure prominently among this administrations priorities.

"But there is one subject that demands our immediate attention -- and that is the modernization and the reform of our state government.

"As we enter the new century, Hawai'i has its best opportunity ever to create significant, meaningful change in the way government operates.

"I am energized by the possibilities that lay before us, and I invite each of you to join us in creating a government that is more responsive to our people's needs -- and one we can afford.

"Our civil service system is outdated. If we are to successfully compete in the new century, we cannot continue to operate with a structure geared to the Industrial Age.

"An inefficient civil service system takes a tremendous toll on business, residents and the taxpayers of our state. And it robs our state employees of the dignity that comes with being part of an organization respected for its productivity and work culture.

"We have made great progress in bringing about a major shift of resources.

"We reduced the number of full-time state employees significantly. Compared with when I took office five years ago, the number of positions has declined by five percent from roughly 45,604 to 43,248. And we accomplished this even

while adding 900 positions to the Department of Education, and meeting increasing court imposed obligations in the area of prisons, health, and diagnostic services.

"It is not so much the size of the state government, however, that concerns most taxpayers. I don't think there is any question in most people's minds that government will one day grow again -- as school enrollment grows and the state's population increases. Rather, I believe that our people want a government that does its job well, is responsive to community needs, and is easy to interact with. We have been working hard to create that kind of government.

"For example, the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' incentive plan, the first of its kind in the State, which awards modest bonuses to employees for superior performances has paid big dividends in terms of boosting employee morale and performance. By the end of this year, DCCA will be 100 percent self-sufficient.

"Without addressing systemic problems -- it's difficult to bring about significant and lasting change. Therefore, we have developed an omnibus reform bill which we will submit for your approval.

"I know there is a natural tendency to resist change. But let me say at the outset that we will not propose anything that compromises the benefits promised to current state employees.

"Fairness and merit are at the core of our reform proposals.

"Let me share with you some of our proposals.

"First, we propose to decentralize the collective bargaining system. Our counties operate in different market conditions, and the people they serve sometimes have different needs.

"We believe each county should be able to make their own decisions and bargain independently.

"We propose also a more timely and flexible recruitment and job classification system. There are more than 1,700 job classifications today, and it takes far too long to hire new employees or process changes.

"With the exception of police and firefighters, we propose to restore the right of our public workers to strike and to eliminate the designation of essential workers.

"Experience has shown that the mandatory binding arbitration law passed four years ago is seriously flawed. It is too vague, too broad, and it gives arbitrators too much discretion to make decisions which sometimes have no relationship to the state's true fiscal condition.

"At the very least, we must reform the process by redefining the existing criteria an arbitrator must consider. Collective bargaining works best when it is balanced.

"We cannot continue to condone a process that gives arbitrators the power to award pay raises, and compels the state to increase taxes or cut programs to pay for them. This is why we need to reform or repeal the mandatory arbitration law.

"Beyond civil service, there are great inefficiencies and costs throughout the system which we simply cannot afford.

"Take the State Employees' Health Fund. In 1998, the State paid \$44 million for Employee Health Fund premiums. This year the cost will escalate to \$240 million. Under the current system, a child born this year would see the health fund costs soar to more than \$1 billion by his or her 13th birthday. We cannot afford this, nor should we allow it happen.

"To make the system more efficient, we propose the following:

"We propose to replace the Employee Health Fund with a Union-Employer Trust Fund. We believe this approach benefits both sides. The State will make a defined contribution and the unions will negotiate collectively with insurers for better rates. I believe that our talks with our labor leaders indicate that this is a very promising proposal.

"For prospective state employees, we propose a new schedule of benefits which will help provide good healthcare at reasonable costs. And for these employees, we will also propose a new schedule of vacation and sick leave benefits which, unlike the current system, will be phased in over a scheduled period.

"We propose measures that will implement the concept of 'managed competition' making it easier for the state to privatize and give the affected employees alternatives to being laid off.

"These are just some of the 21 reform proposals we will submit for your consideration.

"The fundamental challenge before us, however, is to change the existing government culture. Too often, the needs of the community become secondary to an almost mindless deference to 'the system.'

"The taxpayers deserve better. Our state employees who perform deserve more.

"We must create a workplace that inspires workers to take ownership. A workplace where employees know their purpose, and perform their duties with passion and accountability.

"It is important that we do not pursue the illusion of security by avoiding change. In today's fast changing world, the status quo offers the least security of all. It is, indeed, a prescription for failure.

"As Franklin D. Roosevelt once said, 'Wise and prudent men...have long known that in a changing world, worthy institutions can be conserved only by adjusting them to the changing time.'

"Last year was unlike any other. Our reaction to two events that brought the century to a close revealed the true nature of our community.

"We were inspired and united in pride when June Jones and our Rainbow Warrior football team achieved one of the greatest sports comebacks in history. And we came together as one when the worse workplace tragedy in our history stunned our community, and devastated the lives of seven families.

"And through it all, our spirit of aloha, our humility and character as a community, shined bright. That is the difference. That is what sets Hawai'i apart from the rest of the world. Now, and from this moment forward, let us never forget it.

"Let me close with these thoughts. This is an election year. There will be all kinds of interest groups who will lobby us, me and you, hoping to influence our decisions. There is absolutely nothing wrong with this. It is the American Way. It is democracy, and this is America.

"What I believe has sustained me in these circumstances in my 26 years of public service, what has helped me make decisions which I believe to be in the public's best interest is this thought:

"There is no greater calling than public service. I believe this with all my heart.

"To be given the privilege of leading this State into the next century, to be the first generation of elected leaders of this century whose decisions will set the direction for our State's

future is something few people will experience, something which can't be bought.

"There are 76 of you, one lieutenant governor and one governor. What a great privilege, what a great honor it is to represent the future of 1.2 million people. What a great duty we have been given.

"These thoughts have sustained me in difficult times and they have inspired me during my proudest moments.

"We owe it to our people not to coast. We owe them the courage and wisdom to make sound decisions. We owe them a better and greater Hawai'i. We owe them hope.

"And working together, we can make it happen.

Thank you."

Senate President Mizuguchi then rose and stated:

"Governor Cayetano, thank you for sharing your first State-of-the-State Address of the 21st century with members of the House and Senate and with the people of the State of Hawai'i.

"This is certainly a special time in Hawai'i's history as we begin a new century and a new millennium. There seems to be an infusion of hope for the future here in our island community.

"Hope, optimism, and the ability to work together are essential ingredients to bring about change for the good of all.

"As I have mentioned in the past, the co-equality of the Executive and Legislative branches of government -- as well as the Judiciary -- is a principle to be respected and honored if our system is to endure. We can build a stronger economy, improve our educational system, and make government more efficient and accountable with greater cooperation and mutual respect.

"We need to do this for the sake of Hawai'i's people and for their continued advancement.

"Governor, mahalo again for sharing your vision and presenting your challenges in your State-of-the-State Address.

"If there is no further business by members of the House and members of the Senate, I now declare this Joint Session adjourned."

At 10:59 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 25, 2000.

FIFTH DAY

Tuesday, January 25, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 9:35 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Rabbi Avi Magad of Temple Emanu-El, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Halford, Morihara, Okamura, Stegmaier, Takai and Takamine, who were excused.

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

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Yamane introduced seventh grade students from Jarrett William Paul Middle School with their teachers Mr. William Miller, Mr. Allan Golden, Ms. Carolyn Lim, Ms. Diane Weitzberger, Ms. Lorraine Young, Mr. Milton Kimura and Ms. Patricia Rosenberg.

Representative Marumoto introduced friends from the Kaimuki/Waiialae/Kahala area, Mr. and Mrs. Kaipo and Janice Perez.

Representative Goodenow introduced students from the Job Corps program in Waimanalo.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2174 through 2290) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Cachola, Halford, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Takamine were excused.)

H.B. Nos.

- 2174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2175 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2176 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2177 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2178 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2179 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, by request.
- 2180 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Goodenow, Oshiro, Suzuki, Herkes, Ito, Nakasone, Santiago, Say and Souki.
- 2181 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Goodenow, Oshiro, Suzuki, Chang, Ito, Kawakami, Nakasone, Santiago, Say and Souki.
- 2182 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Ito, Nakasone, Oshiro, Say and Whalen.
- 2183 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES."
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2184 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS."
Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Morihara.
- 2185 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki.
- 2186 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETIC TESTING."
Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Garcia, Hiraki and Saiki.
- 2187 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Lee, Morita, Luke, Suzuki, Nakasone, Kanoho and Marumoto.
- 2188 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Luke, Suzuki, Kanoho, Lee, Morita, Nakasone and Marumoto.
- 2189 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Luke, Nakasone, Kanoho, Lee, Morita, Suzuki and Marumoto.
- 2190 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Lee, Morita, Luke, Suzuki, Nakasone, Kanoho and Marumoto.

- 2191 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT RECORDS."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Catalani, Espero, Goodenow, Luke, Morita, Saiki and Takai.
- 2192 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Luke and Saiki.
- 2193 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS."
Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 2194 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS."
Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 2195 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott, Rath, Fox and Halford.
- 2196 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott, Rath and Fox.
- 2197 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLEGE FUNDING."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott and Rath.
- 2198 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA STADIUM."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott and Rath.
- 2199 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Ito and Hamakawa.
- 2200 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Hamakawa, Luke, Catalani, Espero, Goodenow, Morita, Saiki and Takai.
- 2201 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICAL COOPERATIVES."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kawakami and Kanoho.
- 2202 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HANA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Santiago, Arakaki, Halford, Thielen, Schatz, Takai, Kaho'ohalahala, Kahikina, Morihara, Nakasone, Souki and Takumi.
- 2203 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho and Kawakami.
- 2204 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Abinsay, Chang, Souki, Morihara, Kawakami, Kanoho, Thielen, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Halford and Nakasone.
- 2205 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE FUELS."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Abinsay, Chang, Souki, Morihara, Kawakami, Kanoho, Thielen, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala and Halford.
- 2206 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMISSIBILITY OF PAID BILLS IN COURT."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2207 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL, DENTAL, OR HOSPITAL RECORDS AND WRITINGS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2208 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Herkes, Rath and Takamine.
- 2209 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2210 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE DOCTORAL PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII-HILO."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2211 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Case.
- 2212 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."
Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Ahu Isa, Goodenow and Chang.
- 2213 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BINDING ARBITRATION AWARDS."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2214 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2215 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2216 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNINSURED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

- 2217 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT CONDOMINIUM ASSESSMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2218 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2219 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2220 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2221 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2222 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2223 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUNICIPAL SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.
- 2224 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."
Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, by request.
- 2225 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS."
Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Kanoho and Garcia.
- 2226 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Auwae, Cachola, Chang, Garcia, Hamakawa, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Morita, Pendleton, Saiki, Takumi and Thielen.
- 2227 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAYMENTS TO HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Rath, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Garcia, Halford, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Morita, Takumi and Yamane.
- 2228 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVIEW OF RECORDS OF PAYMENTS TO HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Rath, Arakaki, Cachola, Chang, Garcia, Halford, Herkes, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Morita and Takumi.
- 2229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Ito, Hiraki and Oshiro.
- 2230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Ito, Goodenow, Kanoho, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2231 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 10, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO REPEAL THE MANDATORY LEGISLATIVE FIVE-DAY RECESS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Garcia, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Nakasone, Oshiro, Santiago, Schatz and Stegmaier.
- 2232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO ESTABLISH A COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION AND EFFICIENCY."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Kanoho, Goodenow, Abinsay, Case, Catalani, Garcia, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Oshiro, Stegmaier and Takumi.
- 2233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 10, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROHIBIT EXTENSIONS OF REGULAR SESSIONS OF THE LEGISLATURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Kanoho, Abinsay, Catalani, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Oshiro, Santiago and Takumi.
- 2234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERNET."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Thielen, Pendleton, Auwae, Abinsay, Leong, Marumoto and Moses.
- 2235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Abinsay, Auwae, Leong, Marumoto, McDermott, Schatz and Takumi.
- 2236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."
Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow and Nakasone.
- 2240 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOGS."
Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow and Thielen.

- 2241 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Espero, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morihara, Nakasone, Rath, Souki, Suzuki, Takamine, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2242 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Espero, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morihara, Nakasone, Rath, Souki, Suzuki, Takamine, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2243 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR VETERANS CEMETERIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Morita, Morihara, Hamakawa, Rath, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Espero, Herkes, Nakasone, Souki, Suzuki, Takamine, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2244 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEMARETERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Espero, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morihara, Nakasone, Souki, Suzuki, Takamine, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2245 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Espero, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Kanoho, Morihara, Rath, Souki, Takamine and Yamane.
- 2246 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Santiago, Hamakawa, Lee, Leong and McDermott.
- 2247 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Kahikina, Stegmaier, Takai, Hiraki, Pendleton, Goodenow, Menor and Saiki.
- 2248 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Kahikina, Marumoto, Takai, Hiraki, Morihara and Saiki.
- 2249 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Kahikina, Leong, Takai, Arakaki, Pendleton and Santiago.
- 2250 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Ito, Thielen, Takai, Kaho'ohalahala and Menor.
- 2251 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Ito, Takumi, Thielen, Schatz, Catalani, Kahikina, Kanoho, Luke, Meyer, Saiki and Yonamine.
- 2252 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 2253 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ACQUIRE LAND FOR A PARK IN WAIKIKI, OAHU."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox and Yamane.
- 2254 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KEWALO BASIN."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Hiraki, Fox, Moses, Auwae, Cachola, Catalani, Garcia and Takai.
- 2255 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS RIGHTS AND BENEFITS."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Pendleton, Garcia and Cachola.
- 2256 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RECREATION AND COASTAL AREAS."
Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2257 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL WATERCRAFT."
Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2258 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL ACCESS PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Case, Catalani, Chang, Espero, Hiraki, Lee, Oshiro, Santiago, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2259 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR UNIFORM LAWS."
Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Takai, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Case, Catalani, Chang, Espero, Hiraki, Lee, Oshiro, Santiago, Suzuki, Takamine, Takumi, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2260 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Takai, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Catalani, Chang, Espero, Hiraki, Lee, Oshiro, Santiago, Suzuki, Takamine, Takumi, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2261 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTEER SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Luke, by request and Chang.
- 2262 "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE THE ONE-HUNDRETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARRIVAL OF THE KOREANS TO HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Santiago, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Yamane, Case, Oshiro, Ahu Isa, Suzuki, Takai, Abinsay, Cachola, Catalani, Chang, Espero, Garcia, Herkes, Hiraki, Saiki, Say, Souki, Takamine, Takumi and Yonamine.
- 2263 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MATCH FEDERAL FUNDS

- FOR THE HAWAII FORESTRY AND COMMUNITIES INITIATIVE."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2264 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMMUNIZATIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Lee, Marumoto, Morihara, Hiraki, Takumi, Kahikina, Abinsay, Leong, Fox, Catalani, Arakaki, Suzuki, Goodenow, Santiago, McDermott, Rath, Garcia, Ito, Schatz, Moses, Cachola, Chang and Espero.
- 2265 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Ito.
- 2266 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Meyer.
- 2267 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII FACILITIES IMPROVEMENTS SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Thielen, Ahu Isa, Ito, Arakaki, Leong and Santiago.
- 2268 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Ito, Arakaki and Leong.
- 2269 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE TENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Morihara.
- 2270 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVERSE MORTGAGES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Kahikina, Leong and McDermott.
- 2271 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Stegmaier and Kahikina.
- 2272 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Kahikina.
- 2273 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Fox, Takai, Kahikina, Leong and McDermott.
- 2274 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Case, Fox and Kahikina.
- 2275 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE COLLEGE."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 2276 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL WORKERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Yamane, Arakaki, Lee, Kahikina and Leong.
- 2277 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOBACCO SETTLEMENT SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Stegmaier and Yamane.
- 2278 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL WORKERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Yamane, Kahikina, Lee, Hiraki, Yonamine, Garcia, Arakaki, Leong, Souki and Takumi.
- 2279 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Stegmaier and Yamane.
- 2280 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-TO-WORK."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki, Leong, McDermott, Morihara and Stegmaier.
- 2281 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Arakaki, Stegmaier, Leong, McDermott and Morihara.
- 2282 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Arakaki, Leong, McDermott, Morihara and Stegmaier.
- 2283 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER TRAINING."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Arakaki, Leong, McDermott and Morihara.
- 2284 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UTILIZATION OF FEDERAL FUNDS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Kawakami and Morihara.
- 2285 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAIIAN STUDIES PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Ito and Yamane.
- 2286 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL REMEDIES."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2287 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARY PERIODS."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2288 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2289 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

2290 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 9) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 11) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EXAMINATION OF HOW SLIDING-SCALE, HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES AFFECTS THE RISK AND INCIDENCE OF INSTITUTIONALIZED CARE," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Leong, Kahikina, Santiago, Morita, Morihara, Thielen, Yamane, Kawakami, Souki, Stegmaier and Yonamine.

H.C.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EXAMINATION OF HOW SLIDING-SCALE, HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES AFFECTS THE RISK AND INCIDENCE OF INSTITUTIONALIZED CARE," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Kahikina, Santiago, Thielen, Morita, Morihara, Yamane, Kawakami, Leong, Souki, Stegmaier and Yonamine.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Leong: "Mr. Speaker, this morning on my left, the corner Representative has a birthday. Since his family is still in Kona and can't wish him a happy birthday, would you, some time during the day, wish Representative Jim Rath a Happy Birthday."

Representative Marumoto: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Some of us have lost family to the mainland recently, but others have gained family in this State. And one of those is our own, Representative Paul Whalen. His wife gave birth to a baby girl yesterday at Kapiolani Hospital at 5:00 p.m. She is seven pounds three ounces, 19 inches long, and her name is Katrina. Congratulations Representative Whalen."

Representative Case: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is a reminder of our Joint Session with the Senate in the Senate Chambers to receive the Chief Justice's State of the Judiciary Address. We'd like to ask all members to gather over here on the Mauka side of the chambers to proceed in a unified and united fashion over to the Senate behind you, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

Representative Souki: "Mr. Speaker, I'm very happy to announce a very important event. A post birthday, one day late, for our very good friend and a wonderful legislator approaching his 69th birthday, Representative Bob Herkes. Let's all give him a big hand please."

Representative Luke: "Mr. Speaker, may I have latitude to provide a late introduction."

The Chair responded: "Please proceed."

Representative Luke continued, stating: "In the gallery today we have Mr. Brad Chun, the Managing Director of the County of Maui. If he could rise to be recognized."

Speaker Say: "Are there any further announcements? If not, the Chair would like to make an announcement that in the Jarrett School student body is a very nice and intelligent young lady. I call her Lisa, but her real name is Phyllis. Will Phyllis Arakaki, who is the daughter of our Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Frank Arakaki, please stand."

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 Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, was called to order at 10:01 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 Twentieth Legislature:

Governor Benjamin J. Cayetano
A floral lei was presented to Governor Cayetano by Senator Buen.

Lt. Governor Mazie Hirono
A floral lei was presented to Lt. Governor Hirono by Representative Saiki.

Mr. Leighton Oshima
A floral lei was presented to Mr. Oshima by Senator Inouye.

Mrs. Stella Moon, wife of Chief Justice Moon
A floral lei was presented to Mrs. Moon by Senator Kawamoto.

Former Chief Justice William Richardson and the Honorable Jeremy Harris, Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu.

Senate President Mizuguchi then appointed Senators Chumbley, Matsunaga, Hanabusa and Anderson and Representatives Oshiro, Case, Hamakawa and Marumoto to escort the Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice of the Hawai'i Supreme Court, to the rostrum.

Senator Chun Oakland and Representative Luke presented Chief Justice Moon with floral leis on behalf of the Senate and the House of Representatives, respectively.

Senate President Mizuguchi then presented to the members of the Twentieth Legislature and guests, the Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice of the Hawai'i Supreme Court, saying:

"Members of the Twentieth Legislature, ladies and gentlemen, please join me in extending our warmest aloha and welcome to the Chief Justice of the Hawai'i Supreme Court, the Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon."

Chief Justice Moon addressed the Joint Session, as follows:

"I wonder if our good citizens out there know that it's only the Chief Justice that's speaking this morning.

"As you may have learned, Associate Justice Steven Levinson's wife Lynn passed away on Friday evening. Due to an unavoidable conflict, memorial services are being held this morning at 10:30, and my fellow Justices are attending the

services on my behalf and extend their apologies to you for their absence here this morning. On behalf of the entire Judiciary, I extend heart felt sympathies to Justice Levinson and his family during this most difficult time.

"Governor Cayetano, Lieutenant Governor Hirono and Mr. Oshima, Speaker Say, President Mizuguchi, Speaker Emeritus Souki, other distinguished members of the Twentieth Legislature, Mayor Harris, Chief Justice Richardson, Dean Foster of the Richardson School of Law, the Hawai'i State Bar Association President Joel August, members of the federal and state Judiciaries, special guests, family and friends:

"It is my privilege to be here today to deliver my fourth State of the Judiciary Address. And the first of the new century or the last of the old, depending on how one counts. As many of you know, I have two advisors who serve for free, my mother and my wife. Both have again conveyed to me jewels of wisdom about my speech today advising me on the virtues of brevity. My mom said, 'Ron just remember, a speech doesn't have to be eternal to be immortal.' My wife said, 'Remember that although the Constitution guarantees free speech, it doesn't guarantee listeners.' And so accepting their usual sage advice, I will be relatively brief. But before doing so let me introduce the immediate members of my family. My mother the 'godmother' of the Moon clan; my stepfather Mr. Joel Han; daughter Julie; son Scott and his wife Jill, who are from Mississippi; and brother Eric.

"As I stand before you in the Year 2000, I am pleased to report that the state of Hawai'i's Judiciary remains sound. However, I am concerned about public perception of certain aspects of the justice system. Last year, Hawai'i participated in a first-of-its-kind national summit in Washington, D.C. Five hundred delegates from the judiciaries of 46 states, Guam, and Puerto Rico, as well as members of the federal courts, the bar, the media, and citizen groups from across the country met to develop a national plan to address areas of public concern. The overwhelming representation at the summit was indeed an acknowledgment that the public's regard for the state and federal judiciaries is just as important, or more important, than the judiciaries view of themselves.

"Delegates reviewed results of nationwide surveys that measured public views of the state and federal judiciaries. In my view, some of the survey results are encouraging. For example: 80 percent of those surveyed agree that 'judges are generally honest and fair in deciding cases'; 74 percent 'strongly' or 'somewhat' agree that court personnel are helpful and courteous; and 75 percent had a 'great deal' of or 'some' trust and confidence in the courts in their communities. However, results also indicated, that: 70 percent of African-Americans believe they are treated 'somewhat worse' or 'far worse' than other groups; and 68 percent of the public believe that it is not affordable to bring a case to court. What was most alarming to me was the fact that only 39 percent of those polled could identify all three branches of government and that 25 percent of them could not even name one branch.

"By the conclusion of the summit, delegates had identified a number of issues that impact the public's perception of the justice system. The top three concerns were: first, the perception of unequal treatment within the justice system; second, the high cost of the justice system; and third, the lack of public understanding about the justice system.

"Having participated in the summit, I believe the perception of unequal treatment in the justice system is less of a problem in Hawai'i than in any other state. In fact, this year, the National Consortium of Task Forces on Racial and Ethnic Bias in the Courts recognized the make-up of the Hawai'i State Supreme Court as 'a prime example' of the 'principle of inclusiveness in the justice system.' While most states are struggling to achieve a Judiciary that is representative of its population, Hawai'i's bench is a reflection of our diversified society, and our community is truly enriched by it.

"Nevertheless, Hawai'i is not immune from the perception of unequal treatment in the courts. We, therefore, continue to take affirmative steps to enhance equal treatment to all who enter our courthouses through the development of numerous programs to improve the quality of justice for everyone. The Judiciary's innovative programs that focus on helping our significant immigrant population better access and understand the justice system include: a multilingual LawLine; informational videos on small claims and traffic violations that are captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing and dubbed in Ilocano and Korean. And just to negate any accusation of discrimination, ladies and gentlemen, the Governor and I had nothing to do with the selection of these languages. We also have a directory of bilingual and multilingual attorneys and paralegals and an immigrant outreach directory. As a result of its work on these projects, the Hawai'i Supreme Court Committee on Equality and Access to the Courts was selected this year as one of ten nationwide recipients of the Foundation for Improvement of Justice's award for innovative programs.

"To enhance equal treatment to immigrants and non-immigrants alike, the Judiciary is making information about cases readily and freely accessible via our web site. Last Friday, we unveiled a searchable Internet site that contains certain information on all public criminal, civil, and family court cases filed in our circuit courts statewide. Now, visitors to the Judiciary's web site can find case information on-line on any day, at any time.

"Last legislative session, you helped address the perception of unequal treatment in the justice system when you appropriated capital improvement funds for a court navigation project that we refer to as 'Ho'okele,' which means 'to guide.' With a 'guide' or concierge at the courthouse entrance and a Customer Service Center in courts that have a large number of self-represented litigants, Ho'okele will provide enhanced services to court users. Implementation of this innovative project will also be aided by over \$250,000 in federal funds.

"The second issue of concern that emerged from the summit was the cost of using the justice system. Related concerns were that the justice system is too slow and too adversarial. We recognize that the adversarial system has worked well for hundreds of years and forms the heart of the right to trial. In our system of justice, there are -- and will always be -- certain cases that require the structure and discipline of the traditional adversarial system, but others may not. We, therefore, continue to encourage and pursue faster and less costly methods of dispute resolution that will meet the specific needs of those who come to our courts.

"For example, the Judiciary has assisted the Hawai'i Civil Rights Commission in the development and implementation of a mediation alternative for contested cases. The results over the past year have been encouraging as a significant number of civil rights cases -- 67 percent -- have been amicably resolved without the need of a formal hearing.

"Three weeks from today, the Civil Divisions of the First Circuit Court will convert to an individual trial calendar system, where one judge will handle a case from initiation through resolution. Under this new system, judges will have increased responsibility for managing an assigned caseload. They will be able to more easily employ proactive case management procedures, including the use of alternative dispute resolution mechanisms, such as arbitration and mediation. In fact, judges in each civil trial court now have the explicit power to compel parties in appropriate cases to go to non-binding arbitration.

"At the foundation of our efforts to reduce costs and delays is technology. This past year, the Judiciary finalized and published a technological vision that represents a strategic outlook through the Year 2010. At the core of our strategic technological vision is the development of an integrated case management system. Under this system, cases could be filed

electronically, court calendars and more detailed case information would be published on the Internet, and case information would be electronically shared between all courts, thus negating the need to re-enter data. The process will not only be more convenient for the public and the courts, but will enhance speed and data quality. Although we recognize that technology is merely a means to an end, it is a critical component in our efforts to reduce costs and delays. Consequently, approximately one-half of the Judiciary's supplemental budget requests are technology-related, and we ask for your support in this very critical area.

"Associated with the issues of cost and delay is the public's growing belief that the judicial system must offer specialized forums tailored to address society's changing needs and to accommodate a broader spectrum of rehabilitative services. Our adaptability to changing social needs can be seen in the area of foster care. Unfortunately, we are seeing more and more cases where parental rights require termination due to abuse and neglect, resulting in more children being placed in foster custody. To address this growing concern, the First Circuit Family Court worked with representatives from the Department of Human Services, the Casey Family Program, Child and Family Services, foster parents, and others to form a new program called 'The Adoption Connection,' which has as its Honorary Chair, Mrs. Vicky Cayetano. The primary goal of the Adoption Connection is to secure permanent, safe, and loving homes for Hawai'i's foster children. We are proud to be involved in this collaborative community effort.

"The drug abuse problem and our efforts to assist in addressing this significant area can be seen in the work of the drug court program. Since its inception in 1996, Hawai'i's Drug Court Program has successfully treated non-violent offenders addicted to drugs. Drug courts divert non-violent offenders from incarceration in order to enhance their recovery, prevent their relapse, and significantly reduce recidivism. Not only does the program help restore these individuals to full, productive lives, but it saves the State the considerable expense associated with incarceration and the potentially recurring costs of subsequent incarceration. Last year, our's was the first drug court in the nation to develop a program to treat offenders who have both mental-health and drug-addiction problems. Grants from the United States Department of Justice and the state Department of the Attorney General were instrumental in launching this new program.

"The Judiciary is grateful for your decision last session to make the Oahu Drug Court a permanent program. We have now turned our attention to the neighbor islands, where a Drug Court should be serving the tri-island County of Maui by June 2000. The target population for our first year on Maui are 120 non-violent substance-abusing offenders. Federal grants and private donations will initially help to fund the Maui Drug Court, and we hope you will see fit to allocate state funds this session to this most worthy effort.

"In 1999, Oahu's District Court became the first in the nation to participate as a judicial partner in a federal program known as 'Weed and Seed.' Hawai'i's Weed and Seed Program, which has received national recognition, currently focuses on the Chinatown/Kalihi-Palama neighborhood. It is an innovative community enhancement program sponsored by the Department of Justice and is actively promoted by the United States Attorney's Office in Hawai'i. Under the program, representatives from the Hawai'i Drug Court, social service organizations, and federal, state, and city law enforcement agencies work closely with individuals and businesses within the designated area to 'weed out' certain offenders for special community-centered treatment. Unlike the traditional court model that emphasizes process and precedents, the Weed and Seed Program focuses on problem-solving and 'restorative' outcomes for the community as a whole. Later this year, the program will focus on a second designated 'weed and seed' area.

"The third issue, that is, the lack of public understanding of the justice system, is my most important area of concern. And, I am the first to acknowledge that the Judiciary has a responsibility to help educate the public about the third branch of government. In our efforts to meet that responsibility this past year, our judges have served as panelists or guest speakers at conferences and seminars, spoken at schools and community gatherings, and hosted schools or other groups in their courtrooms. We also continue to take every opportunity to inform our citizens of certain guiding principles. For example: that judges may not consider popular opinion in reaching decisions; that the accused has the right to legal counsel no matter how heinous the charge; that judges are bound by case precedent and evidentiary rules; and that the Judiciary is a separate branch of government and its separateness and independence are vital to the protection of liberty.

"In response to some of the Judiciary's general education efforts, hundreds of people this year attended the first ever 'Meet Your Judges' forums simultaneously held on Oahu, Maui, Kaua'i, and in Hilo and Kona on the Big Island. During the forums, judges representing every level of our courts answered questions and discussed a range of court-related topics. The forums provided a unique opportunity for judges to hear directly from members of the general public, and for the public to learn about their court system directly from the judges.

"The Legislators' 'Day-in-Court' Program represents our efforts to provide you with a first-hand look at court operations. I was pleased to learn that, over the past few months, more legislators have participated in this program than in any previous year.

"Our on-going efforts to educate jurors can be seen in our recently completed pilot project that employed certain jury innovations. We are currently evaluating the results of that project and will, if appropriate, alter or modify our jury trial procedures.

"However, our continuing educational efforts alone will not significantly increase the public's understanding of the justice system. I submit that, in order to remedy this situation, the quality and quantity of civic education in both our public and private schools must be improved. According to the National Assessment of Educational Progress, considered the most authoritative source regarding the status of nationwide elementary and secondary education, three million high school seniors will be eligible to vote in the first presidential election of the 21st century. However, only one in four of them has more than a basic understanding of how the American system of democratic government works, let alone the Judiciary's role in it.

"Indeed, basic knowledge about how government works is essential for a citizenry to govern itself, and I believe we -- as a society -- have a responsibility to provide our young people with the necessary tools so that our democratic form of government can continue to flourish. This includes providing an understanding of the proper role of the Judiciary as well as the Executive and Legislative Branches. I have spoken with Superintendent LeMahieu -- and plan to call upon the private schools -- regarding this concern. I would like to thank Doctor LeMahieu for his openness, but more importantly, for his responsiveness, as he has indicated that he intends to immediately assess the present curriculum relating to the teaching of civics and government. He has also indicated his interest in reviewing the Summit's national plan to determine the possibility of forming a partnership between the Department of Education, the Judiciary, and the Bar to address this critical issue.

"I have talked today about national concerns with the justice system because they have application here in Hawai'i as well. But as we embark on a new century, we must acknowledge that Hawai'i has unique challenges. We are grateful to you for the

monies appropriated last session for a new Kauai courthouse; however, some of our other state court buildings are bursting at the seams. Nowhere is this more apparent than on the Big Island in Hilo. Security there is jeopardized, efficiency is compromised, and employee-morale is significantly affected by the cramped conditions. This session, we respectfully seek your support in appropriating monies to acquire the land for a new Hilo Judiciary complex.

"As you well know, serving the public with the limited resources available is always a challenge. The Judiciary's budget represents less than three percent of the State's budget, but we have almost 1,700 employees. Consequently, we are looking at how best to organize for the future. In that regard, we have initiated our own restructuring effort, called Achieving Court Excellence, or ACE. An important part of the ACE effort addresses the cultural and work environment of the Judiciary. We, therefore, stand ready to work with the Executive and Legislative Branches, as well as the employee representatives, to find creative solutions to better serve the public while balancing both the interests of the employees and of the public.

"We also face the ever-present need to attract and retain qualified judges. This session alone, the Senate will be asked to confirm appointments for nine judicial vacancies. We are grateful to you for your commitment to provide the judicial pay raise that you intended last session, and we hope the additional compensation will help attract and keep good judges.

"Finally, standing as we are on the threshold of the 21st century and looking into the future, I pledge to you and the people of Hawai'i that, as we enter the new century, the fundamental values and guiding principles that the Judiciary represents will not change. The courthouses of the future will almost certainly bear little resemblance to the structures of the present. But, whatever the physical appearance of the courthouse may be, I assure you that it will be a place where everyone is equal before the law. Our citizens can rely upon the Judiciary in the third millennium because it has proven it can embrace change and, at the same time, preserve the fundamental principles of the past. We also pledge to work cooperatively and constructively with the Executive and Legislative Branches.

"Ladies and gentlemen -- throughout the coming years, the Judiciary will remain committed foremost to applying the rule of law through impartial and independent decision-making. Ultimately, the principles of justice and fair play remain, and will forever remain, the heart of our Judiciary.

"Thank you."

Speaker Say then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Chief Justice. Your words on the state of Hawai'i's Judiciary provides us with a deeper understanding of the Judicial branch and an appreciation of the strides you have made.

"A true and meaningful democracy cannot be achieved without an independent and co-equal judicial system. Yet, in these times of change, in which we live, we are gratified to see that the state Judiciary recognizes that the swift dispensation of justice must also be conducted with a mind to administrative efficiency and responsiveness. Thank you, Mr. Chief Justice.

"On behalf of Senate President Mizuguchi and the members of the Senate and on behalf of the members of the House of Representatives, the Legislature is open to receiving your ideas and recommendations for improvement. I personally look forward to working with you and your colleagues on bettering government for all of the people.

"I hereby declare this Joint Session of the Legislature to be adjourned."

At 10:35 o'clock a.m., Speaker Say 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 26, 2000.

SIXTH DAY

Wednesday, January 26, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Sister Davilyn Ah Chick from St. Francis School, Manoa Campus.

At this time, the Chair made the following announcement, saying:

"Members, before proceeding with the roll call and today's business, the Chair would like to inform you, members of this House, that former Speaker Danny Kihano passed away early this morning. Speaker Kihano was surrounded by his family which includes Dannette Yoshimura of the Sergeant-at-Arms Office and Janine Kurosawa of the Chief Clerk's Office. At the appropriate time, I will call for a moment of silence and the standing vote for today's adjournment motion. So Madame Clerk, please call the roll."

The Roll was then called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Kanoho, Menor, Meyer, Okamura, Thielen and Yamane, 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. 104) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 104, transmitting copies of the 1999 Annual Report prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 371-7, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, as amended, and Act 100, SLH 1999.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 4) was received and announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

Sen. Com. No. 4, transmitting S.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A JOINT SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPOINTING THE AUDITOR," which was adopted by the Senate on January 25, 2000.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, S.C.R. No. 9 was adopted. (Representatives Cachola, Kanoho, Menor, Meyer, Okamura, Thielen and Yamane were excused.)

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2174 through 2399) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

**H.B.
Nos.**

Referred to:

2174 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

- 2175 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2176 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2177 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2178 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2179 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2180 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2181 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2182 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2183 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2184 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2185 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water and Land Use
- 2186 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2187 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2188 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2189 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2190 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2191 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2192 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2193 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2194 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2195 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2196 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2197	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2223	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2198	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance	2224	Committee on Transportation
2199	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2225	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2200	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2226	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2201	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection	2227	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2202	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2228	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2203	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2229	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2204	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2230	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2205	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2231	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2206	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2232	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2207	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2233	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2208	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2234	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2209	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2235	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2210	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2236	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2211	Committee on Finance	2237	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2212	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2238	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2213	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2239	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2214	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2240	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2215	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2241	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2216	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2242	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2217	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2243	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2218	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2244	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2219	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2245	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2220	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2246	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2221	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2247	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2222	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance		

2248	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2272	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2249	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2273	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2250	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2274	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2251	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2275	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2252	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2276	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2253	Committee on Finance	2277	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2254	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2278	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2255	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2279	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2256	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2280	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2257	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2281	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2258	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2282	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2259	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2283	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2260	Committee on Finance	2284	Committee on Finance
2261	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2285	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2262	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	2286	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2263	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2287	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2264	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2288	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2265	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2289	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2266	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2290	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2267	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2291	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2268	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2292	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2269	Committee on Finance	2293	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2270	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
2271	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance		

2294	Committee on Finance	2322	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2295	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2323	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2296	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2324	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2297	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2325	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2298	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2326	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2299	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2327	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2300	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2328	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2301	Committee on Finance	2329	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2302	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2330	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2303	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	2331	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2304	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2332	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2305	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2333	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2306	Committee on Finance	2334	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2307	Jointly to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2335	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
2308	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2336	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2309	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2337	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2310	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2338	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2311	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2339	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2312	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2340	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2313	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2341	Committee on Finance
2314	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2342	Committee on Finance
2315	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2343	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2316	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2344	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2317	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2345	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2318	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance		
2319	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs		
2320	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance		
2321	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance		

2346	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2367	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2347	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2368	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2348	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2369	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2349	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2370	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2350	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2371	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2351	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2372	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2352	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2373	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2353	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2374	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2354	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2375	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2355	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2376	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2356	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2377	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2357	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2378	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2358	Committee on Tourism, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2379	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2359	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2380	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2360	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2381	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2361	Committee on Legislative Management, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2382	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2362	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2383	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2363	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2384	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2364	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land Use	2385	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2365	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2386	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2366	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2387	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
		2388	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
		2389	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
		2390	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

<p>2391 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2392 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2393 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2394 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2395 Committee on Finance</p> <p>2396 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce</p> <p>2397 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2398 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2399 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs</p>	<p>1944 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>1956 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2004 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2021 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs</p> <p>2135 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs</p> <p>2143 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2166 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance</p> <p>2170 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance</p>
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DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 7 through 9) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 9 through 11) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.R. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
7	Committee on Finance
8	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
9	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

<u>H.C.R. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
9	Committee on Finance
10	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
11	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1811	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2291 through 2694) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Cachola, Kanoho, Menor, Meyer, Okamura, Thielen and Yamane were excused.)

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Introduced by:</u>
2291 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMPENSATION OF CRIME VICTIMS."	Representatives Garcia, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Auwae, Chang, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Morita, Saiki and Takumi.
2292 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION."	Representatives Garcia, Pendleton, Thielen, Morita, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Auwae, Chang, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Saiki and Takumi.
2293 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SENTENCING SIMULATION MODEL."	Representatives Garcia, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Auwae, Chang, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Morita, Saiki and Takumi.
2294 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAILUPE STREAM."	Representatives Say, Leong, Case, Marumoto, Cachola, Stegmaier and Yamane.
2295 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASE-TO-FEE CONVERSION."	Representative Hamakawa.
2296 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS."	

- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2297 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2298 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2299 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEREST."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2300 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MODERNIZATION OF THE POSITION CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM AND PLAN FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.
- 2301 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WEIGHT TRAINING ROOM FOR PEARL CITY HIGH SCHOOL."
Introduced by: Representatives Yonamine, Takumi and Takai.
- 2302 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL AID."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott, Arakaki, Fox, Kahikina, Marumoto, Morihara, Takai and Yonamine.
- 2303 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS' RIGHT TO KNOW ACT."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott and Fox.
- 2304 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott and Fox.
- 2305 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIC LITERACY."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott and Rath.
- 2306 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS IN THE STATE."
Introduced by: Representatives McDermott, Arakaki, Fox, Halford, Kahikina, Marumoto, Takai, Whalen and Yonamine.
- 2307 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REMOVAL OF NUISANCE SEAWEED."
Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Morita, Schatz, Abinsay, Espero, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Morihara and Souki.
- 2308 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL IDENTIFICATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Morita, Meyer, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Chang, Espero, Fox, Goodenow, Kahikina, Kanoho, Luke, McDermott,
- Morihara, Moses, Rath, Santiago, Schatz, Suzuki and Takumi.
- 2309 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE IN NORTH KONA, HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Takamine, Hamakawa, Herkes, Chang, Kanoho, Kawakami, Rath and Whalen.
- 2310 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SALE OF RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM APARTMENTS TO OWNER-OCCUPANTS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2311 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE FOR DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Herkes, Menor and Say.
- 2312 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITIES."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2313 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS."
Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2314 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2315 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2316 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2317 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Morihara, Abinsay, Takai, Fox, Goodenow, Santiago, Cachola, Arakaki and Marumoto.
- 2318 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR POWER."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Catalani and Saiki.
- 2319 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Luke, Morita and Saiki.
- 2320 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."
Introduced by: Representative Schatz.
- 2321 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Oshiro, Thielen, Leong, Kawakami and Suzuki.

- 2322 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS (A+) PROGRAMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Oshiro, Thielen, Kawakami, Leong and Suzuki.
- 2323 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Marumoto, Suzuki and Thielen.
- 2324 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Case, Leong, Marumoto, Say, Suzuki and Thielen.
- 2325 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Case and Leong.
- 2326 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOLOGISTS."
Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2327 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Schatz, Kanoho, Cachola, Garcia and Takumi.
- 2328 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Lee, Thielen, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Takai, Kanoho, Cachola and Garcia.
- 2329 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION TAX CREDITS."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Thielen, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Garcia, Meyer, Takai, Kanoho, Lee, Kahikina and Cachola.
- 2330 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Case, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala, Takai, Kanoho, Lee, Cachola, Garcia, Schatz and Takumi.
- 2331 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION WASTE."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Thielen, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Garcia, Takai, Kanoho, Cachola, Lee and Meyer.
- 2332 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Rath, Moses, Fox, Stegmaier and Thielen.
- 2333 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Rath, Moses and Auwae.
- 2334 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Rath and Fox.
- 2335 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Auwae, McDermott, Rath and Thielen.
- 2336 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS FOR ELDERLY AT-HOME CARE."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Fox, Rath, Moses, Thielen, Espero, Kaho'ohalahala, McDermott and Stegmaier.
- 2337 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY."
Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
- 2338 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMBLING TO BENEFIT NONPROFIT ENTITIES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki.
- 2339 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Morihara.
- 2340 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS ON MANUFACTURERS OR JOBBERS IN OPERATING SERVICE STATIONS, AND LEASE RENT CONTROLS."
Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Halford and Morihara.
- 2341 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALA WAI WATERSHED."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2342 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALA WAI WATERSHED."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2343 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2344 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS' FEES."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2345 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITAL SECURITY."
Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Lee, Thielen and Menor.
- 2346 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL TREATMENT FACILITIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Leong, McDermott, Auwae, Moses, Rath, Whalen, Halford, Meyer, Thielen and Fox.
- 2347 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FUND."
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Pendleton, Thielen, Meyer, Auwae, McDermott, Rath, Leong, Fox, Moses, Halford and Whalen.

- 2348 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
 Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2349 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
 Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2350 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COVERED LOSS DEDUCTIBLE."
 Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2351 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
 Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.
- 2352 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CONTRACTS."
 Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2353 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION."
 Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Thielen, Pendleton, Auwae, Chang, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Saiki, Say and Takumi.
- 2354 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMISSION."
 Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, by request, Chang, Kaho'ohalahala, Pendleton and Say.
- 2355 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS."
 Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Morita, Hamakawa, Rath, Kanoho, Ito, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Espero, Herkes, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Luke, Morihara, Souki, Suzuki, Takamine, Whalen, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 2356 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."
 Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Morihara, Ito, Takamine, Nakasone, Abinsay, Whalen, Espero, Luke, Garcia and Hamakawa.
- 2357 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."
 Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Ito, Whalen, Abinsay, Espero, Garcia, Hamakawa, Herkes, Luke, Morihara and Nakasone.
- 2358 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER."
 Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Espero, Garcia, Herkes, Ito, Kaho'ohalahala, Luke, Morihara, Suzuki and Whalen.
- 2359 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
 Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2360 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESSES."
 Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2361 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS."
 Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Rath, Whalen, Meyer, Kahikina, Ahu Isa, Kanoho, Stegmaier, Marumoto, Garcia, Abinsay, Moses, Espero, Leong, Luke, Menor, Lee, Kaho'ohalahala, McDermott, Santiago, Auwae, Saiki and Fox.
- 2362 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANNULMENT, DIVORCE, AND SEPARATION."
 Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Ahu Isa, Thielen, Leong, Meyer, Morita, Auwae, Catalani, Kawakami, Luke and Marumoto.
- 2363 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNLICENSED ACTS."
 Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Rath, Chang, Auwae, Cachola, Hamakawa, Herkes, Morita and Saiki.
- 2364 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KONA COFFEE LANDS."
 Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Rath, Abinsay, Chang, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala and Luke.
- 2365 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS."
 Introduced by: Representatives Whalen, Meyer, Rath, Chang, Garcia, Halford and Morita.
- 2366 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL IMPROVEMENTS."
 Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2367 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION."
 Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Kahikina.
- 2368 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
 Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Abinsay, Cachola, Santiago, Lee, Leong and McDermott.
- 2369 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BLIND."
 Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Thielen, Goodenow, Stegmaier, Takumi, Souki, Cachola, Oshiro, Kawakami and Pendleton.
- 2370 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE."
 Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Catalani, Kahikina and Kawakami.
- 2371 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE."
 Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami and Luke.
- 2372 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."

- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Ito, Oshiro, Case, Arakaki, Chang, Garcia, Leong, Suzuki, Abinsay, Herkes, Luke, Ahu Isa, Morita, Lee and McDermott.
- 2373 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMPUTER INFORMATION TRANSACTIONS ACT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Menor, Garcia, Case, Oshiro, Ito, Arakaki, Chang, Leong, Suzuki, Abinsay, Herkes, Luke, Ahu Isa, Morita, Lee and McDermott.
- 2374 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGES SYSTEM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Lee, Takai, Arakaki, Fox, Ito, Suzuki, Kahikina, Goodenow, Ahu Isa, Marumoto, Catalani, McDermott, Nakasone, Kawakami, Santiago, Stegmaier, Meyer and Espero.
- 2375 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Lee, Takai, Schatz, Ito, Kahikina, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Arakaki, Stegmaier, Fox, Espero, Catalani, Marumoto, McDermott, Nakasone, Santiago, Kawakami and Suzuki.
- 2376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Lee, Takai, Ito, Goodenow, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Schatz, Fox, Catalani, Marumoto, Arakaki, McDermott, Santiago, Nakasone, Kawakami, Meyer, Kahikina and Espero.
- 2377 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE 'CONFERENCE IN THE YEAR ZERO' (FOLLOW-UP TO THE MILLENNIUM YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONGRESS)."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Arakaki.
- 2378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.
- 2379 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.
- 2380 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Chang, Garcia, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Case, Espero, Goodenow, Morita, Oshiro, Saiki, Santiago, Suzuki, Takumi and Yonamine.
- 2381 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHERIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Fox, Garcia, Goodenow, Leong, Menor, Morihara and Takai.
- 2382 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Meyer, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Catalani, Fox, Garcia, Goodenow, Halford, Luke, Marumoto, McDermott, Menor, Morihara, Morita, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai and Takumi.
- 2383 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A NEW SCHOOL REPAIR FUND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Auwae, Goodenow, Leong, Meyer, Pendleton and Suzuki.
- 2384 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENT-COMMUNITY NETWORKING CENTER PROGRAMS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Catalani, Moses, Morihara, Takai, McDermott, Stegmaier and Yamane.
- 2385 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESOURCES FOR EARLY ACCESS TO LEARNING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Catalani, Takai, Stegmaier, McDermott, Morihara, Moses and Yamane.
- 2386 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Moses, Takai, Morihara, Stegmaier, Catalani and Yamane.
- 2387 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Catalani, McDermott, Morihara, Stegmaier and Yamane.
- 2388 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Stegmaier, Morihara, Catalani, McDermott and Yamane.
- 2389 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 2390 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROCESSING ENTERPRISES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Whalen, Kanoho, Morita, Chang and Herkes.
- 2391 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PARENT-COMMUNITY NETWORKING CENTERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Souki, Kanoho, Morita, Morihara, Ito, Halford and Nakasone.
- 2392 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Arakaki, Lee, Leong, Kahikina, Santiago and McDermott.
- 2393 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami, Leong, Stegmaier and Yamane.

- 2394 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Kahikina, Arakaki, Kawakami, Lee, Leong and Yamane.
- 2395 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2396 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEGREE-GRANTING INSTITUTIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Morihara.
- 2397 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARIMUTUEL WAGERING AND HORSE RACING."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga, Chang, Ahu Isa, Herkes and Souki.
- 2398 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VILLAGE PARK AND ROYAL KUNIA."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Garcia, Halford, Fox, Schatz, Auwae, Menor, Pendleton and Leong.
- 2399 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Halford, Fox, Auwae, Morihara, Meyer and Pendleton.
- 2400 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE WATER CODE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2401 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORK."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2402 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2403 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES, INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION SERVICES DIVISION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELIEF OF CERTAIN PERSONS' CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2412 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTEMPT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPUTER CRIME."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2414 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE ASBESTOS PROPERTY DAMAGE LITIGATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2415 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2416 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ANTITRUST LITIGATION COSTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2417 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2418 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF IDENTIFICATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2419 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITIGATION INVOLVING HIGHWAYS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2420 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF GOVERNMENT RECORDS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2421 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMICIDE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2422 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2423 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS REPORT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2424 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2425 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2426 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2427 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2428 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REDUCING GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2429 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2430 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2431 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2432 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2433 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2434 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2435 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2436 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALA WAI GOLF COURSE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2437 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
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- 2438 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2439 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2440 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2441 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2442 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FINANCING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2443 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2444 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2445 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2446 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2447 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2448 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2449 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2450 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO PAY THE SHARE OF HEALTH INSURANCE CARRIER REFUND AND RATE CREDIT AMOUNTS DUE TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2451 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2452 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2453 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION REGARDING AN EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2454 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2455 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2456 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BISHOP MUSEUM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2457 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS LOANS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2458 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2459 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION ACT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2460 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COUNCIL ON REVENUES REVENUE ESTIMATE REPORTING DATES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2461 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2462 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2463 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES RECOGNITION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2464 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF NURSING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2465 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2466 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESCROW DEPOSITORIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2467 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2468 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2469 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBPOENAS ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2470 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2471 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII INSURANCE GUARANTY ASSOCIATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2472 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
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- 2478 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2479 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE EXPRESS WARRANTY ENFORCEMENT (LEMON LAW)."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2480 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIPS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2481 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2482 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROL SHARE ACQUISITIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2483 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2484 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CORPORATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2485 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FOR PSYCHOLOGIST LICENSURE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2486 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2487 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCING THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2488 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETURN OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2489 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT OF SCHOOL PRINCIPALS AND VICE PRINCIPALS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2490 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2491 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL LUNCH."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2492 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
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- 2493 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS."
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- 2494 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
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- 2496 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2497 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTERNET PORTAL."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2498 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2499 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2500 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2501 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2502 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2503 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED."
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- 2504 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2505 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING LOAN AND MORTGAGE PROGRAMS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2506 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2507 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PERMANENT PLAN HEARING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2508 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVIEW HEARINGS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2509 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KINSHIP CARE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2510 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER BOARD ALLOWANCES FOR STUDENTS."

- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2511 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2512 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2513 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED CORPSES."
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- 2514 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."
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- 2515 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."
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- 2516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."
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- 2517 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2518 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCE HEALTH-CARE DIRECTIVES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WELFARE OF INCOMPETENT PERSONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPHYLACTICS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USED OIL."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISPOSAL SURCHARGE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFE DRINKING WATER."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFE DRINKING WATER."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIR POLLUTION CONTROL PUBLIC NOTIFICATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2532 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
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- 2533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITALS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE ADULT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TIRES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2539 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE REVOLVING FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2540 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN AIR."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2541 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY WATER FLUORIDATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2542 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE'S MEDICAID HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES FOR THE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED OR MENTALLY RETARDED PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2543 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THERAPY SERVICES FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2544 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SANITATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2545 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH EDUCATION FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2546 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMMUNITION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2547 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2548 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR WATER HEATING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2549 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL WASTEWATER SYSTEMS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2550 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH PARITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2551 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CORRECTION OF THE APPLICABLE FISCAL YEAR FOR THE APPROPRIATION TO BE EXPENDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN SECTION 6 OF ACT 304, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1999."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2552 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINIMUM WAGE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2553 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2554 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2555 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION SPECIAL COMPENSATION FUND EXPENSES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2556 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFETY INSPECTION FREQUENCIES FOR REGULATED EQUIPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2557 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2558 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOILER AND ELEVATOR LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2559 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2560 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOISTING MACHINE OPERATORS ADVISORY BOARD."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2561 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FOR USERS OF EXPLOSIVES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2562 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2563 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2564 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2565 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GARMENT INDUSTRY HOMEWORK."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2566 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2567 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLUE LIGHTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2568 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2569 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMERCIAL FISHERIES SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2570 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2571 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2572 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KANEHOE BAY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2573 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL FUNDS OF THE LAND DIVISION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2574 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL LAND AND DEVELOPMENT FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2575 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF WATER RIGHTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2576 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2577 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING LICENSES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2578 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL AREA RESERVE FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2579 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEASING OF SMALL BOAT HARBORS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2580 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2581 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF UNNECESSARY ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2582 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2583 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN MEETINGS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2584 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2585 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ELECTRONIC TRANSACTIONS ACT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2586 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 92F, UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT (MODIFIED)."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2587 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NULL AND VOID ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2588 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUDIT AND ACCOUNTING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2589 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2590 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2591 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL PROCESS SERVICE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2592 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2593 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2594 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DANGEROUS DRUGS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2595 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR CRIMINAL OFFENDERS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2596 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OPERATIONS OF CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2597 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2598 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTEGRATED TAX INFORMATION

- MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS ACQUISITION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2599 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2600 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 3, OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A TAX REVIEW COMMISSION EVERY TEN YEARS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2601 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING REPORTING DATES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2602 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILING OF TAX RETURNS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2603 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2604 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2605 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION APPEALS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2606 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURE OF TAX INFORMATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2607 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2608 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2609 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2610 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2611 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2612 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROL OF VENDING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2613 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2614 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2615 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2616 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCESSIONS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2617 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS GENERALLY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2618 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPEAT INTOXICATED DRIVERS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2619 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2620 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELIEF OF CERTAIN PERSONS' CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2621 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2622 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
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- 2623 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
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- 2624 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2625 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2626 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2627 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

- 2628 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERTISING."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2629 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LIBRARIES."
Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2630 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2631 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2632 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2633 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2634 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NO CANDIDATES FILED FOR AN ELECTIVE OFFICE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2635 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2636 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES OF STATE LEGISLATORS AND STATE EMPLOYEES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2637 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2638 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF WASHINGTON PLACE FOR CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2639 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION MEETINGS HELD DURING STATE WORKING HOURS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2640 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SALARY OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2641 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2642 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2643 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2644 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2645 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING THE COUNTIES FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2646 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUSTS AND ESTATES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2647 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IN THE JUDICIARY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2648 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2649 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCONSENSUAL COMMON LAW LIENS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2650 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2651 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2652 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2653 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2654 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR INFRASTRUCTURE, CONSTRUCTION, AND RENOVATION OF CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER TERMINALS IN THE STATE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2655 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2656 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2657 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC FINES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2658 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2659 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2660 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS BUDGET."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2661 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2662 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2663 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREFERENCE TO OFFERORS ON COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2664 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2665 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE COUNTY OF KAUAI."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2666 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE COUNTY OF KAUAI."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2667 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY FOR COUNTIES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2668 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2669 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2670 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2671 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING THE COUNTIES FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2672 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBPOENAS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2673 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2674 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE HAWAII COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2675 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC NOTICES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2676 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY RIGHTS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2677 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST THE PERSON."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2678 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMBLING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2679 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMICIDE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2680 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2681 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2682 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2683 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2684 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2685 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURGLARY."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2686 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2687 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC OFFENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2688 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2689 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPENDENT ADULTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2690 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VICTIMS AND WITNESSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2691 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2692 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER INFLUENCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2693 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2694 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REALLOCATING TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FUND MONEYS TO CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Arakaki, Leong, Lee, Takai, Morita, Abinsay, Thielen, Fox, Morihara, Goodenow, Schatz and Takumi.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 12 through 14) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ADOPTING KEY COMMUNITY OUTCOMES OF WELL-BEING FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Say, by request.

H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEASE OF SUBMERGED LANDS AT DUKE KAHANAMOKU BEACH AT WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU, FOR PIER PURPOSES," was offered by Representative Say, by request.

H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO ASCERTAIN WHAT LAWS, RULES, OR OTHER MEASURES MAY BE PUT IN PLACE TO ADDRESS POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE," was offered by Representative Say, by request.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Speaker Say: "At this time, the Chair would like to request that after the motion to adjourn, members please rise to signify

your concurrence and for a moment of silence in memory of Daniel J. Kihano."

At this time, the members of the House and audience rose for a moment of silence in honor of the former Speaker of the House, the late Daniel J. Kihano.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:12 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 27, 2000. (Representatives Cachola, Kanoho, Menor, Meyer, Okamura, Thielen and Yamane were excused.)

SEVENTH DAY

Thursday, January 27, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Terry Bosgra, Chairman of the Board, Hawai'i Youth for Christ, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Chang, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Okamura, Oshiro and Takumi, 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 MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 105 through 109) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 105, transmitting copies of the "Blueprint for Child Welfare Reform" which meets the requirements of HRS 346-5, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 106, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, Pursuant to Section 321-291, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Give an Annual Financial Report for the Newborn Metabolic Screening Special Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 107, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, in Compliance with Sections 340E, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, Relating to the Drinking Water Treatment Revolving Loan Fund of the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 108, transmitting copies of the 1999 report prepared by the Department of Agriculture, pursuant to Sections 155-14 and 219-4, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 109, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, in Compliance with Hawai'i 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.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

Dept. Comm. No. 18, from Mr. James J. Nakatani, Chairperson, Board of Agriculture, State of Hawai'i, transmitting copies of the Department of Agriculture's Goals and Objectives, pursuant to Section 7 of Act 100, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Abinsay introduced the following people from the agricultural industry: Mr. Douglas Duarte, President of the Hawai'i Farm Bureau Federation; Mr. Edward Boteilho, President of the Fresh Milk Industry of Hawai'i; Mr. Merle Wood, President of the Hawai'i Organic Farmers Association; Ms. Stephanie Whalen, President of the Hawai'i Agriculture Research Center; Mr. Mel Jackson from the Hawai'i 'Awa Council; Mr. Richard Emery, Secretary of the Hawai'i Coffee

Association; Mr. Francisco Lynch, Vice President of the Hawai'i Crop Improvement Association; Mr. Ron Weidenbach, President of the Hawai'i Aquaculture Association; Mr. Alvin Tsuruda, President of the Hawai'i Association of Nurserymen; Ms. Jo Ann Johnston, representative of the Hawai'i Export Nursery Association; Mr. James Kuroiwa, representative of the Landscape Industry Council of Hawai'i; Mr. Jerry Ornellas, President of the Hawai'i Banana Industry Association; Mr. Harry Choy, President of the Hawai'i Pork Industry Association; Mr. Eric Mitchell, General Manager of the Maui Onion Growers Association; Dr. Calvin Lum, representative of the Hawai'i Cattlemen's Council; Ms. Phyllis Shimabukuro, President of the Hawai'i Egg Producers Association; Ms. Elvira Lo, President of the Hawai'i Food Manufacturers Association; Mr. David Rietow, President of the Hawai'i Macadamia Nut Association; Mr. Bryce Zane, representative of the Pineapple Growers Association of Hawai'i; Mr. Chris Oswald, representative of the Hawai'i Forest Industry Association; Ms. Jeanne Vana, representative of the Hawai'i Tropical Flower Council; Ms. Courtney Murrill, Executive Director of the Hawai'i Tropical Fruit Growers; Mr. Ken Kamiya, Vice President of the Hawai'i Papaya Industry Association; Ms. Letitia Uyehara, Deputy Chair of the Department of Agriculture; Ms. Catherine Cavaletto, Associate Dean of Research of the College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources; Mr. Paul Moore, representative of the Pacific Basin Agriculture Research Center; Mr. Warren Iwasa, Acting Executive Director of the Agribusiness Development Corporation; and Mr. Buddy Nobriga, Chairman of the Farm Credit Services of Hawai'i.

Representative Auwae introduced students from the Waianae Sea Base Boys and Girls Club along with their teacher, Ms. Tina Watson, and their chaperone, Ms. Puamamo Wa'a.

Representative Santiago introduced his friend, Mr. Gary Backlund who "is in town to sing Tristan, the lead role in the Hawai'i Opera Theater's production of Tristan and Isolde."

Representative Moses introduced Mr. Bent Buckley from the University of Hawai'i's College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2400 through 2624) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
2400	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2401	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2402	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2403	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2404	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

2405	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2431	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2406	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2432	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2407	Committee on Finance	2433	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2408	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	2434	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2409	Committee on Finance	2435	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2410	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2436	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance
2411	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2437	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2412	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2438	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2413	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2439	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2414	Committee on Finance	2440	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
2415	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2441	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2416	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2442	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2417	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2443	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2418	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2444	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2419	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Transportation	2445	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2420	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2446	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2421	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2447	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2422	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2448	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2423	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2449	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2424	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2450	Committee on Finance
2425	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2451	Committee on Finance
2426	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2452	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2427	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2453	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2428	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection	2454	Committee on Finance
2429	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance		
2430	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance		

2455	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2486	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2456	Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance	2487	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2457	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2488	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2458	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2489	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment
2459	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2490	Committee on Education
2460	Committee on Finance	2491	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2461	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2492	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2462	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2493	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2463	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2494	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2464	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2495	Committee on Education
2465	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2496	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2466	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2497	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2467	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2498	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2468	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2499	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2469	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2500	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2470	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2501	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2471	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2502	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2472	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2503	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2473	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2504	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2474	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2505	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2475	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2506	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2476	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2507	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2477	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2508	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2478	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2509	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2479	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2510	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2480	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
2481	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
2482	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
2483	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
2484	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		
2485	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce		

2511	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2534	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2512	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2535	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2513	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2536	Committee on Finance
2514	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2537	Committee on Finance
2515	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2538	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2516	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2539	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2517	Committee on Finance	2540	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2518	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2541	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2519	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2542	Committee on Finance
2520	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2543	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2521	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2544	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
2522	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2545	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2523	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2546	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2524	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2547	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2525	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2548	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2526	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection	2549	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2527	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2550	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2528	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2551	Committee on Finance
2529	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2552	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2530	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2553	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2531	Committee on Finance	2554	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2532	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2555	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2533	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2556	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
		2557	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
		2558	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
		2559	Committee on Labor and Public Employment

2560	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2583	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2561	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs	2584	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2562	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	2585	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2563	Committee on Labor and Public Employment	2586	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2564	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2587	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2565	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2588	Committee on Finance
2566	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2589	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2567	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2590	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2568	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2591	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2569	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2592	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2570	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2593	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2571	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2594	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2572	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources	2595	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2573	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2596	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
2574	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2597	Committee on Finance
2575	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2598	Committee on Finance
2576	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2599	Committee on Finance
2577	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2600	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2578	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2601	Committee on Finance
2579	Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance	2602	Committee on Finance
2580	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance	2603	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2581	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2604	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2582	Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce	2605	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
		2606	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
		2607	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
		2608	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

- 2609 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2610 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2611 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2612 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2613 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2614 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2615 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2616 Committee on Finance
- 2617 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2618 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2619 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2620 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2621 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2622 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2623 Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2624 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 12 and 13) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.C.R.
Nos.

Referred to:

- 12 Committee on Finance
- 13 Jointly to the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.
Nos.

Re-referred to:

- 1887 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2279 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2307 Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)**

The following resolution (H.R. No. 13) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE PACIFIC TELECOMMUNICATIONS COUNCIL ON THE CELEBRATED OCCASION OF ITS TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY," was jointly offered by Representatives Morihara, Garcia, Morita, Santiago, Abinsay, Takai, Ito, Oshiro, Case, Arakaki, Chang, Herkes, Leong, Luke, Suzuki and Ahu Isa.

On motion by Representative Morihara, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, H.R. No. 13 was adopted, with Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Chang, Goodenow, Kahikina, Okamura, Oshiro and Schatz being excused.

Representative Morihara introduced the following honorees from Pacific Telecommunications Council: Ms. Jane Hurd, President; Mr. Hoyt Zia, Executive Director; Mr. Dennis Miimi and Mr. David Lassner, members.

At 12:26 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:33 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2150, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2150, 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 Abinsay, Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Okamura, Oshiro, Schatz and Souki being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1757, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1757, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs with Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Okamura, Oshiro and Schatz being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3-00) recommending

that H.B. No. 1764, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1764, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Okamura, Oshiro and Schatz being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 4-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1794, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1794, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONTINUED OPERATION OF THE HAWAII COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES CONTRACTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Okamura, Oshiro and Schatz being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2695 through 2849) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

H.B. Nos.

2695 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SIXTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Leong.

2696 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY APPRAISERS AND PLATINUM JEWELRY DEALERS."

Introduced by: Representative Leong, by request.

2697 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, by request.

2698 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIANS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Lee and Leong.

2699 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HANDGUNS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Hamakawa, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Takai and Takumi.

2700 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Hamakawa, Luke, Saiki, Takai and Takumi.

2701 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Cachola and Takumi.

2702 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATE FUNDING OF PUBLIC EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives McDermott, Arakaki, Kahikina, Marumoto, Morihara, Takai and Yonamine.

2703 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR SCHOOLS IN THE 32ND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representatives McDermott and Halford.

2704 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII, TO GIVE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION ALL THE POWER, NOT INCONSISTENT WITH THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH ANY PERSON TO PROVIDE SERVICES OR MANAGEMENT OF ALL OR A PORTION OF THE EDUCATION SERVICES NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE SCHOOLS OF THE STATE."

Introduced by: Representatives McDermott, Auwae, Kahikina, Morihara, Moses, Rath and Takai.

2705 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT THROUGHOUT THE STATE."

Introduced by: Representative McDermott.

2706 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFERRED COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.

2707 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.

2708 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.

2709 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE PERMIT BOND REQUIREMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.

2710 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2711 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2712 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE OFFICE."

Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.

2713 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES."

- Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.
- 2714 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A VOLUNTARY SUBSTANCE ABUSE REHABILITATION SCHOOL."
- Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Espero, Marumoto and Moses.
- 2715 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHOO LAWE ISLAND RESERVE."
- Introduced by: Representative Halford.
- 2716 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."
- Introduced by: Representative Lee, by request.
- 2717 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TERRORISM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Kahikina, Arakaki, Morita, Takai and Leong.
- 2718 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS OR DEVELOPMENT-RELATED PERMITS, LICENSES, OR APPROVALS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Takumi, Kanoho, Schatz, Lee, Garcia, Hiraki, Luke and Saiki.
- 2719 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HABITAT CONSERVATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Lee, Thielen, Cachola, Garcia, Hiraki, Luke, Saiki, Schatz and Takumi.
- 2720 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Takumi, Schatz, Thielen, Lee, Garcia, Hiraki, Luke and Saiki.
- 2721 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Goodenow, Santiago, Chang, Kaho'ohalahala, Halford, Thielen, Schatz, Morihara, Lee, Hamakawa and Takamine.
- 2722 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 2723 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WEST HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Rath and Whalen.
- 2724 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Suzuki, by request.
- 2725 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE."
- Introduced by: Representative Fox.
- 2726 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRARS FOR ADULT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki.
- 2727 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERISLAND VEHICLE TRANSFERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Morihara, Kawakami, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Morita, Halford, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Nakasone, Takamine and Whalen.
- 2728 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."
- Introduced by: Representative Souki.
- 2729 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Nakasone, Kaho'ohalahala, Morihara, Morita, Hiraki and Halford.
- 2730 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2731 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2732 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT REPORTERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2733 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2734 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE HAWAII COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Ito, Whalen, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Rath, Arakaki, Espero, Garcia, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kaho'ohalahala, Luke, Morihara, Morita, Suzuki, Takamine and Yamane.
- 2735 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.
- 2736 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ahu Isa, Case, Yonamine, Hamakawa, Ito, Lee, Goodenow, Takai, Chang, Herkes, Saiki and Suzuki.
- 2737 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN."
- Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Luke, Catalani, Kawakami, Thielen, Morita, Ahu Isa and Auwae.
- 2738 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."
- Introduced by: Representative Garcia.
- 2739 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."

- Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Pendleton, Chang and Kaho'ohalahala.
- 2740 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Pendleton, Chang and Kaho'ohalahala.
- 2741 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATELY-OPERATED CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Garcia, Pendleton, Chang and Kaho'ohalahala.
- 2742 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Ahu Isa.
- 2743 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Kanoho and Garcia.
- 2744 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.
- 2745 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.
- 2746 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PEER EDUCATION PROGRAM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.
- 2747 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO CONDUCT A NEEDS ASSESSMENT OF HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED TREATMENT PROGRAMS FOR THE INSTITUTIONALIZED MENTALLY ILL, INCLUDING FORENSIC PATIENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.
- 2748 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2749 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2750 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2751 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor, by request.
- 2752 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF
- THE THIRTY-EIGHTH AND THIRTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Menor and Lee.
- 2753 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RECREATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Auwae, Kahikina, Morita, Kanoho, Cachola and Schatz.
- 2754 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Nakasone, by request.
- 2755 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Okamura, Oshiro, Goodenow, Morita, Ahu Isa, Arakaki, Catalani, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Leong, Luke, Pendleton, Santiago, Souki, Suzuki, Thielen and Yamane.
- 2756 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETIREMENT BENEFITS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Okamura, Suzuki, Morita, Ahu Isa, Moses, Kaho'ohalahala, Yamane, Luke, Stegmaier, Leong, Catalani, Fox, Chang, Kawakami, Yonamine and Oshiro.
- 2757 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPALS AND VICE PRINCIPALS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Okamura, Suzuki, Moses, Arakaki, Chang, Fox, Leong, Luke, Oshiro, Stegmaier and Yamane.
- 2758 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAUSES OF ACTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2759 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL AID."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito, McDermott, Morihara, Stegmaier and Arakaki.
- 2760 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morihara, Stegmaier, Chang, Ahu Isa, Kaho'ohalahala, Saiki, Oshiro, Morita, Schatz, Ito, Lee, Takumi, Hiraki, Catalani, McDermott, Rath, Luke, Auwae, Kawakami, Leong, Souki, Takamine and Yonamine.
- 2761 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Lee, Ahu Isa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Leong and Luke.
- 2762 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ISLAND BURIAL COUNCILS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Goodenow, Ahu Isa, Morita, Kahikina and Souki.
- 2763 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TEACHER EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Morita, Goodenow, Arakaki, Souki and Stegmaier.

- 2764 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS."
Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Goodenow, Arakaki, Souki and Stegmaier.
- 2765 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR CHILD AND ADOLESCENT TRAUMA RECOVERY."
Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Arakaki, Santiago, Goodenow, Souki and Stegmaier.
- 2766 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MATCH FEDERAL FUNDS FOR THE HAWAII FORESTRY AND COMMUNITIES INITIATIVE."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 2767 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 2768 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KIKALA-KEOKEA."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 2769 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine, by request.
- 2770 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2771 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATE DISCLOSURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Takamine.
- 2772 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR DISPUTES."
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2773 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Lee, by request.
- 2774 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCRIMINATION IN PUBLIC PLACES."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Marumoto, Moses, Luke, Schatz, Catalani, Kaho'ohalahala, Ahu Isa and Espero.
- 2775 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Takai, Moses, Hiraki, Espero, Garcia and Kaho'ohalahala.
- 2776 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Ahu Isa.
- 2777 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Stegmaier, Case, Oshiro and Santiago.
- 2778 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Santiago and Takumi.
- 2779 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Leong and Santiago.
- 2780 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Kahikina.
- 2781 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
Introduced by: Representatives Oshiro, Case and Say.
- 2782 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURIAL SITES."
Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 2783 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SWIMMING AND OCEAN SAFETY FOR AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS."
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2784 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM HEALTH-CARE DECISIONS ACT."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Leong, McDermott, Meyer, Morita, Pendleton, Rath and Whalen.
- 2785 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MURDER."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Meyer, Pendleton, Whalen, Rath, Ahu Isa and Auwae.
- 2786 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS AND SUBSTANCES."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Catalani, Chang, Fox, Garcia, Halford, Kawakami, Lee, Leong, Luke, Marumoto, McDermott, Menor, Meyer, Morita, Pendleton, Rath, Stegmaier, Suzuki, Takai, Takumi, Whalen and Yonamine.
- 2787 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Goodenow, Rath, Pendleton, Ahu Isa, Catalani, Chang, Fox, Garcia, Lee, Luke, McDermott, Menor, Schatz, Suzuki, Takumi, Whalen and Yonamine.
- 2788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR KAPOLEI LIBRARY."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ahu Isa, Chang, Garcia, Goodenow, Kawakami, Lee, McDermott, Menor, Morita, Rath, Schatz, Whalen and Yonamine.

- 2789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAIIAN ORGANIC AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Halford, Suzuki, Morihara, Chang, Ito, Herkes, Rath and Whalen.
- 2790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 2791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 2792 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 2793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Takamine.
- 2794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Goodenow and Kawakami.
- 2795 "A BILL FOR AN ACT CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2796 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION FEE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2797 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE CODE."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2798 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2799 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE AQUACULTURE DISEASE PREVENTION PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Suzuki, Morihara, Rath, Chang, Ito, Herkes and Whalen.
- 2800 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, by request, Suzuki, Morihara, Ito, Chang, Halford, Herkes, Rath and Whalen.
- 2801 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Suzuki, Morihara, Ito, Chang, Halford, Herkes, Rath, Takamine and Whalen.
- 2802 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROCESSING ENTERPRISES."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Halford, Suzuki, Morihara, Ito, Chang, Herkes, Rath and Whalen.
- 2803 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANT AND NON-DOMESTIC ANIMAL QUARANTINE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Halford, Suzuki, Morihara, Rath, Ito, Chang, Herkes and Whalen.
- 2804 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO REIMBURSE IT FOR THE COSTS INCURRED IN ACTING AS THE STATE OF HAWAII CONTROL TERMINAL AGENCY FOR BOTH THE NATIONAL CRIME INFORMATION CENTER AND NATIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM NATIONWIDE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEMS, AND TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION COSTS OF THE NEW NATIONAL CRIME INFORMATION CENTER 2000 SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2805 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2806 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 2807 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WAIALUA-HALEIWA STORMWATER DRAINAGE MASTER PLAN."
Introduced by: Representative Santiago.
- 2808 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representative Santiago, by request.
- 2809 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, McDermott and Stegmaier.
- 2810 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO HIRE THIRTY FULL-TIME REGISTERED NURSES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, Lee, McDermott and Kahikina.
- 2811 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Lee, McDermott, Arakaki, Kahikina, Kawakami and Stegmaier.
- 2812 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROVIDE THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WITH AUTONOMY IN ALL MATTERS RELATED TO THE UNIVERSITY."

- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Ahu Isa, Ito, Suzuki, Arakaki, Oshiro, Kahikina, Leong, Case, Kaho'ohalahala, McDermott, Santiago, Stegmaier and Yonamine.
- 2813 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Ito, Suzuki, Arakaki, Oshiro, Case, Ahu Isa, Leong, McDermott, Santiago and Stegmaier.
- 2814 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, by request and Takai, by request.
- 2815 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR KAUAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."
- Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.
- 2816 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Takai and Morihara.
- 2817 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Takai and Morihara.
- 2818 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.
- 2819 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSFERRING RESPONSIBILITY FOR CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Kawakami and Ito.
- 2820 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow, Arakaki, Kaho'ohalahala, McDermott and Morihara.
- 2821 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PILOT SCHOOL-TO-CAREER PROGRAM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki and Morihara.
- 2822 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki, Kaho'ohalahala, McDermott and Morihara.
- 2823 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito and McDermott.
- 2824 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Herkes, Kaho'ohalahala and McDermott.
- 2825 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HEALTHY START PROGRAM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Ahu Isa, Hamakawa, Kahikina and Takumi.
- 2826 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHERIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Ahu Isa, Kahikina and Takumi.
- 2827 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Morihara, Arakaki, Halford, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kahikina, Lee, Luke, Marumoto, Menor, Nakasone, Oshiro, Santiago, Schatz, Souki, Suzuki and Whalen.
- 2828 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FORTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.
- 2829 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS APPOINTMENT AND REVIEW PANEL."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2830 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2831 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2832 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2833 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2834 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE INTERNAL COMPUTER NETWORK."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Oshiro, Case, Yonamine, Garcia and Santiago.
- 2835 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATERSHED PROTECTION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Kawakami and Oshiro.
- 2836 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVEYANCE TAX."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say, Kawakami and Oshiro.
- 2837 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

- Introduced by: Representatives Say and Saiki.
- 2838 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say and Saiki.
- 2839 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
- Introduced by: Representatives Say and Saiki.
- 2840 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HANAMAULU BAY, KAUAI."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Cachola.
- 2841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Case, Suzuki, Ahu Isa, Oshiro, Lee and Goodenow.
- 2842 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
- Introduced by: Representatives Case, Fox, Suzuki, Oshiro, Ahu Isa, Lee and Marumoto.
- 2843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILITY LINES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Case, Schatz, Thielen, Fox, Leong and Saiki.
- 2844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Case, Thielen, Schatz, Morita, Goodenow, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Leong, Morihara, Saiki, Santiago and Takumi.
- 2845 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Case, Thielen, Schatz, Oshiro, Leong, Fox, Lee, Saiki and Santiago.
- 2846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."
- Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 2847 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Okamura.
- 2848 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
- Introduced by: Representative Garcia, by request.
- 2849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENAL RESPONSIBILITY."
- Introduced by: Representative McDermott.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 10 through 12) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF CALLER ID UNENCUMBERED BY ANY RESTRICTIONS," was jointly offered by Representatives McDermott, Yonamine, Kahikina, Takai, Marumoto and Ito.

H.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO RESTORATIVE JUSTICE," was jointly offered by Representatives Meyer, Moses, Marumoto, Kahikina, Saiki, Takai, Stegmaier and McDermott.

H.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT A BLUE RIBBON TASK FORCE TO STUDY AND RECOMMEND WAYS TO REDUCE THE DROP OUT RATES FOR ALL PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS," was jointly offered by Representatives McDermott, Whalen, Halford, Morihara, Arakaki, Yonamine, Kahikina and Marumoto.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Garcia: "Mr. Speaker thank you very much. This ties into our earlier floor presentation today.

"On your behalf, Mr. Speaker, I'd like to announce to my colleagues, here, the event that'll be staged tomorrow here at the State Capitol from 10:00 o'clock in the morning till 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon. You would have gotten your first glimpse as what is to come on the invitation that was sent out from the Speaker's office making reference to what has been called the first of our so-called 'industry days' at the State Capitol.

"Tomorrow the focus will be on high technology. You are invited to take in what we are calling a 'mini-trade show' on the fourth floor. We will have in the area of sixty vendors with their display booths showing off all manner of technology here in the State of Hawai'i. On the third floor, Mr. Speaker, we'll be serving lunch in Room 325 and the members are invited. Please wear the badges that we have supplied to you that you can find in your in-boxes today. This is for the purposes of having the vendors, the membership of the Hawai'i Technology Trade Association, identify you and have an opportunity to discuss with you the impact, for instance, on what Act 178 has done for the industry.

"And they would like to share what further items on their agenda we would want to consider in the forthcoming session, Mr. Speaker. So that is our invitation to the members and to others who support hi-tech in the new economy here in Hawai'i. We'll see you tomorrow."

Representative Case: "Thank you Mr. Speaker. If members will please note, as a reminder, the scheduling announcements under paragraph 9 of our Order of the Day. In addition, there'll be a Majority Caucus on Monday at 11:45 immediately before session in our Majority Caucus Room. And finally, this is to remind all members that the bill introduction deadline is today. Bills need to be received in the Clerk's office by 6:00 o'clock p.m. Thank you."

Representative Pendleton: "Thank you Mr. Speaker. This is a reminder to the Minority Caucus. We're having a caucus meeting Monday, 11:45 o'clock a.m."

At this time, Representative Yonamine moved that all bills received by 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 Pendleton and carried. (Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Okamura, Oshiro and Schatz were excused.)

At 12:39 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. 2850 through 3025) which were received in the Clerk's Office up to 6:00 o'clock p.m. this legislative day passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

H.B. Nos.

- 2850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Espero, Thielen, Schatz, Abinsay, Cachola, Catalani, Garcia, Kahikina, Luke, Marumoto, Morita, Oshiro, Santiago, Souki, Takai, Takamine, Whalen and Yonamine.
- 2851 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
Introduced by: Representatives Espero, Abinsay, Auwae, Cachola, Catalani, Fox, Garcia, Ito, Kahikina, Luke, Marumoto, McDermott, Morihara, Morita, Moses, Oshiro, Santiago, Schatz, Souki, Takai, Takamine, Whalen and Yonamine.
- 2852 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Espero, Moses, Goodenow, Cachola, Case, Catalani, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Luke, Schatz and Suzuki.
- 2853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Espero.
- 2854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 2856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2857 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENDER EQUITY IN SPORTS."
Introduced by: Representative Schatz.
- 2858 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, Auwae, Espero and Moses.
- 2859 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOMPETENT PERSONS."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.
- 2860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WORK PROGRAM SERVICES FOR TWO-PARENT FAMILIES RECEIVING AFDC-S."
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Stegmaier, Kawakami, Leong, Yamane and Whalen.
- 2861 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Pendleton, Moses, Morita, Espero and Leong.
- 2862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF VICTIMS AND WITNESSES IN CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS."
Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Morita, Ahu Isa, Moses, Fox, Catalani, Abinsay, Auwae, Case, Espero, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Meyer, Pendleton, Schatz, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Whalen and Yoshinaga.
- 2863 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF VICTIMS AND WITNESSES."
Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Morita, Ahu Isa, Moses, Fox, Catalani, Pendleton, Goodenow, Abinsay, Auwae, Case, Espero, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Meyer, Schatz, Suzuki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Whalen and Yoshinaga.
- 2864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR A UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Leong, Fox, Moses, Whalen, Marumoto, Arakaki, Auwae, Espero, Garcia, Kahikina, Kanoho, Morita, Pendleton, Takamine and Takumi.
- 2865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DATING VIOLENCE AND ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Meyer, Moses, Marumoto, Fox, Oshiro, Garcia, Chang, Suzuki, McDermott, Takai, Abinsay, Morita, Cachola, Lee, Souki, Say, Catalani, Yoshinaga, Luke, Santiago, Menor, Schatz, Auwae, Espero, Arakaki, Takumi, Kanoho, Yonamine, Takamine, Saiki, Ito, Stegmaier, Morihara, Case, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala, Ahu Isa, Leong, Whalen, Goodenow and Rath.
- 2866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
Introduced by: Representatives Rath, Moses, Whalen, Abinsay, Cachola, Espero, Fox, Halford, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Leong, Luke, McDermott, Morita, Oshiro, Souki, Suzuki and Yonamine.
- 2867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT REFORM."
Introduced by: Representative Rath.

- 2868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGE OF CONSENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Rath, Moses, Kahikina, Whalen, Fox, Abinsay, Cachola, Chang, Espero, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Leong, McDermott, Schatz, Souki, Suzuki and Yonamine.
- 2869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Rath, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Cachola, Leong, Souki, Stegmaier and Takai.
- 2870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
Introduced by: Representatives Rath, Suzuki, Whalen and Chang.
- 2871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII FORESTRY AND COMMUNITIES INITIATIVE."
Introduced by: Representative Cachola.
- 2872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Menor.
- 2873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES."
Introduced by: Representatives Leong, Meyer, Auwae, Pendleton, Marumoto and Thielen.
- 2874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DRUG TREATMENT, COUNSELING, AND INTERVENTION SERVICES AT WAIPAHU HIGH SCHOOL."
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Garcia.
- 2875 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Kanoho, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, Yamane, Stegmaier, Ahu Isa, Case, Catalani, Kahikina, Nakasone and Yonamine.
- 2877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS."
Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Kahikina, Thielen, Moses, Marumoto, Kanoho, Goodenow, Case, Stegmaier, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Chang, Herkes, Ito, Kawakami, Luke, McDermott, Morihara, Nakasone, Oshiro, Rath, Say, Takai, Takamine, Yamane, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.
- 2878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS AND PROCUREMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Suzuki, Kahikina, Moses, Goodenow, Marumoto, Case, Kanoho, Thielen, Yamane, Stegmaier, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Chang, Ito, Kawakami, Luke, McDermott, Morihara, Nakasone, Oshiro, Rath, Say, Takai, Takamine, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.
- 2879 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Introduced by: Representatives Menor and Cachola, by request.
- 2880 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REVERSE WARNING SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Hiraki, Moses, Catalani, Goodenow and Takai.
- 2881 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Whalen, Meyer, Moses, McDermott, Auwae, Halford, Leong, Pendleton, Rath and Marumoto.
- 2882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGING AGENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Halford, by request.
- 2883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE ELEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Halford.
- 2884 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Meyer.
- 2885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERIODIC MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Auwae, Espero, Marumoto and Whalen.
- 2886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF PRISONS."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Auwae, Marumoto, Stegmaier and Whalen.
- 2887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Auwae, Espero, Marumoto, Stegmaier and Whalen.
- 2888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS."
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Auwae, Marumoto and Whalen.
- 2889 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier, by request.
- 2890 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE 43RD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2891 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMBATIVE SPORTS."

- Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Arakaki, McDermott, Abinsay, Kahikina, Lee and Takumi.
- 2892 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Santiago.
- 2893 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE DATA FOR HYDRAULIC AND HYDROLOGIC FLOOD ANALYSES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Santiago and Oshiro.
- 2894 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Santiago, Garcia, Arakaki, Hamakawa, Takumi, Lee, Takamine, Luke, Catalani, Auwae, Abinsay and Kahikina.
- 2895 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Schatz, Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee, Ahu Isa, Kaho'ohalahala, Takumi, Auwae, Thielen and Garcia.
- 2896 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATE FUELED VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Schatz, Thielen, Takumi, Kanoho, Garcia and Cachola.
- 2897 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Takai, Lee, Fox, Morihara, Schatz, Takumi and Catalani.
- 2898 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE ETHICS."
- Introduced by: Representative Yonamine.
- 2899 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT WEST OAHU."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Takai, Takumi, Yonamine, Garcia, Suzuki, Menor, Arakaki, Kahikina, Leong, Moses, McDermott, Stegmaier and Santiago.
- 2900 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Ahu Isa, Takai, Ito, Suzuki, Arakaki, Kahikina, Leong, Takumi, Yonamine and McDermott.
- 2901 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NEW ECONOMY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Morihara, Herkes, Case, Cachola, Santiago, Garcia, Abinsay, Say, Takai, Luke, Yoshinaga, Suzuki, Catalani, Kawakami, Takamine, Morita, Lee, Yonamine, Menor, Ahu Isa, Ito, Souki, Takumi, McDermott, Kaho'ohalahala, Stegmaier, Espero, Goodenow, Marumoto, Kanoho, Hamakawa, Oshiro, Hiraki, Leong and Kahikina.
- 2902 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
- 2903 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNLICENSED ACTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Rath, Whalen, Ahu Isa, Goodenow, Suzuki, Herkes, Luke, Arakaki, Cachola, Takumi, Yamane, Garcia, Nakasone, Kahikina, Takamine, Ito, Morita, Catalani, Kawakami, Fox, Yoshinaga, Takai, Abinsay and Espero.
- 2904 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Espero, Goodenow, Herkes, Ito, Say, Souki, Suzuki, Yamane and Yoshinaga.
- 2905 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEEDING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Moses, Fox, Hiraki and Takai.
- 2906 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING COMPANIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2907 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.
- 2908 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-BASED BUDGETING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier and Ito.
- 2909 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2910 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAMAKUA DITCH."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2911 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2912 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Abinsay, Fox, Kahikina, Morita, Lee, Leong, Santiago, Goodenow, Cachola, Hiraki and Stegmaier.
- 2913 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina and Santiago.
- 2914 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Luke, Kahikina and Ito.
- 2915 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Santiago and Ito.
- 2916 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Kahikina.
- 2917 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN TERMINOLOGY."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2918 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTION AGENCIES."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2919 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE COVERAGE."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2920 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2921 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Morita, Arakaki, Auwae, Cachola, Fox, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Marumoto, McDermott, Moses, Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Schatz, Souki, Takamine, Takumi and Yonamine.
- 2922 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Catalani, Morita, Thielen, Cachola, Garcia and Takumi.
- 2923 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROCESSING ENTERPRISES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Whalen and Rath.
- 2924 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Whalen.
- 2925 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENAL RESPONSIBILITY."
- Introduced by: Representative Whalen.
- 2926 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Lee, Ahu Isa, Catalani, Garcia, Halford, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morihara, Santiago, Schatz, Souki, Suzuki, Takumi and Yoshinaga.
- 2927 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2928 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2929 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2930 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2931 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING COUNTIES FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2932 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2933 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SALT LAKE BOULEVARD WIDENING, OAHU."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2934 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY INSTRUCTION PERMIT."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2935 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LODGING OR TENEMENT HOUSES, HOTELS, AND BOARDINGHOUSES."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2936 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSE RENEWAL BY MAIL."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2937 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBPOENAS."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2938 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2939 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2940 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HONOLULU POLICE OFFICERS."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2941 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL DETENTION OF PREARRAIGNMENT DETAINEES."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2942 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBER-TERRORISM."
- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2943 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED USE OF ANOTHER PERSON'S INFORMATION TO OBTAIN SERVICES."

- Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2944 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVING."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2945 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2946 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL TRESPASS IN THE FIRST DEGREE."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2949 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINES FOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED CONTROL OF PROPELLED VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2951 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS."
Introduced by: Representatives Morita and Lee.
- 2953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS TELEVISION."
Introduced by: Representative McDermott.
- 2954 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2955 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW ECONOMY SKILLS TRAINING."
Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Suzuki, Morihara, Takai, Ahu Isa, Abinsay, Espero, Herkes and Kaho'ohalahala.
- 2956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFAIR OR DECEPTIVE ACTS OR PRACTICES."
Introduced by: Representative Luke, by request.
- 2957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFENSES."
Introduced by: Representative Luke, by request.
- 2958 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY."
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2960 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FILM INDUSTRY."
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2961 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO."
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2962 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS AND SUBSTANCES."
Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Espero, McDermott, Kahikina, Thielen, Stegmaier, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Fox, Hiraki, Ito, Kawakami, Leong, Marumoto, Menor, Meyer, Morita, Rath, Souki and Takai.
- 2963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A PERMANENT POSITION FOR THE DRUG AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELLING PROGRAM AT UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU."
Introduced by: Representative Moses.
- 2964 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Espero.
- 2965 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
Introduced by: Representatives Auwae, Lee, Kahikina, Leong and McDermott.
- 2966 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by: Representatives Auwae, Kahikina, Moses, Lee, Leong, McDermott and Stegmaier.
- 2967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIANAE COAST COMMUNITY BENCHMARKING PILOT PROJECT."
Introduced by: Representatives Auwae, Moses, Kahikina, Lee, Leong, McDermott and Stegmaier.
- 2968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WAIANAE COAST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER."
Introduced by: Representatives Auwae, Kahikina, Moses, Lee, Leong, McDermott, Stegmaier and Yamane.
- 2969 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Auwae.
- 2970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

- Introduced by: Representatives Moses, McDermott and Rath.
- 2971 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX BREAK FOR NEW BUSINESS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Kanoho, Ito, Ahu Isa, Halford, Stegmaier, Goodenow, Yoshinaga, Cachola, Kaho'ohalahala, Kawakami, Suzuki and Yamane.
- 2972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX REVISIONS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Cachola, Santiago and Suzuki.
- 2973 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MICONIA ERADICATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Kaho'ohalahala, Yoshinaga, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Cachola, Goodenow, Kanoho and Kawakami.
- 2974 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 2975 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK CONTROL."
- Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 2976 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIONS WHICH CONCERN PROGRAMS OR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cachola and Kanoho.
- 2977 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."
- Introduced by: Representative Oshiro, by request.
- 2978 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2979 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SITE RESTORATION AND POLLUTION CLEAN-UP FUND."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2980 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Goodenow.
- 2982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."
- Introduced by: Representatives Goodenow and Say.
- 2983 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE."
- Introduced by: Representative Menor.
- 2984 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINIMUM WAGE."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2985 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS."
- Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2986 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE RISK MANAGEMENT AND INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2987 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PANAWEA RACE TRACK."
- Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Takamine and Whalen.
- 2988 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2989 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII INSURANCE EXCHANGE."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2990 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS - THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 2991 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXCLUSION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ROYALTIES FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2992 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII CENTER FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND."
- Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Yamane, Morita, Espero, Fox, Halford, Ito, Kahikina, Santiago, Souki and Whalen.
- 2993 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
- Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2994 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.
- 2995 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ORGANIC AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Morita, Suzuki, Espero, Halford, Morihara, Kaho'ohalahala, Herkes, Ito, Rath and Whalen.

- 2996 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Morita, Suzuki, Espero, Morihara, Rath, Kaho'ohalahala, Herkes, Ito and Whalen.
- 2997 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE LOANS."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Morita, Suzuki, Espero, Halford, Morihara, Kaho'ohalahala, Herkes, Ito, Rath and Whalen.
- 2998 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Morita, Suzuki, Espero, Morihara, Kaho'ohalahala, Halford, Herkes, Ito, Rath and Whalen.
- 2999 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RIGHT TO FARM."
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Morita, Suzuki, Espero, Morihara, Kaho'ohalahala, Whalen, Herkes, Ito and Rath.
- 3000 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow, Rath, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Takai, Suzuki, McDermott, Espero and Luke.
- 3001 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCOMMERCIAL PIERS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow, Catalani, Ahu Isa, Takai and Meyer.
- 3002 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLAYGROUNDS IN SCHOOLS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Yoshinaga, Kanoho, Cachola, Stegmaier, Ahu Isa and Suzuki.
- 3003 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai and Ahu Isa.
- 3004 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Goodenow, Catalani, Ahu Isa, Takai, Stegmaier, Espero, Herkes, Luke, McDermott and Suzuki.
- 3005 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Ito.
- 3006 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai and Ahu Isa.
- 3007 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 7, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF LAW."
Introduced by: Representatives Rath, Whalen, McDermott, Meyer, Goodenow, Moses, Kaho'ohalahala, Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Auwae, Cachola, Fox, Garcia, Halford, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Kanoho, Leong, Marumoto, Morihara, Pendleton, Santiago, Souki, Takai, Yamane and Yonamine.
- 3008 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A TECHNOLOGY-FOCUSED COMMUNITY-BASED CENTER IN WAIALUA TOWN."
Introduced by: Representative Santiago.
- 3009 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII INSURANCE EXCHANGE."
Introduced by: Representatives Say, Cachola, Menor, Kanoho, Goodenow, Case, Oshiro, Suzuki, Abinsay, Catalani, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Luke, Souki and Yonamine.
- 3010 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 3011 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3012 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENSIONERS' BONUS."
Introduced by: Representative Yoshinaga.
- 3013 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE."
Introduced by: Representatives Yoshinaga and Abinsay.
- 3014 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 3015 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 4, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO APPORTIONMENT AMONG BASIC ISLAND UNITS."
Introduced by: Representative Fox, by request.
- 3016 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TO LOW-INCOME PERSONS."
Introduced by: Representative Fox.
- 3017 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOLOKAI GENERAL HOSPITAL."
Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Lee, Santiago, Ahu Isa, Kanoho, Abinsay, Catalani, Espero, Halford, Hiraki, Kahikina, Morihara, Oshiro, Souki, Suzuki, Takumi, Yonamine and Yoshinaga.
- 3018 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE."

- Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.
- 3019 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.
- 3020 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILM PRODUCTION."
- Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 3021 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE."
- Introduced by: Representative Stegmaier.
- 3022 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CHILD CARE CERTIFICATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Stegmaier, Catalani, Kahikina and Kawakami.
- 3023 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."
- Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.
- 3024 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVOCABLE PERMITS FOR STATE AGRICULTURAL LEASES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Kanoho.
- 3025 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWELFTH, THIRTEENTH, AND FOURTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho and Morita.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:00 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, January 31, 2000.

EIGHTH DAY

Monday, January 31, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Jim Rath, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Menor, Okamura and Whalen, 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. 110 through 118) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 110, transmitting copies of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, Barbers Point Naval Air Station Redevelopment Commission's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 111, transmitting copies of a report entitled "State Art Gallery, Alternative Sites Study" prepared by the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts (pursuant to Act 91, Section 72, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999).

Gov. Msg. No. 112, transmitting copies of the 1999 Annual Report of the Employment and Training Fund Program prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, pursuant to section 383-128, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 113, transmitting copies of the University of Hawai'i's Annual Report on Intercollegiate Athletics Exemption from the Procurement Code.

Gov. Msg. No. 114, transmitting copies of Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, On the Status of the Environmental Health Education Fund as Established by Act 169, SLH, 1994.

Gov. Msg. No. 115, transmitting copies of Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, In Compliance with Act 221, Session Laws of Hawai'i, 1997, Relating to the State Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund of the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 116, transmitting copies of the Report to the State Legislature Regarding House Concurrent Resolution Number 63, HD 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 117, transmitting copies of the 2000 Annual Report of the Medical Claims Conciliation Panel and the Design Professional Conciliation Panel submitted pursuant to Sections 672-12 and 671-20, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 118, transmitting copies of the Hawai'i Energy Strategy 2000 (HES 2000) and the Hawai'i Energy 2000 Summary, prepared by the State of Hawai'i's Energy, Resources, and Technology Division of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism (DBEDT).

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Ito introduced "a friend and former colleague", Mr. Kendall Ko from the Department of Education.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2625 through 3025) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
2625	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2626	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2627	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2628	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2629	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2630	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2631	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2632	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2633	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2634	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2635	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2636	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2637	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2638	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2639	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment
2640	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2641	Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2642	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2643	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2644	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2645	Committee on Finance
2646	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

- 2647 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Finance
- 2648 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2649 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2650 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2651 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2652 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2653 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2654 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2655 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2656 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2657 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2658 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2659 Committee on Finance
- 2660 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2661 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2662 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2663 Committee on Finance
- 2664 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2665 Committee on Finance
- 2666 Committee on Finance
- 2667 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2668 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2669 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2670 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2671 Committee on Finance
- 2672 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2673 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2674 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2675 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2676 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2677 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2678 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2679 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2680 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2681 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2682 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2683 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2684 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2685 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2686 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
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- 2688 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2689 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2690 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2691 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2692 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2693 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2694 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2696 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2697 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2698 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2706 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2707 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2708 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2709 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2710 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2711 Committee on Legislative Management, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2712 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2713 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2714 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2715 Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2716 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2717 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2718 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2719 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2720 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2721 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2722 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2723 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2724 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
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- 2733 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2735 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2736 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
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- 2811 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2812 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2813 Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
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- 2820 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2841 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2842 Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
- 2843 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2844 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2845 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2846 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
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- 2862 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2863 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
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- 2870 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
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- 2874 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2879 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2887 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2898 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2899 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 2901 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education and the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

- 2902 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2903 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2904 Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2905 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2906 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2907 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
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- 2951 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2952 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2953 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2954 Committee on Finance
- 2955 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2956 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2957 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2958 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2959 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2960 Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2961 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2962 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2963 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2964 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2965 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
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- 2985 Committee on Water and Land Use, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2986 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2987 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2988 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2989 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
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- 2999 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 3000 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3001 Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

- 3002 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3003 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3004 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 3006 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3007 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 3008 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3009 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
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- 3011 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 3012 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance
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- 3016 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3017 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3018 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 3019 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3020 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3021 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3022 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3023 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3024 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 3025 Committee on Finance

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 10 and 11) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 14) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
10	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
11	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

<u>H.C.R.</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
14	Jointly to the Committee on Legislative Management and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following House Bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2344	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2416	Committee on Finance
2522	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2567	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2591	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2594	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2608	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2610	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2617	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2618	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)**

The following resolution (H.R. No. 14) was received and announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING FEBRUARY 2000 AS DRUG-FREE HAWAII AWARENESS MONTH," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Yamane, Leong, Kawakami and Stegmaier.

On motion by Representative Santiago, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, H.R. No. 14 was adopted with

Representatives Kahikina, Menor, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

Representative Santiago introduced the following honorees: Ms. Sherry Loo, M.D., President of Coalition for a Drug Free Hawai'i; Mr. Cliff Cisco, CEO, HMSA; Ms. Lori Murakami, Department of Education's Safe and Drug Free in Community Schools Program; and Mr. Murray Towill from the Hawai'i Hotel Association.

Representative Santiago also introduced the following guests seated in the gallery: Mr. Jason Paloma and Mr. Dave Gomes from HMSA; and Mr. Kendall Ko from the Department of Education.

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

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:18 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 5-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1765, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1765, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 6-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1768, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1768 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1768, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representative Herkes voting no and Representatives Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton 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 Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen were excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2150, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Takamine, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, H.B. No. 2150, 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 48 ayes, with Representatives Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 2150, had passed Third Reading at 12:20 o'clock p.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

A communication, dated January 28, 2000, to the Honorable President and members of the Senate of the State of Hawai'i from Patricia Mau-Shimizu, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the following changes to the conferees were made to the following Senate Bills:

S.B. No. 680, SD 1, HD 2

Discharged Representative P. Oshiro as Co-Chair.
Discharged Representative Hamakawa as a member.
Added Representative Hamakawa as Co-Chair.
Added Representative Saiki as a member.

At 12:20 o'clock p.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 S.C.R. No. 9 to appoint the Auditor.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives was called to order at 12:33 o'clock p.m. by the Honorable Norman Mizuguchi, President of the Senate.

Senator Ihara moved that Mr. Paul Kawaguchi be appointed Clerk of the Joint Session, seconded by Representative Case and carried, with Representatives Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen and Senators Fukunaga and Matsuura being excused.

At this time, Speaker Calvin K.Y. Say assumed the rostrum.

Speaker Say then announced that the purpose of this Joint Session was to appoint the Auditor for the State of Hawai'i, pursuant to Section 10, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Representative Case then nominated Ms. Marion Higa to the Office of the Auditor of the State of Hawai'i for a term of eight years, commencing on July 1, 2000.

Senator Ihara moved that the nomination be closed, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, with Representatives Kahikina, Okamura, and Whalen and Senators Fukunaga and Matsuura being excused.

Representative Case then moved that the House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i confirm the appointment of Ms. Marion Higa as Auditor for the State of Hawai'i for a term of eight years, commencing on July 1, 2000, seconded by Representative Marumoto.

Representative Case rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the motion.

"Mr. Speaker, in 1959 the Auditor's Office was created in order to assist the Legislature in effectively discharging its checks and balances responsibilities. Under our Constitution, the duty of the Auditor is to 'conduct post-audits of the transactions, accounts, programs and performance of all departments, offices and agencies of the State and its political

subdivisions, to certify to the accuracy of all financial statements issued by the respective accounting offices, and to report the auditors findings and recommendations to the Governor and to the Legislature.'

"In 1971, Marion Higa joined the Auditor's staff. Born in Honolulu, educated at McKinley, UH/Manoa and the University of Illinois-Champaign, she has just celebrated her 29th anniversary with that office.

"Marion became Acting Auditor in 1991, and was appointed State Auditor for an eight year term in 1992. For reasons which my colleagues will express more fully, there is no doubt that she has fulfilled her duties in a truly exemplary fashion, earning, through focus, perseverance and sheer force of will, the respect and admiration of this Legislature, Hawai'i state government, and the people of Hawai'i.

"Moreover, she has brought national credit to our State. From 1995 through 1998, for example, she was elected as one of only 20 legislative staff representatives from around the country to the Executive Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures. She serves with the National State Auditors Association and the Legislative Fiscal Officers Association. Her counsel is sought out by her colleagues and others nationally.

"But perhaps more important than these accolades is how she does her job. I'm sure we've all seen her sit dispassionately and unemotionally in legislative hearings as someone tries to explain why one of her audits is off-base, and then equally dispassionately and unemotionally get up and explain the facts. I'm sure she would be the first to credit and back up her staff of 33, whose loyalty to her and to their office is well known. In short, she is what all public servants should be.

"Mr. Speaker, there are few actions we could take that would be more widely supported by the public, and would accrue such benefits to our state, as to reappoint Marion Higa to another eight year term as our auditor. I urge my colleagues' favorable consideration.

"Thank you."

Representative Marumoto then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I also speak in favor of the motion. And in speaking in favor of the nomination of Marion Higa as Legislative Auditor, I would like to read a Star Bulletin article of April 20, 1998, which is laudatory of the fine job she is doing as auditor. It is by Charles Memminger and is entitled: 'Let Awesome Auditor Rule the Roost.'

"Considering the shabby state of economic affairs in Hawai'i, I think we should just cut to the chase and put Marion Higa in charge of everything.

"Higa is awesome. She's the Michael Jordan of government employees. I believe she can fly. Technically, she's only the state auditor, but in reality, she seems to be the only person in government who understands how things are supposed to be run, why they aren't running that way and what should be done to get them running the way they should.

"She comes out with these amazingly astute reports on various departments, showing how millions of dollars are being wasted here and there. And she does it in such a pleasant, non-confrontational way that most of those on the receiving end of her scathing manifestos don't even realize that they are being taken to the public woodshed and soundly thrashed.

"I don't know Marion. But I'd like to. Hell, I'd like for her to handle my personal finances. This may be a bit overstated, but she appears to be the most competent human being in the entire state. And that's why I say we should just quit fooling

around and hand the reigns of government, the whole shebang, to Higa.

"We can let Ben Cayetano keep his title of governor and Jeremy Harris the title of mayor. And we can let the Legislature and the City Council keep meeting. We'd just have to come up with a title to make it clear that Marion would be higher than all of them on the decision-making totem pole. I think something like Super Duper Economic Czar or Ultimate Master of the Hawai'i Economic Universe would be appropriate.

"Higa already has figured out what's wrong with half the departments in state government. Nothing is too complicated or too mundane for her probing eyeball.

"She drove the Department of Transportation to distraction with a report that it blew several million dollars in interest by not investing its reserves for two months. She fired a shot over the bow of the state harbors department when she discovered that small boat harbors and docks weren't exactly shipshape. Some University of Hawai'i astro-nomers saw stars after she slapped them with a report showing sloppy management of the Mauna Kea summit.

"And that was just working with a small staff.

"Just think what she could accomplish if we made her the Grand Poobah of All Things Government? With a couple of more staff people she would be able to whip the state into shape and set us on the road to financial prosperity.

"It wouldn't even cost anything to hand the reigns of power to her. We could put her on a commission, like the Bishop Estate trustees.' This was written in 1998. 'Let her keep 2 percent of any waste she cuts from government. That way, the government would be 98 percent leaner and she'd be a multimillionaire practically overnight.

"The question is whether she'd want the new post. I doubt it. She seems to enjoy the quiet life as Hawai'i's stealth auditor. You don't see hide nor hair of her for months on end and suddenly she emerges into the sunlight with some devastating screed about government mismanagement. She must drive department managers nuts. You know it's going to be a bad day when you see Higa standing in your waiting room with a smile and a briefcase.

"Because she has been so successful for the state, the City Council now wants the city to create a county-level auditor. That's not a bad idea, but I doubt that there are any other Marion Higa's hiding in the weeds. She seems to be one of a kind.

'So the answer is just to put her in charge of everything and everyone else take a break.' Maybe a nap break. 'Hail, Higa.'"

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen being excused.

At this time, Senate President Norman Mizuguchi assumed the rostrum.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i confirm the appointment of Ms. Marion Higa as the Auditor for the State of Hawai'i for a term of eight years commencing on July 1, 2000, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Ihara rose and stated:

"Mr. President, I rise to speak in support of the motion.

"Mr. President, I rise today to support the appointment of Marion Higa as State Auditor for a second term of eight years.

In her first term as Auditor, Ms. Higa has produced 209 audits. These audit reports have helped to improve government service, save millions of dollars and increase public confidence.

"Marion Higa's audits are well researched, focused, reader friendly and always present useful recommendations. Near the beginning of her first term Marion was recognized with a Good Government Award from Common Cause Hawai'i. At the time, newspaper columnist, Bud Smyser, said that, 'Citizens wanted to proclaim Marion Higa public servant of the year.' He observed that her audit recommendations were like rifle shots to government effectiveness, and that charmed the public immensely.

"Midway in her term, a man considered by many as the feistiest watchdog of Hawai'i government, the late Desmond Burns himself called Marion Higa the 'feistiest of all State Auditors'. Marion, knowing Desmond, I think you can consider this a compliment of the highest order.

"And now at the end of her current term, things have not changed. Her audits still contain piercing insights and recommendations to improve the management of public funds and programs. A Honolulu Advertiser editorial last November called Marion a 'real treasure of Hawai'i' because her reports save the public's money and get better services for the community.

"Mr. President, I wanted to note that early in Marion's term she got the Legislature's support to allow her to conduct follow-up audits. This has made quite a difference because agencies know that after the Office of the Auditor has done an audit, she'll be back asking the question, 'What have you done to implement the Auditor's recommendations?'

"Representative Marumoto had quoted the Charles Memminger 1998 column and I'll just point out and repeat that in it he says that 'We should put Marion Higa in charge of everything,' and that 'She is the Michael Jordan of government employees.' In response to that, Marion wrote back and said, 'Please, I am perfectly content being State Auditor. Nothing else, thanks.'

"Well, Mr. President, I ask my colleagues to confirm Marion Higa to her singular interest and allow her to ask for another eight years, 'What have you done to implement the Auditor's recommendations?' Thank you."

Senator Anderson then rose and stated:

"Mr. President and colleagues, I'm not only pleased and proud, but very honored to speak today in strong support of Marion Higa. The only thing that really took me back a little bit is when Representative Case said she had 29 years of service. I only thought she was 36. So, I don't know, but she's a wonderful lady and the position of Auditor is not an easy one. Audits as you well know point out problems. And hopefully recommendations and solutions.

"No matter what the subject of the audit, someone somewhere doesn't like it. It takes a special person, a strong person, an intelligent person, someone both responsible and reliable to be the State Auditor. This person is Marion Higa. She has brought a new standard of professionalism and integrity to the Office of the Auditor.

"She has earned great respect throughout Hawai'i for her professional standards both for herself and for her staff. And they are well beyond compare. The complex audits generated from her office are constructive in nature. They are always delivered in a comprehensible, precise and timely manner. In addition, they clearly and consistently show the value of accountability.

"Mr. President, her objectivity, her fairness, and her attention to detail all contribute to a well balanced audit that is result

oriented. Her strength of character and her remarkable ability to grasp the complexities of problems that really face us today. And these audits are something that we all rely on.

"In summary, Mr. President, Marion Higa is a role model in excellence, a public servant who we can all respect. And normally Marion, I don't read speeches, but I didn't want to leave anything out. I am really honored and you are definitely one of the best people that we could have ever chosen. Mahalo."

Senator Slom then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. President, I rise in support of the motion and the nomination.

"I've had the honor and the privilege of knowing Marion Higa for a number of years. We entered the University of Hawai'i together as freshmen, a couple of years ago. She's aged far better than I have. And I would ask my colleagues, please don't hold that against her that she's known me that long because she's still able to put up with me. And that's the thing, she's able to put up with everyone and everything.

"She was a leader then, an excellent debater, an excellent student and she always did her homework and always went for the facts. We are very, very fortunate as a community and as a state to have Marion Higa who is one of the brightest, most creative, most hard working individuals anywhere around. And she's been recognized nationally as you've heard. And the same terms, the same words keep coming back: respect, integrity, honesty. There's not too many occasions when all of us in this body, the two houses together, feel the same way and express ourselves about the same individual. So it's got to be true.

"I think that we can honor Marion today by putting her back to work for another eight years, but for those people that are always asking the questions, 'How can we downsize government? How can we save money? How can we reprioritize?' All you got to do is take any eight of Marion's reports, any eight of them, and just implement them. And that would be the best honor of all, to fully implement all of the things that she said to save us some money, to make everything more efficient, and to hold people accountable and responsible.

"I'm proud to know you Marion. We love you for everything you've done and you're going to do. Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator M. Ige then rose and stated:

"Mr. President, I too rise in support of Ms. Higa.

"Mr. President, Senator Bunda and I were very fortunate to be Co-Chairs of Government Operations for the Senate. And one of the reports that stick out is a report on the Baker and Taylor contract, and you know the results. The other report that sticks out is the Department of Defense. Senator Bunda and I went in, we asked the questions that she asked and we, in fact, saved the State some money there after some very long and deliberate negotiations, but it was through her efforts that we were able to do that.

"And you know, Marion, as I stand here and I see you, I think of what kind of gift I can give you, but allow me to just read one of my favorites from Tennyson. It's out of the poem Ulysses and in my opinion it reflects who you are.

'That which we are, we are. One equal temper of heroic hearts. Made weak by time and faith, but strong in will. To strive, to seek, to find and not yield.'

"On behalf of the people that I represent, Marion, I want to thank you for your service to this community. Thank you."

Senator Tam then rose and stated:

"Mr. President and fellow colleagues, I wish to speak in favor of Marion Higa as State Auditor.

"I'm very pleased to have known her for a number of years. As a Chairman for Government Operation and Housing, I must attest that she's a very fine leader and also very productive and efficient in government.

"One most outstanding characteristic that I feel about her is that she goes into the community and she searches for information. She searches through everyone. Not just a certain few, but everyone in the community in Hawai'i. Marion, fine job, well done. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried by a vote of 23 ayes, with Senators Fukunaga and Matsuura being excused.

The votes having been so cast, Ms. Marion Higa was declared State Auditor.

Senator Ihara then rose and stated:

"Mr. President, I would like to introduce the people sitting with Marion today. They are her son, Jason, her daughter, Allison who flew in from Los Angeles to be here, and Marion's mother, Mrs. Sakai Murakami.

"Mr. President, I'd like to also ask the staff of the Office of the Auditor to stand to be recognized."

At 12:55 o'clock p.m., the Senate President declared the Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives adjourned. (Representatives Kahikina, Okamura and Whalen and Senators Fukunaga and Matsuura were excused.)

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, February 1, 2000.

NINTH DAY

Tuesday, February 1, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative David Pendleton, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hamakawa, Okamura and Saiki, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 119 through 121) were received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 119, transmitting copies of the 1999 Compliance Resolution Fund Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 120, transmitting copies of the Annual Report of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board on General-Purpose Zone and Special-Purpose Subzone Activity for September 30, 1999, prepared by the Foreign-Trade Zone.

Gov. Msg. No. 121, recommending immediate passage of H.B. No. 2407 authorizing an emergency CIP appropriation for the Department of Agriculture.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Luke introduced, on behalf of Representative Ahu Isa and herself, the students of Kawananakoa Intermediate School and their teachers, Mrs. Shoji and Ms. Hashimoto.

Representative Menor introduced, on behalf of Representative Lee and himself, a group of "bright and enthusiastic" fourth graders from Mililani Uka Elementary School accompanied by their teachers, Ms. Kumiko Tobarra and Ms. Kathy Sproat and their parent chaperones.

Representative Goodenow introduced former legislator and Vice Speaker of the House, Jackie Young, who served in the House from 1990-1994.

Representative Santiago introduced Rev. Frank Chong of the Waikiki Health Center, Mr. Chris Pablo of Kaiser Permanente and a good friend, Mr. Daniel Hata, who were seated in the gallery.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

**H.B.
Nos.**

Re-referred to:

298 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

299 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

473 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

502 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

599 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

655 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

952 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1127 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1130 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1135 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1309 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1326 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1472 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1473 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1476 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1477 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1479 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1510 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

1755 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

2425 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

2528 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2529 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

2530 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2737 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2746 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

- 2794 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2806 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
- 2846 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2935 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2985 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Hamakawa, Okamura and Saiki were excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1765:

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, H.B. No. 1765, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Hamakawa, Okamura and Saiki being excused.

H.B. No. 1768:

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, H.B. No. 1768, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Herkes voting no, and Representatives Hamakawa, Okamura and Saiki being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 15 through 17) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 15 through 17) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO PROVIDE GENDER SPECIFIC AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES FOR WOMEN OFFENDERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Thielen, Marumoto, Meyer, Catalani, Morita, Takai, Saiki, Yoshinaga, Takumi, Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Luke, Auwae, Leong, Menor, Santiago and Schatz.

H.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING FEDERAL EFFORTS TO COMBAT TRAFFICKING IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Thielen, Marumoto, Meyer, Catalani, Morita, Takai, Saiki, Yoshinaga, Takumi, Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Luke, Auwae, Leong, Menor, Santiago and Schatz.

H.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INCORPORATION OF CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN STANDARDS IN ALL NEW AND RENOVATED BUILDINGS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL AND LIBRARY SYSTEMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Takai, Ito, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala and Menor.

H.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO PROVIDE GENDER SPECIFIC AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES FOR WOMEN OFFENDERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Thielen, Marumoto, Meyer, Catalani, Morita, Takai, Yoshinaga, Takumi, Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Luke, Saiki, Auwae, Leong, Menor, Santiago and Schatz.

H.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING FEDERAL EFFORTS TO COMBAT TRAFFICKING IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Thielen, Marumoto, Meyer, Catalani, Morita, Takai, Yoshinaga, Takumi, Kawakami, Ahu Isa, Luke, Saiki, Auwae, Leong, Menor, Santiago and Schatz.

H.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INCORPORATION OF CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN STANDARDS IN ALL NEW AND RENOVATED BUILDINGS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL AND LIBRARY SYSTEMS," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Morita, Takai, Ito, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala and Menor.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Santiago: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The reason that we have our distinguished guests in the gallery today is because the American Cancer Society, from 12:15 p.m. to 1:30 p.m., in Room 329, will be sponsoring a briefing today. We all know Frank from the Waikiki Health Center and Chris from Kaiser Permanente. Today, however, both of them along with Jackie and Dan, who are current Chairpersons of the Government Relations Committee of the American Cancer Society Hawai'i Pacific, will be in Room 329 today. So I ask all of you if you have some time, to please come by after session today for the briefing. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Morita: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. After the Cancer Society briefing, on behalf of your House Tourism Chair, Representative Chang and myself, we would like to invite the members to hear eco-tourism author Martha Honey talk about her new book, 'Eco-tourism and Sustainable Development, Who Owns Paradise.' This is the first comprehensive and critical look at the concept of eco-tourism. We will be starting about 1:00 p.m. till 2:00 p.m. in Room 325. Thank you."

Representative Stegmaier: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just a reminder to the members who expressed an interest in participating with the group of students from the University who are taking a class called, 'Religion, Politics and Society.' We will be providing lunch and a good discussion about the role of morality, ethics and personal religious belief and the formulation of public policy, in Room 309 at 12:30 p.m. Thank you."

Representative Oshiro: "Members should recognize today is a very special day for one of our members. It is in fact Speaker Calvin Say's birthday."

Speaker Say: "For those of you who are wondering what my age is, let me just say this: It feels great to be 48!"

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:16 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 2, 2000. (Representative Okamura was excused.)

TENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 2, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Lt. Rich Pease, Central Oahu Core Officer from the Salvation Army, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Arakaki, Cachola, Catalani, Fox, Ito, Kanoho, Menor, Meyer, Morihara, Okamura, Takaj and Whalen, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 122 and 123) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 122, transmitting copies of the Convention Center Authority's Action Plan for fiscal year ending June 30, 2001.

Gov. Msg. No. 123, transmitting copies of the 1998-1999 Annual Report prepared by the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts (pursuant to Chapter 9, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, as amended).

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Pendleton introduced his student "shadow" from Kailua High School, Mr. Vaimana Conner.

Representative Thielen introduced her student "shadow" from Kalaheo High School, Mr. Lopaka Purdy.

Representative Ito introduced his student "shadow" from the Castle High School GRADS program, Ms. Sherry Picanco.

Representative Suzuki introduced his student "shadow" from Moanalua High School, Ms. Jennifer Neves.

Representative Abinsay introduced his student "shadow" from Farrington High School, Ms. Madeline Sagadaraca.

Representative Arakaki introduced his student "shadow" from Farrington High School, Mr. Tommy Kennedy Saiupo.

Representative Yoshinaga introduced her student "shadow" from Kaimuki High School, Mr. Richard Herra.

Representative Meyer introduced her student "shadow" from Kahuku High School, Ms. Lauren Day.

Representative Luke introduced her student "shadow" from Roosevelt High School, Ms. Evelyn Lee. Representative Luke also introduced Mr. Bill Kaneko "who is one of the founders of HIPA (Hawai'i Institute of Public Affairs)."

Representative Kanoho introduced his student "shadow" from the University of Hawai'i, Ms. Kelly Rapoza.

Representative Lee introduced her student "shadows" from Mililani High School, Ms. Tiffany Llenos and Ms. Amy Simmons.

Representative Marumoto introduced her student "shadows" from Kalani High School, Ms. Jennifer Matsuda and Ms. Kiani Sallas.

Representative Goodenow introduced his student "shadows" from Kailua High School, Ms. June Zhng and Ms. Vanessa Knapp.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 12, and 15 through 17) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 15 through 17) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.R.Nos.Referred to:

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| 12 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 15 | Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 16 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs |
| 17 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |

H.C.R.Nos.Referred to:

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| 15 | Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 16 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs |
| 17 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.Nos.Re-referred to:

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| 1769 | Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2326 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2376 | Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2383 | Jointly to the Committee on Culture and the Arts and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2466 | Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 2734 | Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance |

2877 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 7-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2080, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2080, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 8-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1955, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1955, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CORRECTIONS POPULATION MANAGEMENT COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 9-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2132, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2132, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBER TERRORISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 10-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1758, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1758, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 11-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1763, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1763, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on

Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 12-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2013, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2013, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL RESEARCH," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1903, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1903, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRAIN INJURY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative McDermott: "Mr. Speaker, today's the birthday of one of our younger members of the body, but also one of the most articulate. Today is Representative David Pendleton's birthday."

Representative Rath: "Mr. Speaker, I have a late introduction if I may. My student 'shadow' just joined us and we all know the very best high school on Oahu is McKinley, where I finished. But this young fellow comes from the Big Island from the very best high school in the newest area which is Kealakehe High School. Mr. Mason Douglas, could you stand up. And welcome one of our best students. As a note of interest, Mr. Speaker, if I may add, we just had your recent birthday, mine just before you, and now Mr. Pendleton's, it shows that that horoscope stuff really doesn't stand to be true."

Representative Takumi: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. Your Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources will be reconvening their hearing because we were unable to finish this morning. We'll be reconvening in Room 312 at 1:30 o'clock p.m."

Representative Marumoto: "Mr. Speaker, my notes also indicate that we have another birthday today and I believe it's Representative Nathan Suzuki's birthday. So, may we wish him a happy birthday."

Speaker Say: "Would the two birthday boys want to share their age? If not, Representative Yonamine."

Representative Yonamine: "Mr. Speaker, for the record, the very 'bestest' of the best high schools is Pearl City High School, but we can debate that on another occasion."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:18 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 3, 2000. (Representatives

Chang, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Takai and Whalen were excused.)

ELEVENTH DAY

Thursday, February 3, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Rick Stinton of Faith Baptist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Kaho'ohalahala, Menor, Rath, Santiago, Stegmaier, Takai and Whalen, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Days were subsequently approved. (Representatives Cachola, Menor, Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen were excused.)

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 124 through 128) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 124, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the University of Hawai'i on the Status of Implementation of the Pacific Center for Advanced Technology Training and Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 125, transmitting copies of a report on SCR 64, SD 1, HD 1, Requesting a Comprehensive Review of the Hawai'i State Law on Employment of Severely Disabled Persons.

Gov. Msg. No. 126, transmitting copies of the 1999 Annual Report, Board Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Facilities, in compliance with Section 340B-12, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 127, transmitting copies of a report Relating to Fees Collected by the Department of Health pursuant to Act 216, SLH 1997.

Gov. Msg. No. 128, informing the House that on February 2, 2000, he signed the following bill into law:

House Bill No. 2150, HD 1 as Act 1, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN."

SENATE COMMUNICATION

Sen. Com. No. 5, returning H.B. No. 2150, 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 2, 2000, was read by the Clerk and placed on file.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Lee, on behalf of Representative Menor and herself, introduced 49 eighth grade students from Mililani Middle School with their teachers Mrs. Hamada, Mrs. Fukuda, Mrs. Galloway and Mr. Sagayaa, and parents Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Stussi and Mrs. Galicinao; and 60 fourth grade students from Mililani Uka School with their teachers Kumu Asano, Mrs. Ro and Mrs. Knudsen.

Representative Lee also introduced visitors from California, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Seina and Ms. Loretta Seina of Fresno; and Mrs. Rosa Marin and her daughter Ms. Ana Lisa Marin of Clovis.

Representative Herkes, on behalf of Representatives Rath, Whalen and himself, introduced students from the Waldorf School in Kona who performed a traditional Hawai'ian chant for the members and the audience.

Representative Hiraki introduced a constituent and member of the Downtown Neighborhood Board, Mr. Carl Rhodes.

ORDER OF THE DAY

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 14-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1916, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1916, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 15-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2371, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2371, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 16-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2104, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2104, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 17-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2506, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2506, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 18-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2515, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2515 entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 19-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2271, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2271, HD1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Case: "Mr. Speaker, this is a reminder to all members, but particularly to subject matter committee chairs and vice chairs. This year, in order to even out the legislative work flow, we've put a new deadline on our internal legislative timetable which is February 11, 2000, eight days from now. By that day, all bills with triple referrals that are moving out of their initial committee should have moved out of that committee. By 'move out' we mean that the committee report should have been filed in the Clerk's Office by 5:00 o'clock p.m. So this is fair warning for everybody that that date is eight days away and it would be a good time to double check your triple referrals. Thank you."

Representative Santiago: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Health Committee will be reconvening in Room 329 immediately after session."

Representative Yoshinaga: "Mr. Speaker, your joint Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Economic Development and Business Concerns will be reconvening in Room 309 at 1:00 o'clock p.m. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:18 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Friday, February 4, 2000. (Representatives Rath and Whalen were excused.)

TWELFTH DAY

Friday, February 4, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Jan Youth of Honpa Hongwanji Hawai'i Betsuin, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Yoshinaga, 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. 129 through 131) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 129, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2536 and S.B. No. 2877 which makes an emergency appropriation and authorization for \$17,735,924 from general funds, \$378,646 from the Child and Adolescent Mental Health special fund, and \$38,866 from the Behavioral Health Administration special fund to allow the Department of Health, Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division to continue to provide mental health services to certain emotionally disturbed children and adolescents under Chapter 321, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, for the period March 1, 2000, through June 30, 2000, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 130, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2551 to correct the fiscal year reference in Section 6 of Act 304, Session Laws of Hawai'i 1999, to permit the appropriation of \$5,055,665 from the Hawai'i Tobacco Settlement Special Fund to the Department of Health for fiscal year 1999-2000, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 131, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2542 which makes an emergency appropriation and authorization for an increase of \$367,268 in general fund expenditure levels in fiscal year 2000 for developmental disabilities Title XIX state match costs, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Ahu Isa introduced fifth grade students from Lanakila Elementary School along with their teachers, Ms. Carol Kishimoto and Ms. Akiko Marutani; and their chaperones, Mr. Jessie Nakanishi, Ms. Marsha Servies, Ms. Catrina Medeiros and Ms. Aileen Balangitao.

Representative Herkes introduced Ms. Nancy Hunter, teacher and host to two students from Belarus and Georgia participating in the International Student Exchange Program at Ka'u High School.

Representative Meyer introduced her student "shadow" from the International Student Exchange Program, Mr. Maxat

Allakuliyev from Turkiministan, who is attending Kahuku High School.

Representative Kahikina introduced his "shadow" from the International Student Exchange Program, Ms. Lydia Samigullina from Russia, who is attending Campbell High School.

Representative Kahikina also introduced Mrs. Lelleen Pelekai, a "very close friend of mine" and host of five students from the International Student Exchange Program four attending Nanakuli High School: Mr. Katja Meltzer, Ms. Irina Chernets, Ms. Valerie Hendrychova and Ms. Fanny Arnoult, and one attending Leleihua High School, Ms. Zhanna Djersembekova.

Representative Lee introduced Ms. Yulia Faturova, exchange student and participant of the Freedom Support Act Program from the Ukraine, who is attending Moanalua High School.

Representative Yonamine introduced his student "shadow" from the International Student Exchange Program, Ms. Natallia Pilipenka from Belarus, who is attending Pearl City High School.

Representative Garcia introduced his student "shadow" from the International Student Exchange Program, Mr. George Kerkadze from Georgia, who is attending Pearl City High School.

Representative Leong introduced her student "shadow" from the International Student Exchange Program, Mr. Alexsey Proskurov from Asubayan, who is attending Aiea High School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2439	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2567	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2736	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
2768	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee of Finance
2802	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2812	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2901	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education, then jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Finance

2976 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land Use and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 20-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2516, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2516, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 21-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1846, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1846, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE GOOD BEGINNINGS ALLIANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 22-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1844, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1844, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF PROTOCOLS AND THE SPECIAL TRAINING OF PARAMEDICS IN THE TREATMENT OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PATIENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 23-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1762, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1762, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1762, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly

to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Meyer and Fox voting no and Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 24-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1761, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1761, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1761, 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 Representatives Herkes, Meyer and Fox voting no and Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 25-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1775, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1775, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1775, 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 Representatives Herkes, Meyer and Fox voting no and Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 26-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1776, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1776, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1776, 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 Representatives Herkes, Meyer and Fox voting no and Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 27-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2090, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2090, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPAIRED DRIVERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 28-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2614, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2614, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 29-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1910, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1910, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 30-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1759, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1759, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 31-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1691, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1691, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32-00) recommending that S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32-00 on S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2, was deferred, and in accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, printed copies of S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 18) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 18) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, THE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY, THE HAWAII SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, AND THE HAWAII ACCOUNTANTS COALITION TO COOPERATIVELY DEVELOP LEGISLATION FOR THE REGULATION OF THE PROFESSION OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY TO BE INTRODUCED IN THE 2001 REGULAR SESSION OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE CONSISTENT WITH THE STANDARDS RECOMMENDED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE BOARDS OF ACCOUNTANCY AND THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AND THE UNIFORM ACCOUNTANCY ACT," was jointly offered by Representatives Menor, Chang, Cachola, Ahu Isa, Stegmaier, Takai, Morihara, Ito, Espero, Abinsay, Lee, Suzuki, Yamane, Goodenow, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Nakasone, Souki and Takamine.

H.C.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, THE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY, THE HAWAII SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, AND THE HAWAII ACCOUNTANTS COALITION TO COOPERATIVELY DEVELOP LEGISLATION FOR THE REGULATION OF THE PROFESSION OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY TO BE INTRODUCED IN THE 2001 REGULAR SESSION OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE CONSISTENT WITH THE STANDARDS RECOMMENDED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE BOARDS OF ACCOUNTANCY AND THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AND THE UNIFORM ACCOUNTANCY ACT," was jointly offered by Representatives Menor, Chang, Cachola, Ahu Isa, Takai, Morihara, Ito, Espero, Lee, Suzuki, Yamane, Goodenow, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Nakasone, Souki and Takamine.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Chang: "Mr. Speaker, just a reminder to all the members who confirmed their attendance. We will have a luncheon hosted by the President of Duty Free Shoppers who will give us a briefing on what DFS is doing with their new gallery and their new proposed \$65 million project in Waikiki. It's in Room 325, immediately following the session."

Representative Morihara: "Thank you. The Higher Education Committee will be meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock p.m., but I would like to make a clarification on one bill in the hearing that was mistakenly posted. HB 2812 and it's Higher Education/Judiciary will be a Higher Education, Judiciary, Finance. Thank you."

Representative Garcia: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On your behalf and on behalf of the respective leaderships on both the Majority and across the aisle, I want to direct the members attention to the activity in the Makai entrance in the upper gallery to the chambers of this house.

"Mr. Speaker, as you know, you are going to be part of this effort later this afternoon, as well as others who will be sitting on a panel. This is the first of a series of events that we are staging here in the Chambers, and in cooperation with the Senate for the future.

"Members, please, if you have the opportunity to tune into Olelo Channel 54, you will see me going back to my 'first love.' No, I'm not resigning today, Mr. Speaker, but I will be hosting the television show which will be one hour, 'Capitol Calls Call-In Show' on Olelo Channel 54. This is an opportunity, Mr. Speaker, under your leadership to get the public to understand what it is that we do here. And as I said, this is the first of 14 shows which will be aired live on Olelo. And I want to thank the people of Olelo for providing this service to the people of Hawai'i and that the House, under your leadership, is taking the initiative to see that we report the business of the people to the general community. Thank you Mr. Speaker."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:25 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, February 7, 2000. (Representatives Kahikina, Okamura, Rath, Stegmaier and Takamine were excused.)

THIRTEENTH DAY

Monday, February 7, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor David Parker of Friendship Bible Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Goodenow, Okamura, Santiago and Stegmaier, who were 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. 132 through 134) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 132, requesting the following changes to the FB 2001 Executive Supplemental Budget: corrections to the Supplemental Appropriations bill (House Bill No. 1900); additional Operating Budget requests; and additional CIP Budget requests/lapses.

Gov. Msg. No. 133, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2537/S.B. No. 2878 which makes an emergency appropriation and authorization of \$14,039,984 from general funds to allow the Department of Health, Adult Mental Health Division to continue to prevent the reduction or discontinuance of services to patients at Hawai'i State Hospital and to develop and provide necessary community-based services for discharged patients of the Hawai'i State Hospital, under Chapter 321, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, for the period March 1, 2000 through June 30, 2000, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 134, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2414, which makes a supplementary emergency appropriation in fiscal year 1999-2000 for asbestos property damage litigation, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Yamane introduced his intern from the Adult Rehabilitation Center, Ms. Dawn Duncan and her chaperone, Ms. Eden Garcia, and his Committee Clerk, Mrs. Sallye Barona and former Representative "Mr. Hotel" Mike White.

Representative Ito introduced visitors from Niigata, Japan: Mr. Tsuneo Abe, Senior Executive Managing Director of the New Niigata Promotion Organization; Mr. Masashi Suzuki, Director of Public Relations and Promotion of the New Niigata Promotion Organization; Mr. Ikuo Nakamura, Director, Niigata Furusato Mura Appeal Hall; Mr. Akira Hamaguchi, Senior Executive Managing Director, Niigata Furusato Mura Company; Mr. Naoto Ito, Deputy Director General, News and Production Division, Niigata Nippon Newspaper Company; Mr. Yoshinobu Yamaguchi, Section Chief, Airport Division, Bureau of Port and Airport Development, Niigata Prefectural Government; Mr. Masaaki Toi, General Manager, Japan Airlines, District Office

Niigata; and Mr. Suguya Kudo, Sales Staff, Regional Sales Office in Tokyo.

Representative McDermott introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern, Mr. Darrel Iguchi, and his chaperone, Ms. Rose Shimabukuro, and his Office Manager, Mr. Harry Friel.

Representative Ahu Isa introduced her ARC of Hawai'i intern, Mr. Alan Higa, and his chaperone, Mr. Michael Depaulo, and her Committee Clerk, Ms. Irene Takizawa.

Representative Goodenow introduced members of the U.S. State Department visiting from Washington, D.C., Ms. Gilda Broncato and Mr. Richard E. Jaworski from the Office of the Legal Advisor; and Ms. Nancy Finn, Director, U.S. Passport Office.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 18) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 18) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.R.
No.Referred to:

- 18 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

H.C.R.
No.Referred to:

- 18 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bill was re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.
No.Re-referred to:

- 2011 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 19) was received and announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE HONOLULU JAPANESE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ON ITS 100TH ANNIVERSARY," was offered by Representative Yoshinaga.

On motion by Representative Yoshinaga, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, H.R. No. 19 was adopted with Representative Okamura being excused.

Representative Yoshinaga introduced the honorees as follows: Mr. Joichi Saito, JCCH, Chairman of the Board; Mr. Ron Ushijima, JCCH, President; and Mr. Wayne Miyao, JCCH, Anniversary Coordinator.

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 12:40 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Pendleton introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern, Ms. Joyce Takamoto.

Representative Yoshinaga introduced her ARC of Hawai'i intern, Mr. Marvin Anderson.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton 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 Okamura and Stegmaier were excused.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32-00 and S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2:

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Fox rose in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I believe that there are good arguments for raising the pay of the Judiciary. We did that last year, maybe not as much as should be. But I am concerned about the lack of accountability in the Judiciary -- to use a word that is gaining some prominence this year -- about the gap between pay and performance. We have one of the weakest systems for evaluating judges in the country, and I don't see much progress in that direction.

"I think that one solution to the problem that I wish would get more serious consideration is to have judicial retention elections in Hawai'i similar to what we have in California. That way the people of Hawai'i could evaluate the performance of judges after they'd been in office for a certain period of time and that kind of evaluation would make me feel much more comfortable about increasing the pay of the Judiciary.

"Thank you Mr. Speaker."

Representative Thielen then rose in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. I would like to make it very clear about why I am voting against this bill to increase judicial salaries.

"Mr. Speaker, I strongly believe in the separation of powers. I believe that we have three co-equal branches of government. We have the Legislature, the Executive and the Judiciary, not necessarily in order of importance. We may not, in the Legislature, we may not like the decisions the Judiciary issues, but this is their role and their function. And I strongly support their independence.

"I do, however, also believe that we need to look across our society as we consider wage increases and take a look at what our teachers are paid. The day in, day out, hard work that they do to educate our youngsters, and they are, I would say, more deserving of an increase in pay than the Judiciary.

"There's a finite amount of money in the general fund and we have to take a look at where do we put our resources. My vote has always come down on the side of teachers. Let's keep increasing their salaries. And my feeling is when you serve in the Judiciary, you make a commitment to public service. With that commitment comes the realization that your salary will be less than what you would earn in the private sector. And I applaud their willingness to make that commitment, but I cannot go along with a pay increase.

"Thank you."

Representative Rath then rose and stated:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. I'd like to vote no on this same measure and to save time I would like the Clerk to insert the remarks I made from last session voting no on this," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Rath's remarks from March 9, 1999 on House Bill 20, HD 2, are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, many, many years ago the practice of law was a very honorable and noble profession. Those people who engaged in the practice of law had the highest ethics and were above reproach. Certainly, I think the vast majority of people who engage in law today still adhere to that conduct.

"However, there are some that have moved outside of that and, of course, lawyers have gotten the 'black eye' just like politicians and car salesman. Right at the top of that list are, of course, judges and we tend to look at them and disagree with those decisions they make as my friend to the right here has pointed out.

"But I'd like to differ with the Representative from Manoa, in that indeed, the judges are to interpret the laws, but let us remember the judges are not suppose to legislate from the bench. That is not their job. That is our job. That's what they've been doing in this State. They have been legislating from the bench. They have invaded our rights, our responsibilities and our duties. We have not invaded theirs.

"But what this is about is money. It's about do we pay these attorneys who, hopefully, after a lifetime of dedication to the law have risen to the level where they can sit and adjudicate. Are we to pay them more money? I think it's time to look at our entire criminal justice system and the way it operates.

"It's much like an upside down pyramid. Up at the top of that pyramid you have the very high paid judges. Then, of course, below that you have different attorneys. You have prosecutors. You have defense attorneys. You have PIs who make a lot of money. Then as you come down you have investigators who investigate both for prosecution and defense. But when you get right down to the bottom of that pyramid, that little tiny point at the bottom on which our whole criminal justice system sits, there's that guy on the street with a badge and a gun. He's the least educated, the worst paid and he's got the most terrible hours. Unless he walks up to somebody and says you're under arrest, the whole system doesn't even come into play.

"Now that guy is underpaid and overworked. That guy is out there with his life on the line and he has to leave for Oregon to get a good paying job. We're talking about giving the guys right on the top of that inverse pyramid a raise. I think we're looking at the wrong end of the spectrum. We should be looking at the bottom end and keeping those guys who are out in your neighborhoods in patrol cars keeping them well paid

and active in our communities. So let's put the money there instead of where the judges are. Thank you."

Representative Ahu Isa then rose in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I want to say that judges work very, very hard. They dedicate their life to public service. There's no question that they are there to serve, and long hours are put into their days just like us here at the Legislature. And I speak not only because my of brother, who stepped down from the Circuit Court bench, but others like Judge Wendell Huddy, who is about to retire. I've known him for a long time too, and they really are dedicated. So I just want my colleagues to know that.

"Also when we heard it Finance, I was appalled to see that our Chief Justice only makes \$90,000, when our professors at the University make way over \$116,000 or even our principals of our adult education schools make about \$115,000.

"Thank you Mr. Speaker."

Representative Takamine then rose and stated:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. I like to speak in support of the motion briefly.

"I just wanted to offer a few comments just so we don't lose perspective on this measure. Mr. Speaker, as we all know, this bill was one of the key measures that had much discussion last year.

"I think I heard the word accountability. Accountability is important. It is important to all parties. I think when it applies to the Legislature it is perhaps even more important. I think this is one of the issues that due to inadvertence, in terms of drafting, the legislation that was passed did contain an error. There was discussion following last session. I think we clearly saw it as part of our responsibility, in terms of integrity of the process, to make the correction.

"Mr. Speaker, this bill merely implements that correction. Thank you very much."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IN THE JUDICIARY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes to 5 noes, with Representatives Fox, McDermott, Meyer, Thielen and Rath voting no and Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that S.B. No. 1345, had passed Third Reading at 12:47 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 33-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1930, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1930, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 34-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1969, as

amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1969, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Garcia rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, the bills that are pushed out by your Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns are all worthy of mention. This one especially so, and I make reference for the members to the 'industry days' that you have been sponsoring here at the Capitol for our benefit and for the general public, Mr. Speaker.

"I notice for those who are testifying in support of the passage of H.B. No. 1969, several of the industries will be focused on at your third industry day that we have marked for March 8, 2000, here at the Capitol. And so I make reference to that, Mr. Speaker, for the members, only because I want them to know that this Legislature, this Committee especially, is moving forward on programs that are important to those industries and important to the State as a whole. And also the bill also references the industry that we focused on in our first industry day and that was High Technology Trade Association. If not for the Manufacturing Extension Program, perhaps, that trade association might not have been launched. Thank you very much 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. 1969, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MATCH FEDERAL FUNDS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF MANUFACTURING EXTENSION PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Menor, for the Committees on Economic Development and Business Concerns and Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 35-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1956, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1956, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Menor, for the Committees on Economic Development and Business Concerns and Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 36-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1970, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1970, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREPAID TELEPHONE CALLING SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 37-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2278, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2278, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Herkes rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, stating:

"I agree with Marion Higa," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Rath then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2278, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL WORKERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Herkes and Rath voting no and Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 38-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2061, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2061, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 39-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2746, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2746, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative McDermott then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Rath then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, 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. 2746, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PEER EDUCATION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 40-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2112, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2112, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 41-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2160, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2160, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 42-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1939, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1939, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHOO LAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representatives Morita and Abinsay, for the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 43-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2204, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2204, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Meyer rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I was too slow to stand up. I wanted to vote with reservations on one of the bills on page 4."

The Chair responded: "Please announce the measure."

Representative Meyer continued, stating:

"This is Stand. Com. 43-00, HB 2204 ethanol producer income tax credit. I see there are some positive things about this bill and that it would promote a new business, the ethanol production which could be done in conjunction with some of our remaining sugar facilities.

"But I have some concerns. The Department of Taxation was not in favor of this. It's a fairly large tax credit being offered in this bill to the ethanol producers. I'm not sure that this will pass constitutional muster. It would require anyone buying the ethanol would have to buy from the companies producing the ethanol in Hawai'i. It would preclude competition from cheaper sources of ethanol from out of the State and I don't know if that is legal. And for that reason I do have some pretty strong reservations. Thank you."

Representative Rath then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to register with reservations on that same bill..."

Representative Souki then rose on a "point of order," stating:

"I believe we have taken action on this bill and I don't think any further debate is necessary."

The Chair responded: "Representative Souki, the Chair has allowed them to incorporate their remarks in the journal. So, Representative Rath."

Representative Rath continued, stating:

"Yes, I just wanted to have reservations recorded for the like reasons," and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2204, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 44-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2070, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2070, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1691, HD 1:

Representative Case moved that H.B. No. 1691, HD 1, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Kahikina rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, my opposition to this measure is really remarkable because the intent of this bill is to fulfill U.S. treaty obligations with the Consulate-General. And I found that it is really unique because the United States has a unique obligation to the native Hawai'ians through a federal act called the Hawai'ian Homes Commission Act. So unique that it is part of the admissions requirement for the State of Hawai'i and also incorporated in our State Constitution.

"I find it really, really ironic that this body would play with the Constitution only when it matters for vehicles that are important to perhaps somebody. When we talk about the native Hawai'ians and we identify the U.S. obligation it seems like this Body pays a deaf ear to that.

"And so I have to stand in opposition because these Consulate-Generals were really created during the Monarchy. And when the Monarch was overthrown, I wonder and even ask this Consulate-General, in history, where were the Consulate-Generals? Because the relationship was really made through the spirt called aloha. That same aloha, Mr. Speaker, that you called upon this Body to react.

"I have to apologize to the Chairman of Finance and Vice Chair and members of Finance because I didn't participate in this bill, basically because of the emotional insensitivity of this bill and the relationships. I chose not to participate, and that's my way of participating, but I need to stand in opposition. It's almost like fornicating with democracy using the Constitution only in cases where it pleases somebody. But the same document also gives rights to native Hawai'ians, Mr. Speaker, and therefore I stand in opposition."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.B. No. 1691, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Third Reading by a vote

of 46 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Kahikina voting no and Representatives Chang, Herkes, Okamura and Stegmaier being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 1691, had passed Third Reading at 12:55 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Morita: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Your House Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection will reconvene at 1:00 o'clock p.m. in Room 312 to finish up our agenda."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and good afternoon, aloha. Your Joint Legislative Committee on Long-Term Care and also your Committee on Human Services and Housing and Senate Committee on Health and Human Services would like to invite members for lunch, but also to be briefed on a Medicaid Managed Long-Term Care proposal from Landmark Corporation that's right now in Conference Room 329. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:57 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, February 8, 2000. (Representatives Chang, Okamura and Stegmaier were excused.)

FOURTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 8, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Hermina Morita, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Arakaki, Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga, 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 MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 135 and 136) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 135, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2517 which makes supplementary emergency appropriations of \$4,075,000 general funds and authorization to increase federal expenditure appropriations by \$4,243,025 in fiscal year 2000 for the Medical Assistance Program, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 136, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2409 which makes supplementary appropriations in fiscal year 2000 for operating expenses in the Department of Accounting and General Services, Information and Communication Services Division, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Kahikina introduced a student intern from the University of Hawai'i, West Oahu, Ms. Andrea Matsuno.

Representative Moses introduced his intern from ARC of Hawai'i, Mr. Carl Profit and his chaperone, Ms. Veara Asintisa.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 19) was referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.C.R.
No. Referred to:

- 19 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.

Nos. Re-referred to:

- 536 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 537 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 540 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2459 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2605 Committee on Finance
- 2606 Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 45-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2569, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2569, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMERCIAL FISHERIES SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 46-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2570, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2570, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 47-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1949, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1949, 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 Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1947, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1947, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHERIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on

Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 49-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1994, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1994, 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 Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 50-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2023, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2023, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 51-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2402, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2402, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 52-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2789, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2789, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HAWAIIAN ORGANIC AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Abinsay and Morita, for the Committees on Agriculture and Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 53-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2405, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2405, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 54-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2166, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2166, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 55-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2973, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2973, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MICONIA ERADICATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Santiago and Herkes, for the Committees on Health and Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 56-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2161, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2161, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2161, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 57-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2375, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2375, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 58-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2794, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2794, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 59-00) recommending that H.B. No. 536, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 536, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 60-00) recommending that H.B. No. 537, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 537, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," was recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 61-00) recommending that H.B. No. 540, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 540, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, with Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 19) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO ASCERTAIN THE FEASIBILITY OF AMENDING THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT TO ALLOW FOR DIRECT ELECTION OF MEMBERS," was offered by Representative Kahikina.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Arakaki: "Good afternoon and aloha, Mr. Speaker and colleagues. This afternoon at 1:00 o'clock p.m. we'll be having a press conference for the Keiki Caucus. I'd like to invite all our colleagues to be there and stand for our children. It's going to be in Conference Room 309. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:16 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 9, 2000. (Representatives Cachola, Chang, Herkes, Menor, Okamura and Yoshinaga being excused.)

FIFTEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 9, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Sister Joan of Arc Souza and Mr. Amjad Nasralla of St. Francis School, Manoa, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Arakaki, Herkes, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine, 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. 137 through 140) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 137, transmitting copies of the Department of Human Services, Child Welfare Services Citizen Review Panel Annual Report for FY 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 138, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2531/S.B. No. 2872 which makes an emergency appropriation and authorization for \$14,500,000 from general funds to allow Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation ("HHSC") to continue to provide health services in their twelve facilities for the period March 1, 2000, through June 30, 2000, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 139, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, on House Concurrent Resolution No. 190, HD 1, Urging the Department of Health to Extend Its Services of the Neuropsychology Department Until Appropriate and Adequate Alternatives are Found.

Gov. Msg. No. 140, requesting immediate consideration and passage of H.B. No. 2416 which makes a supplementary emergency appropriation in fiscal year 1999-2000 for gasoline antitrust litigation costs, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Dept. Com. No. 20) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 20 from Dr. Seiji F. Naya, Director, Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, State of Hawai'i, transmitting copies of the Quarterly Statistical and Economic Report, December 1999.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Misc. Com. No. 8) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 8 from Mr. Thomas M. Driskill, Jr., President and Chief Executive Officer, Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation, transmitting the PACE Hawai'i at Maluhia, Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation Annual Report to the

State Legislature, in compliance with House Bill 120, Session Laws of Hawai'i, 1997.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Takai introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern, Ms. Cheryl Derby.

Representative Arakaki introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern, Mr. Peter Tengan.

Representative Stegmaier introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern, Mr. Eric Akiyama.

ORDER OF THE DAY

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 62-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2185, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land Use.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2185, HD 1, 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 Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 63-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1777, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1777, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, stating:

"This is a bill for one company. It's monopolistic, thank you," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1777, 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 Representatives Fox and Rath voting no and Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 64-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2619, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2619, HD 1, pass Second Reading and

be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Fox rose and stated:

"I'd like to express a reservation and that is that we did not hear from the Department of Health on this bill. And they're directly involved."

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 12:17 o'clock p.m.

Representative Yamane then rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Hopefully, I'll see what the HD 1 is, but my community is very concerned about this particular issue as far as the noise exemption. And their concern deals primarily with why DOT can't work with DOH. And I've spoken to the Department of Health and they're of the opinion that DOT could get the exemptions and waivers within a few weeks. Now what they tell us might not be totally true, as in the past, but until we get them both at the table, I think we're going to have a problem. 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. 2619, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 65-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1767, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1767, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 66-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1899, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1899, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 67-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2053, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2053, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED CONTROL OF PROPELLED VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and

Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 68-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2128, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2128, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 69-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2612, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2612, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROL OF VENDING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 70-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1881, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1881, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 71-00) recommending that H.B. No. 839, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 839, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION OF WASTEWATER LEASING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 72-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2277, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2277, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOBACCO SETTLEMENT SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 73-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2004, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2004, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY OF HEALTH CARE INFORMATION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 74-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2811, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2811, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 75-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2065, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2065, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 76-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2900, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2900, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 77-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2806, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2806, 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 and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No.

78-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2380, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2380, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Pendleton rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Rath then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, stating:

"This bill is redundant and unnecessary, thank you," 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. 2380, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Pendleton and Rath voting no and Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 79-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2717, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2717, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TERRORISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 80-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2592, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2592, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 81-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2593, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2593, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 82-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2511, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the

Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2511, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 83-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2959, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2959, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 84-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2960, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2960, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FILM INDUSTRY," was recommitted to the Committee on Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine being excused.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:20 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 10, 2000. (Representatives Herkes, Kanoho, Menor, Okamura and Takamine were excused.)

SIXTEENTH DAY

Thursday, February 10, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:09 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Neal H. McHenry of the Calvary By The Sea Lutheran Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Kahikina, Menor, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Takai and Yoshinaga, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh Days were subsequently approved. (Representatives Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Takai, Yoshinaga, Nakasone, Souki were excused.)

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 141) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 141, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Marine and Coastal Zone Management Advisory Group (MACZMAG) pursuant to Section 205A-3.5, HRS and Section 3 of Act 104, SLH 1995.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Kanohe, introduced 10 eighth graders from the Kapaa Middle School, their teacher, Ms. Debbie Higuchi, chaperone, Ms. Jade Lariosa, and ARC intern, Mr. Barry Tai Costa, chaperone, Mr. Cory Dobashi and staff member, Mr. Ray Adams.

Representative Catalani, introduced her ARC intern, Ms. Donna Stevens, and chaperone, Ms. Lordus Alexander.

Representative Thielen, introduced family friend Mrs. Paula White Hanford, son, Preston Hanford and staff member, Ms. Desi Poteet.

Representative Fox, introduced his ARC intern, Mr. Lorrin Hee, chaperone, Ms. Chandra Kaneheilua, and staffmembers, Ms. Jennifer Lim and Ms. Elena Camilon.

Representative Takumi, introduced his ARC intern, Mr. Dean Paracuelles, and staffmembers, Ms. Nancy Leung, Ms. Kimberly Click and Ms. Katie Grace Estorgio.

Representative Meyer, introduced Mrs. Millie Clissold.

Representative Ito, introduced his ARC intern, Ms. Tracy Swift, and chaperone, Ms. Evangeline Sanchez.

Representative Hamakawa, introduced friend and former Judiciary Committee staff member, Ms. Charlene Bess.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 20) was referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.C.R.
No.

Referred to:

20 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.
No.

Re-referred to:

1919 Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

2790 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

2791 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 20 and 21) were received and announced by the Clerk and the following actions taken:

H.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE HONORING OF THE HAWAII BUSINESS HALL OF FAME AWARDEES," was offered by Representatives Marumoto and Herkes.

On motion by Representative Marumoto, seconded by Representative Herkes and carried, H.R. No. 20 was adopted, with Representatives Kahikina, Morihara, Nakasone, Okamura, Oshiro, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Meyer introduced the following honorees: Mrs. Ethel Murphy, Mr. Ralph Hook, Mrs. Alice Fukunaga, Mr. Wayne Fukuda and Mr. Quentin Kawanakoa.

H.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE HONORING AND COMMENDING OF KITV-4 AND KHON-TV FOX2 FOR THEIR ADHERENCE TO ON-TIME PROGRAMMING IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representatives Fox, Garcia, Marumoto and Halford.

On motion by Representative Fox, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, H.R. No. 21 was adopted, with Representatives Catalani, Goodenow, Kahikina, Morihara, Nakasone, Okamura, Oshiro, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Garcia introduced the following honorees: Mr. Mike Rosenberg, Mr. Walter Zimmerman, Mr. Kent Baker, Mr. Jim McCoy and Mr. Ron Mizutani.

At 12:41 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:48 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 85-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2636, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2636, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES OF STATE LEGISLATORS AND STATE EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 86-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2640, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2640, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SALARY OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Kanoho for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 87-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2711, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2711, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 88-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2193, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2193, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 89-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2834, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2834, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEGISLATIVE INTERNAL COMPUTER NETWORK,"

passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 90-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2441, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2441, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 91-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2497, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2497, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTERNET PORTAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 92-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2739, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2739, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I wish to speak with reservations on Standing Committee Report Number 92-00, H.B. 2739, HD 1. I normally do not speak on second reading bills or referral bills. The only reason I am doing this is to provide an alarm. I'm very fearful that the language of this bill and the endearing philosophy that follows this bill will probably indirectly advise the Finance Committee not to provide any capital improvement funds for the building of the prison. Now if you do not get private funding, then the prison issue is going to be dead again and I believe that this body here needs to take a firm and bold step and agree that we need a prison. I am afraid that if you don't provide the capital improvement dollars for the building of a prison, we will not have a prison in the very near future. 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. 2739, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 93-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2422, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2422, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak against the bill, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to address Standing Committee Report Number 93-00, which relates to the enforcement of the tobacco settlement agreement. I just noticed in the Committee Report, I have not read the original bill, but apparently it establishes a new fund which is the Tobacco Enforcement Special Fund, that changes the distribution of the tobacco settlement monies. I think there might be some good aspects to it because it does free it from the surcharge that it usually has to pay to Budget and Finance, but I notice that this money, \$500,000, will go to the Attorney General and I definitely would like to see it used for direct services and health prevention programs rather than going to the Attorney General. Perhaps a smaller amount will do the trick. I noticed that the Coalition for a Tobacco Free Hawai'i had concerns about this measure and the Hawai'i Nurses' Association voted against, so this is only second reading and it will go to Finance but I would like to register my 'no' at this point. Thank you."

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

"This measure in no way jeopardizes or changes any of the formula we already put forward for the Tobacco Fund. The Attorney General's Office attended the first meeting at which time we deferred the measure and allowed them an opportunity to let the members know why this was necessary. The justification for that is, it's necessary for the Attorney General's Office to expend a large number of funds and manpower to ensure us that we are going to receive our maximum settlement amount. We've already seen a reduction occur and what I wanted to do as the Chair of the Committee, with the support of the members, is allow the measure to move forward to the Finance Committee so that they can have a full discussion of it and make sure that we do in fact receive the total amount. I was reassured this does not in any way jeopardize the funds that we will be receiving and how we have already worked out the formula for the 45 and 25. Thank 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. 2422, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Marumoto voting no and Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 94-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2156, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2156, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR BASIC DENTAL SERVICES FOR ADULTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 95-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2550, as amended in HD 1, pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2550, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Stegmaier rose to speak in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"Just to state we do have a way of evaluating new health benefits that we're considering, I thought we used that approach when we passed Act 121, concerning some mental health benefits. This bill would have us expand benefits in other areas, such as mental health coverage and I think that we have the Legislative Auditor to use to give us some advice on social and financial impacts, and I'd like to await the report from the Auditor before expanding benefits further. 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. 2550, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH PARITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 96-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2961, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2961, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 97-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2916, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2916, 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, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 98-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1997, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1997, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 99-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1937, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1937, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORIZING THE USE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO INSTALL UTILITY LINES UNDERGROUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 100-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1886, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1886, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 101-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2041, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2041, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPUTER ACCESS BY MINORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 102-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2042, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2042, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 103-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2096, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2096, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 104-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1873, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1873, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 105-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1874, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1874, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 106-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2036, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2036, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 107-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1875, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1875, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 108-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2094, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2094, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REHIRING RETIRED TEACHERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 109-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2790, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2790, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 110-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2791, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2791, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 111-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2073, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2073, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 20) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE ADMINISTRATION TO IMPLEMENT EVENTS PLANNED BY THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMISSION AND HONORING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE KOREAN WAR," was offered by Representative Garcia, by request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Ito: "I just want to proceed with my late introduction. If I could have my ARC intern Ms. Tracie Swift, and her chaperone, Ms. Evangeline Sanchez, please rise to be recognized. Thank you Mr. Speaker."

Representative Takai: "I just wanted to remind the members of this House that today until 1:30 p.m., the Hawai'i Small Business Development Center Network is sponsoring an open house and lunch for the members."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:53 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 11, 2000. (Representatives Ahu Isa, Herkes, Kahikina, Morihara, Okamura, Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Yoshinaga were excused.)

SEVENTEENTH DAY

Friday, February 11, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered in song by Pastor Gary Powell, Associate Music Director of Mililani Baptist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Herkes, Okamura and Yoshinaga, who were 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. 142 through 145) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 142, transmitting copies of Hawai'i Paroling Authority's Annual Report for Fiscal Year 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 143, transmitting copies of Department of Public Safety, Correctional Industries' Annual Report for Fiscal Year 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 144, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill No. 2450 which appropriates \$2,132,595 in general funds in FY 1999-00 to pay the federal government its share of health insurance rebates and rate credits received by the general fund during FY 1999-00, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i.

Gov. Msg. No. 145, transmitting copies of "A Study on the Design for Phase III of QUEST," pursuant to Section 66.2, of Act 116 of the Session Laws of Hawai'i, 1998.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 6) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 6, informing the House that on February 9, 2000, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and that said bill passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IN THE JUDICIARY".

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Arakaki introduced 53 fourth grade students from Kalihi Uka Elementary School accompanied by their teachers, Ms. Shirley Monico and Mrs. Lily Hebert.

Representative Whalen introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern from Kailua, Kona, Mr. Greg Routery, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Routery.

Representative Oshiro introduced his ARC of Hawai'i intern from Wahiawa, Ms. Eleanor "Ellie" Carr, and her chaperone, Ms. Renee Subee.

Representative Cachola, on behalf of Representatives Abinsay, Espero, Garcia, Menor and Pendleton and himself, introduced Governor Luis "Chavit" Singson, Governor of Ilocos Sur, Philippines, and Mayor Fred Figueras, Mayor of Santo Domingo, Philippines, and their guests, Mr. Lito Alcantra, Mr. Victor Tabudco, Mr. Bob Dor, and Mr. Almado Gallego.

Representative Kahikina introduced two friends, Mr. Androcles Kaawa from Nanakuli, and Mr. Dedmond Palikapu from Ka'u.

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:26 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.
Nos.Re-referred to:

- 1913 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 2201 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 22) was received and announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING LES MURAKAMI ON HIS INDUCTION INTO THE AMERICAN BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION'S HALL OF FAME," was jointly offered by Representatives Morihara, Say, Marumoto, Case, Stegmaier, McDermott, Santiago, Arakaki, Yonamine, Takai, Leong, Saiki, Pendleton, Ito, Kawakami, Cachola, Nakasone, Garcia, Takamine, Kaho'ohalahala, Thielen, Takumi, Schatz, Auwae, Hamakawa, Menor, Ahu Isa, Rath, Souki, Kanoho, Suzuki, Whalen, Herkes, Espero, Goodenow, Halford, Hiraki and Abinsay.

On motion by Representative Morihara, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, H.R. No. 22 was adopted, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Rath, Souki, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara introduced the honoree, Mr. Les Murakami.

At 12:33 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:36 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Garcia and Hamakawa, for the Committees on Public Safety and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 112-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1896, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1896, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Garcia and Hamakawa, for the Committees on Public Safety and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 113-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2353, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2353, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Yamane rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On Standing Committee Report No. 113, if the Clerk could enter a vote with reservations. I'm in full support of crime victim compensation, but I don't see the linkage here between people that get DAG (deferred acceptance of guilty) and DANC (deferred acceptance of no contest). In many cases, they're very minor claims. So I don't see the linkage between this and the crime victim compensation. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2353, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 114-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2311, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2311, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE FOR DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Menor and Herkes, for the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 115-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1959, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1959, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION DIRECTING THE LEGISLATURE TO REFRAIN FROM ENACTING LAWS

THAT AFFECT CONSUMERS UNLESS THE LAW IS BENEFICIAL TO CONSUMERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Menor and Herkes, for the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 116-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1960, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1960, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER ACTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 117-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2434, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2434, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Whalen rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise, and for convenience sake, the Republican Caucus will be voting no on this in unison. And the concerns we have, Mr. Speaker, is that, as you will recall, when we established this Fund, the purpose of the Fund was to provide investment capital for startup companies..."

The Chair interrupted, stating:

"Representative Whalen you're on Stand. Com. Rep. 117?"

Representative Whalen continued, stating:

"Yes, thank you. The Governor's plan is to take the profits that have been generated in this Fund to use it to pay for other projects he has listed. The original bill had \$1 million. The Governor's offices, the departments came in asking it to be changed to \$3 million. When pressed as to where the funding will come from to replenish the Fund, they indicated that they were going to rely on the ERS Health Fund, requiring them to invest in this, which is in a different bill which at this point has been amended.

"I just want to remind everyone that when we set up this Fund, the purpose was that some companies will bomb, and some will be very successful. It's a revolving Fund so the profits go in, and we can use matching funds to bring even more money in the State to help our struggling economy. It was not suppose to be a special fund that we would dip into to pay for other projects and that's why it went through the House and the Senate.

"Now, in this tough economic time, is not the time to take money out of a fund that's being successful bringing money into the State. We're seeing some success with investment in the high technology arena. We should not use this Fund to pay for other things. We should stick to our original purpose and use the profit that's there to reinvest in Hawai'i's businesses which was the original intent and not look at it as another special account that we can dip into to pay for various projects."

Representative Pendleton then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to the same measure, Stand. Com. 117. From the quizzical look on our Clerk's face, I just want to make sure that it's clear that the entire Republican Caucus is voting no on this measure," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ahu Isa then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Luke then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I appreciate the comments from Representative Whalen. And as you can see from the record of votes, we had a lot of deep discussion and we had a lot of very insightful input into this area. Just as a form of background, this bill came from the Governor in two forms.

"The first part was eliminating CBED funds and after consideration we decided to take that portion out because we felt that CBED has contributed a lot to our communities and it deserved continued funding from the State Legislature. The second portion of this bill dealt with taking out funds from the Hawai'i Strategic Development Corporation. And as Representative Whalen has indicated, yes, I understand his concerns, but one of the concerns that I had and one of the concerns that the members had was when we asked the Department of Economic Development or DBEDT or the Administration what their plans were as far as the use for this revolving fund. Are they going to cash out the Digital Island funds and then further put this money into other venture capital or other Hawai'i companies or what was their plan?

"Our responsibility is to continue to question what the Department is doing with this Fund. At this point, we can take a step and say okay, say 'no', we're going to put a stop to this discussion and kill this bill and stop the discussion at that point or we can take the right road and continue to question what DBEDT and the Administration is doing with this Fund. In order to do that, I decided to change the appropriation from \$1 million to \$1, pass it on to Finance, so that we can see the financial application of this. So if the members of this body understand where our discussion is leading, then I encourage you to support this bill. However, we do recognize a lot of the concerns that the members had and I appreciate your input. Thank you."

Representative Morihara then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I support this wholeheartedly. One of the things that we started with HSDC, we put the original \$5 million out of general funds into that pot. Pointing to the success of that organization with its stock value of Digital Island, it's grown to about \$24 million. In looking at the true needs of technology in this State, certainly, venture capital is one key element, but the other key element that we've learned is that we need to increase our educational and human capacity. So the strategic decisions that were made to remove the original \$5 million that were put in from general funds was to use it in things that are closely related to the needs of that industry, not only venture capital, but also human resources.

"This is the seed monies the Governor has suggested we put toward the University to start key programs and help these key programs in medicine, in engineering, in business. In fact, it's not only going to the community colleges, but also to our schools and e-academies. I'd be glad to take that in general funds any day too, but I understand that we need to share our resources. And thanks to the success of that technology stock, I think we can more equitably use these resources to develop the whole infrastructure of technology in Hawai'i. Thank you."

Representative Whalen then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, still in opposition, just to clarify one point. Mr. Speaker, the testimony was very clear that at one point the stock was worth about \$40 million, but as stock goes up and down, value changes. And also connected with that is the fact that although the stock is worth around \$20 to \$24 million right now, they cannot sell it right now. This is the first opportunity, currently they've had to sell stock, and they only can sell a little bit at a time otherwise it'll cause the corporation to bomb. Right now, there's no money in the revolving Fund. They need money in the Fund to continue what we started, to provide capital for start-up operations. If we take the \$3 million now, the Fund will remain at zero and there will still be no money in the Fund for who knows when until they're able to sell the stock. The reason why they were looking at requiring the ERS to invest in it is because they know they cannot sell the stock for a period of time. Now is the time to use the \$3 million that they say they can sell to continue our economic revival, if you want to call it that, not to take it and spend it somewhere else. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Kaho'ohalahala then rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I'd also like to add that, in the discussions by the Committee one of the main issues raised, and as you can see by the written testimony that most of them were in opposition of the bill, had to do with the CBED component. For example, we looked at an item in Molokai that used this particular Department to apply for seed grant out of CBED, and as a result of that, getting seed monies to really initiate a plan that would lead to an enterprise community that now qualifies them for federal dollars which can be matched for any of the projects that they have come about with.

"But the point here, Mr. Speaker, is that, that component was being taken out of the bill. And at that point, you will see in the Committee Report that I voted against that. The amendments have now been put back into place and maintain that CBED will continue to be in the Department of Economic Development where it needs to be so that those communities that rely on funding of small grants to help economic activity and spur it, is going to be maintained. So at this point, I'd like to support that effort and say that the bill has been changed and I would like to vote with reservations at this time," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"From a larger picture, the Administration fully intends, and I know we all know this, to fund hi-tech startups to use perhaps \$20 or \$30 million from the Employee Retirement System, in addition to Digital Island money to help fund hi-tech startups. Any money that we would take from Digital Island and put in the general fund would mean that we would need to take more money from the ERS portfolio to fulfill the Administration's goal. So I believe that we should use the Digital Island money for the startup purpose that the Administration intends so that we would take less money from the Employee Retirement System. Thank you."

Representative Suzuki then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to support the Chair of the Economic Development Committee and allow this work in progress to continue on its way to Finance. Finance can measure the effect of cash flow in the long range financial plan and for having this program fulfill its mission, as intended by the Legislature. 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. 2434, 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, Auwae,

Fox, Halford, Leong, Marumoto, McDermott, Meyer, Moses, Pendleton, Rath, Thielen and Whalen voting no and Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 118-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2729, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2729, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 119-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2002, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2002, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION OF HEALTH INFORMATION BY PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURERS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Consumer Protection and Commerce and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 120-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2534, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2534, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 121-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2062, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2062, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 122-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2241, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2241, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 123-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2843, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2843, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Kanoho then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 2843, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILITY LINES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representative Kanoho voting no and Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Morita and Ito, for the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 124-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2701, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2701, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 125-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2069, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2069, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 126-00) recommending that S.B. No. 914, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and S.B. No. 914, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Basically, what this is, is the Supreme Court in the State of Hawai'i said, wrongfully, that we could count blank ballots as no votes. And, of course, that just in and of itself, flies in the face of common sense. This is the courts legislating from the bench once again. What this does is codify that and I'm oppose to that. I think a blank vote is just that, Mr. Speaker. It's not a no vote, and it's not a yes vote. It was a wrong decision by those judges we just gave a pay raise to and it is legislating from the bench. This is a wrong act in saying that that was proper. So if you would record a no vote for me, I'd appreciate it," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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 S.B. No. 914, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTE COUNT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Fox, Halford, Kahikina, Meyer, Moses and Rath voting no and Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 127-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2201, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2201, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICAL COOPERATIVES," was recommitted to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 128-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2439, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2439, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," was recommitted to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 21) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS 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 Yoshinaga.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:50 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried,

the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, February 14, 2000. (Representatives Abinsay, Cachola, Herkes, Okamura, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.)

EIGHTEENTH DAY

Monday, February 14, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:09 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative McDermott, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Goodenow, Meyer, Okamura, Schatz, Takumi and Thielen, who were excused.

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

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Marumoto introduced students from McKinley High School, who are part of the Smoke Free Class of 2000, and their chaperones, Ms. Colette Oshiro, Tobacco Control Associate for the American Lung Association of Hawai'i; Ms. Janice Bond, Kauai Tobacco-Free Community Coalition; Ms. Nicole Sasan, Peer Educator; Ms. Barbara Abrew, English Teacher and Drug Free Club Advisor; Ms. Grace Sherwin, Kaimuki High School Peer Education Program Advisor; Mr. Jeremiah Oshiro, Youth Education Task Force; Ms. Marlene Yuen, Youth Education Task Force volunteer; Ms. Debbie Odo, Director, Tobacco-Control for the American Lung Association of Hawai'i; Mr. Craighton Oshiro, Respiratory Therapist and Youth Education Task Force volunteer; and the sons of Ms. Collette Oshiro, Jordan, Jeffrey and Jonathan.

Representative Takai introduced students from Aiea High School, and their chaperones, Ms. Iris Tamayose, Vocational Technical Coordinator and Team Leader for the Writing Team; Ms. Elizabeth Fujii, President of the Student Association; Ms. Jamie Morishige, Secretary of the Student Association; Ms. Robin Nakamura, Parent Community Networking Coordinator; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul and Fern Kashiwabara, Community Members on the Writing Team.

Representative Yoshinaga introduced students from Kaimuki High School, and their chaperones, Mrs. Leatrice Chee, Vice Principal; Ms. Marianne Honda, Counselor; Ms. Jeanne Chang, Student Activities Coordinator; Mrs. Sooboo Tan, Computer Technology Teacher; and Ms. Peggyanne Siegmund, Performing Arts Teacher.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1835	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1894	Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 23) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 21 and 22) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.R.</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
23	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

<u>H.C.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
21	Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
22	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 24 and 25) were received and announced by the Clerk and the following actions taken:

H.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION DECLARING FEBRUARY 14-19, 2000, AS SUSANNAH WESLEY COMMUNITY CENTER WEEK," was offered by Representative Abinsay.

On motion by Representative Abinsay, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, H.R. No. 24 was adopted, with Representatives Nakasone, Okamura, Pendleton, Souki and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Abinsay introduced the following honorees from the Susannah Wesley Community Center: Mr. Ron Higashi, Executive Director; Ms. Sharon Amano, Board President; Ms. Joanne Riche, Executive Secretary; Mr. Dwight C. Lowrey, Member and former President; and Mr. David Gibson, Development Director.

H.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING AIEA HIGH SCHOOL, HANA HIGH AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL FOR BEING NAMED 1999-2000 BLUE RIBBON SCHOOLS BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was offered by Representatives Okamura, Takai, Morita, Ito, Yamane, Nakasone, Saiki, Arakaki and Say.

On motion by Representative Takai, seconded by Representative Morita and carried, H.R. No. 25 was adopted, with Representatives Nakasone, Okamura, Rath and Thielen being excused.

Representative Morita introduced the following honorees: Mr. Michael Tokioka, Principal, Aiea High School; Ms. Patti Eason, Past Principal, Hana High and Elementary Schools; and Mr. Gary Oyama, Principal, Kaimuki High School.

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 1:16 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 129-00)

recommending that H.B. No. 2833, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2833, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 130-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2063, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2063, 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 Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 131-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2812, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2812, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROVIDE THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WITH AUTONOMY IN ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 132-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1769, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1769, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 133-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2823, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2823, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 134-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2880, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2880, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REVERSE WARNING SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 135-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2432, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2432, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 136-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2510, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2510, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER BOARD ALLOWANCES FOR STUDENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 137-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2159, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2159, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO INCREASE HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 138-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2935, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2935, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LODGING OR TENEMENT HOUSES, HOTELS, AND BOARDINGHOUSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 139-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1835, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1835, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Santiago and Garcia, for the Committees on Health and Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 140-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2894, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2894, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, stating:

"I believe it is a worthy cause, but it is a hefty tax increase," and the Chair "so ordered."

At 1:19 o'clock p.m., Representative McDermott asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:20 o'clock p.m.

Representative McDermott then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. I apologize for that, I rise in opposition. I'd just like to make a few brief comments.

"I fully support the intent in this. There is nothing worse in our society today, I don't think, than the scourge of drug abuse, drug addiction and all those terrible ills that go on with it, not to mention the pain that it brings to families. I did not bring these concerns up in Committee, but I object to the increase in fees. In one case, from \$2.50 to \$250, and a fee to get a duplicate permit due to loss or damage, goes from \$.50 to \$50.

"I could probably support these increases in fees if the money was going directly to an organization such as the Salvation Army Charity. I think those folks have the right idea when it comes to dealing with the drug abuse. They not only heal the body, but the soul from inside. They use a faith based component. Here we have a situation where we're going to create additional positions with these increased fees and I don't believe, based on the testimony that I heard, that these folks will be in the trenches or be down at IHS or will be pulling people really out of the gutter. Their coordinating effort, and I understand to coordinate all these programs is difficult, but I think we would be best served if we took that money and gave it to the private sector, such as Salvation Army or someone else. Thank you."

Representative Stegmaier then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2894, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives McDermott and Rath voting no and Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 141-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2423, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2423, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS REPORT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 142-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2524, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2524, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPHYLACTICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 143-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2394, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2394, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Morita and Abinsay for the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 144-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2183, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2183, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representatives Morita and Cachola for the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Water and Land Use, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 145-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2895, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2895, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand Com. Rep. No. 146-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2904, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Chang, seconded by Representative Ahu Isa and carried, and notwithstanding the recommendation of the Committee, the report of the Committee and H.B. No. 2904, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMING," were recommitted to the Committee on Tourism, with Representatives Menor, Okamura, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 23) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 22) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO PETITIONING CONGRESS TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION RESTRICTING THE JUDICIARY FROM LEVYING OR INCREASING TAXES," was offered by Representatives Meyer, Marumoto, McDermott and Fox.

H.C.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO PETITIONING CONGRESS TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION RESTRICTING THE JUDICIARY FROM LEVYING OR INCREASING TAXES," was offered by Representatives Meyer, Marumoto, McDermott and Fox.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Hamakawa rose and requested waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to hear H.B. No. 2506, on February 15, 2000, by the Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs Committee, and the Chair, "so ordered."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:23 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, February 15, 2000. (Representatives Menor, Okamura, Rath, Souki, Thielen, Whalen and Yoshinaga were excused.)

NINETEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 15, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:09 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Barbara Marumoto, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Goodenow, Okamura, Santiago, Suzuki and Yoshinaga, who were excused.

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

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 7 through 9) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 7, transmitting S.B. No. 615, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ADD A SECTION ON CRIME VICTIMS' RIGHTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 14, 2000.

Sen. Com. No. 8, transmitting S.B. No. 2142, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF VICTIMS AND WITNESSES IN CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 14, 2000.

Sen. Com. No. 9, transmitting S.B. No. 2611, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HABITAT CONSERVATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 14, 2000.

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, S.B. Nos. 615, SD 1; 2142, SD 1; and 2611, passed First Reading by title and further action was deferred until later in the calendar, with Representatives Okamura, Santiago, Suzuki and Yoshinaga being excused.

INTRODUCTIONS

Representative Ito introduced two friends, Dr. Karen Aka from Knowledge Incorporated, and from Michigan, Ms. Mary Ryan Taras from the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.

Representative Abinsay introduced 61 students from Likelike Elementary School, accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Linda Hong, Mrs. Yvonne Starring, and Mr. Leonard Gabrioni.

Representative Pendleton introduced guests of Mr. Derek Minakami from Kailua High School, Ms. Lisa Maruyama, wife; Mr. Herbert Minakami and Mrs. Sadie Minakami, parents; Mrs. Mary Murakami, Principal of Kailua High School; Ms. Dawn Frazier and Ms. Joanne Kaakua, counselors; Ms. Lynn Nagatoshi, sister; Ms. Nicole Nagatoshi, niece; and students from Kailua High School.

Representative McDermott introduced guests of Mrs. Maryann Joseph, Mrs. Ann Abazaya, mother; Mr. Benjamin Joseph and Mr. Christopher Joseph, children; Mr. Tony Balcor, Principal of Holy Family Catholic Academy; Ms. Kristine

Moines, Vice Principal of Holy Family Catholic Academy; and Ms. Carmen Hermine, Superintendent of Catholic Schools.

ORDER OF THE DAY

DEFERRED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 26 and 27) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 23 and 24) were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
26	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
27	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

<u>H.C.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
23	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
24	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2624	Committee on Finance
2857	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 28) was received and announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 28, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING DEREK MINAKAMI AND MARYANN JOSEPH FOR ATTAINING NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING AND FOR ELEVATING HIGH QUALITY STANDARDS OF TEACHING THROUGHOUT THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Okamura, Ito, Santiago, McDermott, Pendleton, Thielen, Takai, Arakaki and Goodenow.

On motion by Representative Ito, seconded by Representative McDermott and carried, H.R. No. 28 was adopted, with Representatives Kahikina, Nakasone, Okamura and Saiki being excused.

Representative McDermott introduced the following honorees: Mr. Derek Minakami of Kailua High School, and Mrs. Maryann Joseph of Holy Family Catholic Academy.

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:32 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 147-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2361, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2361, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 148-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2920, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2920, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2467, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2467, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 150-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2469, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2469, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBPOENAS ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 151-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1944, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1944, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2218, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2218, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2222, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2222, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 154-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2465, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2465, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 155-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2487, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2487, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCING THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 156-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2986, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2986, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE RISK MANAGEMENT AND INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 157-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1989, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1989, 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 Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 158-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2815, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2815, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR KAUAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 159-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2826, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2826, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHERIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 160-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2579, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2579, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"This bill calls for the privatization of two harbors. One is the Ala Wai Boat Harbor, and the other is Keehi Lagoon. Mr. Speaker, I believe that this bill is very premature. There's a general recognition of the problem that the Department of Land and Natural Resources faces. It does not have enough revenue to support its small boat harbor system. It's basically starved in terms of revenue, but it has an additional problem. And that relates to mismanagement, particularly of the boat harbor at Ala Wai.

"If you look at the Ala Wai Boat Harbor from a distance, it's actually quite a lovely harbor. As you get closer and you bring your nose right up to what's going on on the docks, it doesn't look so good. The State Auditor has commented three times on the way this harbor and the harbor system are managed and called for corrections that, thus far, have not been performed. Step one, before we get to the issue of privatization, is to fix the changes that were called for by the State Auditor. Step two is to raise the fees. The fees are really quite low and raising the fees would bring in additional revenue. So these two things are what we should be doing before we consider privatization.

"Now, let me just raise a couple of concerns about privatization if that is the step we take next. First, to increase revenue under privatization the person who takes over the Ala Wai Boat Harbor will have the right to bring in commercial

vessels. Those will be brought into the area near the Hawai'i Prince Hotel and the Ilikai Hotel, which was called the tourist row of the landing. This is going to be a highly disruptive activity for all the activities that currently go on relating to boating in that harbor, including all the paddlers and all the canoes that go in and out of the Ala Wai Canal to have major commercial vessels -- the kind of booze cruises that we see in the evening. The activity that's currently located at Kewalo Basin will be relocated to the Ala Wai Boat Harbor to provide additional revenue to the privatization effort. And that will disrupt the canoeing.

"Another privatization activity that will take place if this happens is the parking situation will change. The parking will be controlled by the private developer. He will build a multi-story parking garage and the current free parking that's out at the end near Duke Kahanamoku Beach between the Hilton Hawai'ian Village Hotel and the boat harbor, which is a very popular area for surfing. One of the few areas on this side of Oahu where you can drive your car, get out of the car and go immediately to the surf free of charge. That will change as well. And the ambience of the area in front of the Hawai'i Prince Hotel and the Ilikai Hotel both of which are prime tourists destinations in which we want it to remain attractive for the people will change drastically with motorized buses coming in on the order that they do at Kewalo Basin, picking up people and dropping them off and creating these further disruptions that actually decline the quality of life in that area for tourists and residents alike.

"As I said, it's a very premature gesture. The Hawai'i Government Employees Association testified against it on the basic grounds that it's premature. There are other ways to raise revenue and I think it's a mistake to move this bill forward at this time. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Schatz then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I just want to point out for the House's education that for any submerged lands lease it requires legislative concurrence. And our Committee was concerned with some of the same potential adverse impacts that the Representative from Waikiki had delineated. So what we did was, we reinserted the requirement for legislative concurrence for any submerged lands lease. What that means is that any of these potential impacts -- removing the parking for surfing at Ala Moana Bowls or creating a booze cruise or ousting any of the existing residents -- would have to come before our Legislature for legislative concurrence. So it's for that reason that I support the measure because in our wisdom we should be able to prevent any of these potential adverse impacts. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative McDermott then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Representative Fox has raised some serious concerns, but we do need to do something with Keehi Lagoon. That place really needs desperate help. So I fully support it out there, but the free parking I'm concerned about that. 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. 2579, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEASING OF SMALL BOAT HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Fox and McDermott voting no and Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 161-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2438, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2438, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 162-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2876, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2876, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 163-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2964, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2964, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 164-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2691, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2691, 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 and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 165-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2727, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2727, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERISLAND VEHICLE TRANSFERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 166-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2906, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2906, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING COMPANIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on

Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Menor, for the Committees on Economic Development and Business Concerns and Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 167-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2258, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2258, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL ACCESS PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 168-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1782, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1782, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 169-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2060, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2060, 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 Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 170-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2182, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2182, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 171-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2309, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2309, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE IN NORTH KONA, HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 172-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2568, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2568, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 173-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2574, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2574, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL LAND AND DEVELOPMENT FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 174-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2782, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2782, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURIAL SITES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 175-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2509, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2509, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KINSHIP CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 176-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2512, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2512, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 177-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2860, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2860, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WORK PROGRAM SERVICES FOR TWO-PARENT FAMILIES RECEIVING AFDC-S," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint

report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 178-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2238, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2238, HD 1, 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 Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 179-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2463, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2463, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES RECOGNITION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 180-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2464, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2464, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF NURSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 181-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2486, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2486, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 182-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2488, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2488, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETURN OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 183-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2097, pass Second Reading and

be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2097, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 184-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2092, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2092, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 185-00) recommending that H.B. No. 283, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 283, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 186-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2039, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2039, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 187-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2040, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2040, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 188-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2050, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2050, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 189-00) recommending that H.B. No. 3003, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 3003, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Ahu Isa then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Chang then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ito then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"House Bill 3003 all it would do is establish the Adult Literacy Education Program in the community colleges. The purpose for this exchange from the DOE is the belief that the community colleges can provide quality education and training for individuals who wish to enter Hawai'i's workforce.

"It is our intent to just review viable options that are in the best interests of Adult Education students.

"It is the community colleges' goal to keep up with the Workforce Development Act of 1998. This Act aims to assist adults in literacy and obtaining the knowledge and skills necessary for employment and self-sufficiency. By placing the literacy portion of Adult Education at the community college level, there are hopes that the transition from literacy training to vocational training and other programs within the community colleges will be easier and more accessible for students if they are already in the system and environment. This bill in no way affects the GED or the naturalized immigrant type programs.

"As policymakers, we are responsible for exploring all options and make available the best possible resources and services for our people, especially our students. We are also responsible for and must continually keep in mind, the best interests for the future of our islands. For these reasons, I urge you to pass House Bill 3003. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Takai then rose to speak in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Ito be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Takai continued, stating:

"I'd also like to offer a few comments. The bill does not transfer the entire adult education program from the Department of Education to the University of Hawai'i. I think we have to make that very clear because some of us have been receiving phone calls, faxes and emails into our office stating that, and I can assure you that that is not the intent of this bill.

"The intent of the bill is to really take a look at one segment of adult education called adult literacy. As a matter of fact, the intent of the bill is to take a look at one segment of adult literacy and see if, in fact, the community colleges could do a better job than what the Department of Education Adult Community Schools is doing right now. As you know, a part of the Workforce Development Act is to encourage potential students to enter the workforce through possible community college programs or through, what they call, the Employment Training Center Programs. People in those programs have been saying for a few years now that students that enter those programs are not necessarily well equipped to go into the

community colleges. They don't have the reading skills, the writing skills, or the math skills to enter community colleges. I think what the community colleges can do for this segment of the population is to address the remedial work necessary to provide them entry into the community colleges or for that matter into the Employment Training Centers.

"I think that's what the bill is all about so any discussion regarding closure of adult education is just a misconception or imagination or a dream that someone has that is not part of the support for this bill nor the drafters of this particular measure. Thank you."

Representative Souki then rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I believe that if you feel that the community colleges can do a better job with the adult literacy program you should merely take out the money from adult education because the community colleges are already providing literacy programs. There's no need to transfer any money to the community colleges, that's literacy programs for adults. And it's also an infringement on their autonomy for us to transfer a measure like this to the University of Hawai'i. For this reason, I have some reservations on this measure. 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. 3003, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa and Kahikina voting no and Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 190-00) recommending that H.B. No. 3004, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3004, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 191-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2388, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2388, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 192-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1993, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1993, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PINEAPPLE RESEARCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 193-00)

recommending that H.B. No. 1996, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1996, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 194-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2793, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2793, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 195-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2997, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2997, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 196-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2999, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2999, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RIGHT TO FARM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representatives Abinsay and Takumi, for the Committees on Agriculture and Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 197-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2404, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2404, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 198-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2410, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2410, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Pendleton then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would like a ruling on a potential conflict on both Stand. Com. 198 and Stand. Com. 199. Firms with which I was previously associated with have handled numerous claims against either the State or UH. And I'm not sure whether or not any of the partners have handled these particular claims," and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2410, 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 Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 199-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2620, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2620, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Whalen rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"It's probably really for members of the Finance Committee. The testimony from the University of Hawai'i was really zero when it came to explaining what was requested in the bill and their testimony revolved entirely around the hazardous waste settlement.

"Just to remind the House, I believe it was last year or the year before, they came in asking for their own attorneys because they wanted more autonomy to decide their own future. In this particular case, their attorneys agreed to settle with the Department of Health for I think \$1.8 million worth of fines and fix up that behavior or activities they were supposed to engage in. This is outside the purview of the Governor or the Attorney General's Office. Now that that's done, they come to us asking for the money. Come to find out, when first questioned, the fines were going from one pocket of ours, general funds, into the Department of Health, into their funds. So we're paying our right hand into our left hand. So instead of doing that, the University of Hawai'i decided that instead of paying a big fine we'll agree to do a bunch of clean up stuff. And they've come to us asking for the money.

"It seems to me to 'fly in the face' of their reasoning in the past that they wanted autonomy to make their own decisions to settle their cases. They made a mistake. Well, that's fine, people do. Now they're coming to us again for money to pay for it. I'm not saying that we shouldn't, but we should closely analyze just what's going on because we have given them the power and the authority to settle their own cases, but now that it comes time to 'pay the piper' they come running back to us to sign the check. And for those reasons, I think we should take a close look to see whether or not they did all they could to minimize the cost to the taxpayers of Hawai'i. 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. 2620, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELIEF OF CERTAIN PERSONS' CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 200-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1940, as amended in

HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1940, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT APPOINTED COUNSEL LEGAL FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 201-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2630, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2630, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 202-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2632, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2632, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 203-00) 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 Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine 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 JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 204-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2271, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2271, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 205-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2549, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2549, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL WASTEWATER SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was

referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representatives Morita and Menor, for the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 206-00) 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 Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2330, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representatives Morita and Takumi, for the Committees on Energy and Environmental Protection and Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 207-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2719, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2719, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HABITAT CONSERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 208-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2565, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2565, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GARMENT INDUSTRY HOMEWORK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 209-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2721, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2721, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 210-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2905, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2905, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEEDING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 211-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2020,

pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2020, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OBSOLETE LAWS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 212-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2022, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2022, 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 PROPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Menor and Okamura being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 26 and 27) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 23 and 24) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 26, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENTS TO WORK TOGETHER TO IMPLEMENT THE 'WATCH YOUR CARS' PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Fox, Marumoto, Moses, Thielen, Pendleton, Auwae, Halford, Hiraki, Leong, McDermott, Meyer, Okamura, Rath, Takai and Whalen.

H.R. No. 27, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HAWAII FARMER'S MARKET," was jointly offered by Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Chang, Espero, Halford, Herkes, Ito, Kaho'ohalahala, Luke, Morihara, Rath and Suzuki.

H.C.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENTS TO WORK TOGETHER TO IMPLEMENT THE 'WATCH YOUR CARS' PROGRAM," was jointly offered by Representatives Fox, Marumoto, Moses, Thielen, Pendleton, Auwae, Halford, Hiraki, Leong, McDermott, Meyer, Okamura, Rath, Takai and Whalen.

H.C.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HAWAII FARMER'S MARKET," was jointly offered by Representatives Abinsay, Ahu Isa, Chang, Espero, Halford, Herkes, Ito, Kaho'ohalahala, Luke, Morihara, Rath and Suzuki.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:48 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 16, 2000. (Representatives Menor and Okamura were excused.)

TWENTIETH DAY

Wednesday, February 16, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:15 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Gordon Marchant from Christ United Methodist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Garcia, Luke, Meyer, Morihara, Okamura, Rath, Schatz and Whalen, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 146 and 147) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 146, transmitting copies of a report prepared by the Department of Education in response to the General Appropriations Act of 1999, Act 91, Section 46 on meeting the requirements of the Felix v. Cayetano Consent Decree.

Gov. Msg. No. 147, transmitting copies of the Final Report of the Motor Vehicle Insurance Benefits Task Force, pursuant to Act 142, SLH 1999.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Espero introduced his legislative intern from Leeward Community College, Ms. Katherine Nussbaum.

Representative Marumoto introduced Ms. Carol Ann Fukuda.

Representative Auwae introduced Ms. Candy Suiso's mother Mrs. Julia Smith; Ms. Joanne Kumasaka, Principal of Waianae High School; and Mr. Ruben Suiso and Mrs. Dorothy Suiso.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REFERRALS

The following Senate Bills were referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

<u>S.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
615	Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2142	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs
2611	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 29 and 30) were received and announced by the Clerk and the following actions taken:

H.R. No. 29, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING JAMIL AHMADIA, PHYLLIS NAKASUJI, CANDY SUIISO, AND ESTELLE WONG AS RECIPIENTS OF THE 1999-2000 MILKEN FAMILY FOUNDATION NATIONAL EDUCATOR AWARD AND COMMENDING THEM FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO EDUCATION IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Ito and Takai.

On motion by Representative Ito, seconded by Representative Takai and carried, H.R. No. 29 was adopted, with Representatives Cachola, Herkes, Morihara, Nakasone, Okamura, Oshiro, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Takai introduced the 1999-2000 Milken Family Foundations National Educator Award honorees: Ms. Phyllis Nakasuji, Teacher, Kalani High School; Ms. Candy Suiso, Teacher, Waianae High School; Ms. Estelle Wong, Principal, Olomana School; and Mr. Jamil Ahmadi, Teacher, Waiakea Intermediate School.

H.R. No. 30, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE 2000 NARCISSUS FESTIVAL QUEEN LIBBY DING KWUN LUM AND THE MEMBERS OF HER COURT; FIRST PRINCESS KATHRYN LO MEI KAM, SECOND PRINCESS SERENE FANG WANG, THIRD PRINCESS DANA-LI ANNETTE KWAI TSIN DUNG, AND FOURTH PRINCESS JEANNIE SOO HUANG LIM," was offered by Representative Ahu Isa.

On motion by Representative Ahu Isa, seconded by Representative Kawakami and carried, H.R. No. 30 was adopted, with Representatives Cachola, Catalani, Luke, Morihara, Nakasone, Okamura, Oshiro, Pendleton, Rath, Takamine and Whalen being excused.

Representative Leong introduced the Narcissus Festival First Princess, Ms. Kathryn Lo Mei Kam.

Representative Suzuki introduced the Narcissus Festival Second Princess, Ms. Serene Fang Wang.

Representative Kahikina introduced the Narcissus Festival Third Princess, Ms. Dana-Li Annette Kwai Tsin Dung.

At 12:38 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:45 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 213-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2066, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2066, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII FACILITIES USE REVOLVING FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 214-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1943, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 1943, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, the reason why I am voting no on this measure is fairly straight forward. The Attorney General opposed it and I don't recall there being any positive testimony which left an impression on me. My concern is, presently, we have a system where we have the Attorney General handling the work. This bill may allow for private attorneys to be retained and to be compensated wholly at the discretion of the Attorney General. I think we ought to exercise a little more oversight over something like that. For those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I am voting no on this measure."

Representative Marumoto then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stegmaier then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Souki then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this measure. Basically the purpose of this measure is to provide the Attorney General with resources to defend cases which may pose a significant financial impact on this State. We've seen, over recent years, a rash of very significant cases such as the Felix consent decree and the developmental disabilities class action law suit. All these have a great impact on our State and we would like to provide the Attorney General with the ability to effectively represent us in the courts. Thank you."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Auwae then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ahu Isa then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 1943, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Pendleton, Marumoto, Moses and Souki voting no and Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 215-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2259, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2259, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR UNIFORM LAWS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 216-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2648, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2648, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 217-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1864, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1864, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 218-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2584, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2584, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Yoshinaga, for the Committees on Economic Development and Business Concerns and Labor and Public Employment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 219-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2878, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2878, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS AND PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 220-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2457, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2457, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 221-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2243, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2243, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR VETERANS CEMETERIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 222-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2354, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2354, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Garcia, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 223-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2982, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2982, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representatives Garcia and Arakaki, for the Committees on Public Safety and Military Affairs and Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 224-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1847, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1847, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representatives Garcia and Hamakawa, for the Committees on Public Safety and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 225-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2292, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the

Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2292, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representatives Garcia and Hamakawa, for the Committees on Public Safety and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 226-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2595, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2595, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative McDermott rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, on the same measure, the tobacco tax increase, because of the commitments I made to my constituents on taxes, I need to register a no vote on this measure please."

Representative Fox then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose to speak in support of the bill with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm very much against tax increases but, I recognize the magnitude of the problem with drug addiction so I will be voting with reservations. Thank you."

Representative Stegmaier then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just to comment that we have newly found resources, as a result of the law suit, that we should apply to such activities. We don't need to look to the consumer to provide proper treatment for those who have substance abuse problems. Thank you."

Representative Leong then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Chang then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Souki then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Auwae then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Goodenow then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Espero then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ito then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2595, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR CRIMINAL OFFENDERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Fox, McDermott, Moses, Pendleton, Souki and Stegmaier voting no and Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 227-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1986, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1986, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 228-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2339, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2339, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 229-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2492, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2492, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 230-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2046, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2046, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 231-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2048, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2048, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 232-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2051, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2051, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STUDENT CRIMESTOPPERS PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 233-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2282, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2282, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 234-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2493, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2493, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. First to clarify that I am fully in favor of New Century Charter Schools and because of that, because I'm supportive of our New Century Charter Schools, I need to vote no on this measure.

"This measure has the effect, Mr. Speaker, of restricting the fiscal autonomy of our charter school law. To me, that seems to be reversing our position in favor of giving more autonomy. I'd like to give more autonomy not restrict autonomy as this bill does. One of the side effects of this bill, perhaps it's unintended, Mr. Speaker, but it's very real nonetheless, would be, with respect to federal regulations concerning grants to charter schools. The federal regulations are very clear that one of the criteria in order to receive the grant is to have clear fiscal autonomy.

"Because this bill restricts fiscal autonomy it may make it more difficult, if not impossible, for our charter schools to receive as much federal grant money and funding as they otherwise would. So I am concerned about the potential limitation on federal dollars in that fashion. For those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I have to oppose this measure."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On the same measure a no for me and the same concerns. I'm afraid this will jeopardize the federal funding of this program."

Representative Ito rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I speak on behalf of this measure. H.B. 2493-- all it does is give the State Superintendent the responsibility to determine allocation to the public Charter Schools Program.

"Currently, the responsibility for determining allocations for public schools is the responsibility of the Legislative Auditor. The Legislative Auditor's Office has expressed concern that the responsibility for determining the funding methodology for Charter Schools may be open to challenge as an inappropriate expansion of its functions. The Auditor's Office believes that the method of allocating funds should be an executive branch function, something the Department of Education could facilitate successfully.

"In the future, the situation could arise where the Legislative Auditor's Office is required to audit the transactions of Charter Schools--forcing them to audit their own actions. An obvious conflict of interest arises here.

"For these reasons, the Committee on Education proposes the responsibility of allocations for the Charter Schools Program rest in the able hands of the Department of Education."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We heard a lot of congratulatory speakers on this floor last year when we passed this New Century Charter Schools bill. We are known to have the weakest charter school laws in the nation. This bill just goes further to weaken our position. The federal grant money for charter schools is based on three criteria. They look at states where the growth of charter schools is robust in comparison to other states, and we are at the bottom of the list there. They look to see if the states have a separate chartering authority, which we don't have, so we also are not even being considered. But then this bill comes along and sort of adds an insult to where we are because we're further weakening our position by making it very clear that any charter school in Hawai'i will have no fiscal autonomy.

"So for those reasons, I'm voting no and am disappointed that we seem to be going in the wrong direction where charter schools are concerned. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Yamane rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Contrary to some of the earlier speakers, I don't see where there's less fiscal autonomy for the schools because nothing in this bill says how the schools will be spending their money. I'm assuming that they handle the funds now and will continue to handle the funds in the future. My concern with this bill, and I will support it with reservations, because I support the Chair, is the concern of the history of the Department of Education and their relationship with charter schools.

"The history of the Department of Education and charter schools is almost like they don't want to think about them. They are but they don't want to deal with them. Hopefully, with the hope of the Chair and our new Superintendent, this will change in the future. But until that does I'm hopeful that we can at least call upon the Auditor to have future audits at our request. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Goodenow then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and asked that the remarks of Representative Yamane be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I too rise to express some reservations on this measure. I do share the concerns of some of the previous speakers and that we lack dual chartering authorities and so Hawai'i may not be able to compete for the federal funds that are available for charter schools. On another point, I question the fact that we are giving the Superintendent so much power in this bill to allocate funds to charter schools. Whereas, we have the Auditor allocating the funds previously, we now give this to the Superintendent. I'm wondering whether that power should reside with the Board of Education.

"Also, I don't quite understand the language in it that should extra federal funds be issued to small schools that the Superintendent could determine how much of the funds should go to the designated school. Then there is a portion of those federal monies to be used to off-set the small school allotment which is also provided to the schools. So I will be looking at this measure with close scrutiny as it moves to the next committee. But right now, I would just vote with reservations. Thank you."

Representative Leong then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stegmaier rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you. I'd just like to let the members know that both the Superintendent and his former worker, as well as his wife, have been consultants to Wai'alea School, one of our charter schools. They are very strongly in support of the charter school movement and I think we can count on them to do well by the charter schools. Thank you."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Committee Report makes it clear that the purpose of this bill is to reduce the amount of money going to charter schools. I think that's the wrong way to go. 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. 2493, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Fox, Meyer, and Pendleton voting no and Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 235-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2822, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2822, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 236-00)

recommending that H.B. No. 2374, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2374, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGES SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 237-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2963, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2963, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. It's my pleasure to rise in support of the measure. I want to point out to my colleagues that this is the only certification program in the State for substance abuse counselors. So I urge you to look carefully at the measure as it moves forward to the next committee. 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. 2963, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A PERMANENT POSITION FOR THE DRUG AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELLING PROGRAM AT UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 238-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2899, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2899, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT WEST OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 239-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1853, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1853, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Santiago, for the Committees on Human Services and Housing and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 240-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2966, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2966, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 241-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2212, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2212, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 242-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2379, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2379, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 243-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2762, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2762, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ISLAND BURIAL COUNCILS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 244-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2893, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2893, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE DATA FOR HYDRAULIC AND HYDROLOGIC FLOOD ANALYSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 245-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2825, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2825, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HEALTHY START PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and

was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 246-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2810, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2810, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO HIRE THIRTY FULL-TIME REGISTERED NURSES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 247-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2745, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2745, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 248-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2406, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2406, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 249-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2996, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2996, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 250-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2581, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2581, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF UNNECESSARY ADMINISTRATIVE RULES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 251-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2582,

pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2582, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 252-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2587, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2587, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NULL AND VOID ADMINISTRATIVE RULES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 253-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2275, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2275, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE COLLEGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen being excused.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2020:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

H.B. No. 2022:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At 1:00 o'clock p.m., Representative Takai asked for a recess and the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:02 o'clock p.m.

Representative Ito rose and requested a waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for the purpose of hearing House Bill No. 3019 on Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in Room 329, and the Chair "so ordered."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:03 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 17, 2000. (Representatives Cachola, Morihara, Okamura, Rath and Whalen were excused.)

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

Thursday, February 17, 2000

The House of Representatives of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Bertha F.K. Leong, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Chang, Meyer, Morihara, Okamura and Takumi, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Days were subsequently approved. (Representatives Cachola, Chang, Meyer, Morihara and Okamura were excused.)

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 148 through 154) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 148, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, Act 148, Session Laws of Hawai'i, 1997, Established Within the Department of Health a Pipeline Safety Committee.

Gov. Msg. No. 149, transmitting copies of the State of Hawai'i Primary Care Needs Assessment Databook.

Gov. Msg. No. 150, transmitting copies of the Report to the Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, On Senate Concurrent Resolution 151, SD 1, of the 1999 Legislature of the State of Hawai'i requesting the Department of Health to Develop and Implement a Five-year Statewide, Comprehensive Strategic Plan for Services and Supports for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities or Mental Retardation.

Gov. Msg. No. 151, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, In Compliance with Session Laws of Hawai'i, 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.

Gov. Msg. No. 152, transmitting copies of the Report to the Twentieth Legislature, State of Hawai'i, 2000, On Act 192, SLH 1999, Requesting the Department of Health to Conduct Soil Sample Surveys as Part of an Epidemiologic Investigation.

Gov. Msg. No. 153, transmitting copies of the Hawai'i Performance Partnerships Board's Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1999, pursuant to Act 160, Part IV, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 154, informing the House that on February 16, 2000, he signed the following bill into law:

Senate Bill No. 1345, SD 2, HD 2 as Act 2, entitled: "RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IN THE JUDICIARY".

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 10) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 10 transmitting S.B. No. 2024, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL RESEARCH ON CANCER STUDIES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 16, 2000.

On motion by Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, S.B. No. 2024, passed First Reading by title and further action was deferred, with Representatives Cachola, Chang, Meyer, Nakasone and Okamura being excused.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Ito introduced members of the Department of Education: Ms. Pat Hamamoto, Deputy Superintendent; Mr. Gary Griffith, Central District Superintendent; and Ms. Marilee Lyons, Central District, Board of Education.

Representative Pendleton introduced a "close friend of mine," Ms. Christine Urban, Principal of Keolu Elementary School.

Representative Hamakawa introduced students from Waiakea and Keaau High School accompanied by their advisors, Mrs. Donna Wong Yuen and Mr. Bob Hill.

Representative Yonamine introduced three student "shadows" from Pearl City High School, Ms. Michele DeRego, Mr. Matthew Igami and Mr. Ken Santos.

Representative Kaho'ohalahala, on behalf of himself and the Maui legislators, introduced a visitor from Upcountry Maui, Mr. Robert Street.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were re-referred to committee by the Speaker, as follows:

H.B.
Nos.

Re-referred to:

1788 Committee on Finance

2880 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 33 and 34) were received and announced by the Clerk and the following actions taken:

H.R. No. 33, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING SHARON NAKAGAWA FOR BEING NAMED THE 1999 HAWAII NATIONAL DISTINGUISHED PRINCIPAL," was jointly offered by Representatives Santiago, Ito, Morihara, Leong, Kahikina, Arakaki, Yamane, Lee, Stegmaier, McDermott, Abinsay, Espero, Kawakami, Hamakawa, Saiki, Takai, Ahu Isa, Chang, Suzuki, Yoshinaga, Goodenow, Hiraki, Catalani, Kaho'ohalahala, Case, Halford, Herkes, Kanoho, Nakasone and Souki.

On motion by Representative Santiago, seconded by Representative Ito and carried, H.R. No. 33 was adopted, with Representatives Cachola, Chang, Goodenow, Herkes, Menor, Meyer, Nakasone, Okamura and Schatz being excused.

Representative Santiago introduced Ms. Sharon Nakagawa, who was named the 1999 Hawai'i National Distinguished Principal.

H.R. No. 34, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING ELLA 'ELLY' TEPPER AS THE HAWAII STATE TEACHER OF THE YEAR," was offered by Representative Ito.

On motion by Representative Ito, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, H.R. No. 34 was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Meyer, Nakasone, Okamura, Schatz and Yonamine being excused.

Representative Ito introduced Ms. Ella "Elly" Tepper, third grade teacher at Keolu Elementary School and recipient of the Hawai'i State Teacher of the Year Award.

At 12:27 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:33 o'clock p.m.

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 12:35 o'clock p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H.B. No. 2020:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day, with the Speaker directing the Clerk to place said item on the 8:00 o'clock p.m. agenda.

H.B. No. 2022:

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one day, with the Speaker directing the Clerk to place said item on the 8:00 o'clock p.m. agenda.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Herkes and Morihara, for the Committees on Economic Development and Business Concerns and Higher Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 254-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2955, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the joint report of the Committees be adopted and H.B. No. 2955, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2955, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW ECONOMY SKILLS TRAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 255-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2026, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2026, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 2026, 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 Rath voting no and Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki, Takamine being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 256-00) 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 Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2262, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE THE ONE-HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARRIVAL OF THE KOREANS TO HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 257-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2408, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2408, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 258-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2459, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2459, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 259-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2466, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2466, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESCROW DEPOSITORIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 260-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2751, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2751, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 261-00) recommending that H.B. No. 3009, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3009, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII INSURANCE EXCHANGE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Labor and Public Employment and Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 262-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2194, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2194, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hamakawa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 263-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2528, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2528, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFE DRINKING WATER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Hamakawa and Garcia, for the Committees on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs and Public Safety and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 264-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2594, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2594, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DANGEROUS DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 265-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2571, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2571, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"This bill has some of the same problems that I discussed yesterday in connection with the privatization of the Ala Wai Harbor. This one calls for the commercialization of the Ala Wai, which is the main objection that I had to privatization yesterday. What this will allow is the movement of all the commercial activity that's currently going on at Kewalo Basin, it will move that over to the Ala Wai Harbor. There's really no advantage to moving that stuff from Kewalo to Ala Wai. It's only a few hundred yards closer to the tourist. There is, however, one important advantage from the perspective of the Department of Land and Natural Resources. That is, if the commercial activity goes on at Kewalo, the revenue goes to the Department of Transportation, while if it moves to the Ala Wai, the revenue goes to the Department of Land and Natural Resources. So because of the bureaucracy, DLNR doesn't get the money unless the commercial activity moves to Ala Wai.

"That's why they're making this change, which as I mentioned yesterday is going to disrupt the paddlers going in and out of the Ala Wai Canal. It's going to restrict surfing activity at Ala Wai Boat Harbor. It's going to mess up life for the people who live in the Ilikai and the Ilikai Marina. It's going to reflect adversely on the quality of life experience for tourist staying at the Hawai'i Prince Hotel and at the Ilikai Hotel. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer then rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"It wasn't too very long ago that the Small Boat Harbors' DOBOR (Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation), did have control of Kewalo. And then some years back it was transferred to DOT. I do understand the concern of my colleague from Waikiki. I would prefer to see us turn Kewalo back to the Small Boat Harbors people. I feel that they would get the revenue from that Harbor and it would keep the commercial activity where it more appropriately ought to be. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Pendleton then rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered into the Journal as his 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. 2571, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Fox and Pendleton voting no and Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Ocean Recreation and Marine Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 266-00) recommending that H.B. No. 3001, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3001, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCOMMERCIAL PIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 267-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2583, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2583, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN MEETINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Hiraki and Morita, for the Committees on Transportation and Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 268-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2615, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2615, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Hiraki and Morita, for the Committees on Transportation and Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 269-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2896, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2896, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATE FUELED VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 270-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2807, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2807, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WAIALUA-HALEIWA STORMWATER DRAINAGE MASTER PLAN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 271-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2273, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2273, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 272-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2429, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2429, 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 Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 273-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2525, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2525, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Santiago, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 274-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2541, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2541, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative McDermott rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, the hearing was run in a very decent and fair manner. The Chairman did a great job. The evidence was overwhelming in support of the notion that fluoride does help your teeth and does fix your teeth. I kind of felt conflicted about that. But I also got scores and scores of messages in my office, phone calls, saying 'Please do not do this'. I didn't receive one single phone call saying 'Please do this'. I know it's going to fix our teeth, I know it's probably good for us, but so is vitamin C. So I'm going to listen to my constituents on this one. Thank you."

Representative Rath then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"This is obviously another one of those 'Oahucentric' bills. People on the Big Island have voted on fluoridation, I think, seven times now. In addition, we have 23 different water sources, some people are on catchment, of course. And there's a large amount of private water systems. I think, probably, my main objection is you're going to have some employee somewhere putting this in. I can see a mistake being made. I can see the consequential liabilities for over-fluoridating, especially with 23 different sources and different demands in use. I just don't think, at this point, with our economy 'in the bag', whether we need to add more government services, more employees, and one more program. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Pendleton then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm of course speaking in my own individual capacity as a legislator. Mr. Speaker, I, in all candor, used to support this notion. In speaking with a number of Representatives, I was initially very much in support of this measure because fluoride is good for you. However, in thinking about the impact of this, and in a number of other issues, I've changed my mind. I guess I have learned to be able to change my mind when I see new facts."

"I want to make it absolutely clear that in my opposition to the forced ingestion of fluoride by the general public, I'm not opposed to good teeth. I'm not opposed to our keiki having great dental records. I'm not opposed to us being able to use fluoride in toothpaste, in our fluoride rinses, or to our dentists being able to give us fluoride treatments. What I am opposed to is everyone being forced by the government to have to consume, ingest, and take fluoride into their bodies."

"Mr. Speaker, most Americans have been brushing their teeth with fluoride toothpaste for years. Looking at my children's Aqua Fresh, a fluoride protection toothpaste, it says to parents 'children under six years...to minimize swallowing use a pea size amount and supervise brushing until good habits are established.' Under the warning section it says that 'if accidentally swallowed,' one of the courses of action is to 'contact a poison control center immediately.'

"My kids also use, as I mentioned just a second ago, fluoride rinses, and go for fluoride treatment, but their dentist advises against swallowing any fluoride, whether accidental or intentional. As infants, all three of my kids had prescribed fluoride drops, but with these the dosages were set in relation to their weight and age and were carefully monitored. In all these cases, the dentists state that the benefits of fluoride are important, but they carefully monitor the dosage. And in only the situation with the infant drops is the fluoride ever ingested and then only for a limited period and strictly calibrated to fit the size of the individual ingesting it."

"So, Mr. Speaker, why then would we want to force all of Hawai'i's residents to consume fluoride everytime they drink tap water. Vegetables and fruits are good for you, but we don't compel people to eat vegetables and fruits. Vitamin supplements are good for you, but we don't coercively administer them in our public schools. Aromatherapy is good, but we don't have the government putting it into everyone's air. We allow people to choose. If vegetables and vitamins are good and we allow people to choose, why can't we allow people to drink fresh pure water without fluoride in it?"

"Some studies conclude that fluoride ingestion is beneficial. Others say that it could be harmful to those who are hypersensitive and to those who have certain kinds of health conditions. How are we going to screen out those people, Mr. Speaker?"

"Again, I'm not opposed to fluoride treatments at the dentist office or fluoride toothpaste. I'm opposed to us forcing people to ingest and consume fluoride. The dosage issue is an important one. I don't think we should minimize that."

Everyone would be taking in the same dosage, whether it's my one year old infant, Danielle, in the powder mix for her milk, or a football player like Russ Francis, it's the same concentration in the water. No physician would prescribe medication in the same dosage given the disparity between those two weights. So why would we feel comfortable having fluoride at the same level?"

"There's also the issue of human error, Mr. Speaker. No one has said that government is perfect or infallible, that they never make mistakes. We would never claim that. But if we make a mistake in this area, if for some reason, we accidentally put too much and two weeks later we discover this and let people know, we may never be able to really address the health concerns. Sure there may be law suits and all of that, people can receive damages, but we want to prevent those kinds of health situations from occurring. House Bill 2528 which we just spoke about a few pages ago, we just reviewed that bill. That's a safe drinking water bill. This bill seems to add something, which the EPA considers a contaminant. The EPA says it's a contaminant."

"The EPA sets forth various levels at which fluoride is safe and when you shouldn't have too much. But the bill, Mr. Speaker, if you look at the bill, on fluoride, page 4, section 1, it doesn't set a ceiling for how much can be put in. We allow all that to go to rulemaking. We give the other people, who are administering, the discretion to do that. Now what happens if you violate the EPA ceiling? If we're not going to do a State ceiling, legislatively, we're going to give it up to some rulemaker to do with the minimum kinds of oversight. What would be the consequences? The EPA would only require them to give out public notices. So that's the only thing that would happen if we made a mistake."

At this time, Representative Auwae yielded her time to Representative Pendleton.

Representative Pendleton continued, stating:

"In closing, Mr. Speaker, let me focus on the last thing. Again, the most troubling aspect of this is the forced ingestion of fluoride. In all of the other cases where we allow fluoride to be administered, the dentists say and the dentists require that they spit it out. When you go to the dentist's office, the warnings on the dental rinse, the warnings on the toothpaste say, you're not suppose to ingest it."

"I think Hawai'i's families should have the right to choose pure drinking water, Mr. Speaker. Let us not use tax dollars to place an EPA categorized contaminant in Hawai'i's drinking water. Let us not force babies to drink water less pure than the water we ourselves drank as babies growing up here in Hawai'i. Rather, let's focus on educating Hawai'i's parents who have fluoride toothpaste, fluoride rinses and fluoride treatments at their disposal. We can eat fewer sweets, drink less soda and floss regularly. Hawai'i's rate of 3.9 cavities per child ages five to nine is high. We need to do something about it. Something must be done, but forcing everyone to drink fluoride is not the solution, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

Representative Stegmaier then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I will be reiterating some of the points that were made by the previous speaker, but I want to bring the perspective of a member of the Health Committee who heard the very comprehensive testimony on Saturday."

"Despite the good intentions of its proponents, I must raise some serious concerns about the bill on Second Reading as it moves on to the Finance Committee. First and most fundamentally, this would be a step backwards from the philosophy of personal responsibility and governmental accountability that this House has been advocating in a variety of ways. When I asked Dr. Greer, the head of the Dental Health

Branch, whether there are ways of maintaining dental health that don't involve ingesting fluoride in our water, he said that there were, but that realistically, 'certain ethnic groups' and certain communities 'would not or could not take personal responsibility for their dental health.' As a specific, Mr. Speaker, he mentioned Lanai. Yet, when I asked him what the goals of his agency were concerning the dental health of the residents of Lanai, Dr. Greer said that it, the agency, didn't have any specific goals.

"Mr. Speaker, I hear a condescending and paternalistic attitude of resignation in the words of Dr. Greer that, I believe, is very counterproductive to the goals of empowerment and personal and parental accountability that this House is committed to.

"The Health Committee was told that the Netherlands and West Germany chose not to fluoridate their water because of a very successful dental education and practices program operating in both countries, which results in good dental health for children and adults alike. It is this approach that we should adopt in Hawai'i. Rather than take a defeatist attitude about parents and social service professionals being unable to provide for the dental health of the children of Hawai'i and blaming it all on a lack of resources, the Department of Health should develop programs working with all the dentists, dental hygienists, other dental health professionals, educators and social services providers to educate, encourage and empower parents and significant others to teach their children proper dental care.

"Mr. Speaker, there is an alternative to fluoridation that will result in dental health for our keiki as well as our elderly, but it is available to us only if we redouble our efforts to support each other rather than give up on each other.

"Another troublesome comment, Mr. Speaker, which we heard at the hearing last Saturday was made by the representative of the American Dental Association who said that there has not been any increase in the amount of fluoridation that we are ingesting and that, therefore, there is no danger of anyone getting amounts of fluoride that could be damaging to them.

"Yet, Mr. Speaker and members, Dr. David Doi, a dentist practicing in Hawai'i for 20 years and the son of former Lieutenant Governor Nelson Doi, refers in his statement against fluoridation that there are manufactured juices and sodas regularly consumed by almost all of us, and especially our children, that contain up to 2.6 parts of fluoride per million. Way above the .6 per million that proponents suggest should be in our drinking water. Dr. Doi, whose words of concern were echoed by Dr. Carl Lehman, a noted local pediatrician and allergist, and Dr. Paul Kenyon, asserts that no one knows how much fluoride our bodies are already dealing with and, therefore, how much fluoride in our drinking water would be safe for us.

"For me, the issue of fluoridation boils down to the basic question: Do we really want to deliberately contaminate our water with sodium fluoride simply because we as parents and adults are not providing the materials, meaning toothbrushes, toothpaste and dental floss, and the instruction for our keiki so that they can maintain healthy teeth and gums?

"May I conclude, Mr. Speaker, by making reference to the recent poll that shows that a majority of Hawai'i's residents are opposed to fluoridation and that a significant majority of kama'aina are opposed. I wish to paraphrase the testimony of Dr. Fred Holschuh, a highly respected physician who is philosophically in favor of fluoridating our water. Dr. Holschuh wrote to the Health Committee that as long as the people of Hawai'i are strongly divided on this issue, it would be unreasonable to pass this measure out and impose fluoridation against their will.

"Mr. Speaker, I agree with Dr. Holschuh's assessment of the situation and ask that we put this matter to rest either now or in the Finance Committee. Thank you very much."

Representative Santiago then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. As the Chair of the Health Committee who sat through approximately, I think it was, six hours of testimony on Saturday, members please note the committee report because it does show the overwhelming, I mean just tremendously impressive support that was shared by many people who, I must admit, are much more knowledgeable about this issue than many of us on the floor here. Many highly respected scientists and others came, they flew in, nationally renowned experts in this area. And I must admit, going into the committee hearing I was really pretty much neutral. I had heard the fears that had come out before. I had gotten the calls in my office, close friends and family members saying, 'Don't you do this,' and all that. I really went into the committee hearing wanting to be educated, and I was.

"I was truly educated on Saturday. And one of the things I have to note is given the poll that came out, given the recent announcement on the part of my counterpart across the way, I believe that the one thing that is clear is we need education. There is a tremendous amount of education that needs to go on about the safety of fluoridation, about the countries and the states that have gone before us who have done this. There is a tremendous amount of fear that needs to be allayed. One of the reasons why I asked my Committee to support moving this measure out of the Committee and to allow for this kind of debate to occur was for that education to be allowed to continue.

"I believe, based upon the statistics that was shared with us, just as Dr. Bruce Anderson has said, there is nothing we can do now that will have a better effect, that will be safe, that's going to be introduced into our keiki's bodies in a different way than what we've heard earlier about it being topically applied. I was convinced, after the hearing, that not only did we have an obligation to our children to continue this educational effort, we had an obligation to sometimes say, 'You know what? We don't live in a perfect world.' We aren't going to be able to educate all of our parents to go ahead and make sure that these children get the kind of dental services that they need. We have to recognize that some people are being affected tremendously negatively because of terrible dental care.

"Note in the committee report, one of the members of our Committee had reservations about moving this forward because of the efforts to take away dental hygienists, the front line workers. We object vehemently, as the Health Committee, to that. We note in our committee report, we want to see benchmarks. We want to see how you're going to make sure that this effort, not only the safety mechanisms be put in place, but also to show us that this is, in fact, resulting in what they want.

"Mr. Speaker, I ask the members to allow this measure to continue to be discussed, allow the Department and the proponents of the measure to continue to educate the population. I certainly, now that I have been educated, have had all of my fears and my concerns addressed. The only thing that remains for me is to find out whether or not the individuals who are really pushing for this measure can, in fact, reach out to our population because I know that, being a reflection of our population, the only way it's ever going to get done is if all of you sitting in this room have enough of your constituents saying the opposite from what the poll said on Sunday. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Arakaki then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to speak in favor of the committee report and the bill, House Bill 2541. Also in support

of the Health Committee Chair, I'd like to have his words inserted as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Arakaki continued, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I realize this is only Second Reading, but I think it's important to point out that as a health policy issue, which was what was discussed in our hearing, I think there's no question that this is the right thing to do. In fact, this is probably one of the greatest things we could do for the future of our children.

"I know it does sort of step on the rights of a few minorities, but we do these things very often for the sake of our children. Look at immunization, prenatal care, and car safety seats, these are not panaceas, but they are strategies that we employ for the protection and well being of our children. This is what we should be looking at. I know sometimes we have difficulty looking beyond the next day or the next week or the next year let alone the next generation. And that's why I think because we focus so much on the 'here and now', too often we're led by fear. But as one of our great President's said, 'the greatest fear is fear itself.'

"For those of us who were at that hearing, we know that all of these fears were unfounded. But I really think we need to look at what this means to the future generation because I think, you and I, Mr. Speaker and a few others, we had a chance back in 1987 to also establish this policy. Unfortunately, we didn't and I think our children today are suffering because of that. But I hope we can resolve that situation. I think there's no better way than to make this landmark legislation for this Legislature in the year 2000, and dedicate this bill to the future of our children. I know a lot of us will probably be gone by the time the beneficiaries of this bill go into adulthood, but I'm sure they're going to look back and thank us for having the courage to establish this good health policy. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Leong then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. At the committee hearing, I had to ask our Chair if I could have time to speak because I had a conflict. I have four children in my family who are dentists and my husband is a dentist. When I was pregnant with each of my children, my physician recommended to me that I ingest fluoride for the fetus and my child in my womb, and I did. After they were born, they continually took fluoride. Since they were born, my children have had like one cavity through their whole lifespan. When they got a cavity in their mouth, I would be really upset. When you take fluoride it hardens your tooth enamel. It starts working on it and it prevents cavities from coming. But when my son got a cavity I was really upset. But in high school they eat, they don't brush their teeth and they fall asleep.

"Well I also have a periodontist in my family. If you were at that hearing, you found out that periodontists are very concerned because periodontists are the ones who are so wealthy in the dental practice because they do gum surgery. When they do gum surgery your roots are exposed. We know that when you take this fluoridated water it will protect your roots also from getting cavities.

"For the children of Hawai'i, that's what we're shooting for. Even adults will benefit from it in the long run because as I said periodontist do root canals. I mean everybody knows that when you get to be a little older, you may or may not have cavities, but you will end up going to see a periodontist. The periodontist are very much in favor of fluoridation in the water.

"We know that all of our lives we've taken some chlorine at some time in the water. Nobody complained too much about the chlorine. But this fluoridation is something that's going to be of benefit for all of our children. Now in our dental practice,

the children that couldn't afford to come in, my husband gave them the topical fluoride, and that helped. It helped to minimize their cavities. But really and actually, had they had fluoride from the beginning, they would have just hardly any cavities at all.

"So we have to look out for our little children. We're going to benefit too. Don't let that all scare you, all that they're saying. The children are the ones we need to look out for. I'm such a great proponent of fluoride. I wish you could see our family's teeth. They're all there. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer then rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. When I went to college, I took a dental assistant course. That was way back in 1957. I learned and actually found out about the value of fluoride because of different parts of the United States where it's naturally in the water, and one of those states was Colorado. Many of the youngsters in Colorado would have these little brown spots on their teeth because maybe the level was too high, naturally nobody was doing it. They might have had these kinds of unattractive spotted teeth, but they didn't have any cavities. They had very few cavities and this is how the dentists learned that this was a very beneficial thing. Seeing that we have the worst dental problems in Hawai'i for our children, I see that this would be a great benefit. I too have had many calls from constituents who said, 'Don't put this poison in our water.' Lots of people, mostly people over 40 years old, they don't want our wonderful water to be tampered with and I can understand that.

"I would feel more comfortable if we were not looking at this bill, but that it was something being done at the county level. Again, I feel that the county level reaches the people more easily. People, and especially with our island community, counties are different. As the Representative from Kona pointed out, the Big Island is quite different from Oahu. Lanai was mentioned because the kids over there seem to have worse problems than we have on some of the other islands. It would seem more appropriate to me to let the people of Lanai decide if they want fluoride and do a pilot program. Although personally, I've realized we don't need a pilot program. We know it's good, but the people of Lanai would vote on that. I think we have to have people vote on whether or not they want this added to their water. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Kahikina then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support of the measure. I want to ask that the four previous speakers' words be added into the Journal as if my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kahikina continued, stating:

"I want to add my personal observation, Mr. Speaker. I was one of those that voted with reservations because I wanted the dental hygienists to be reauthorized, and I heard last night in the community meeting that Dr. Anderson had indicated that the Governor was supportive of re-establishing that.

"But, Mr. Speaker, what had happened to me on Saturday while I was sitting through the hearing is that I think I got 'bachi' because I got a toothache while sitting through the hearing. So I suffered for two days, and on Tuesday, I finally asked Vicki to get me into a dentist. In fact, Tuesday morning I went to my home dentist in Nanakuli, Dr. Young. And three dentists, all of them told me, 'Representative if you had fluoride in the water you wouldn't be sitting here.'

"What really compelled me, Mr. Speaker, is that when I went to Nanakuli and my dentist showed me all the kids with the silver caps and with all these 'pukas'. He said he's been in Nanakuli for almost 20 years and now he's not afraid of these

big Samoan mothers. He's scolding them, 'You give them the fluoride.' The fact of the matter is that this bill is for kids. Kids that are not able to vote. Kids that probably would not know the difference that chlorine is on the same level as fluoride on the chemical list, but we put chlorine in our water. I sure hate to say that, but we do that because of the bad germs in there. We hate to think about contaminating our water, but this is a health issue and the decision to do this policy is really based on our kids.

"When you see all these toothaches and all these 'pukas' in their teeth and kids that I work with at Boys and Girls Club that have 'no more' teeth and cannot eat, that's what compelled me and I support this bill. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Moses then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to rise in support of the measure also and I'll do my colleague from Nanakuli one better and ask that the five previous speakers' comments be inserted in the Journal as if my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Moses continued, stating:

"But I would like to add, as we heard from one of the previous speakers, I believe this should be a matter for 'homerule'. I do believe, personally, it's best for the children, but I think this is a matter that again we should leave up to each county and they can decide for themselves. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Whalen then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, as a health care professional, I feel almost obliged to speak. I think we have to look into our community and see who it is that supports water fluoridation. Who is it? They are credible and respected scientific and professional organizations that have been established and operational for a long time; physicians and dentists and other health care professionals in the community, those who take care of you and your families, whose offices provide jobs for the community and continue to live and work in the community in which they desire to fluoridate.

"On Saturday, when I was at the hospital, I talked to some of the doctors in the hospital and they had actually put some messages on the internet in response to a lot of the misinformation that's on the internet. They were kind of appalled at the misinformation in the community. So Alex is absolutely right, there's a lot of misinformation out there and we really need to do something to combat the misinformation.

"On Saturday, I was really impressed with all the positive testimony. I think Dr. Michael Easley, who came here from the dental school in Buffalo, New York, was probably the most impressive because he's a national expert on fluoride.

"I want to read something from his testimony, which is actually a quote from Professor John Harris, who's the Director of the Center for Social Ethics and Policy at the University of Manchester, England. This quote has to do with the allegation from those that oppose fluoridation; that community water fluoridation somehow interferes with someone's freedom of choice:

In considering the ethics of fluoridation, one might legitimately reverse the question and ask if fellow citizens are entitled to impose not only a disadvantage on the community at large, but impose actual deaths and the risk of death on children for the sake of a minor diminution in the ranges of choices available? We should ask not are we

entitled to impose fluoridation on unwilling people, but are the unwilling people entitled to impose the risks, damage and costs of the failure to fluoridate on the community at large. When we compare the freedoms at stake, the most crucial is surely the one which involves liberation from pain and disease."

"I think that's a very important thing to remember. We're doing this for our children. Thank you."

Representative Auwae then rose and asked the Clerk to register an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Auwae continued, stating:

"I feel that fluoridation is very good, but I do feel you can take people to water, but you can't force them to drink and we have one of the best waters in Hawai'i. Why would we want to add anything to it? Thank you."

Representative Halford then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'll be quick in speaking in opposition.

"I am in favor of fluoridation. I'm concerned that this bill has some fatal flaws. One is that our public water systems, which there are a variety, there are different islands and different systems on each island. We don't necessarily need a 'one size fits all' policy for fluoridating water. It is and should appropriately be a local issue.

"Secondarily, I'm concerned about the mention in the committee report about the abolishment of the Department of Health's Dental Hygiene Program. A previous speaker mentioned that, perhaps, the Department of Health would advocate for its return. I don't know, but I'm concerned that the State might move in the direction of diminishing health care in Hawai'i.

"Third and last, there seems to be some reliance on the Hawai'i Tobacco Settlement Fund, which might prove to be an unreliable source of income. Thank you."

Representative Yamane then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. As has been indicated by several speakers before me, there needs to be an educational program going on. So all members, all colleagues who are interested in reading the testimony, I have about two and a half inches of it and we can make copies for anyone that's interested.

"I have to say that the education should start right here. As has been mentioned, chlorine is not a natural occurring substance and as was brought out in testimony, fluoride is already in the water. So if you reverse this bill, it will cost us a whole lot of money to take out the fluoride that's already in the water.

"Fluoride is tasteless and odorless. For those of you who are interested, the benefits were presented and everybody has been talking about it. At the end of the hearing, I think it's up to the proponents of fluoride to take to the public the concerns, as our Health Chair said, and the fears. The fears like, for example, it leads to brain tumors, an allegation. It gives you spinal cord injuries, an allegation. It leads to cancer, an allegation. It clogs up pipes. These are all some of the fears that were put out, that have been passed, that have been on faxes. And these are some of the excuses that the public is using to be against fluoride.

"Fluoride, remember now, is suppose to be an experiment that's 55 years old. Anything that's been an experiment for 55 years, I don't think is an experiment any longer. The so-called studies that are supposedly against fluoride, the opponents can

come forward and ask if they can repeat their study. The problem is nobody did. We have testimony from the School of Medicine here about the potential disadvantages of fluoride and Dr. Vogel said there were none.

"I'm not saying that this bill is going to be a 'slam dunk', but until the opponents can address the repeatable studies and until the proponents can address the fears of the public, I think we still have a way to go. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ahu Isa then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I don't want to belabor the point. I have the highest respect for our Chair of the Health Committee and also the Co-Chair of our Women's Caucus group. I know fluoride does help our children's teeth because, as a mother like Representative Leong, I did take fluoride vitamin tablets and my two children today have no cavities, and one is 29 and the other is 36, and yes it does work.

"But I just want to relay what happened a couple of weeks ago. I broke out in a rash and went to the dermatologist to try to figure out what it was. He has to give me a series of tests. Now he thinks it might be fluoride, which is interesting, or chromium. I take vitamins everyday, the One-a-Day vitamins. If you look at your bottles, people, it lists chromium as one of the ingredients. And who would have thought that I would be allergic to it. So I have to go through a series of patch tests that they put on you. This is not teeth, this is just skin. So I don't know what's the result, I probably have good teeth, but I'll have a rash. It's just, like some of our colleagues have said, giving people a choice. 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. 2541, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY WATER FLUORIDATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ahu Isa, Halford, McDermott, Pendleton, Rath, Stegmaier and Whalen voting no and Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 275-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1882, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committees on Legislative Management and Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1882, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committees on Legislative Management and Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 276-00) 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 Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2006, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Menor, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 277-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2701, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2701, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 278-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1893, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1893, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 279-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2934, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2934, pass Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 280-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2687, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2687, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC OFFENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 281-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2317, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2317, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 282-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1976, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1976, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 283-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2775, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2775, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 284-00) recommending that H.B. No. 755, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 755, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morihara, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 285-00) recommending that H.B. No. 1800, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Case, seconded by Representative Yonamine and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1800, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Cachola, for the Committee on Water and Land Use, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 286-00) recommending that H.B. No. 2577, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs.

Representative Case moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.B. No. 2577, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, seconded by Representative Yonamine.

Representative Rath rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"For the edification of those in this House and for many people on Oahu, meat really doesn't come from supermarkets.

Meat originates with live animals that are killed, then they're gutted and skinned, hung, bled and then cut up before they wind up being in those little styrofoam packages.

"The reality is that a lot of people hunt and a lot of people on the Big Island hunt. It's often thought of, by those on Oahu, as a recreational sport. I ask you to compare it to fishing. Well, licensed hunting and now this bill wants to increase the fees for people who hunt. For many people who hunt, that is their meat on their table. It's not done for trophies. Additionally, this bill not only increases the hunting fees, not only is it opposed by the Hawai'i Hunting Association, the Hawai'i Hunting Advisory Council, and the Conservation Association of Hawai'i, but I believe anybody who hunts would oppose this bill and increase of his fees.

"In addition to the increase of fees, which are not necessarily going to increase game areas or game programs, additionally, they now want to establish different categories of license, mammals, birds and the like. I know a lot of people -- not a lot of people anymore -- but some people on Oahu probably still fish. I wonder how they would feel if they had to get an aku fishing license or ono fishing license.

"Mr. Speaker, everybody in my family, as far back as I can think, hunts. My daughter hunts, I only have two girls, one of them is a hunter. I now have two grandchildren, I'm sure they'll take it up too. Most of the people I know who hunt on the Big Island do it for subsistence. It's their meat. It's the stuff they put on their table, and I'm sure some people do it for sport, some people go fishing so they can have a large trophy, it's something they're not going to eat. But this is just carrying it a little too far, and I'm in opposition to this. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Herkes then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Whalen then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Goodenow then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kaho'ohalahala then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'd just like to add that Lanai is a subsistence gathering island. While we're concerned about raising the fees for all the different categories of game animals perhaps that are on an island, you have to also know the other side. Hunting on the island of Lanai is also a management program that is intended to help save an island from being overgrazed. Here's an island where it's become very necessary for us to continue a hunting program to manage the number of animals that are on an island so as to not allow the island to be deforested. Therefore, we won't have any water to fluoridate. So I think we need to look at the other side of it when here is an opportunity, perhaps, that we want to consider raising the fees and yet on the other side it becomes a very necessary part of an island to maintain a hunting program in order to maintain just its ability to absorb and bring water back to the island itself. So I would just ask that we not support this."

Representative Pendleton then rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I would just like to note that my reading of the bill indicates that the money is not earmarked for government work related to hunting or the Department's needs relating to hunting of game. So it looks more like a tax increase than just a simple fee increase. So for those reasons, I'll vote no."

Representative Leong then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Auwae then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative McDermott then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cachola then rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, what came out in the hearing is that Hawai'i is the cheapest when it comes to license fees. As to what they're going to use the money for, it's the maintenance that will benefit programs that have something to do with hunting. So for that reason, Mr. Speaker, for the information of this body that we should continue discussing this bill as it goes through the motions and to the other committees and let's see whether or not it can still be amended and whether or not it can only raise fees for non-residents. With that, Mr. Speaker, I support the measure. Thank you."

Representative Ito then rose and asked the Clerk to register a no vote for him, 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. 2577, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawai'ian Affairs, with Representatives Auwae, Goodenow, Halford, Ito, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Leong, Marumoto, McDermott, Meyer, Moses, Pendleton, Rath and Whalen voting no and Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 31 and 32) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 31, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO ADA COMPLIANCE," was offered by Representative Leong, by request.

H.R. No. 32, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO ADOPT A POLICY TO RESTRICT THE DIRECT SOLICITATION ON CAMPUS OF STUDENTS FOR CREDIT CARD ACCOUNTS AND TO OFFER CONSUMER CREDIT SEMINARS AS PART OF FRESHMAN ORIENTATION," was offered by Representative Ahu Isa.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Morita: "Mr. Speaker, your Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection will reconvene immediately after session."

Representative Santiago: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would like to request a waiver of the 48-hour notice for decision making purposes only, on a bill we had previously heard and deferred but not announced when we were going to do decision making. House Bill No. 1906, could I ask for a waiver," and the Chair "approved" the request.

Representative Santiago continued, stating: "Mr. Speaker, the Health Committee will reconvene in Room 329 immediately following the session for the purposes of decision making. Thank you."

Representative Garcia: "Mr. Speaker, on a fun note for the members, if you look into your in-boxes on the floor here today, you will notice that we have name tags once again and tickets. This is for the second of our New Economy Days that the House and the Senate are co-sponsoring. This event will be scheduled for tomorrow. If you note the time on the ticket and also the indication of lunch, although we will be in session here on the floor at noon. I have impressed upon the sponsors to delay the lunch until 12:30 p.m. so that the members will have an opportunity, should our session be in that time period to recess and then join the rest of the group for lunch on the rotunda. Mr. Speaker, this second Economy Day will feature the film, sports, tourism and printing industries. For the members, lunch will be provided as well as a floor show of sorts. There'll be Hollywood stunt people putting on demonstrations for our enjoyment. So I encourage the members to join us for the New Economy Day tomorrow. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:23 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Yonamine, seconded by Representative Pendleton and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 18, 2000. (Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Kanoho, Kawakami, Menor, Nakasone, Okamura, Saiki, Souki and Takamine being excused.)