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In accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The Honorable Dwight Y. Takamine, being the Representative who was elected from the First Representative District of the State of Hawaii, called the House to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The members of the House, guests, and audience rose to sing the National Anthem and *Hawaii Pono'i* led by Ms. Nalani Olds, thereafter the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Master Michael G. Magaoay, a student at St. Michael's School in Waialua.

The Temporary Chair appointed Representatives Lee and Meyer to escort Reverend Eshin Matsumoto of the Palolo Kwannon Temple to the rostrum.

Reverend Matsumoto delivered the invocation.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution (H.R. No. 1) was read by the Temporary Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 1, declaring the Honorable Dwight Y. Takamine, Representative from the first District, as the duly elected Temporary chairman of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature, was jointly offered by Representatives Kanoho and Marumoto, and was read by the Temporary Clerk.

On motion by Representative Kanoho, seconded by Representative Marumoto and carried, H.R. No. 1 was adopted.

Representative Takamine then stated:

"Members of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second State Legislature, I am honored to serve as your Temporary Chair this morning. Thank you. Let us commence with the order of the day."

The Temporary Chair appointed Patricia Mau-Shimizu as Temporary Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The Temporary Chair then appointed Representatives Hamakawa, B. Oshiro, Kanoho, Souki and Thielen to the Committee on Credentials.

At 10:09 o'clock a.m., the Temporary Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the House, their guests and audience were entertained by the Halla Huhm Korean Dance Troupe.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:31 o'clock a.m.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Representative Hamakawa for the Committee on Credentials, presented a report (Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1) stating that it has thoroughly considered the matter of the seating of the members-elect of the House of Representatives of the Twentysecond Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, and finds that the members-elect are duly qualified to sit as members of the House of Representatives, as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT:

Dwight Y. Takamine

SECOND DISTRICT: Jerry L. Chang

THIRD DISTRICT: Eric G. Hamakawa

FOURTH DISTRICT: Heléne H. Hale

FIFTH DISTRICT: Robert N. Herkes

SIXTH DISTRICT: Mark G. Jernigan

SEVENTH DISTRICT: Cindy Evans

EIGHTH DISTRICT: Joseph M. Souki

NINTH DISTRICT: Bob Nakasone

TENTH DISTRICT: Brian K. Blundell

ELEVENTH DISTRICT: Chris Halford

TWELFTH DISTRICT: Kika G. Bukoski

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT: Sol P. Kaho`ohalahala

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT: Hermina M. Morita **FIFTEENTH DISTRICT:** Ezra R. Kanoho

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT: Bertha C. Kawakami

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT: Bud Stonebraker

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT: Bertha F. K. Leong

NINETEENTH DISTRICT: Barbara C. Marumoto

TWENTIETH DISTRICT: Calvin K. Y. Say

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT: Scott Y. Nishimoto

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT: Scott K. Saiki

TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT: Galen Fox

TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT: Kirk Caldwell

TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT: Brian Schatz

TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT: Sylvia J. Luke

TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT: Corinne W. L. Ching

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT: Kenneth T. Hiraki

TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT: Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr.

THIRTIETH DISTRICT: Dennis A. Arakaki

THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT: Glenn Wakai

THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT: Lynn Finnegan

THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT: Blake K. Oshiro

THIRTY-FOURTH DISTRICT: K. Mark Takai

THIRTY-FIFTH DISTRICT: Alex M. Sonson

THIRTY-SIXTH DISTRICT: Roy M. Takumi

THIRTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT: Guy P. Ontai

THIRTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT: Marilyn B. Lee THIRTY-NINTH DISTRICT: Marcus R. Oshiro

FORTIETH DISTRICT: Mark S. Moses

FORTY-FIRST DISTRICT: Jon Riki Karamatsu

FORTY-SECOND DISTRICT: Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo

FORTY-THIRD DISTRICT: Romy M. Mindo

FORTY-FOURTH DISTRICT: Michael Puamamo Kahikina

FORTY-FIFTH DISTRICT: Maile S. L. Shimabukuro

FORTY-SIXTH DISTRICT: Michael Y. Magaoay

FORTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT: Colleen R. Meyer

FORTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT: Ken lto

FORTY-NINTH DISTRICT: David A. Pendleton

FIFTIETH DISTRICT: Cynthia Thielen

FIFTY-FIRST DISTRICT: Thomas Waters

On motion by Representative Hamakawa, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted.

The Temporary Chair directed the Temporary Clerk to call the Roll, which being done disclosed that the following members were present: Representatives Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr., Dennis A. Arakaki, Brian K. Blundell, Kika G. Bukoski, Kirk Caldwell, Jerry L. Chang, Corinne W.L. Ching, Cindy Evans, Lynn Finnegan, Galen Fox, Heléne H. Hale, Chris Halford, Eric G. Hamakawa, Robert N. Herkes, Kenneth T. Hiraki, Ken Ito, Mark G. Jernigan, Michael Puamamo Kahikina, Sol P. Kaho'ohalahala, Ezra Kanoho, Jon Riki Karamatsu, Bertha C. Kawakami, Marilyn B. Lee, Bertha F.K. Leong, Sylvia J. Luke, Michael Y. Magaoay, Barbara C. Marumoto, Colleen R. Meyer, Romy M. Mindo, Hermina M. Morita, Mark S. Moses, Bob Nakasone, Scott Y. Nishimoto, Guy P. Ontai, Blake K. Oshiro, Marcus R. Oshiro, David A. Pendleton, Scott K. Saiki, Calvin K.Y. Say, Brian Schatz, Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Alex M. Sonson, Joseph M. Souki, Bud Stonebraker, K. Mark Takai, Dwight Y. Takamine, Roy M. Takumi, Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo, Cynthia Thielen, Glenn Wakai, and Thomas Waters, a total of fifty-one.

The Temporary Chair then appointed Representatives Kawakami and Leong to escort the Honorable Steven Levinson, Associate Justice of the Hawaii State of Hawaii, and requested that he administer the oath of office to the members of the House.

OATH OF OFFICE

The Temporary Chair called upon the members of the House of Representatives who had been elected to serve in the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii to rise, and the Oath of Office was administered by the Honorable Steven Levinson, Associate Justice of the State of Hawaii, in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, to the following members of the House:

FIRST DISTRICT: Dwight Y. Takamine

SECOND DISTRICT: Jerry L. Chang

THIRD DISTRICT: Eric G. Hamakawa

FOURTH DISTRICT: Heléne H. Hale

FIFTH DISTRICT: Robert N. Herkes

SIXTH DISTRICT: Mark G. Jernigan

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Michael Y. Magaoay

FORTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT: Colleen R. Meyer

FORTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT: Ken Ito

FORTY-NINTH DISTRICT:

David A. Pendleton

FIFTIETH DISTRICT: Cynthia Thielen

FIFTY-FIRST DISTRICT:

Thomas Waters

The Temporary Chair then appointed Representatives Kawakami and Leong to escort the Honorable Steven Levinson from the rostrum.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution (H.R. No. 2) was read by the Temporary Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 2, electing the Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say, Representative from the Twentieth District and Sylvia J. Luke, Representative from the Twenty-Sixth District, as Speaker and Vice Speaker, respectively, of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Fox, and was read by the Temporary Clerk.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fox and carried, H.R. No. 2 was adopted.

The Temporary Chair appointed Representatives Saiki, Lee, Fox and Meyer to escort the newly elected Speaker to the rostrum.

The Temporary Chair then stated:

"Members of the House of Representatives, I present the Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say, the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature," and presented the Speaker with the gavel.

The Speaker took the Chair, stating:

"Members, thank you for your vote of confidence and support. I pledge to you that I will execute my duties and responsibilities with fairness consistent with Hawaii's Constitution and State statutes."

The Chair then appointed Representatives M. Oshiro and Bukoski to escort the Honorable Sylvia J. Luke to the rostrum.

The Chair presented the Vice Speaker, stating:

"Members of the House of Representatives, I present the Honorable Sylvia J. Luke, Vice Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature."

At 10:39 o'clock a.m., the Speaker declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the House, their guests and audience were entertained by the vocal duo, Omni.

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

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 3 and 4) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 3, resolving that the following persons be elected as officers of the House: Patricia Mau Shimizu, Chief Clerk; Kevin R. Kuroda, Sergeant-at-Arms; C.J. Leong, Assistant Clerk; and Leonard Paresa, Jr., Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Fox.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fox and carried, H.R. No. 3 was adopted.

Thereafter, the Speaker administered the Oath of Office to the officers named.

H.R. No. 4, acknowledging and recognizing the Caucus Leaders and naming the Chairs, Vice Chairs, and members of the Standing Committees of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, as listed below, was jointly offered by Representative Saiki and Fox.

Majority Leader:	Scott K. Saiki	
Majority Floor Leader:	Marilyn B. Lee	
Majority Whips:	Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr. Robert N. Herkes Ken Ito Bertha C. Kawakami Bob Nakasone Blake K. Oshiro Marcus R. Oshiro Brian Schatz	
Minority Leader:	Galen Fox	
Minority Floor Leader:	Colleen R. Meyer	
Minority Policy Leader:	Chris Halford	
Minority Whips:	Kika G. Bukoski Mark S. Moses Guy P. Ontai	
Assistant Minority Leader:	David A. Pendleton	

Assistant Minority Floor Leader: Cynthia Thielen

FISCAL MANAGEMENT

Finance:

Dwight Y. Takamine, Chair Bertha C. Kawakami, Vice-Chair Sol P. Kaho ohalahala Jon Riki Karamatsu Michael Y. Magaoay Romy M. Mindo Bob Nakasone Scott Y. Nishimoto Maile S.L. Shimabukuro Glenn Wakai Thomas Waters Kika G. Bukoski

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Mark G. Jernigan Colleen R. Meyer Mark S. Moses

Legislative Management:

Michael Y. Magaoay, Chair Sylvia J. Luke, Vice-Chair Bob Nakasone Scott K. Saiki Chris Halford

JUSTICE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

Consumer Protection and Commerce:

Kenneth T. Hiraki, Chair Robert N. Herkes, Vice-Chair Kirk Caldwell Jerry L. Chang Ken Ito Ezra R. Kanoho Marilyn B. Lee Marcus R. Oshiro Blake K. Oshiro Blake K. Oshiro Alex M. Sonson Joseph M. Souki Lynn Finnegan Barbara C. Marumoto Bud Stonebraker Cynthia Thielen

Judiciary:

Eric G. Hamakawa, Chair Blake K. Oshiro, Vice-Chair Kirk Caldwell Jerry L. Chang Robert N. Herkes Ken Ito Ezra R. Kanoho Marilyn B. Lee Marcus R. Oshiro Alex M. Sonson Joseph M. Souki Lynn Finnegan Barbara C. Marumoto David A. Pendleton Cynthia Thielen

EDUCATION

Education:

Roy M. Takumi, Chair Cindy Evans, Vice-Chair Dennis A. Arakaki Heléne H. Hale Michael Puamamo Kahikina Hermina M Morita Brian Schatz K. Mark Takai Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo Brian K. Blundell Corinne W.L. Ching Bertha F.K. Leong Guy P. Ontai

Higher Education:

K. Mark Takai, Chair Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo, Vice-Chair Dennis A. Arakaki Cindy Evans Heléne H. Hale Michael Puamamo Kahikina Hermina M. Morita Brian Schatz Roy M. Takumi Brian K. Blundell Corinne W.L. Ching Bertha F.K. Leong Guy P. Ontai

HUMAN SERVICES

Health:

Dennis A. Arakaki, Chair Scott Y. Nishimoto, Vice-Chair Heléne H. Hale Michael Puamamo Kahikina Maile S.L. Shimabukuro K. Mark Takai Roy M. Takumi Corinne W.L. Ching Lynn Finnegan Bud Stonebraker

Human Services and Housing:

Michael Puamamo Kahikina, Chair Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Vice-Chair Dennis A. Arakaki Heléne H. Hale Bertha C. Kawakami Scott Y. Nishimoto K. Mark Takai Roy M. Takumi Corinne W.L. Ching Lynn Finnegan Bud Stonebraker

International Affairs:

Heléne H. Hale, Chair K. Mark Takai, Vice-Chair Dennis A. Arakaki Michael Puamamo Kahikina Scott Y. Nishimoto Maile S.L. Shimabukuro Roy M. Takumi Corinne W.L. Ching Lynn Finnegan Bud Stonebraker

NATURAL RESOURCES

Energy and Environmental Protection:

Hermina M. Morita, Chair Thomas Waters, Vice-Chair Cindy Evans Sol P. Kaho'ohalahala Ezra R. Kanoho Kika G. Bukoski Cynthia Thielen

Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs:

Ezra R. Kanoho, Chair Sol P. Kaho'ohalahala, Vice-Chair Cindy Evans Hermina M. Morita Thomas Waters Kika G. Bukoski Cynthia Thielen

GOVERNMENT RESOURCES AND PUBLIC SAFETY

Labor and Public Employment:

Marcus R. Oshiro, Chair Bob Nakasone, Vice-Chair Kirk Caldwell Ken Ito Romy M. Mindo Joseph M. Souki Brian K. Blundell Mark S. Moses David A. Pendleton

Public Safety and Military Affairs:

Ken Ito, Chair Romy M. Mindo, Vice-Chair Kirk Caldwell Bob Nakasone Marcus R. Oshiro Joseph M. Souki Brian K. Blundell Mark S. Moses David A. Pendleton

Transportation:

Joseph M. Souki, Chair Kirk Caldwell, Vice-Chair Ken Ito Romy M. Mindo Bob Nakasone Marcus R. Oshiro Brian K. Blundell Mark S. Moses David A. Pendleton

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

Agriculture:

Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr., Chair Alex M. Sonson, Vice-Chair Jerry L. Chang Robert N. Herkes Jon Riki Karamatsu Michael Y. Magaoay Blake K. Oshiro Brian Schatz Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo Glenn Wakai Chris Halford Mark G. Jernigan Barbara C. Marumoto Guy P. Ontai

Economic Development and Business Concerns:

Brian Schatz, Chair

Glenn Wakai, Vice-Chair Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr. Jerry L. Chang Robert N. Herkes Jon Riki Karamatsu Michael Y. Magaoay Blake K. Oshiro Alex M. Sonson Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo Mark G. Jernigan Bertha F.K. Leong Barbara C. Marumoto Guy P. Ontai

Tourism and Culture:

Jerry L. Chang, Chair Jon Riki Karamatsu, Vice-Chair Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr. Robert N. Herkes Michael Y. Magaoay Blake K. Oshiro Brian Schatz Alex M. Sonson Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo Glenn Wakai Mark G. Jernigan Bertha F.K. Leong Barbara C. Marumoto Guy P. Ontai

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fox and carried, H.R. No. 4 was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

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

H.C.R. No. 1 relating to the mandatory recess for the Regular Session of 2003, determined to be the 20th, 21st, 24th, 25th, and 26th days of February, 2003; and the dates of the recesses, other than the dates of the mandatory recess, for the Regular Session of 2003, determined to be the 23rd day of January, the 3rd and 5th days of March, and the 7th, 9th, 15th, 28th, and 30th days of April of 2003, pursuant to Article III, Section 10 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Fox.

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

At 10:56 o'clock a.m., the Speaker declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the House, their guests and audience were entertained by vocal group `Ale`a.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:14 o'clock a.m.

At this time the Speaker delivered his address, stating:

"Honored guests, members, ladies and gentlemen. Aloha and welcome.

"The 22nd Session of the Hawaii State Legislature convenes today with a mandate from the people for change. Our families and communities are being tested in ways that question our resolve and our ability to meet the challenges before us. All

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around us, the world seems on the brink of renewed chaos – the international scene threatens war, the American economy is faltering. More than 35 states, including our own, face wrenching budget decisions.

"The optimism of many of us has eroded. Our seniors are forced to keep working. Our most important institutions have been wracked by scandal. Corporate officers face indictment for fraud and theft, leaving their companies bankrupt and their employees facing ruin. Don't forget politicians have betrayed our trust seeking personal gain at the community's expense. Our challenges appear far more difficult and even dangerous than they were just two years ago.

"In this time of turmoil, Hawaii voters made an historic decision. We elected the first woman as governor in our state's history. The fact that she is also a Republican is not a concern of mine. She is our Governor, she needs each other's help, and we must find a way to work together to meet the challenges of our times.

"I speak to you today, not just as an elected leader, but a citizen and a small businessman, a neighbor and a friend. Let me share this with all of you. We must not give up hope. The promise lies within each of us to create a better future for our children, but to do that, we must make some tough decisions this year.

"First of all we must recognize that the days of asking, "What's in it for me?" are over. We must forge a bridge or a partnership where each of us who is able carries a fair share of the load. We must find a way to continue to protect those among us who cannot help themselves.

"Many citizens have lost faith in government to do the right thing. We all can begin to restore that trust by putting government on the same kind of performance standards that we are now asking of our children in school.

"That means that government sets objectives that are measurable, specific and achievable. When a government agency says a program will create better-paying jobs, people like all of you have a right to expect that the promise better be kept.

"This Session we will mandate new performance standards that ensure politicians and government agencies do not make promises they cannot keep. To help us achieve this goal, the Auditor's watchdog authority will be expanded.

"We will make sure that our house is in order. Campaign finance reform will be a priority this session. Corporations and special interest groups cannot be allowed to use their campaign contributions to unduly influence the people's business. And politicians who violate the people's trust must know the consequences of that violation will be severe.

"We will put more decision-making power into the hands of the people we serve. Our communities have a right to a bigger say in how their schools are run. But at the same time we should be careful and not waste our time trying to reinvent the wheel. All of us here can learn from the experience of other communities where district school boards were tried and failed.

"These experiments, which looked so good at the start, failed because they did not give the schools the one thing that they need – and that is accountability. And for all of us here we already know that accountability is a significant problem for our schools. Just last week, a national survey ranked Hawaii schools as ninth lowest in the nation in terms of accountability. "So it should be clear to all of us by now – we can no longer accept status quo schools. We will propose significant reforms in the area of school administration. And these reforms will give our schools greater authority and flexibility, to help them to obtain needed resources, and build and manage community support. Most important of all, these reforms will provide new standards for accountability.

"The State system of repair and maintenance is woefully inadequate. And this is one critical area where communitybased decisions are the right way to go. Local schools know what needs to be fixed. And maybe Government should provide the resources and then get out of the way. We will pass legislation to allow schools to make their own contract decisions and speed up the repair and maintenance.

"Parents and community members need a greater voice in the operation of their neighborhood schools. We will propose the establishment of a community-based school board initiative. Just imagine what we can do if teachers, parents, administrators and students set their goals together. Passing a standardized test is not enough for us. We must teach our kids how to learn, and help them learn how to think.

"9/11 taught us a lesson we can never forget – dependency on one industry or resource is a dependence we all can no longer afford. We must diversify our economic base and lessen our dependency on outside resources. When our Nation was attacked, Hawaii's economic engine took a direct hit. Boom. And there are hopeful signs of recovery, and our hard work in the Special Session has produced some results, but Hawaii's economy has not fully recovered. If our Nation goes to war, defense spending in Hawaii will decrease. That is a real possibility I share with you this morning, and it must strengthen our resolve to diversify Hawaii's job base.

"We must act to help local business improve job retention. Existing small businesses are the backbone of our economy. We must help them to grow. To help in this effort, we will propose a targeted job creation tax initiative. This measure will help diversify our industries, and encourage outside businesses to bring new jobs to Hawaii.

"You know tax incentives can be a vital part of an overall economic strategy, but the people and companies who use them must also be held to a standard of accountability. New credit programs must undergo regular financial checkups and be held accountable for results. Why do I share this with you this morning? The Tax Review Commission's recent report to the Legislature is right on track. We believe its recommendations are a solid base on which to build tax incentives for our New Economy.

"But it is also important for all of us understand one thing – economic development is not a business agenda, it is a way to accomplish Hawaii's social goals. These are:

"Quality, affordable health care for the sick and elderly;

"A healthy environment for our children to grow up in;

"Higher-paying jobs to help support our families;

"Social equality for all of Hawaii's citizens; and

"The preservation of values built into our host culture.

"The ultimate goal of economic development is to benefit our people. We must shape our economic development in a way that's right for us, and not special interests or the very wealthy. "Today in our nation's capital, old thinking rules the Administration's policies. These worn-out ideas propose enormous tax cuts for the very rich, while the national deficit begins climbing toward historic highs. Once again, we are borrowing on our children's future. These same tired ideas come from a President who believes the elimination of dividend taxes will ignite the next economic boom. Yes these measures are sure to bring happy days to the White House, but they will not put food on our tables or help fix a school's leaky roof.

"What the Republican administration in Washington fails to recognize is our critical need for a comprehensive domestic strategy. Even people who worked for this Administration say it has no domestic policy. Instead, it focuses on its foreign affairs agenda and manages the home front with public relations tactics and Republican programs that benefit the wealthy. That is something that all of you should be aware of.

"The latest analysis of the Federal Reserve data shows, and I share this with all of you, that 85 percent of the stocks in this country are owned by the very rich. The President says if we help these people, the rest of us will benefit later on. Well if you recall twenty years ago, they called that "trickle-down" economics. Given our current budget situation, we may not have enough time to wait for the trickle.

"We believe we have a better idea – an idea that focuses on our future here in Hawaii, a future that is built by increasing the knowledge base of our economy through research, education, skills and technical innovation. We believe the most effective way of managing this future is through partnerships between government and local enterprises.

"Government will do a better job if it engages in these partnerships as a facilitator and not a regulator. Our businesses, schools and non-profits need a significant infusion of technology to compete in this knowledge-based economy. We cannot accomplish this alone. Together, with the help of private partnerships, we can achieve greater efficiency and measurable results.

"In 1881, King David Kalakaua and his Attorney General turned to one of the most brilliant minds in history. The King asked a man named Thomas Edison to study the possibility of using power from Hawaii's volcanoes to produce electricity to light Hawaii's homes. Ironically it was more than 80 years later after the King's discussion with Thomas Edison that began geothermal exploration.

"Today, I am proud to say that geothermal energy provides almost 20 percent of energy needs on the Island of Hawaii. And still, there are small and vocal groups that would like to turn back the clock. For all of us, we can no longer afford to ignore an energy source that is in your own backyard.

"The time has come to face a hard truth about Hawaii's energy needs – imported oil supplies 90 percent of Hawaii's energy needs today. And no place else in the United States is so critically dependent on imported oil. Unlike the mainland, Hawaii cannot turn to neighboring states to make up for any temporary or permanent energy shortages. Unlike the mainland, imported oil is the single thread that can completely unravel Hawaii's future.

"Geothermal can be a bigger part of our energy future, but so must other alternative energy sources. We all know we are blessed with abundant sunlight, but few of Hawaii's government buildings take advantage of solar power. We can do better. This year, we will extend renewable energy tax credits because we know they work. And we will begin a program to mandate the conversion of our public buildings to solar energy resources.

"Just this month, Hawaiian Electric announced a promising new program with a \$10 million investment in alternative energy development. This is a promising first step. But we have to do more. We will speed up this process by seeking a statewide energy audit.

"And so as we move, the people of Hawaii are counting on you, Governor Lingle, to lay out a compelling agenda in your State of the State Address. But even your most avid supporters may concede that dramatic breakthroughs may be difficult. Governor Lingle, I have great hopes for you. And I have great hopes for Hawaii's lawmakers. Working together, we can meet the challenges of our time.

"I would also like to acknowledge the Governor, and that I appreciate our new Governor's efforts to help with the issue of interim payment of revenues to the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. However, we have found a way to resolve this issue expeditiously without having to go further through the legislative process. Over the last several weeks, the Chair of OHA, together with legal counsel, and the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Hawaiian Affairs Committee, worked out a solution.

"Is Haunani Apoliona here? Haunani, I would like to recognize you. Chairman Ezra Kanoho, Ezra will you please stand. Vice-Chair Sol Kaho'ohalahala. Through your efforts our obligations to the Hawaiian people will be fulfilled. The \$10.3 million in deferred payment will be made by the Governor.

"Members, on your desk is a small gift from me. It is a symbol of what we can accomplish together. The bamboo plant is an ancient Chinese symbol of strength and good fortune. The empty center of the stem represents a virtuous person with an open mind. The bamboo thrives because it is flexible. I hope we can be like this too – flexible, but strong."

At this time, Speaker Say presented Governor Lingle with a bamboo plant.

Speaker Say then concluded his remarks, stating:

"To all of you, Aloha and Mahalo."

The Chair then recognized Representative Fox, the Minority Leader, to present the Minority's response.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, Governor, Lt. Governor, distinguished guests. Aloha Kakahiaka. It's a beautiful morning. Isn't it a beautiful day in Hawaii nei?

"Some of you, like me, remember when Hawaii was a Territory. You remember when we were second class citizens, left out of the promise America offered residents of the 48 states. Then one bright morning, the door opened, and the nation welcomed us in. Hawaii became a state. What a beautiful day.

"Hawaii was then an exciting place filled with hope. The last territorial legislature glowed from the creative sparks produced by rubbing new ideas against old. Republicans and Democrats were all involved, a Republican governor, a Democratic Legislature, together generating change that enlarged Hawaii's role in the Nation, and embraced our entire population.

"Now, today, such a beautiful day has come again. We have a new Governor. The windows have been thrown open. The fresh breeze of change is blowing through our collective home. Once again, after an absence of forty years, no matter what your party, Hawaii has a place for you. Fifty-one representatives feel the joy that comes from being part of solutions that involve Republicans, Democrats, and all Hawaii standing together.

"The solutions we crave are those that help people find jobs. All of us want more jobs for Hawaii's people. It's the lack of jobs that is forcing families apart, and sending our friends to the mainland. Most transplanted ex-Hawaii residents would rather be home, if they could make a decent living here. We need jobs.

"All of us want not just jobs, but better paying jobs for Hawaii's people. The 'price of paradise' is a real problem here. Hawaii's cost of living is 22 percent above the national average; only the Bay Area is more expensive. Yet our wages are barely above the national average. We have an income gap that makes it hard to live here.

"To have better paying jobs, we need to take Hawaii into the knowledge-based economy. For that, Hawaii's people need a good education system. Reforming public education has to be one of this Legislature's top priorities. To seize our future, we must improve public education now—we need action, not studies.

"The road ahead remains difficult. But we know that real change comes from Republicans and Democrats, business, labor, and government, working side-by-side to get the job done.

"History has led us to this remarkable January 2003 morning. At the dawn of the territorial era, 100 years ago, James Dole brought the pineapple industry here. It was the last time Hawaii, on its own, generated a major new industry. Pearl Harbor, World War II, Korea, and Vietnam gave us the defense industry, a boon to our economy that owed little to our own initiative. And so it was with tourism, which grew Hawaii through statehood's first three decades. Tourism thrived because of outside forces--the jet plane, the jumbo jet, mainlanders discovering the neighbor islands, and finally Japanese tourism and investment. It all came so easily. We were freed from the discipline of having to work together to make our own future.

"Since the Japanese bubble burst in 1990, we have been searching for a new path to prosperity. After 1990, tourism stopped growing. After 1990, Hawaii family income dropped 15 percent in relation to the rest of the country, from 21 percent higher to only 6 percent higher. After 1990, while state government employment jumped 15 percent and our population grew by 9 percent, private sector job growth stopped—increasing by just 3 percent. After 1990, Hawaii's poverty rate rose faster than that of any other state, and a higher share of Hawaii's population left for other states than did the population of any other state.

"Now we stand at the beginning of a new day. We are filled with hope. We know that no outside force or event is going to bless us the way Pacific wars and the jet plane helped us earlier. We know we are going to have to do it ourselves. And we will work hard to shape our own destiny. We will find the common ground that unites us, and for the benefit of Hawaii's people, we will embrace change. Let's do it, let's do it together. Mahalo."

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

"Mr. Speaker, a tsunami of words will roll over our ears during the next few months. I believe it is clear that we need to listen better and learn more to effectively lead this State. So allow me to start off with one simple thought: We get it.

"The Members of this House walked hundreds of miles during the past year, listening to the concerns of their neighbors, community leaders and people in their districts. Again and again they heard a similar message. Voters want accountability in government and in their schools, and they want results. We get it.

"The people of Hawaii want a clean government - fair, honest and above board. With this last election, Hawaii stands at a crossroads. And it is worth considering just how we got here. Because right now, before we choose a path on which to travel, we should make an honest assessment of where we are.

"Many people think the Democrats have gotten too comfortable, that we have been in power for too long. So they voted for a change, and some of the people who voted for that change were Democrats too.

"But I would like to emphasize one point. During the past four decades, we have led the path to fundamental change in Hawaii. We have transformed our State from a plantationbased economy to a forty billion dollar economy that rests upon technology, business, finance, tourism and agriculture, and employs over 570,000 people.

"We have developed a public education system that now serves over 183,000 students. We have protected and continue to safeguard our air, water and land for future generations. In making this change, we strove to advance economic and social equality for all.

"This year, the 22nd Legislature must return to these roots. I'm not going to deliver a 'laundry list' of proposals today. Instead, this year, we're going to do a few things and do them well. And what we propose, we will achieve.

"We will introduce a fundamental change in campaign financing, freed from the influence of special friends with large checkbooks. We will ban government contractors from giving contributions to any candidate for public office, whether at the executive or legislative level.

"We will introduce a new system to expedite school repair and maintenance and to put control of contracts into the hands of local schools where it rightfully belongs. We must provide a safe and comfortable learning environment so that our children will thrive.

"We will launch a Community School Board Initiative to give parents, teachers, students and community leaders a greater voice in how their schools are run. But this House will also insist that major school reforms be tested and designed for full accountability. We know from experience that just because an idea sounds good, does not mean that it is good.

"Many of our communities are plagued by an epidemic of ice. It breaks up families, causes crime, and strips young people of their future. This is not a new problem for Hawaii, but it's getting worse. Drug dealers must face swift and effective punishment. But for drug abusers, rehabilitation must play a greater role. We must focus on prevention because prisons and tough laws alone will not eliminate the ice problem. We will establish community based rehabilitation centers and targeted law-enforcement teams to stop ice.

"110 years ago this week, Queen Liliuokalani was overthrown and Hawaiian home rule ended. Hawaiians have

waited too long for this wrong to be righted. This House supports the rights of the native Hawaiian people and just as it did two years ago, will urge Congress to support legislation to achieve Hawaiian self-governance. We ask the Governor to join us in encouraging Congress to take action now. The Hawaiian people are taking charge of their own destiny. And this is what we all want – to be in charge of our own destinies. Just think about how this helps to make Hawaii great – ordinary people from all walks of life can make their mark here.

"Mr. Speaker, this morning you have shared with us your vision for government that is accountable and gets results. We can do better, and we will do better. For all of us, the way to begin that journey is to stand at the crossroads and take a step on the right path, the path lined with our Democratic principles of fairness, equality, tolerance and opportunity.

"Mr. Speaker when there is change at the top, people expect a new beginning. But we cannot build our future with a mere slogan. Our new beginning has a human face and it is already here in this Chamber.

"I would like to introduce the newest House Democrats and ask them to stand and to remain standing. Representative Kirk Caldwell, Representative Cindy Evans, Representative Sol Kaho'ohalahala, Representative Jon Karamatsu, Representative Romy Mindo, Representative Scott Nishimoto, Representative Maile Shimabukuro, Representative Alex Sonson, Representative Tulsi Tamayo, Representative Glen Wakai, and Representative Tommy Waters.

"This is the new generation of Hawaii's leaders. And Mr. Speaker, they get it too. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"At this time, the Chair would like to recognize Representative Fox so that he may proceed in introducing our freshman GOP members also, in the value and character of fairness. Representative Fox."

Representative Fox rose and stated:

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. We have four fabulous freshmen that are going to be part of the leadership generation of the future of Hawaii. First we have Mr. Mark Jernigan, Representative from Kona. Representative Corinne Ching, Liliha. Representative Lynn Finnegan from Salt Lake. Representative Brian Blundell from West Maui. Mr. Speaker, your sixteen new Representatives. Thank you."

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution (H.R. No. 5) was read by the Clerk and disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 5, informing the Senate and the Governor that the House is organized and is ready to conduct business with the following officers: Calvin K.Y. Say, Speaker; Sylvia J. Luke, Vice Speaker; Patricia Mau Shimizu, Chief Clerk; Kevin R. Kuroda, Sergeant-at-Arms; C.J. Leong, Assistant Clerk; and Leonard Paresa, Jr., Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Fox.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fox and carried, H.R. No. 5 was adopted.

At this time, the Chair appointed Representatives Morita and Ontai to escort Father James Allen DeLong of St. Louis School to the rostrum.

Father James Allen DeLong then offered the benediction.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock noon, on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 16, 2003.

SECOND DAY

Thursday, January 16, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Brian Schatz, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Evans and Souki, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1 through 112) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1, transmitting the Barbers Point Naval Air Station Redevelopment Commission Annual Report for fiscal year 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 2, transmitting the "2000 Hawaii Income Patterns; Individuals" prepared by the Department of Taxation.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, transmitting the "2000 Hawaii Income Patterns; Businesses" prepared by the Department of Taxation.

Gov. Msg. No. 4, transmitting the 1999-2001 Annual Report to the Governor for the Community Economic Development Program prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, transmitting the reports for March and April prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 2001, Act 259, Section 53, on the Monthly Report on Expenditures for the Felix Consent Decree, Felix Special Monitor, and Felix Monitoring Project.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, transmitting copies of the Report on Prescription Drugs for Fee-for-Service Clients Including Mental Health Treatment.

Gov. Msg. No. 7, transmitting the reports for May, June, July, and August prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 2001, Act 259, Section 53, on the Monthly Report on Expenditures for the Felix Consent Decree, Felix Special Monitor, and Felix Monitoring Project.

Gov. Msg. No. 8, transmitting the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism 2001 Annual Report as required by Chapter 201-10, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 9, transmitting the report for the month of September prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 2001, Act 259, Section 53, of the Monthly Report on Expenditures for the Felix Consent Decree, Felix Special Monitoring Project. Gov. Msg. No. 11, transmitting the Report on Administratively Established Appropriations as required by Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 12, transmitting the report by the Department of Health, Department of Agriculture, and Department of Education on the Progress Made in Promoting Increased Awareness of the Importance of Eating Five or More Fruits and Vegetables Per Day.

Gov. Msg. No. 13, transmitting a report of the Hawaii Tourism Response and Recovery Program Final Report on the implementation of an integrated marketing plan to market and promote the State of Hawaii as a visitor destination, in response to the changed market conditions resulting from the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001.

Gov. Msg. No. 14, transmitting the "Report To The Legislature Annual Report on Goals, Objectives / Policies, Action Plan, And Performance Measures At The University Of Hawaii".

Gov. Msg. No. 15, transmitting the "Report To The 2003 Legislature Biennium Report On Benchmarks And Performance Indicators At The University of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 16, transmitting the report "Requesting The University Of Hawaii To Study The Feasibility Of Permitting Certain Immigrant Students Who Have Not Yet Attained Legal Immigrant Status Attend The University Of Hawaii At The Resident Tuition Rate".

Gov. Msg. No. 17, transmitting a report for the month of October prepared by the Department of Education in response to the proviso of the General Appropriations Act of 2001, Act 259, Section 53 on the Monthly Report on Expenditures for the Felix Consent Decree, Felix Special Monitor, and Felix Monitoring Project.

Gov. Msg. No. 18, transmitting the Report on Special Purpose Revenue Bonds, Issued and Outstanding and Authorized but Unissued as of July 1, 2002. (Statement of Total Outstanding Indebtedness, and Statement of the Debt Limit.)

Gov. Msg. No. 19, transmitting the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 20, transmitting the Annual Report of the Hawaii Historic Preservation Fund for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 21, transmitting the Monthly Notification of Expenditures from the Director of Health Relative to the Felix Consent Decree Made to the United States Ninth District Court, the Felix Special Monitor, the Felix Monitoring Project, or Any Another (sic) Agent of the United States Judiciary – For the Month of March 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 22, transmitting the Monthly Notification of Expenditures from the Director of Health Relative to the Felix Consent Decree Made to the United States Ninth District Court, the Felix Special Monitor, the Felix Monitoring Project, or Any Another (sic) Agent of the United States Judiciary – For the Month of April 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 23, transmitting the Monthly Notification of Expenditures from the Director of Health Relative to the Felix Consent Decree Made to the United States Ninth District Court,

Gov. Msg. No. 10, transmitting the Department of Taxation Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

the Felix Special Monitor, the Felix Monitoring Project, or Any Another (sic) Agent of the United States Judiciary – For the Month of May 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 24, transmitting the Hawaii State Public Library Systems' Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 25, transmitting the Annual Report on Geothermal Royalties and Geothermal and Cable Development Activities prepared in response to Sections 182-18 and 196D-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 26, transmitting 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, Regular Session of 1995.

Gov. Msg. No. 27, transmitting a Report on Mental Health Services from the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division.

Gov. Msg. No. 28, transmitting the Monthly Notification of Expenditures from the Director of Health Relative to the Felix Consent Decree Made to the United States Ninth District Court, the Felix Special Monitor, the Felix Monitoring Project, or Any Another (sic) Agent of the United States Judiciary – For the Month of July 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 29, transmitting the Monthly Notification of Expenditures from the Director of Health Relative to the Felix Consent Decree Made to the United States Ninth District Court, the Felix Special Monitor, the Felix Monitoring Project, or Any Another (sic) Agent of the United States Judiciary – For the Month of June 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 30, transmitting the Energy Efficiency Policy Task Force Report which was prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 31, transmitting a Report of the Temporary Board of Trustees of the Hawaii Long-Term Care Financing Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 32, transmitting copies of the Expenditure Report for Kupuna Care and Elder Abuse Response Services, FY 2002-03.

Gov. Msg. No. 33, transmitting the Hawaii Real Estate Commission Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 34, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Report for Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 39, Requesting a Review of the Performance Information Procurement System (PIPS).

Gov. Msg. No. 35, transmitting copies of the Hawaii Olmstead Plan as requested by House Concurrent Resolution 196, Regular Session 2000.

Gov. Msg. No. 36, transmitting the Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services Strategic Plan 2003-2006.

Gov. Msg. No. 37, transmitting the Annual Report on the Status of the Kaho'olawe Rehabilitation Trust Fund in response to Section 6K-9.5e, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 38, transmitting the Multi-Year Program and Financial Plan and Executive Budget for the Period 2003-09, pursuant to Sections 37-69, HRS, Budget-The Six Year Program and Financial Plan; and 37-71, HRS, Budget-The Budget.

Gov. Msg. No. 39, transmitting a Report on Prescription Drugs for Fee-for-Service Clients Including Mental Health Treatment.

Gov. Msg. No. 40, transmitting the Variance Report for FYs 2002-03, pursuant to Section 37-75, HRS, Budget-Variance Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 41, transmitting the Expenditure Report for Kupuna Care and Elder Abuse Response Services, FY 2002-03.

Gov. Msg. No. 42, transmitting the "Annual Report on the Research and Training Revolving Fund 2001-2002".

Gov. Msg. No. 43, transmitting the "Establishment of Sister-State Educational, Cultural, and Economic Exchanges Between the State of Hawaii and the Province of Ilocos Sur of the Republic of the Philippines".

Gov. Msg. No. 44, transmitting the "Hawaii Research Center For Future Studies".

Gov. Msg. No. 45, transmitting the "Annual Report of Uncollectible Fines".

Gov. Msg. No. 46, transmitting the 2002 Report of the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation of the Department of the Attorney General.

Gov. Msg. No. 47, transmitting "Requesting the Hawaii Tourism Authority to Place a Higher Priority on Meetings, Conventions, and Incentives Marketing as a Benefit to the Larger Economy".

Gov. Msg. No. 48, transmitting copies of the Department of Human Resources Development's itemized expenditure report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 49, transmitting The Office of Information Practices' Annual Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 50, transmitting a report entitled "Department of Accounting and General Services, Annual Report on Goals and Objectives – January 2003".

Gov. Msg. No. 51, transmitting a report entitled "Annual Report of the Interagency Federal Revenue Maximization Revolving Fund for Fiscal Year 2001-2002".

Gov. Msg. No. 52, transmitting a report entitled "Action Plan and Progress Report Regarding the Implementation of the Hui 'Imi Recommendations".

Gov. Msg. No. 53, transmitting a report entitled "Annual Report of the State Educational Facilities Improvement Special Fund for Fiscal Year 2001-2002".

Gov. Msg. No. 54, transmitting the Department of Defense's report, "Relating to Government Operations" (Act 100, Session Laws of Hawaii 1999).

Gov. Msg. No. 55, transmitting the Department of Budget and Finance's report on goals and action plans in accordance with Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 56, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Antitrust Trust Fund Report on Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending December 31, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 57, transmitting the Report of the Age of Consent Task Force per Act 1, SLH, Second Special Session of 2001.

Gov. Msg. No. 58, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Goals and Objectives Report for 2003.

Gov. Msg. No. 59, transmitting copies of the Criminal History Record Checks Report as required by Act 263, SLH 2001.

Gov. Msg. No. 60, transmitting the Public Utilities Commission's report pursuant to S.C.R. No. 98, S.D. 2, Requesting a Consideration of the Feasibility of Opening a Public Utilities Commission Docket Relating to Standby Charges and Customer Retention Discounts.

Gov. Msg. No. 61, transmitting the Annual Report of the Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act.

Gov. Msg. No. 62, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report on Recommendations for Denial of Claims Filed Under the Legislative Relief Act for FY 2003.

Gov. Msg. No. 63, transmitting the Report of the Temporary Commission on Computer Crimes Laws per Act 33, SLH 2001.

Gov. Msg. No. 64, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General Tobacco Enforcement Unit's Annual Report for the year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 65, transmitting the report, Annual Evaluation of the Hawaii Unemployment Compensation Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 66, transmitting the 2002 Annual Report of the Employment and Training Fund Program prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

Gov. Msg. No. 67, transmitting a report entitled "Stadium Special Fund Statement of Receipts, Expenditures and Transfers for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2002".

Gov. Msg. No. 68, transmitting copies of the Hoisting Machine Operators' Advisory Board Annual Report for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 69, transmitting the Public Utilities Commission's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 70, transmitting a report entitled "Department of Accounting and General Services, Annual Report of Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for \$10,000 or Less for Fiscal year 2001-2002".

Gov. Msg. No. 71, transmitting a Report of the Task Force to Resolve Issues Related to Court-Appointed Counsel in Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 72, transmitting The State Foundation on Culture and the Art's report entitled, "Report Regarding its Progress in Complying With the Recommendations Made by the Auditor in the 1999 Audit of the Foundation".

Gov. Msg. No. 73, transmitting copies of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Hawaii Occupational Safety and Health Division's Annual Reports for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002. Gov. Msg. No. 74, transmitting the Hawaii Civil Rights Commission Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 75, transmitting the Public Utilities Commission's Special Fund Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 76, transmitting the Department of Human Services' report on the progress that the Department has made in complying with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Gov. Msg. No. 77, transmitting the Department of Human Services' current and projected numbers regarding the clients in Nursing Home Without Walls and Residential Alternatives Community Care Programs.

Gov. Msg. No. 78, transmitting the Department of Human Services' final report and recommendations regarding Act 273, SLH 2001, a new part added to Chapter 346 for the regulation of community care foster family homes.

Gov. Msg. No. 79, transmitting the 2002 Annual Report on Home Property Liens as prepared by the Department of Human Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 80, transmitting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' Annual Compliance Resolution Fund Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 81, transmitting the report entitled, "Actuarial Analysis of the Utilization and Rate Impacts of Reinstating Naturopathy Among the Personal Injury Protection Benefits in Motor Vehicle Insurance", called for by H.C.R. No. 131, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 82, transmitting the Report of the Insurance Commissioner of Hawaii 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 83, transmitting the 2003 Annual Report of the Medical Claims Conciliation Panel and the Design Professional Conciliation Panel.

Gov. Msg. No. 84, transmitting the Annual External Review Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 85, transmitting the report, "Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism, 2003 Goals and Objectives".

Gov. Msg. No. 86, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's response to Act 177, Section 4, Subsection 25, Session Laws of Hawaii 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 87, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's response to Act 177, Section 4, Subsection 26, Session Laws of Hawaii 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 88, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's response to Section 353C-7, Hawaii Revised Statues.

Gov. Msg. No. 89, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's response to House Concurrent Resolution No. 62, Twenty–First Legislature 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 90, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's response to Act 259, Section 64, Session Laws of Hawaii 2001.

Gov. Msg. No. 91, transmitting the "Report to the Legislature on SCR 12, SD 1, 2002".

Gov. Msg. No. 92, transmitting the report of the Hawaii Real Estate Commission 2002 Progress Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 93, transmitting the report prepared by the Department of Education on the Validation Study of Educational Officers.

Gov. Msg. No. 94, transmitting the report prepared by the Department of Education on the DOE's Progress of Meeting the Requirements of the Felix Response Plan.

Gov. Msg. No. 95, transmitting the report prepared by the Department of Education on the Annual Report on Federal Grant Search, Development, and Application Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 96, transmitting the report prepared by the Department of Education in response to HCR No. 151, HD1, SD 1, Urging the State Departments of Health, Agriculture, and Education to Promote Healthy Eating and Further Urge the Department of Education to Consider Offering Fruit Juices, Milk, and Bottled Water in Softdrink Vending Machines on Public School Campuses.

Gov. Msg. No. 97, transmitting the report on Mandatory Expulsion Policy for Possession of a Firearm.

Gov. Msg. No. 98, transmitting the report on Educational Assessment and Accountability Annual Reports.

Gov. Msg. No. 99, transmitting the report Requesting Expedited Budgeting, Financing, and Construction of New School Facilities.

Gov. Msg. No. 100, transmitting the report on DOE's Progress on Meeting the Requirements of the Felix Response Plan.

Gov. Msg. No. 101, transmitting the Annual Report on Carryover of Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 102, transmitting the report on School-Level Minor Repairs and Maintenance Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 103, transmitting the report Requesting the Department of Education to Develop a Plan to Advance the Cutoff Date for Kindergarten to June 30 Beginning with the 2005-2006 School Year.

Gov. Msg. No. 104, transmitting the report Requesting that the Department of Education and the University of Hawaii Community Colleges Initiate a Collaborative Partnership to Improve Services for Adults and Expand Opportunities for High School Students That Will Result in Substantive Outcomes for the Two Entities.

Gov. Msg. No. 105, transmitting the Annual Report on Incentive and Innovation Grant Trust Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 106, transmitting the Annual Report on School Priority Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 107, transmitting the Annual Report on the Teacher Education Coordinating Committee.

Gov. Msg. No. 108, transmitting the report on Personnel Expenditures for CIP.

Gov. Msg. No. 109, transmitting the report on Government Privatization.

Gov. Msg. No. 110, transmitting the report on Classification/Compensation Appeals Board.

Gov. Msg. No. 111, transmitting the Annual Report on Federal and Trust Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 112, transmitting the report on School Rental Fees for Use of School Facilities.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 1) was received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 1, transmitting Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE HAWAII SUPREME COURT TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION FOR THE STATE OF THE JUDICIARY ADDRESS," which was adopted by the Senate on January 15, 2003.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fox and carried, S.C.R. No. 1 was adopted, with Representatives Evans and Souki being excused.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 1 through 28) were received by the Clerk were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 1, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Audit of the Department of Education's Comprehensive Student Support System.

Dept. Com. No. 2, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Financial Audit of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands.

Dept. Com. No. 3, from Sharlene Hara, Acting Recruitment Branch Chief, State Recruiting Office/Workforce Planning Division, transmitting New Distribution Procedures for Recruitment Information.

Dept. Com. No. 4, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, transmitting their 2001 Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 5, from the Department of the Attorney General, transmitting their report, Crime in Hawaii, 2001: A Review of Uniform Crime Reports.

Dept. Com. No. 6, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their reports, Contract and Personnel Management Audit of the Emergency Medical Services and Injury Prevention System Branch (Report No. 02-14), and Report on the Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Department of Human Resources Development, Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of Public Safety, and Department of Taxation (Report No. 02-15).

Dept. Com. No. 7, from the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, transmitting their report, 1997 Occupational Injuries and Illnesses Survey.

Dept. Com. No. 8, from Mary Alice Evans, State Comptroller, transmitting information on Tort Claims Closed-First Quarter FY 2002-2003.

Dept. Com. No. 9, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Audit of the Department of Education's Adult Education Program.

Dept. Com. No. 10, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Sunset Evaluation: Occupational Therapy Practice.

Dept. Com. No. 11, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Study of Printing Products and Services Utilized, Contracted, and Subcontracted by Hawaii State Government.

Dept. Com. No. 12, from the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, transmitting their 2001 Employment and Payrolls in Hawaii.

Dept. Com. No. 13, from Stanley Shiraki, Director of Finance, transmitting their Statement of Total Outstanding Indebtedness; and their Statement of the Debt Limit.

Dept. Com. No. 14, from Bruce S. Anderson, M.P.H., Ph.D., transmitting their report Public Health in Hawaii, Progress, Trends and Emerging Needs.

Dept. Com. No. 15, from Seiji F. Naya, Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism, transmitting their Hawaii Buy-Recycled Guide.

Dept. Com. No. 16, from James J. Nakatani, Chairperson, Board of Agriculture, transmitting their Annual Report as required by Act 100, Session Laws of Hawaii 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 17, from James J. Nakatani, Chairperson, Board of Agriculture, transmitting their Report on Administratively Established Appropriations as required by Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2002.

Dept. Com. No. 18, from Craig K. Hirai, Chair, Tax Review Commission, transmitting their Report of the 2001-2003 Tax Review Commission.

Dept. Com. No. 19, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Management and Performance Audit of the Employees' Retirement System.

Dept. Com. No. 20, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report Review of Privatization Contracts for Certain State and County Agencies.

Dept. Com. No. 21, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Study To Determine the Appropriate State Agency To Oversee the Regulation of Adult Residential Care Homes and Adult Foster Homes.

Dept. Com. No. 22, from the Legislative Reference Bureau, transmitting their report, Private Sector Tourism Spending.

Dept. Com. No. 23, from Robin K. Matsunaga, Ombudsman, transmitting their Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 24, from the Hawaii Tourism Authority, transmitting their 2002 Annual Report to the Hawaii State Legislature.

Dept. Com. No. 25, from the Hawaii Tourism Authority, transmitting their Report on the Overall Strategy, Policy, and Plan to Award Tourism Product Enrichment and Diversification Grants.

Dept. Com. No. 26, from Sandra L. Kunimoto, Acting Director, Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, transmitting their report, General Social and Economic Characteristics for the State of Hawaii, by Islands and Census Tracts: 2000.

Dept. Com. No. 27, from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, transmitting their 2002 Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 28, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Study of the Automated Child Support Enforcement System (KEIKI).

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following miscellaneous communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 1 and 2) were received by the Clerk were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 1, from Jay T. Kimura, Prosecuting Attorney, County of Hawaii, transmitting the executive summary of Hawaii County's Comprehensive Strategic Plan for Juvenile Justice.

Misc. Com. No. 2, from the Center for a Sustainable Future, transmitting their report, Requesting A Preliminary Assessment Of Energy Sustainability in Hawaii.

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Takamine introduced Ms. Cheryl Lee Duvauchelle, Deputy Director, and Ms. Lolita Urrutia, Office Manager of the Council on State Governments – West Office.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1 through 75) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Evans and Souki were excused.)

H. B. Nos.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Luke, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Tamayo.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Luke, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Marumoto, Thielen, Nishimoto, Leong and Tamayo. 4 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Thielen, Nishimoto, Leong, Tamayo and Ching.

5 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan and Tamayo.

6 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT MONEYS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Nishimoto, Leong and Tamayo.

7 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen and Morita.

8 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN STATE FACILITIES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Morita, Bukoski, Kaho'ohalahala and Waters.

9 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Morita, Bukoski, Kaho'ohalahala and Waters.

10 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Hiraki, Morita, Waters, Bukoski, Kaho' ohalahala.

11 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

12 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

13 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG COST CONTROL."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Takumi, Hiraki and Arakaki.

14 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Hiraki and Chang. 15 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE FIFTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

16 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII WING, CIVIL AIR PATROL."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

17 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAGER AND CELLULAR PHONE SPAM."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Hiraki and Hamakawa.

18 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFIT MANAGEMENT COMPANIES."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

19 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG COST CONTAINMENT AND AFFORDABLE ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

20 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECIPROCAL BENEFICIARIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, B. Oshiro, Morita, Hamakawa and Takamine.

- 21 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATE DISCLOSURE."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Takamine, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro and Schatz.
- 22 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Hiraki.

23 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNION ORGANIZING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, B. Oshiro, Takamine, and M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Hiraki and Hamakawa.

25 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE BENEFITS INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, M. Oshiro, Luke, B. Oshiro and Takamine.

26 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SICK LEAVE."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

- 27 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 41 HAWAII LIVING WAGE LAW." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 28 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 42 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representatives Takumi. B. Oshiro and Takamine. 43 29 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEAL BREAKS " Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 44 30 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representatives Takumi. B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro and Takamine. 45 31 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB-SHARING FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 46 32 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 47 33 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 48 34 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 49 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 35 EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 50 36 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Takumi. 37 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 51 HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY." Introduced by: Representative Chang. 38 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM." 52 Introduced by: Representative Chang. 39 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM." 53 Introduced by: Representative Chang. 40 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."
 - Introduced by: Representative Chang.

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURE AND THE ARTS."

Introduced by: Representative Chang.

42 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFAIR AND DECEPTIVE PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

43 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

44 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCRIMINATION IN REAL PROPERTY."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

45 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY REGIMES."

Introduced by: Representative Moses.

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

Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

7 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

48 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEASING OF SUBMERGED LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

49 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

52 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Hamakawa.

53 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S MARITIME RELATED USES."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Kanoho.

54 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS.' Introduced by: Representative Souki. 55 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE IN-BOND CONCESSION AT STATE AIRPORTS." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 56 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 57 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 58 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES." Introduced by: Representative Souki. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 59 CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING." Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 60 IMPACT FEES." Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request. 61 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION." Introduced by: Representative Souki. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 62 TRANSPORTATION. Introduced by: Representative Souki. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 63 TRANSPORTATION." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 64 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 65 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION." Introduced by: Representative Souki. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 66 HOUSING COMMUNITY AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.

67 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUEST MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Arakaki.

- 68 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DENTAL SERVICES."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.
- 69 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

70 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

71 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

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

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.

- 74 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Thielen and Chang.
- 75 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

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

H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Luke, Saiki and Fox.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fox and carried, H.C.R. No. 2 was adopted with Representatives Evans and Souki being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO IMPLEMENT A PILOT PROJECT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGH PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen, Takumi, B. Oshiro, Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Marumoto, Shimabukuro and Leong.

H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO IMPLEMENT A PILOT PROJECT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGH PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen, Takumi, B. Oshiro, Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Ching, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Leong.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Hamakawa: "Mr. Speaker, I would like to announce that we have a birthday boy today. Representative Blake Oshiro. He made "twenty-one" today."

Representative Shimabukuro: "I would like to announce that we have another birthday boy. Representative Michael Kahikina who made "eighteen.""

Representative Kanoho: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On behalf of the members of your Hawaiian Caucus, the trustees of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, and the entire Hawaiian community, I would like to thank you very much for that announcement yesterday indicating that this House and the Legislature will honor its responsibility toward the Hawaiian people in the payment of that \$10.3 million. It's an allencompassing decision which reflects your commitment and the commitment of the Legislature to fulfill its obligation to the Hawaiian people. We very much appreciate that because it provides a solid platform from which to proceed with developing a formal and appropriate long-term settlement, also toward providing federal recognition to the Hawaiian people in their effort toward self-governance. And we thank you very, very much, Mr. Speaker. Mahalo."

Representative Thielen: "Mr. Speaker, I would just like to announce that the Women's Caucus bills are available for all members to sign in Representative Marilyn Lee's office which is Room 421. We really encourage you to come by and look at them and add your signatures. The deadline for going to her office to sign them is 3:00."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I think many of us here in the legislature have lost a good friend, as well the Hawaiian community who has lost a great advisor, in Gladys Kamakakuokalani Brandt. And I would request a moment of silence when appropriate. Mr. Speaker, if I could just give some brief remarks in her memory.

"Mr. Speaker and colleagues, Aloha keia au ina la ka kou. Mr. Speaker yesterday, Hawaii lost one of its greatest and most gracious leaders. Mrs. Gladys Kamakakuokalani 'Ainoa Brandt peacefully slipped into the protective arms of the angels. For many years she held us in her protecting embrace. In a remarkable, and likely never to be equaled career, she influenced the life and lives of our community for more than sixty years. Up until her death at 96 years of age she remained active, forceful, and an undeniable source of community transformation.

"Transformation is not simply change. Transformation is that fundamental shift in collective understanding and action that distinguishes learning from education, justice from law, and makes people aspire to greatness and not just a good life.

"We will continue to know her power and its influence in the work of the teachers she trained, the doctors she encouraged, in her work with the Hawaii Cancer Center, and at the Waldorf School, at the Kamehameha Schools and in the Center For Hawaiian Studies. But we will miss her essence and spirit if we don't also remember her beauty, charm, and sense of mischief. She delighted in bringing and sharing laughter. We will all miss her. Thank you very much."

At this time the Members of the House of Representatives rose for a moment of silence in memory of Gladys Kamakakuokalani Ainoa Brandt.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:17 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, January 17, 2003. (Representatives Evans and Souki were excused.)

THIRD DAY

Friday, January 17, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:09 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Wako Puanani Burgess of the Daihonzan Chozen-ji/International Zen Dojo, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Halford, Kahikina, Ontai, Takai and Waters, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 113 through 124) were received and announced by the Clerk were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 113, transmitting the State of Hawaii Program Structure for FB 2003-05.

Gov. Msg. No. 114, transmitting the 2002 Annual Report prepared by the High Technology Development Corporation.

Gov. Msg. No. 115, transmitting the reporting requirements of Act 259, SLH 2001, the General Appropriations Act of 2001, as amended by Act 3, 3rd SpSLH 2001, Relating to Capital Improvement Projects, and Act 177, SLH 2002, the Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 116, transmitting the Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 117, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report to the Legislature.

Gov. Msg. No. 118, transmitting the "Summary of University of Hawaii Special, Revolving, and Trust Funds for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2002."

Gov. Msg. No. 119, transmitting the State of Hawaii Program Memoranda.

Gov. Msg. No. 120, transmitting the report "Relating to Government Operations."

Gov. Msg. No. 121, transmitting the report "Relating to Special Maintenance Projects."

Gov. Msg. No. 122, transmitting the report "Relating to Project-Funded Staff Services Budget."

Gov. Msg. No. 123, transmitting the report "Relating to Security at Hawaii Airports."

Gov. Msg. No. 124, transmitting the report "Relating to the Use of Motorized Devices on Sidewalks, Highways, and Public Areas."

SENATE COMMUNICATION

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

Sen. Com. No. 2, returning H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2003," which was adopted by the Senate on January 16, 2003.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION (FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 7) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING CASTLE HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM AND COACH NELSON MAEDA ON THEIR EXCITING TRIUMPH IN WINNING THE 2002 OAHU INTERSCHOLASTIC ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP," was jointly offered by Representatives Ito, Pendleton and Meyer.

Representative Ito moved that H.R. No. 7 be adopted, seconded by Representative Pendleton.

Representative Ito introduced Ms. Meredith Maeda, Principal and Mr. Richard Haru, Athletic Director of Castle High School, who were seated in the gallery.

Representative Ito also recognized the members of the Castle High School Varsity Football team and their coaches seated in the gallery.

Representative Pendleton then introduced the following honorees who were seated on the floor of the House:

Mr. Nelson Maeda, Head Coach and Chief Motivator of the Castle Knights;

Mr. Jacob Ramos, Quarterback/Defensive Back and Team Captain;

Mr. Jonah Navarro, Offensive/Defensive Lineman and Team Captain;

Mr. Kawika Sebay, Running Back/Linebacker and Team Captain; and

Mr. Aaron Sasaki, for Mr. Soli Lefiti, Wide Receiver/Defensive Lineman.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried and "HOUSE RESOLUTION H.R. No. 7. entitled: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING CASTLE HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM AND COACH NELSON MAEDA ON THEIR EXCITING TRIUMPH IN WINNING THE 2002 OAHU INTERSCHOLASTIC ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP," was adopted with Representatives Chang, Halford, Herkes, Kahikina, Nakasone, Ontai, Takai and Waters being excused.

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 12:29 o'clock p.m.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

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

Sen. Com. No. 3, returning H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE "LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," which was adopted by the Senate on January 17, 2003.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 76 through 143) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Chang, Halford, Herkes, Kahikina, Nakasone, Souki, Takai and Waters were excused.)

H. B. Nos.

76	"A BILL FOR AN A HOUSING A DEVELOPMENT HAWAII."		MUNITY
	Introduced by: and Arakaki.	Representatives	Kahikina
77	"A BILL FOR AN A HOUSING A DEVELOPMENT HAWAII."		MUNITY
	Introduced by: and Arakaki.	Representatives	Kahikina
78	"A BILL FOR AN A HOUSING A DEVELOPMENT HAWAII."		MUNITY
	Introduced by: and Arakaki.	Representatives	Kahikina
79	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."		TO THE
	Introduced by: and Abinsay.	Representatives	Kanoho
80	"A BILL FOR AN AG LAND REVENUES."		CEDED
	Introduced by: and Waters.	Representatives	Kanoho
81	"A BILL FOR AN A PRIMARY AND GE THE OFFICE OF HA	ENERAL ELECTI	ONS OF
	Introduced by: Morita, Bukoski and V	Representatives Vaters.	Kanoho,

82 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS COMMISSION ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Kahikina, Morita, Bukoski and Waters.

83 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAND EXCHANGE BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE ALOHA COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Bukoski and Thielen.

84 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Thielen, B. Oshiro, and M. Oshiro.

85 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Thielen, B. Oshiro, and M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

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

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

88 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

89 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

90 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

91 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

93 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONTINUING EDUCATION OF DESIGN PROFESSIONALS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

- 94 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request. 95 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 96 PUBLIC UTILITIES." Introduced by: Representative Hiraki. 97 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII." Introduced by: Representative Herkes. 98 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY DISASTER RELIEF." Introduced by: Representative Herkes. 99 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED COFFEE." Introduced by: Representative Herkes. 100 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS." Introduced by: Representative Herkes. 101 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE." Representative Herkes. Introduced by: 102 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION DIRECTING THE LEGISLATURE ТО REFRAIN FROM ENACTING LAWS THAT AFFECT CONSUMERS UNLESS THE LAW IS BENEFICIAL TO CONSUMERS." Introduced by: Representative Herkes. 103 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER ACTIONS." Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 104 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST RESERVES."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 105 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BAIL." 106

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

107 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

108 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

109 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VICTIMS' HAWAII UNEMPLOYMENT **BENEFITS ACT."**

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

110 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII VICTIMS LEAVE ACT."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

111 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STALKING."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

112 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 113 ORDERS FOR PROTECTION."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 114 HAWAII WORKSITE TEMPORARY **RESTRAINING ORDER ACT."**

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

115 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES."

> Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

- 116 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
 - Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- 117 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

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118 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

119 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

120 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY HEALTH COVERAGE FOR EXAMINATION FOR SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Mindo, Shimabukuro, Ching, Hale, Meyer, Thielen, Morita, Leong, Karamatsu, Sonson, Abinsay, Kawakami and Schatz.

121 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OSTEOPOROSIS."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Arakaki, Mindo, Ching, Lee, Leong, Pendleton, Hale, Abinsay, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Karamatsu and Kawakami.

122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESUMPTIVE MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY FOR PREGNANT WOMEN."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Luke, Morita, Pendleton, Finnegan, Ching, Hale, Caldwell, Sonson, Abinsay, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Meyer, M. Oshiro, Magaoay, Kanoho, Lee, Mindo, Kawakami, Leong and Schatz.

123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Morita, Hale, Caldwell, Sonson, Kawakami, Schatz, Takai, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Lee, Kanoho, Luke and Kahikina.

124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SICK LEAVE FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Arakaki, Mindo, Shimabukuro, Karamatsu, Finnegan, Lee, Pendleton, Hale, Abinsay, Ching, Luke, Morita, Leong, Sonson and Kawakami.

125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SICK LEAVE FOR EMPLOYEES IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR."

> Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Pendleton, Arakaki, Luke, Finnegan, Hale, Abinsay, Lee, Leong, Morita, Karamatsu, Ching, Sonson, Shimabukuro, Meyer and Kawakami.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Luke, Arakaki, Mindo, Shimabukuro, Finnegan, Hale, Sonson, Morita, Leong, Lee, Pendleton, Ching, Meyer, Kawakami and Schatz. 127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Kawakami, Lee, Thielen, Mindo, Luke, Morita, Leong, Hale, Kahikina, Abinsay, Meyer and Sonson.

128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY BENEFITS TO CARE FOR FAMILY MEMBERS WITH A SERIOUS HEALTH CONDITION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Arakaki, Mindo, Luke, Morita, Leong, Shimabukuro, Pendleton, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Karamatsu, Ching, Sonson, Abinsay and Meyer.

129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRIDGE TO HOPE."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Pendleton, Ching, Hale, Arakaki, Thielen, Luke, Morita, Leong, Shimabukuro, Finnegan, Kahikina, Abinsay, Kawakami, Schatz, Sonson, Magaoay and Kanoho.

130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENSION AND RETIREMENT SYSTEMS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Mindo, Luke, Leong, Shimabukuro, Karamatsu, Hale, Kawakami, Morita, Thielen, Ching, Kanoho, Magaoay and Sonson.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Kahikina, Arakaki, Mindo, Luke, Leong, Shimabukuro, Ching, Lee, Kawakami, Hale, Abinsay, Pendleton, Kanoho, Thielen, Marumoto, Morita, Jernigan, Finnegan and Magaoay.

132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES AND EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."

> Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Shimabukuro, Karamatsu, Hale, Caldwell, Abinsay, Meyer, Morita, Lee, Kahikina, Sonson, Kawakami, Magaoay, Mindo, Leong and Kanoho.

133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Árakaki, Thielen, Mindo, Morita, Leong, Shimabukuro, Jernigan, Finnegan, Hale, Abinsay, Kahikina, Sonson and Kawakami.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Sonson, Arakaki, Mindo, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Pendleton, Finnegan, Kahikina, Kawakami, Thielen, Luke, Morita, Leong, Karamatsu, Ching, Hale, Caldwell, Abinsay, Magaoay and Kanoho. 135 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL MATCHMAKING ORGANIZATIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Sonson, Arakaki, Luke, Morita, Leong, Karamatsu, Abinsay, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Kawakami, Marumoto, Finnegan, Kahikina, Hale and Pendleton.

136 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICALLY ACCURATE SEX EDUCATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Morita, Leong, Karamatsu, Hale, Caldwell, Abinsay, Meyer, Sonson, Thielen, Luke, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Kahikina, Kawakami and Kanoho.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

138 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

- 141 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURERS."
 - Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request.
- 142 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL NUMBER PLATES."

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 4) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO STUDY THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL IMPACT OF MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR EXAMINATION FOR SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Thielen, Hale, Kahikina, Abinsay, Meyer, Kawakami, Arakaki, Mindo, Luke, Marumoto, Morita, Leong, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Kanoho, Pendleton, Finnegan and Ching.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Meyer: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I just wanted everyone in the Chamber to know that the Small Business Caucus will have bills in room 423 for signing between 3:00 and 4:15. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:31 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, January 21, 2003. (Representatives Chang, Halford, Herkes, Kahikina, Nakasone, Souki, Takai and Waters were excused.)

FOURTH DAY

Tuesday, January 21, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 9:36 o'clock a.m., with the Vice-Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Dr. Steven C. Wygle of the Lanakila Baptist Church and Schools of Waipahu, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Kahikina and Takai, 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. 125 through 134) were received and announced by the Clerk were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 125, transmitting the Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii's Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 126, transmitting a copy of "A Comprehensive Six-Year Plan for Repair and Maintenance" for public schools statewide.

Gov. Msg. No. 127, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services Annual Report as of November 28, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 128, transmitting the Report on Operations of the Filing Office for Financing Statements Under the Uniform Commercial Code, Secured Transactions (Revised Article 9).

Gov. Msg. No. 129, transmitting the Department of Taxation's annual report on payments to the State by Electronic Funds Transfer.

Gov. Msg. No. 130, transmitting the Department of Taxation's annual report providing a progress and expenditure report on the redesign of the integrated tax information management systems.

Gov. Msg. No. 131, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' project-funded staff services budget report for July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.

Gov. Msg. No. 132, transmitting the Pesticide Use Revolving Fund Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 133, transmitting the Department of Agriculture's Progress Report on State Irrigation Program's Self-Sufficiency for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 134, transmitting copies of Legislative Proposal BUF-13(03), Relating to the State Budget for introduction which the Governor states, "... was drafted to conform with the requirements of Section 8, Article 7 of the Hawaii State Constitution. Biennium appropriation recommendations contained in this measure are based upon the proposed budget that was submitted by the previous governor and, therefore, does not necessarily reflect my funding priorities. I will be submitting proposed changes to this version of the Executive Budget during the course of the session."

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Pendleton introduced Pastor Robert Lloyd of the Kailua Seventh Day Adventist Church; Mr. Bob Walker, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Castle Medical Center; and Mr. Roy Gaton, Chaplain at the Castle Medical Center.

Representative M. Oshiro introduced Ms. Corina Eckl, Hawaii's Legislative Liaison with the National Conference of State Legislatures.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B. Nos. Referred to:

1 Committee on Finance

- 2 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 3 Committee on Judiciary
- 4 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 5 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 6 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 7 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 8 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 9 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 10 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 11 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 12 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 13 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

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- 14 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 15 Committee on Finance
- 16 Committee on Finance
- 17 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 18 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 19 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 20 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 21 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 22 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 23 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 24 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 25 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 26 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 27 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 28 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 29 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 30 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 31 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 32 Committee on Education
- 33 Committee on Education
- 34 Committee on Education
- 35 Committee on Education
- 36 Committee on Education
- 37 Committee on Tourism and Culture

- 38 Committee on Tourism and Culture
- 39 Committee on Tourism and Culture
- 40 Committee on Tourism and Culture
- 41 Committee on Tourism and Culture
- 42 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 43 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 44 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 45 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 46 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 47 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 48 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 49 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 50 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 51 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 52 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 53 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 54 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 55 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 56 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 57 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 58 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 59 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 60 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

- 61 Committee on Transportation
- 62 Committee on Transportation
- 63 Committee on Transportation
- 64 Committee on Transportation
- 65 Committee on Transportation
- 66 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 67 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 68 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 69 Committee on Human Services and Housing
- 70 Committee on Human Services and Housing
- 71 Committee on Human Services and Housing
- 72 Committee on Human Services and Housing
- 73 Committee on Finance
- 74 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 75 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 76 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 77 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 78 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 79 Committee on Judiciary
- 80 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 81 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 82 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 83 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 84 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

- 85 Jointly to Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 86 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 87 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 88 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 89 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs
- 90 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 91 Committee on Finance
- 92 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 93 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 94 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 95 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 96 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 97 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 98 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 99 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 100 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 101 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 102 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 103 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 104 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

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- 105 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 106 Committee on Judiciary
- 107 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 108 Committee on Judiciary
- 109 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 110 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 111 Committee on Judiciary
- 112 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 113 Committee on Judiciary
- 114 Committee on Judiciary
- 115 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 116 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 117 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 118 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 119 Committee on Labor and Public Employment
- 120 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 121 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 122 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 123 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 124 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 125 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 126 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 127 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 128 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

- 129 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 130 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 131 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 132 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 133 Committee on Judiciary
- 134 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 135 Committee on Judiciary
- 136 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 137 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 138 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 139 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 140 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 141 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 142 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 143 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

The following resolutions and concurrent resolutions were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R. Nos. Referred to:

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Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

H.C.R. Nos. Ref

Committee on Education then

- Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 4 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Referred to:

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 144 through 371) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Kahikina and Takai were excused.)

H. B. Nos.

144 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE "ROADS IN LIMBO" PROGRAM IN HAWAII COUNTY."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

- 145 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."
- Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 146 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

147 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, Kaho'ohalahala and Kahikina.

148 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DANGEROUS DOGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Ito, Mindo, Nakasone, Souki and Blundell.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Mindo, Ito, Souki, Kawakami, M. Oshiro and Nakasone.

150 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kanoho, Chang, Mindo, Ito, Luke, Lee, Nakasone, Karamatsu and Souki.

151 "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: Representatives Magaoay, Mindo, Moses, Tamayo, Herkes, Chang, Schatz, Karamatsu, Abinsay, Sonson and Nakasone.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Karamatsu, Mindo, Abinsay, Nakasone and Souki.

153 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Blundell, Stonebraker, Halford, Tamayo, Finnegan, Meyer, Leong and Thielen. 154 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Schatz, Chang, Karamatsu, Halford, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Tamayo, Magaoay, Say, Herkes and Wakai.

155 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PINEAPPLE RESEARCH."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Karamatsu, Halford, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Tamayo, Chang, Schatz, Wakai, Sonson, Magaoay, Say and Herkes.

156 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII FORESTRY AND COMMUNITY INITIATIVE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Halford, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Tamayo, Schatz, Say, Herkes, Karamatsu, Wakai, Sonson and Magaoay.

157 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONTROL OF INVASIVE SPECIES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Karamatsu, Wakai, Halford, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Tamayo, Magaoay, Schatz, Chang, Sonson, Say and Herkes.

158 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONTROL OF AXIS DEER IN MAUI COUNTY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Karamatsu, Halford, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Magaoay, Say and Herkes.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Tamayo, Chang, Karamatsu, Herkes, Halford, B. Oshiro, Magaoay, Schatz, Say, Wakai and Sonson.

160 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE'S FORESTRY PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Halford, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Tamayo, Magaoay, Schatz, Say, Herkes, Karamatsu, Wakai and Sonson.

161 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EAST KAUAI IRRIGATION SYSTEM."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Morita, Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Magaoay, Schatz, Say, Herkes, Karamatsu, Wakai, Halford, Marumoto, Sonson and Tamayo.

162 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

163 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

164 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

165 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Wakai, Thielen, Takai and Morita.

166 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-LEVEL MINOR REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE ACCOUNTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Thielen, Nishimoto, Kahikina, B. Oshiro, Takai, Morita and M. Oshiro.

167 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Nishimoto, Kahikina, M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Thielen, Wakai, B. Oshiro, Takai and Morita.

168 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING SCHOLARSHIPS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Abinsay, Thielen, Takai and Morita.

169 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY CAREGIVERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Morita and Blundell.

170 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Morita, Wakai, Thielen and Takai.

171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE VIOLATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Thielen, Nishimoto, Kahikina, Takai and Morita.

172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HURRICANE SHELTERS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, Nishimoto, Takai, Thielen and Morita.

173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER LEAVE."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Pendleton, Thielen, Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Morita and Wakai.

174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR NURSING FACULTY POSITIONS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA AND HILO."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Takai, Thielen, Kawakami, Caldwell, Arakaki, Nishimoto, Kahikina and Morita.

175 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL SAFETY RESOURCE OFFICERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Wakai, M. Oshiro, Thielen, Takai, Ontai, B. Oshiro and Morita.

176 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEED AND SEED PROGRAM."

> Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki, Saiki, Arakaki, Ching and Abinsay.

177 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRINKING WATER."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita, Thielen, Kaho`ohalahala and Stonebraker.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Kahikina.

179 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF LAND IN NORTH KONA."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Kahikina.

180 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORED VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Magaoay.

181 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPRODUCTIVE PRIVACY."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

182 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROWN TREE SNAKES."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho`ohalahala and Evans.

183 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSPECTION AND QUARANTINE."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

184 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Thielen, Bukoski, Kaho'ohalahala and Lee.

185 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MAIL."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Kanoho, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans and Lee.

186 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PROJECTS ON THE ISLANDS OF MAUI AND HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, by request, and Kanoho.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans and Lee.

188 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans and Lee.

189. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTIVES FOR SEX ASSAULT SURVIVORS IN EMERGENCY ROOMS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Lee, Waters, Ching, Hale, B. Oshiro, Meyer and Tamayo.

190 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROL OR ERADICATION OF PESTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Thielen, Kaho`ohalahala, Waters, Lee and Evans.

191 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL ROYALTIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans and Lee.

192 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Bukoski, Kanoho, Evans, Waters and Lee.

193 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Thielen, Bukoski, Kaho`ohalahala, Evans, Waters and Lee.

194 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATERSHEDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Bukoski, Evans, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho and Lee.

195 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN POWER."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Kanoho, Thielen, Kaho`ohalahala, Lee and Evans.

196 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GEOTHERMAL-TO-HYDROGEN TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Waters and Lee.

197 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Bukoski, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans and Lee.

198 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISLAND OF KAHOOLAWE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Kanoho, Thielen and Evans.

199 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS TO INCARCERATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

200 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

201 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Morita, Kanoho and M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Kanoho.

203 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF JURISDICTION OVER HIGHWAYS TO THE COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

204 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

205 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

206 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

207 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR MAUL."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala and Bukoski.

208 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMPLETING FENCE ENCLOSURES AROUND LANA`I'S WATERSHED."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Morita and Kanoho.

209 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPENSATION FOR APPOINTED COUNSEL."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.

213 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPALS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.

214 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RELAY SERVICES FOR DEAF, HARD-OF-HEARING, AND SPEECH-IMPAIRED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz, by request.

215 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, B. Oshiro, Morita, Waters, Schatz, Ito, Tamayo, Herkes, Abinsay and Sonson.

216 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMA SCENE AND INFECTIOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Herkes, Abinsay, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Sonson, Ito and Waters.

217 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LIABILITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, B. Oshiro, Herkes, Karamatsu, Schatz, Abinsay, Ito, Tamayo and Wakai.

218 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TERMINABLE RENTAL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE VEHICLE LEASES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, B. Oshiro, Ito, Herkes, Abinsay, Magaoay, Sonson and Waters.

219 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Hale, Herkes, Schatz, Abinsay, Sonson, Ito and Tamayo.

220 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Abinsay, Sonson and B. Oshiro.

221 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIKIKI BEACH RESTORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Hale, Schatz, Ito, Abinsay, Herkes, Tamayo and Sonson.

222 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Hale, B. Oshiro, Herkes, Ito, Abinsay, Tamayo, Sonson and Schatz. 223 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Abinsay, Tamayo, Sonson and B. Oshiro.

224 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED TAX CREDITS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Waters, Schatz, Sonson, Karamatsu and Tamayo.

225 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Hale, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Ito, Abinsay, Tamayo, Sonson and Schatz.

226 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESPITE CARE SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kaho`ohalahala, Kahikina, Thielen, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Leong and Abinsay.

227 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FAMILIES FOR RESOURCES FOR EARLY ACCESS TO LEARNING."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Shimabukuro, Kahikina, Leong, Abinsay and Magaoay.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Lee, Kaho`ohalahala, Magaoay, Finnegan and Abinsay.

229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO HIRE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES FOR EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR INFANTS AND TODDLERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala, Magaoay, Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Ching, Kahikina, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans and Leong.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong and Kaho`ohalahala. 232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOOD BEGINNINGS ALLIANCE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Lee, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Evans, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Magaoay and Jernigan.

233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CHILDREN'S JUSTICE CENTER."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Marumoto, Leong, Abinsay and Kaho'ohalahala.

234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE POISON CENTER."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong, Meyer, Abinsay, Magaoay, and Kaho`ohalahala.

235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TREATMENT SERVICES FOR CHILD VICTIMS OF INTRAFAMILIAL SEXUAL ABUSE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Leong, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Abinsay, Magaoay and Kaho'ohalahala.

236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PRE-SCHOOL FACILITIES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kahikina, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Finnegan and Kaho`ohalahala.

237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESOURCE MAXIMIZATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Meyer, Finnegan, Lee, Magaoay, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Abinsay.

238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TRANSITIONAL LIVING SERVICES FOR UNSERVED STREET YOUTH."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong, Meyer, Abinsay and Magaoay.

239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FAMILY CENTERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay. 240 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE BLUEPRINT FOR CHANGE PROJECT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Evans, Takai, Leong, Lee, Kahikina, Marumoto, Abinsay, Shimabukuro, Finnegan, Thielen, Ching and Magaoay.

241 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION RELATING TO ADOPTION OF CHILDREN UNDER THE CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Abinsay and Magaoay.

242 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FOSTER CHILDREN."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay.

243 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Shimabukuro and Kahikina.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay.

246 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PRIMARY HEALTH CARE FOR THE UNINSURED."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Magaoay and Abinsay.

248 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Evans, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay.

249 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION ON RESPONSIBLE FATHERHOOD."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

251 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE FOOD SECURITY COUNCIL."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

252 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Thielen, Kahikina, Takai and Morita.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Wakai, Thielen, Nishimoto, Kahikina, Takai, Pendleton and Morita.

254 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN AND YOUTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Takai, Thielen, Ching, Evans, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Magaoay, Marumoto, Leong and Finnegan.

255 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVER CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Finnegan, Meyer, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay and Kahikina.

256 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PARENT-COMMUNITY NETWORKING CENTER PROGRAMS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong, Finnegan and Kaho`ohalahala.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Takai, Magaoay, Abinsay and Kaho'ohalahala.

258 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND COUNTY TORT LIABILITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Marumoto, Thielen, Jernigan, Evans, Meyer, Leong, Ching, Abinsay, Magaoay, Finnegan and Kaho'ohalahala.

259 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH AND ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay and Kaho`ohalahala.

260 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Ching, Leong, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kahikina and Kaho'ohalahala.

261 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Shimabukuro, Marumoto, Thielen, Kahikina, Abinsay, Lee and Magaoay.

262 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Shimabukuro and Kahikina.

263 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

264 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kaho'ohalahala, Meyer, Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

265 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PRESCHOOL OPEN DOORS PROGRAM."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Ching, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

266 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan, Lee, Abinsay and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Meyer, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay. 268 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Lee, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Thielen, Leong, Jernigan and Finnegan.

269 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

270 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE SERVICES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Abinsay, Magaoay and Kahikina.

271 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE NEEDS AND RIGHTS OF CHILDREN."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Leong, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Evans, Abinsay and Magaoay.

272 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHIATRIC DRUGS FOR CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Finnegan, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Kaho`ohalahala, Abinsay and Magaoay.

273 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHIATRIC DRUGS FOR CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay.

274 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHIATRIC DRUGS FOR CHILDREN."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay and Magaoay.

275 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIAGNOSIS OF INATTENTION AND HYPERACTIVITY IN STUDENTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Abinsay and Magaoay.

276 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Magaoay, Shimabukuro and Kahikina.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Thielen, Finnegan, Ching, Takai, Leong and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Evans, B. Oshiro, Takai, Shimabukuro, Leong, Finnegan, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Thielen, Arakaki, Kahikina, Ching, Lee, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay.

280 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ENDANGERMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Thielen, B. Oshiro, Takai and Morita.

281 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, B. Oshiro, Chang, Takumi, Arakaki, Herkes, Karamatsu, Schatz, Wakai, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Abinsay, Morita, Hamakawa, Waters, Kawakami, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Souki, Hale, M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Kanoho, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Magaoay, Evans, Ito, Kahikina, Sonson and Nakasone.

282 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Herkes, Hale, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Kanoho, Hiraki, Nishimoto, Kaho`ohalahala, Evans, Waters, Ito, Sonson, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Wakai, Tamayo, Magaoay, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Kahikina, Nakasone, Kawakami, B. Oshiro and Morita.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Luke, Kawakami, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Herkes, Hale, Karamatsu, Schatz, Kanoho, Hiraki, Nishimoto, Kaho`ohalahala, Lee, Morita, Souki, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Wakai, Magaoay, Tamayo, Abinsay, Evans, Hamakawa, Nakasone, Waters, Ito, Kahikina, Sonson and B. Oshiro. 284 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Luke, Lee, Takumi, Arakaki, Takmine, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Schatz, Kanoho, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Hamakawa, Shimabukuro, Souki, Herkes, Hale, Caldwell, Wakai, Magaoay, Abinsay, Morita, Evans, Kawakami, Waters, Ito, Kahikina, Sonson, Nakasone, Tamayo and B. Oshiro.

285 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Hale, Schatz, Luke, Lee, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Takamine, Souki, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Kanoho, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Nakasone, Caldwell, Wakai, Magaoay, Abinsay, Evans, Ito, Kahikina and Kawakami.

286 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARDS OF CONDUCT."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Takamine, M. Oshiro, Kanoho, Tamayo, Luke, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Herkes, Hale, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Wakai, Nishimoto, Abinsay, Evans, Hamakawa, Waters, Ito, Sonson, Nakasone, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Morita, Kahikina, Kawakami, B. Oshiro and Schatz.

287 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Herkes, Hale, B. Oshiro, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Souki, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Kaho`ohalahala, Morita, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Nakasone, Karamatsu, Kanoho, Tamayo, Magaoay, Abinsay, Evans, Ito, Kahikina and Kawakami.

288 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION INITIATIVES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, B. Oshiro, Chang, Luke, Lee, Takumi, Arakaki, Takamine, Herkes, Schatz, Kanoho, Hiraki, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Kaho`ohalahala, Hamakawa, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, Hale, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Wakai, Magaoay, Abinsay, Evans, Morita, Waters, Ito, Kahikina, Sonson, Nakasone and Kawakami.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Takamine, Shimabukuro, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Luke, Lee, Souki, Arakaki, Herkes, Hale, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Kanoho, Hiraki, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Nakasone, Caldwell, Wakai, Magaoay, Abinsay, Evans, Morita, Ito, Kahikina and Kawakami. 290 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Arakaki, Herkes, Karamatsu, Schatz, Luke, Takamine, Shimabukuro, Souki, Hale, M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Hiraki, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Nakasone, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Magaoay, Morita, Evans, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami, B. Oshiro and Lee.

291 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOB CREATION INCOME TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Takamine, Hale, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Souki, Arakaki, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Kanoho, Hiraki, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Kaho`ohalahala, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Kawakami, Caldwell, Wakai, Magaoay, Abinsay, Evans, Morita, Ito, Kahikina and Nakasone.

292 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHOOL PRIORITY FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Takamine, Hale, Karamatsu, Schatz, Hiraki, Tamayo, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Souki, Arakaki, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Kanoho, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Morita, Waters, Sonson, Nakasone, Magaoay, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Ito, Kahikina and Kawakami.

293 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FARMERS' MARKET."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, B. Oshiro, Chang, Takumi, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Arakaki, Hale, Karamatsu, Schatz, Hiraki, Tamayo, Kaho`ohalahala, Evans, Hamakawa, Waters, Souki, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Kanoho, Nishimoto, Magaoay, Abinsay, Morita, Ito, Kawakami, Kahikina, Sonson and Nakasone.

294 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY HEALTH INSURANCE FOR UNEMPLOYED PERSONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Arakaki, Luke, Lee, Takamine, Shimabukuro, Souki, Herkes, Karamatsu, Schatz, Kanoho, Hiraki, Tamayo, Kaho'ohalahala, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Hale, M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Magaoay, Abinsay, Evans, Morita, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami and Nakasone.

295 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, B. Oshiro, Chang, Takumi, Shimabukuro, Luke, Lee, Arakaki, Herkes, Takarnine, M. Oshiro, Hale, Schatz, Kanoho, Hiraki, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Souki, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Evans, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami and Nakasone.

296 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH ALLIANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Hale, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Souki, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Kanoho, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Nakasone, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Wakai, Morita, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Kahikina and Kawakami.

297 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Takamine, Hale, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Luke, Lee, Shimabukuro, Souki, Arakaki, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Hiraki, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Hamakawa, Waters, Sonson, Kanoho, Wakai, Evans, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Kahikina, Nakasone and Kawakami.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Hale, Caldwell, Tamayo, Luke, Lee, Souki, Arakaki, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Schatz, Kanoho, Nishimoto, Morita, Abinsay, Hamakawa, Waters, Ito, Nakasone, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Magaoay, Kahikina, Sonson and Kawakami.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Jernigan, Fox, Moses, Thielen, Leong, Stonebraker, Ching, Marumoto and Blundell.

300 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS FOR ELDERLY AT-HOME CARE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Thielen, Leong, Jernigan, Ching, Marumoto, Blundell, Fox, Moses and Stonebraker.

301 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL GAINS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Leong, Stonebraker, Jernigan, Marumoto, Blundell, Fox and Moses. 302 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Blundell, Fox, Leong, Stonebraker and Ching.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Thielen, Leong, Ching, Moses, Fox, Blundell, Marumoto, Jernigan, Magaoay and Stonebraker.

304 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING ROTH INDIVIDUAL RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS FROM ATTACHMENT OR SEIZURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Leong, Stonebraker, Jernigan, Marumoto, Blundell and Moses.

305 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH."

> Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Leong, Blundell, Fox, Moses, Stonebraker and Marumoto.

306 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Meyer, Thielen, Stonebraker, Blundell, Moses, Leong, Ching, Jernigan and Fox.

307 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Leong, Blundell, Moses, Stonebraker and Fox.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Thielen, Leong, Ching, Jernigan, Marumoto, Blundell, Fox, Moses and Stonebraker.

309 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS INCUBATORS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Meyer, Thielen, Leong, Jernigan, Lee, Magaoay, Blundell, Pendleton, Fox, Sonson, Stonebraker and Marumoto.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Leong.

311 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO INCREASE STATE FUNDING TO ERADICATE THE MICONIA CALVESCENS PLANT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Shimabukuro, Leong, Tamayo, Kahikina and Takumi.

312 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Kahikina, Leong, Ching, Finnegan and Takumi.

313 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ALLOW THE STUDENT MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO VOTE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Tamayo, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Arakaki, Leong, Ching and Finnegan.

314 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL SECURITY GUARDS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Tamayo, Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan and Takumi.

315 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRIBUSINESS INCUBATORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Ching, Tamayo and Nishimoto.

316 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY PROJECTS AND PURPOSES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Ching, Tamayo and Thielen.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Ching, Finnegan, Tamayo and Nishimoto.

318 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Ching and Finnegan.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Ching and Tamayo.

320 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RISK MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

321 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SEPARATE CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Luke and Arakaki.

323 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Tamayo and Thielen.

324 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Ching, Tamayo and Nishimoto.

325 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY ZONING."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

326 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Kahikina, Finnegan and Tamayo.

327 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO E-MAIL."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Tamayo and Thielen.

328 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PUBLIC EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Tamayo and Kahikina.

329 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINIMUM WAGES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Ito and B. Oshiro.

330 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAVES OF ABSENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Kahikina, Finnegan, Ching, Thielen and Tamayo.

331 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Ching, Marumoto, Thielen, Leong, Meyer, Shimabukuro and Tamayo.

- 332 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX DEDUCTIONS."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina and Tamayo.

333 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Lee, Abinsay and Tamayo.

334 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPALS AND VICE-PRINCIPALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Marumoto, Leong and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Tamayo and Takumi.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki and Kahikina.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Ching, Nishimoto and Tamayo.

339 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAM TAX CREDIT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Takumi, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Luke, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Marumoto, Thielen, Leong and Tamayo.

340 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOOS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan and Tamayo.

341 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOO ARTISTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Leong and Tamayo.

342 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BODY PIERCING."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Tamayo, Shimabukuro, Thielen and Leong.

343 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Tamayo, Lee and Thielen.

344 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEPATITIS B IMMUNIZATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Leong, Ching, Finnegan and Takumi.

345 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEPATITIS B IMMUNIZATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Finnegan, Ching, Nishimoto and Lee.

346 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Tamayo, Lee and Morita.

347 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A TAX CREDIT FOR FOOD."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Thielen, Meyer, Finnegan, Blundell, Ching, Halford, Pendleton, Jernigan, Leong, Bukoski, Marumoto, Ontai and Stonebraker.

348 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXCLUSION OF PROCEEDS FROM THE MANUFACTURE, PACKAGING, AND SALE OF FOOD FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX LIABILITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Thielen, Leong, Ching, Marumoto, Moses, Meyer, Jernigan, Bukoski, Finnegan, Blundell, Halford, Ontai and Stonebraker.

349 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Leong, Marumoto, Thielen, Jernigan, Halford, Meyer, Pendleton, Ching, Ontai, Stonebraker, Moses, Finnegan, Bukoski and Blundell.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Meyer, Jernigan, Bukoski, Marumoto, Finnegan, Stonebraker, Moses, Ching, Thielen, Leong, Blundell, Ontai and Halford.

351 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GENERAL EXCISE TAX HOLIDAY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Thielen, Pendleton, Leong, Finnegan, Blundell, Marumoto, Ontai, Halford, Stonebraker, Bukoski, Meyer, Ching and Jernigan.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Thielen, Moses, Leong, Ching, Meyer, Jernigan, Bukoski, Marumoto, Finnegan, Blundell, Ontai, Halford and Stonebraker. 353 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISCAL NOTES."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Moses, Meyer, Thielen, Ching, Jernigan, Bukoski, Ontai, Halford, Marumoto, Finnegan, Blundell and Stonebraker.

354 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN EXEMPTION FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX LIABILITY FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Thielen, Leong, Meyer, Ching, Jernigan, Bukoski, Moses, Ontai, Halford, Stonebraker, Blundell, Finnegan and Marumoto.

355 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCENTIVES FOR RECYCLABLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Moses, Bukoski, Marumoto, Thielen, Ching, Meyer, Jernigan, Ontai, Finnegan, Stonebraker and Halford.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Thielen, Jernigan, Ching, Bukoski, Ontai, Stonebraker, Leong, Pendleton, Blundell, Marumoto, Meyer and Halford.

357 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM CONTRIBUTIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Jernigan, Bukoski, Marumoto, Finnegan, Blundell, Ching, Ontai, Leong, Meyer and Stonebraker.

358 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Marumoto, Jernigan, Bukoski, Ontai, Stonebraker, Pendleton, Leong, Finnegan, Ching, Blundell and Meyer.

359 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTIONS 2 AND 3 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CREATE ELECTED DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARDS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Thielen, Leong, Pendleton, Finnegan, Blundell, Ching, Meyer, Bukoski, Stonebraker, Jernigan, Ontai and Halford.

360 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION GOVERNANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Marumoto, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan, Blundell, Jernigan, Pendleton, Meyer, Ching, Bukoski, Ontai, Stonebraker and Halford. 361 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Thielen, Leong, Ching, Moses, Jernigan, Stonebraker, Halford, Pendleton, Finnegan, Blundell, Meyer, Bukoski and Ontai.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Ching, Bukoski, Pendleton, Finnegan, Ontai, Stonebraker, Meyer, Moses, Leong, Blundell, Marumoto, Thielen, Jernigan and Halford.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Marumoto, Thielen, Leong, Ching, Ontai, Stonebraker, Pendleton, Finnegan, Blundell, Meyer, Jernigan, Bukoski and Halford.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Marumoto, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan, Blundell, Jernigan, Bukoski, Ching, Ontai, Stonebraker, Halford and Meyer.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Pendleton, Jernigan, Finnegan, Blundell, Ontai, Stonebraker, Halford, Thielen, Leong, Meyer, Ching and Bukoski.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Jernigan, Stonebraker, Halford, Pendleton, Meyer, Finnegan, Ontai, Moses, Leong, Blundell, Thielen, Ching and Bukoski.

367 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGE OF CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Leong, Thielen, Ching, Marumoto, Finnegan, Stonebraker, Moses, Meyer, Jernigan, Bukoski, Blundell, Ontai and Halford.

368 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING FOR DRUGS AND INTOXICATING COMPOUNDS OFFENSES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Pendleton, Leong, Ching, Marumoto, Moses, Jernigan, Meyer, Finnegan, Bukoski, Ontai, Stonebraker and Blundell.

369 "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: Representatives Fox, Moses, Jernigan, Thielen, Leong, Marumoto, Blundell, Ching, Ontai, Meyer, Halford and Stonebraker.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Moses, Thielen, Leong, Finnegan, Blundell, Ching, Jernigan, Pendleton, Meyer, Bukoski, Ontai, Stonebraker and Halford.

371 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Marumoto, Thielen, Jernigan, Ching, Bukoski, Stonebraker, Pendleton, Finnegan, Ontai, Meyer, Moses, Leong, Blundell and Halford.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 8 through 10) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 5 through 10) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT ALL OPERATING SODA MACHINES IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS DISPENSE ONLY HEALTHY AND NON-CARBONATED BEVERAGES," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Thielen, Shimabukuro, Leong, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Marumoto and Magaoay.

H.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, IN COOPERATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, TO ESTABLISH A SUN PROTECTION PROGRAM FOR HAWAII'S ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CHILDREN," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

H.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS RECOGNIZE AN OFFICIAL POLITICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND THE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Luke, Ito, Arakaki, Herkes, Kahikina, Hale, Karamatsu, Schatz, Caldwell, Kanoho, Wakai, Hiraki, Tamayo, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Waters, Nishimoto, Abinsay, Magaoay, Evans, Sonson, Kawakami, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takamine, Shimabukuro, Souki, Lee, Takumi, Hamakawa and Nakasone.

H.C.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT ALL OPERATING SODA MACHINES IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS DISPENSE ONLY HEALTHY AND NON-CARBONATED BEVERAGES," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Thielen, Abinsay, Kaho`ohalahala and Magaoay. H.C.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, IN COOPERATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, TO ESTABLISH A SUN PROTECTION PROGRAM FOR HAWAII'S ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CHILDREN," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Lee, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

H.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF PROPOSED MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR HEARING AID DEVICES AND SERVICES," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Meyer, Thielen, Ching, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kaho`ohalahala, Leong and Finnegan.

H.C.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE ON GRADUATED PARENTING," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Ching, Leong, Finnegan, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala and Magaoay.

H.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATEWIDE INTERAGENCY TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR COORDINATION AND EXPANSION OF SERVICES PROVIDED THROUGH HEALTHY START TO YOUNG CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Ching, Leong, Finnegan, Meyer, Abinsay, Magaoay, Kahikina and Kaho'ohalahala.

H.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS RECOGNIZE AN OFFICIAL POLITICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND THE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, B. Oshiro, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Luke, Arakaki, Kahikina, Hale, Kanoho, Wakai, Tamayo, Kaho'ohalahala, Abinsay, Magaoay, Evans, Ito, Sonson, Nishimoto, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Hiraki, Morita, Kawakami, Saiki, Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Lee, Hamakawa, Takamine, Shimabukuro, Souki, Schatz, Waters and Nakasone.

At 9:44 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess and the House of Representatives stood in recess, subject to the call of the Chair, and in accordance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, met in Joint Session with the Senate, 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 Twenty-Second Legislature was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker then welcomed and recognized the following honored guests:

Lt. Governor James R. Aiona, Jr., who was presented a lei by Senator Aduja; and Mrs. Vivian Aiona, who was presented a lei by Representative Blundell; Chief Justice Ronald Moon, who was presented a lei by Representative Shimabukuro;

Congressman Neil Abercrombie, who was presented a lei by Senator Inouye;

Congressman Ed Case, who was presented a lei by Representative Morita; and Mrs. Audrey Case, who was presented a lei by Representative M. Oshiro;

Trustee Haunani Apoliona, Chair, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, who was presented a lei by Senator English;

Associate Justice Paula A. Nakayama, Hawaii State Supreme Court;

Associate Justice Simeon R. Acoba, Hawaii State Supreme Court;

Associate Justice Steven H. Levinson, Hawaii State Supreme Court;

Mayor Jeremy Harris, City and County of Honolulu, and Mrs. Ramona Harris;

Mayor Harry Kim, County of Hawaii;

Mayor Alan M. Arakawa, County of Maui, and Mrs. Ann Arakawa;

Major General Ron Lowe, US Pacific Command;

Rear Admiral Donna Crisp, US Pacific Fleet;

Brigadier General Paul Fletcher, Pacific Air Force;

Major General Craig Weldon, US Army Pacific;

Captain James Angert, 14th District, Coast Guard;

Mr. William Paupe, Consulate of the Republic of Kiribati and Mr. John Henry Felix, Consulate of Portugal, representing Hawaii's Consular Corps;

Mr. Raymond Wang, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office;

Former Governor George Ariyoshi; and

Former Governor John Waihee and Mrs. Lynne Waihee.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Francis Lum for his nearly forty years of service as the State's Protocol Officer. Mr. Lum will be retiring after this legislative session and was presented a lei by House Assistant Clerk, Ms. C.J. Leong.

The Speaker then appointed Representatives Luke, Saiki and Fox, and Senators Kim, Hanabusa and Hemmings to escort the Honorable Linda Lingle to the rostrum.

The Governor was presented with leis by Representative Pendleton on behalf of the House of Representatives, and Senator Tsutsui on behalf of the Senate. The Speaker then presented to the Members of the Twenty-Second Legislature and the audience, the Honorable Linda Lingle, Governor of the State of Hawaii.

The Governor then addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Members of the Legislature, Lt. Governor Aiona, Chief Justice Moon, Congressmen Abercrombie and Case, Mayor Harris, Mayor Kim, and Mayor Arakawa, Governor Ariyoshi, Governor Waihee, Members of the Consular Corps, distinguished guests, and to all the people of Hawaii, Aloha.

"As I stand before all of you assembled here today, as well as those watching on television and on the Internet, and listening on the radio, it is hard to believe that this is only my 50th day in office. The time has passed quickly ... but much has been done, including the selection of my cabinet.

"Before introducing our new directors, I want to thank the 150 volunteers who served on the 13 search committees. These citizens studied thick stacks of resumes, conducted extensive interviews, and narrowed each search to a short list of candidates.

"As a result of their efforts, I have been able to assemble a cabinet filled with people of integrity, ability, accomplishment and vision. Please hold your applause as I name my new directors and their respective positions.

Georgina Kawamura Director, Department of Budget and Finance

Mark Bennett Attorney General

Russ Saito Comptroller, Department of Accounting and General Services

Sandra Kunimoto Chair, Board of Agriculture

Ted Liu Director, Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism

Mark Recktenwald Director, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs

General Bob Lee Adjutant General, Department of Defense

Micah Kane Chairman, Hawaiian Homes Commission

Dr. Chiyome Fukino Director, Department of Health

Kathy Watanabe Director, Department of Human Resources Development

Lillian Kohler Director, Department of Human Services

Nelson Befitel Director, Department of Labor and Industrial Relations

Peter Young Chairman, Board of Land and Natural Resources

Rod Haraga Director, Department of Transportation

And also interim Director Jim Propotnick, Department of Public Safety; and

Deputy Director of Taxation, Kurt Kawafuchi

"Ladies and gentlemen, I present to you the most talented group of individuals I have ever had the pleasure to lead.

"It has been the tradition for legislators and others to applaud from time to time during the Governor's State of the State Address as you so graciously have done this morning. My request however, is that you hold such applause to a minimum. Otherwise we might end up still being here live at 6:30 tonight after all.

"I am honored and very humbled to come before you today for this, my first State-of-the-State Address as Governor of our great State of Hawaii.

"Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, I want to thank both of you for your promises of openness and cooperation last week during Opening Day ceremonies. Please know that I pledge the very same thing to you.

"We agree that the people of Hawaii have spoken loudly and clearly. They have stated in no uncertain terms that the status quo is no longer acceptable. They want a new beginning and that is exactly what we must give them.

"The people of Hawaii want better schools, with real alternatives for children who have not been able to thrive in a one-size-fits-all statewide system. They want a system that puts the interests of the children above those of anyone else, including unions and politicians. They want schools that prepare their children for a better life.

"The people of Hawaii also want a government they can trust to deal with people openly, honestly and fairly.

"They want an honest budget built on a solid foundation of fiscal discipline, a budget that is understandable and that reflects their priorities. And they want all of us to be accountable for what we deliver or what we fail to deliver.

"Good schools, good jobs, good government. These are not unreasonable demands. But sadly, some of our people have already lost heart and have left Hawaii to go look for these things elsewhere.

"We cannot allow this to continue. The people of Hawaii want a new beginning that starts now and includes them, their children, and their children's children. So let us begin.

"First, let me state the obvious -- our journey will be neither short nor easy.

"Let's talk about the numbers. As you know, the prior administration submitted a financial plan that used the Hurricane Relief Fund to balance the budget in the upcoming biennium. This is something we must not do.

"Without exception, experts tell us, the question isn't whether there will be another *Iniki*, but when. They also say it isn't a question of whether our most populated areas will be hit, but when.

"We know from experience that insurance companies cannot be depended upon to write new policies in the aftermath. Too much is at stake for us not to be ready to enter the reinsurance market when the next hurricane hits and to care for our people during the massive recovery that will surely follow. That is why I will not raid this Fund under any circumstances.

"So right off the bat there is a shortfall of \$175 million in the budget, as originally submitted.

"And now we know that the unfunded liability in the State retirement system exceeds three billion dollars. The State does not have to contribute this entire amount immediately, but it will eventually. Besides the obvious legal obligation to do so, it would be morally wrong to push this debt onto the shoulders of the next generation.

"You can see that the road to restoring fiscal discipline and integrity will be long, and occasionally bumpy.

"Even so, we must begin this journey now. Accordingly, my legislative package does not propose a host of new, expensive programs, across-the-board pay raises for State workers, or substantial tax cuts.

"I would like to do all of these things, but that would be fiscally irresponsible under the present circumstances.

"Major new initiatives and substantial tax cuts must wait until fiscal discipline has been restored to State government and until our economy has expanded.

"Instead, I am proposing modest but significant, commonsense proposals that include changes to our tax system that will help those earning the least; tax credits to stimulate the economy in an area of chronically high unemployment; fairness in our financial relationship with the counties; help for families dealing with the high cost of long term care; and continued support for the use of alternative energy sources.

"In addition, I will offer proposals that encourage greater competition in the marketplace in order to improve the business climate and create new jobs.

"I plan to reinvigorate the public's willingness to help, and I will motivate our State workers to perform at a higher level where their ideas and contributions are given proper recognition.

"We must put our house back in order ... step by careful step ... working together to create long-term, fundamental, structural change. This will not just get us through the tough times, but it will allow us to prosper when the times are better.

"By working together we can recreate state government so that it is more trusted and efficient. We can revitalize our economy so Hawaii's families can stay together and provide a good life for the generation that comes next.

"Together we can also fulfill our obligation to provide a good, solid education to every child in every community all across our State.

"I cannot do these things alone ... and neither can you. We need each other, and we need each other to put aside any notion of partisanship.

"Let's face it, one party rule, whether it was Republicans 40 years ago or Democrats in recent times, has not served the people well.

"Hawaii is an island state, thousands of miles from anywhere. And this fact should affect the way we do things.

"It's as if we are in a boat, caught in treacherous waters, we need to set sail for a better place. If I were to chart a course north, but you insisted on going south, then we would go nowhere. We would stay stuck exactly where we started.

"Like it or not, we are in this together, and the rest of the State is watching. The people expect us to settle on a course and then work together to get there.

"From this day forward, let us agree that the principle by which we will judge proposals for new policies, programs and laws will be whether or not they serve the best interests of all the people of Hawaii.

"It is by this standard that I am honored to present now my vision and concrete proposals for Hawaii's future.

"Before a community can prosper, the people must believe in their leaders. They must know that at the core of every decision is careful planning, hard work, and unbending integrity rather than partisanship or self-gain. They must trust that the awesome power of government is not being abused.

"To begin the process of earning back the people's confidence in public servants, I will be asking you to send a loud and clear message that any public official who abuses the public's trust can expect harsh and certain consequences, including a mandatory prison sentence.

"And those who seek to influence public officials, they will be well advised to limit their efforts to persuasive argument. Large gifts to public officials, including exclusive golf outings and lavish entertainment, will be presumed attempts to bribe and will be treated as such.

"Whether such gratuities actually influence decisions is not the issue. Public trust is at stake and we must do whatever it takes to earn back that trust.

"I also will be taking steps to get politics out of government. Among other things, this means that no State worker should ever be required or pressured to attend a political fundraiser or to hold a sign on the side of the road.

"Any State worker who ever feels pressured to engage in any kind of political activity should report it to my office immediately. In my Administration there will be a 'zero tolerance' for any such behavior.

"It is critically important that government conducts its elections and tally results in a nonpartisan, nonpolitical way so that the people can trust the outcome of the election when it is announced. I find it almost unbelievable that Hawaii law requires all precinct chairs to be members of the same political party as the governor. It has been this way for many years. And although my Party and I would now benefit if the law remains the same, it is wrong, and it must be changed to allow all citizens, regardless of political party, to participate at all levels of the election process.

"I am also calling for mandatory posting of election results at each precinct, and mandatory recounts in especially close elections.

"The public also is rightly concerned about the large amounts of money contributed to political campaigns by businesses that then get millions of dollars in non-bid contracts. You missed the opening part of the speech. Accordingly, I ask that you enact a law prohibiting political contributions by anyone benefiting from non-bid contracts.

"This effectively will prevent many businesses from financially supporting the candidates of their choice, and that's unfortunate. But the people have made clear their desire for this kind of campaign finance reform.

"Trust and integrity in government will be restored only when people know that their government is honest and fair. For them to make this judgment, government also must be open.

"I have already initiated a number of changes intended to make government more transparent. As I mentioned earlier, almost all of my directors were selected from short lists provided by volunteer selection committees.

"In putting together the committees I did not ask anyone about their own politics and I specifically instructed the committees not to ask any candidate what party they belonged to, if any, or how they voted in the last election. Each committee was instructed simply to provide a short list of the very best candidates in this state.

"The majority of people now serving in my cabinet are people that I met for the very first time during their interview for the position.

"I believe with my whole heart that this is the way government has to operate if we are to regain the public's trust. The old days of 'who you know' being more important than 'what you know' are *pau*.

"I am proposing an omnibus procurement bill that will bring much needed transparency into government contracting. The process will be honest, fair and totally merit-based. This bill is the result of recommendations made by a volunteer committee composed of government, industry and academic experts in the procurement field.

"The bill also includes a novel form of electronic bidding that we call a reverse version of e-Bay. Companies wanting a particular contract will be able to bid the job via their computer terminal. The qualifying company with the lowest bid gets the work.

"The State employee who proposed this concept, Aaron Fujioka, has shared other ideas that we think have a lot of potential. My directors and I will work hard to establish the kind of trust and respect for State employees that will motivate and reward them for continuing to find ways to save money and improve service.

"Also in the spirit of making government more open, I have instructed my budget director to conduct a comprehensive audit of the State's finances, and then to produce an understandable report that will explain where State revenues come from and how they are being spent. In the future, the report will include evaluations of each department.

"And finally, restoring trust in government means keeping government's promises and commitments to Native Hawaiians.

"Next month my senior staff and various members of the Hawaiian community will accompany me to Washington D.C. where I will be meeting with members of the Bush Administration and testifying before Congress on the reasons why federal recognition of Native Hawaiians is so critically important to all the people of Hawaii.

"Here at home in Hawaii I will continue to work with you and with the Hawaiian community to resolve the ceded lands issue once and for all.

"Our joint decision to make the \$10.3 million payment is a good first step, but that is all it is. Like so many other issues we currently face, the ceded lands issue is one that did not occur overnight, and will not be resolved overnight. It is as complicated as it is emotionally charged. But until we get it resolved, our community can never really come together as one.

"And make no mistake, my vision is that of one Hawaii.

"While working hard for a just resolution, to the ceded lands issue we must make absolutely sure that we do not inadvertently drive a wedge between the Hawaiian and non-Hawaiian communities.

"Let's turn our attention now to public education.

"The public knows and we should not be afraid to say this – Hawaii's public school system is broken. The people closest to the situation, the teachers and the administrators themselves, reportedly send their own children to private schools at a rate dramatically higher than that of the general public. I suspect that the same could be said of business leaders and politicians.

"There is nothing wrong with a parent's decision to send his or her children to the school where they are most likely to thrive. What is wrong is that not every parent has this option.

"As currently structured, the public school system offers virtually no choice to parents. It's a one-size-fits-all structure than has long outlived its value.

"It is like no other system in America, and it's not working.

"When it comes to public education, the old way of thinking was that decisions were best made by a small group of wellintentioned people sitting in an office building in downtown Honolulu. Current thinking is that as many decisions as possible should be made by people directly affected by those decisions.

"In theory, Hawaii's public school system has embraced this new thinking of local decision making. SCBM, School Community-Based Management it has been touted as a means by which parents, teachers and administrators can chart the destiny of their own schools. Unfortunately, it simply has not worked out that way. Let me give you just one example.

"Lahainaluna High School wants to change by exactly one week the date of this year's graduation exercises. This *manini* change is supported by students, parents, teachers, administrators, and the school's SCBM Council. They all want it. Everyone is in agreement.

"But believe it or not, they have no control over the matter. The decision to change the date of any one school's commencement can be made only by DOE administrators in Honolulu.

"When this same issue came up several years ago the DOE denied the same school's request for the date change. That began a massive letter-writing campaign; writing to the Board of Education and eventually the Board stepped in and reversed the DOE decision.

"Despite all the talk about SCBM, the concept of local community control continues to be foreign in Hawaii.

"The time has come to move resources and decision-making away from the DOE's central office in Honolulu and to empower local communities to think and to act in their own best interest.

"I believe this can best be done by replacing our current statewide system with seven, locally elected school boards.

"No other state, other than Hawaii, has a statewide school system. None. Not even one. The reason is because it doesn't work.

"Once local school districts are established, fair and equal funding would continue to be determined on a statewide basis, and certain basic standards would continue to be set and monitored by both the State and federal government. But the hiring and evaluating of principals would be done at the local level as would decisions huge decisions such as when to hold a graduation ceremony.

"I am convinced that the people of Hawaii want local school boards that are accountable to their own communities.

"That's why today I am proposing that you let the people decide this important issue of local school boards via a statewide ballot referendum. Let's ask the people of Hawaii if they want to amend their own Constitution to allow for the creation of local school boards.

"The key to reforming public education in Hawaii is to give parents meaningful choices so they can find the right spot for their own child.

"Many children simply do not fit in our present one-size-fitsall system. And miserable themselves, they often become disruptive. Currently there is no real alternative for these children within the DOE.

"I am determined to dramatically increase the number of choices available within the DOE.

"We can do this by encouraging and supporting schools within a school, magnet schools, e-schooling and home schooling as meaningful choices.

"For example, if parents decide that home schooling is best for their child, that child should not be prevented from taking advantage of extracurricular activities available to other public school students. As is done now.

"The current practice of denying home-schooled kids an opportunity to participate in sports or band, is mindless and it unfairly punishes the child. This is wrong and it must stop now. All children must have access to our schools.

"The best way to provide meaningful choice within the DOE is allowing more charter schools, and then nurturing them. The current DOE attitude toward charter schools is benign, neglect at best and antagonistic at worst.

"The federal Department of Education's top charter school expert has described our current charter school system in Hawaii as having been designed to fail, functioning now only because of the passion of its proponents.

"With his help, and that of local educational experts, including our State Superintendent Pat Hamamoto who I have tremendous confidence in, I am proposing changes that will redesign charter schools for success.

"First, the funding must change. Right now, the funding assumes that the value of services provided to the charter schools by the DOE is nearly as much as all the money going into salaries of the teachers and principal, rent and other costs of operation. This is absurd.

"My proposal is to give the charter schools the full cost of educating a child and then let the principal of each charter school decide what, if any, the DOE services are worth paying for.

"Fair funding is just the beginning. Under my plan, charter schools would be free to make their own hiring decisions. The UPW would not have a lock on any jobs, nor would the HGEA or the HSTA. Once hired, teachers, secretaries and janitors would be free to form or join a union, but that would be their choice. Unlike the present arrangement, they would not be forced to belong and pay dues to any particular union. "The role of a principal at any school -- private, charter or traditional public school, is different from that of teachers and other school workers. Just about every study of individual-school effectiveness has stressed the critical role played by the school principal.

"Hawaii is the only state in America in which principals belong to a union.

"Principals are a part of management. They have no place in a union. Sure, union leaders and many existing principals like it, but it has proven to be disastrous for the children.

"Ladies and gentlemen, if you do only three things to improve public education during this legislative session, you should allow the people of Hawaii to decide whether to have local school boards, fully fund the charter schools and get principals out of labor union.

"I am also proposing new initiatives to empower teachers and principals to remove disruptive students from the classroom. Again, with so much at stake we cannot continue to allow a relative few to deny a good learning environment to the many.

"Too often, teachers have been given every incentive not to crack down on disruptive students. Those few teachers who take action often regret it because they feel and receive no support. That must change.

"These kinds of changes will provide real accountability. Teachers will be free to teach, principals to manage and local school boards to lead. Parents, teachers and taxpayers will know who to hold accountable, and for what.

"Until last week, I had not considered the issue of drug testing in our schools. But when Senator Bunda suggested that it might be time to consider drug testing as a constructive tool to help students and their families, it struck a chord with me and with Lt. Governor Aiona as well.

"I have asked the Lt. Governor to convene a gathering of all interested parties to outline a plan to implement a voluntary testing program in our schools that will lead to providing help to those students involved with drugs.

"If a student voluntarily tests positive for drugs, he or she will not be arrested, or expelled or even suspended. Nothing will be publicized. Instead, that student and their parents will be required to meet with a professional counselor and others who know and care about that student, and to plot out a strategy to effectively address the problem.

"Sure there are lots of issues to resolve with such a program, but the lives of our children are at stake, and the safety of our communities. Lt. Governor Aiona is a former family court judge who is used to working with others to resolve difficult issues, and I have complete confidence that he will see this idea through.

"I want to thank Senator Bunda for this idea and invite him both to help in this effort and to rightfully claim credit for the good that will surely come of it.

"One final issue involving young people that I'd like to talk about is the age of consent. Prior to 2001, the age of consent in Hawaii was 14 years old -- the lowest in the nation. And an embarrassment to all. You did the right thing by raising the age of consent to 16, but you included a sunset provision. I call upon you to finish your work and to make the current age of consent permanent. "My friends, we know that we must expand and diversify our economy. We must do so in order for businesses to succeed and create new jobs. We must expand the economy in order to generate the public and private resources to provide for those in need.

"We need a strong economy in order to have the revenue to maintain and expand our state park system. And, we must expand the economy in order to increase salaries of professors, teachers and other state workers who often are underpaid for the work we demand of them.

"The list of what we want to do for the people of Hawaii is long, but we might as well throw that list away if our economy remains as it is.

"While some will point out that there are economic factors beyond our control, and that's true, there are many factors within our control. Those are the ones we need to focus on.

"With clear principles, careful planning and flawless execution we can make a significant difference in our State's financial condition, but again, only if we work together.

"Hawaii has one of the highest tax burdens of all 50 states, and there are aspects of it that simply aren't fair. People should not be taxed for being sick or when they are simply feeding their families. When the economy improves I will ask you to repeal the tax on food and medical services.

"But given the fiscal reality we face, the only tax relief I am asking for in this budget is to reduce the income taxes of those who earn the least. We do this by increasing the standard deduction with a goal of raising it to 50% of the federal standard deduction within three years, and eventually to 100%.

"Raising the standard deduction has several important benefits. First, it makes our tax system more progressive and equitable by providing tax relief directly to low-income taxpayers that as a group almost always rely on the standard deduction.

"Second, it simplifies government, if you support this increase in the standard deduction, immediately reducing by 18,000 the number of taxpayers who have to file a state income tax return, and by 44,000 the number of residents who have to itemize their deductions.

"A third and important benefit of raising the standard deduction is that it acknowledges the hard work of the many experts who have served on State Tax Review Commissions over the past 18 years. Raising the standard deduction to a higher percentage of the federal level has been a primary recommendation of every single commission from the very first one in 1984 to the most recent, which just submitted its report last month.

"Let me repeat that, every State Tax Review Commission has included this proposal on the list of what was needed to make the tax system simpler and fairer. Every one.

"Even though this first step is not as big as I would like, on principle alone this tax-fairness journey must begin now.

"But tax policy alone would not expand the economy to the extent needed, even if the proposed tax cut could be much larger. We must also create an environment where existing businesses are able to grow and new investment is attracted to our State. "We need a level playing field with rules that protect consumers and our fragile environment while providing businesses with the stability and consistency that they need.

"To that end, I have selected cabinet directors who fully understand that business, not government, creates prosperity, and that we must work hard to change Hawaii's anti-business reputation. From today forward, my entire cabinet will be looking for ways to help existing businesses grow and to attract new businesses and investment to Hawaii.

"I am introducing a number of specific bills that will increase competition among businesses because we believe that it works to the consumers' advantage. Simply put, competition results in better service and lower prices.

"I am proposing to level the playing field for private health insurance companies by eliminating the 4% general excise tax on their policies, thereby increasing dramatically the chances of new providers entering the market.

"I am also proposing that HMSA and Kaiser Permanente be prohibited in the future from sitting on the board that recommends which insurance companies can enter the market in Hawaii.

"HMSA and Kaiser have been good corporate citizens, but the reason they dominate the market in Hawaii has as much to do with structural flaws as it does with the price of their product or quality of their service. I believe with increased competition these companies will do an even better job and at an even better price. That's the nature of competition.

"As you may have read, physicians in various parts of the country have been complaining about the high cost of medical malpractice insurance. Rates in Hawaii recently were increased substantially. Some of the increase is due to frivolous lawsuits filed by people who see our courts as one giant 'slot machine'.

"Don't misunderstand, doctors sometimes do make mistakes, and injured people should always be allowed to seek compensation for their injuries.

"I am proposing legislation that only affects lawsuits that are found by a panel of independent doctors and lawyers to be without merit. It will reduce the cost of malpractice insurance and help to hold down the cost of healthcare.

"Another proposal to improve our business image would allow employers to take personnel action against an employee who has done something wrong without fear of it leading to a worker's compensation claim.

"Recently, a worker was fired for stealing. The Hawaii Supreme Court ruled that he could receive compensation for the stress he felt from getting fired for stealing.

"This is exactly the kind of nonsense that has caused so many businesses to steer clear of Hawaii.

"Again this year I will be supporting the Ko Olina tax credit, but only with the binding promise of the developer to fund meaningful training for residents on the Leeward Coast.

"Viewed in the abstract, this credit can easily be criticized. But viewed in the context of our shameful, decades-long neglect of the Leeward community, it is a wonderful opportunity for all of us to really make a difference.

"The Weinberg Foundation owns land at Ko Olina and the Foundation's trustees are enthused both about the resort's

master plan and the potential for dramatically changing lives for the better.

"Already the Ritz Carlton has signed a letter of intent to have a major presence in the development. In short, this is a big deal for the State, the construction industry, one of the country's largest charitable institutions, and especially a big deal for a community that has been so long been neglected. These are the reasons I support this tax credit and why I will be working hard to gain your support again this year.

"There are several health care issues that we need to address in the current session. But first, let me address one that you attempted to deal with in last year's session.

"As you know, I have been critical of last year's legislation relating to prescription drugs primarily because it offered nothing in the way of immediately help for people needing medication in order to maintain a decent quality of life. Even today, one year later, not one single person has been helped because of that legislation.

"Depending on a number of things, it may be that the existing legislation eventually will provide some relief. But, that's a big maybe. And to get the relief, that legislation requires an increase in the size of State government.

"In order to bring immediate relief, I have put together a public-private partnership that will provide free prescription drugs to our most vulnerable citizens. This unique program is possible because the Hawaii Medical Association has offered to mobilize the support of Hawaii's physician community, and fund a hotline so that help is readily available.

"The Department of Health and the State Hospital System will be working closely with them.

"It is estimated that this program, which is already successfully working at the Maui Medical Center, will serve approximately 20,000 low-income individuals in its very first year. Local charities have expressed interest in funding this program. This is the kind of creative solution that is possible even in fiscally challenging times because members of our community step forward to help others.

"Hawaii's medical community deserves our thanks for their selfless service, not just in making this prescription-drug program possible, but for all that they do day to day in promoting public health.

"When it comes to long-term care, there has been a lot of talk, and a lot worrying, but very little action. The problem we are trying to solve is how to ensure long-term care without going broke.

"Long-term care insurance is readily available and often affordable, but relatively few people have availed themselves of this self-help remedy. To encourage the purchase of such insurance, I am proposing a 30% tax credit to be phased in over a three-year period.

"Another topic I feel strongly about is the need to restructure the relationship between the State and county governments. Some think the counties aren't ready to make their own decisions and chart their own course. These people believe the State must maintain control over the counties.

"But just as parents know that they must eventually allow their children to grow up and make their own way in the world if they are to reach their full potential, so must State government recognize that it is time for the counties to shoulder more of their own responsibilities. "As a former Mayor I have kind of strong feelings about this. I am proposing that counties should be allowed to establish their own civil service system and chart their own course in collective bargaining.

"The counties also should be allowed to decide what fireworks, if any, to permit rather than the State developing a one-size-fits all law.

"What makes sense in urban Honolulu may not on the Neighbor Islands or even in rural Oahu. Let each county decide what works best for it when it comes to fireworks.

"I am glad that there are three Mayors here today and they may clap on this next section. Since uncontested traffic tickets are issued by county-paid police officers, county equipped police officers, the fines from those tickets should go directly to the counties. I have proposed to pay 100% of these unadjudicated fines to the counties over the next two years. The counties have waited too long for these funds. It is the fair thing to do.

"There are other issues I wanted to talk with you about today such as homeland security, public safety, real autonomy for the University of Hawaii and protecting the environment, but that would take me well into the next hour. Therefore over the next few days I will continue to lay out our administration's initiatives in these and other areas.

"Before I conclude, I want to make special mention and give thanks to the men and women in our armed forces who have shipped out in recent days to the Middle East. And, I want to ask the people of Hawaii to take every opportunity to give moral and other support to military families in the coming weeks and months. We in State government will find ways to do the same.

"Regardless of your opinion on the situation in the Middle East and what our response should be, please remember that the members of our armed forces are our own sons and daughters, mothers and fathers, and husbands and wives ... and those of our neighbors. Please reach out to them at this difficult time. And, never forget they are risking their lives to protect our way of life here in America.

"As I said when I began this address, our journey for the next couple of years will not be easy. The challenges we face as a State are significant. And of course, we are living in very uncertain times. Homeland security issues, global conflict and a worldwide economic slow down will make our job that much more difficult.

"But I am up to the task and I expect you in the Legislature are equally up to the task. In fact, I relish the thought of working with you to meet the challenges that lie ahead.

"Without question, there will be tough decisions to make. But, I know we can do it if we come together and work as one *o'hana*.

"Let us dedicate ourselves to rebuild our State and strengthen our communities.

"Let us do this by honorably serving those who have entrusted us with their future, and by honoring the values of generations past -- their dedication to family, concern for neighbors and respect for island tradition.

"Let us go forward, and let today be the day that all future generations will remember as the dawn of a new beginning for Hawaii -- a new beginning that restored hope and opportunity to all the people.

"Mahalo."

Senate President Bunda then rose and stated:

"Members of the Senate and the House and the public wish Governor Lingle and her Administration the very best in her endeavors. As I stated on Opening Day of the Legislature, we remain committed to the people's agenda. There has been much talk of cooperation and collaboration here in the Capitol recently. Our challenge is to have the courage to set forth an ambitious agenda, the wisdom to recognize what is achievable, and the will to accomplish these goals.

"The Governor has made history today by being the first woman to address the Legislature. In fact you can congratulate her on this and other accomplishments thus far, and let us strive for a joint record of accomplishment to match the significance of this new beginning. Aloha and Mahalo."

At 11:03 o'clock a.m., President Bunda declared the Joint Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate of the Twenty-Second Legislature adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m., tomorrow, Wednesday, January 22, 2003.

FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, January 22, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 9:37 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Speaker Emeritus Joseph M. Souki, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Kahikina, Meyer and Shimabukuro, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 135 through 138) were received and announced by the Clerk were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 135, transmitting the Project-Funded Staff Services Budget Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 136, transmitting the Annual Report for the Implementation of Chapter 190D, Hawaii Revised Statutes (as amended), Ocean and Submerged Lands Leasing for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 137, transmitting the Public Utilities Commission's report, Requesting the Formation of the Power Quality Task Force to Study Issues Relating to Responsibility Over Power Quality in Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 138, transmitting the Report on Land Dispositions Made of Public Lands for Calendar Year 2002.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 144 through 371) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B. Nos. Referred to:

- 144 Committee on Finance
- 145 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 146 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 147 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 148 Committee on Judiciary
- 149 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 150 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

- 151 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 152 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 153 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 154 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 155 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 156 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 157 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 158 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 159 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 160 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 161 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 162 Committee on International Affairs
- 163 Committee on International Affairs
- 164 Committee on International Affairs
- 165 Committee on Judiciary
- 166 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 167 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 168 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 169 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 170 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 171 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 172 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 173 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 175 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 176 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 177 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 178 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
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- 184 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
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- 186 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 187 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 188 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 189 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 190 Committee on Agriculture
- 191 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

- 192 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 193 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 194 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 198 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 199 Committee on Judiciary
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- 201 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 233 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 234 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 235 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 236 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 248 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 249 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

- 250 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 251 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 252 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 253 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 254 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 255 Committee on Judiciary
- 256 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 257 Committee on Finance
- 258 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 259 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 260 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 261 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
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- 263 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 281 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 282 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 283 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 284 Committee on Judiciary
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- 296 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 369 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 370 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 371 Committee on Judiciary

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 8 through 10) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 5 through 10) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R. Nos. Referred to:

- 8 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 9 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

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

<u>H.C.R.</u>

Nos. Referred to:

- 5 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 6 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 7 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 8 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 9 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 10 Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Bukoski and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 372 through 555) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Kahikina, Meyer and Shimabukuro were excused.)

H. B. Nos.

372 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES AND EXPANDED ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Lee, Nishimoto, Hamakawa, Saiki and Say.

373 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLITICAL SPEECH."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Lee, Hamakawa, Saiki and Say.

374 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOME LOAN PROTECTION ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Kahikina, Lee, Takumi, Say and Waters.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Lee, Say, Kahikina, Takumi and Waters.

376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Nishimoto, Kahikina and Takumi.

377 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."

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Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

384 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

385 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREVENTION OF WORKPLACE VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Hamakawa and Say.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, Hamakawa, Saiki, Nakasone, Herkes, Say and Lee.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Lee, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Say, Nakasone, Nishimoto and Waters.

389 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Hamakawa, Takumi, Nakasone, Say and Waters.

390 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Hamakawa, Takumi, Say and Waters.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Lee, Say and Kahikina.

392 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY OVERTIME FOR NURSES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

394 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

396 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Mindo, Kahikina, Tamayo, Abinsay, Karamatsu, Magaoay and Shimabukuro.

397 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Arakaki, Kahikina, Waters, Hale, Wakai and Tamayo.

398 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."

> Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Arakaki, Kahikina, Waters, Wakai, Evans, Hale and Tamayo.

399 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A CITIZENSHIP PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

400 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF FINANCING AGREEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

402 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILIZATION OF FEDERAL FUNDS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HALFWAY HOUSES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HATE CRIMES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MISSING CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROHIBITION OF DISCRIMINATION BY PUBLIC ENTITIES AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

414 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

415 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

416 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REQUIRE THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

417 "A BILL FOR ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENTS TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO ABOLISH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND GIVE THE GOVERNOR POWER THE TO APPOINT THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION AS THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

418 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

419 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Takumi.

420 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Takumi.

421 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Takumi.

422 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CENTER FOR NURSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Lee and Morita.

423 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER DETECTION SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

424 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

425 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

426 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Kaho`ohalahala.

427 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho and Kaho`ohalahala.

428 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LEASES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Bukoski.

429 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT ORGANIZATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Schatz, Morita and Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho and Hiraki.

431 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EROSION CONTROL MEASURES ALONG KAWA STREAM IN KANEOHE, HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Morita and Waters.

432 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREAM EROSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Morita and Waters.

433 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

434 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NORTH HAWAII COMMUNITY HOSPITAL, INC."

Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Evans, Hale, Herkes and Hamakawa.

435 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEASIBILITY OF CELLULAR TELEPHONE TRANSMISSION AND RECEPTION BEYOND KEEAU BEACH PARK."

> Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Kahikina and Tamayo.

436 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO FUND A SECOND AMBULANCE TO SERVE THE WAIANAE COAST."

> Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Tamayo and Kahikina.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Morita, Tamayo, Kahikina and Kaho`ohalahala.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Tamayo and Kahikina.

439 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Morita, Tamayo, Kahikina and Kaho`ohalahala.

440 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEASIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTING AN EXERCISE PATH ALONG THE WAIANAE COAST."

> Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Kahikina and Kaho`ohalahala.

441 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Meyer, Stonebraker and Pendleton.

442 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Meyer, Stonebraker and Pendleton.

443 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

445 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

446 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki and Fox.

447 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR INSURANCE LICENSEES."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

448 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

449 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

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

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

- "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 451 EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Nakasone. 452 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGED COMPETITION." Introduced by: Representative Nakasone. 453 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION." Introduced by: Representative Nakasone. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND 454 USE." Introduced by: Representative Nakasone. 455 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT." Introduced by: Representative Sonson. 456 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING." Introduced by: Representative Souki. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 457 TOWING." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 458 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WHARFAGE FEES." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 459 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Caldwell. 460 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDER JUSTICE ACT." Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Caldwell. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 461 GOVERNMENT." Introduced by: Representative Souki. 462 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYER-UNION BENEFITS TRUST PLAN." Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Caldwell. 463 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMBLING." Introduced by: Representative Souki.
 - 464 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX." Introduced by: Representative Souki.
 - 465 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

466 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

467 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

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

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

469 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE FUELS."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

470 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Lee, Hale, Sonson, Caldwell, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Schatz and Wakai.

471 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Thielen, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Waters, Lee, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Schatz, Karamatsu, Hale, Caldwell and Wakai.

472 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN WATER."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Schatz, Thielen, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Karamatsu, Caldwell, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Kawakami, Nishimoto, Lee, Hale and Wakai.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, Kaho'ohalahala, Magaoay, Bukoski, Wakai, Thielen and Jernigan.

474 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EMERGENCY ENVIRONMENTAL WORKFORCE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Thielen, Kanoho, Lee, Schatz, Hale, Kaho'ohalahala and Evans.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Thielen, Bukoski, Waters, Caldwell, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Lee, B. Oshiro, Wakai and Hale.

476 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION OF AQUATIC LIFE, WILDLIFE, AND LAND PLANTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Waters, Kanoho, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, B. Oshiro, Lee, Hale and Wakai.

477 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

478 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO MAKE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER AN ELECTED OFFICIAL."

Introduced by: Representatives Herkes and Hiraki.

479 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

- 480 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PARKS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Sonson, Hiraki, Fox, Marumoto, Thielen, Arakaki, M. Oshiro and Souki.
- 481 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS OF LEGISLATORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Thielen, Sonson, Fox and Marumoto.

- 482 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG TREATMENT."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Fox, Thielen, Hiraki, Marumoto, Arakaki and Souki.
- 483 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL TRESPASS."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Meyer, Fox, Marumoto, Stonebraker, Finnegan, B. Oshiro, Bukoski, Arakaki and Sonson.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Sonson, Fox and Arakaki.

485 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HANAHAU`OLI SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

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

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488 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR MID-PACIFIC INSTITUTE."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

489 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HIRING ADDITIONAL POLICE OFFICERS TO BE ASSIGNED TO HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT DISTRICT NUMBER FOUR."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Pendleton, Thielen and Ito.

490 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Hamakawa and Lee.

491 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX LAW."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Morita and Herkes.

492 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING IN PUBLIC PLACES."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Ito, Lee and Takumi.

- 493 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL FACILITIES."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Tamayo and Takumi.
- 494 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Mindo, B. Oshiro, Evans, Sonson and Hamakawa.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Hale, B. Oshiro, Mindo, Sonson, Tamayo, Evans and Hamakawa.

- "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 496 508 INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS." Introduced by: Representative Hale. 497 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 509 INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS." Introduced by: Representative Hale. 498 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL CYBERSEX OFFENSES." 510 Introduced by: Representative Hale. 499 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION." Introduced by: Representatives Fox and 511 Moses. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 500 FAMILY COURTS." Introduced by: Representative Evans. 512 501 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY." Introduced by: 513 Representatives Saiki and Nishimoto. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 502 CORPORATIONS." 514 Introduced by: Representative Saiki. 503 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES FOR THE KIHEI/WAILEA AND 515 KULA/MAKAWAO/PUKALANI REGIONS OF MAUI FOR FY 2003-2004." Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Bukoski, Blundell, Arakaki, Fox, Sonson. Stonebraker, Finnegan, Souki and Ontai. 516 504 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORCE-PLACED INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representatives Halford. Hiraki, Ching, Blundell and Fox. 517 505 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEPHONE SOLICITATION." Introduced hv: Representatives Halford, Blundell, Sonson, Hiraki and Fox. 506 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 518 SUMMARY POSSESSION." Introduced by: Representatives Halford Ching, Blundell, Hiraki and Fox. 507 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS." Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Waters, Takumi, Nakasone and Tamayo.
 - 508 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

509 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Say, Lee and Takamine.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Say, Lee, Kahikina and Takamine.

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

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

513 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

4 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL OFFENDERS."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

515 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee, Luke and Nishimoto.

516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Fox, Herkes, Magaoay, Luke, Lee and Ito.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kahikina, Lee, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Ito, Fox, Herkes and Luke.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kahikina, Lee, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Ito, Fox and Herkes.

519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDER JUSTICE ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kahikina, Lee, Fox, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Luke, Ito and Herkes.

520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Fox.

521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ANNUAL GENERAL EXCISE TAX HOLIDAY."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ENHANCE AGRICULTURAL TOURISM VENUES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Jernigan, Karamatsu, Hiraki, Hale, Takumi, Wakai, Magaoay, Souki and Herkes.

523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Herkes, Evans, Jernigan, Magaoay, Hiraki, Hale, Sonson, Karamatsu, Takumi, Wakai and Souki.

524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Hiraki, Hale, Herkes, Kaho`ohalahala, Wakai, Magaoay, Souki and Karamatsu.

525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABSENTEE VOTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Hale, Hamakawa, Wakai, Magaoay, Souki, Herkes and Karamatsu.

526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME OCCUPATIONS WITHIN AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hale, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Hamakawa, Takamine, Evans, Jernigan, Wakai and Souki.

527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTACHMENT AND EXECUTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, B. Oshiro, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Sonson, Ito, Waters, Takamine, Evans, Jernigan, Wakai, Souki and Hale.

528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hale, Evans, Jernigan, Hiraki, Herkes, Abinsay, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Hamakawa, Takamine, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Wakai and Souki. 529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAVE PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hale, Hiraki, Abinsay, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Hamakawa, Takamine, Evans, Jernigan, Takumi, Wakai and Souki.

530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Waters, Evans, Jernigan, Kahoʻohalahala, Magaoay, Hiraki, Hale, Sonson, Herkes, Takumi, Wakai and Souki.

531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Hale, Herkes, Hamakawa, Kaho`ohalahala, Kawakami, Mindo, Karamatsu, Nishimoto, Wakai, Waters, Shimabukuro and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Luke, Saiki, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Abinsay, Lee, Kanoho, Waters, Ito, Morita, Evans, Herkes, Souki and Nakasone.

533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT ETHICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, B. Oshiro, Lee, Caldwell, Kanoho, Sonson, Waters, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Ito, Hamakawa, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Souki, Karamatsu and Chang.

534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, B. Oshiro, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Waters and Karamatsu.

535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Wakai, Karamatsu, Chang, B. Oshiro and Tamayo.

536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FACILITY REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Waters and Wakai.

537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY TAX INCENTIVES."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz, by request.

539 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REUSABLE RESOURCE CENTER."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

540 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILM INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

541 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

542 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Karamatsu, Schatz, Magaoay, Marumoto, Herkes and Tamayo.

543 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Magaoay, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Karamatsu, Schatz, Marumoto, Herkes and Tamayo.

544 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGANIC LABELING."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Sonson, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Marumoto, Herkes and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Karamatsu, Sonson, Magaoay, Marumoto, Herkes 'and B. Oshiro.

546 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE WATER CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Sonson, Herkes, Magaoay, B. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Schatz, Marumoto, Tamayo and Say.

547 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, B. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Schatz, Magaoay, Marumoto, Herkes and Tamayo.

548 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Magaoay, Sonson, Lee, Kahikina and Say.

549 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIGARETTE AND TOBACCO TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.

550 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF MEDICAL FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

551 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.

555 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 11 and 12) were announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE," was offered by Representative Saiki.

Representative Saiki moved that H.R. No. 11 be adopted, seconded by Representative Lee.

At this time Representative Fox offered Floor Amendment No. 1, amending H.R. No. 11, as follows:

Section 1. House Resolution No. 11 is amended by amending the attached Rules of the House of Representatives to read as follows:

"Rule 2. The Speaker

(15) To, within four session days, refer all bills to committees subject to an appeal to the House. In referring bills to one or more standing committees, the first referral shall be to the standing committee whose area of responsibility as described in Part III of these rules is most closely related to the subject matter contained in the bill being referred. In the case of multiple committee referrals, the Speaker shall name the standing committee referred to in the sentence immediately preceding as the committee for having primary responsibility for making recommendations for action on the bills so referred. However, where more than one standing committee could qualify as the committee having primary responsibility, preference shall be given to the committee having jurisdiction on a statewide, rather than a local, basis.

The chair of a standing committee affected by a referral of a bill, or the Majority or Minority Leader, may appeal the referral to the Speaker within twentyfour hours from the time the referral sheet containing the subject referral is made available to the members of the House. The Speaker shall review the appeal and shall meet with the [chair and the chair(s) of the standing committee(s)]-parties affected by the by the referral to settle their differences. If the Speaker is unable to settle the differences between and among the chairs of the standing committees involved within forty-eight hours after the filing of the appeal, the Speaker shall immediately forward the appeal to the Review Panel which shall make its recommendation to the Speaker within twenty-four hours after receipt of the appeal. If the Speaker shall concur with the recommendation of the Review Panel, the referral of the bill shall stand or the bill shall be re-referred, as the case may be, according to or consistent with the recommendation. If the Speaker disagrees with the recommendation of the Review Panel, the Speaker shall submit reasons in writing in support of the Speaker's decision to the Review Panel and the chairs of the standing committees involved within twentyfour hours of the receipt of the recommendation from the Review Panel. The Speaker's decision shall be the final disposition of the matter.

The Review Panel shall be comprised of the Majority Leader who shall serve as chair, the Vice Speaker, Majority Floor Leader, the Minority Leader and Floor Leader, and the Majority and Minority Whips.

Rule 16. Conference Committee

16.2 The composition of the conference committee shall be as follows:

- (1) The chair of the standing committee having primary responsibility of the subject matter to be resolved shall be the chair of the conference committee on the part of the House. In the absence of the chair of the conference committee, a designee of the chair shall serve as chair.
- (2) The membership of a conference committee shall be on a proportional basis. [In appointing the minority party members, the Speaker shall consult with the minority leadership of the House.] The Speaker shall appoint the majority party members of a conference committee as the Speaker and the chair of such standing committee having primary responsibility of the subject matter shall so mutually agree. The minority party shall designate the minority party members.
- (3) In no event shall the membership of the conference committee include any member who has voted in the negative on adoption of a substantive resolution or has voted in the negative on third reading of a bill which is the subject of the conference committee.

Rule 17. Interim Committee

17.1 Interim committees may be established between regular sessions to accomplish specified objectives and work. The appointment of interim committees shall be completed by the Speaker as soon as practicable.

17.2 The composition of interim committees shall be as follows:

- (1) The chair of the interim committee shall be the chair of the standing committee having primary responsibility, as defined by these Rules over the programs or matters to be considered by the interim committee.
- (2) The membership of the interim committee shall be on a proportional basis. [In appointing the minority party members to the interim committee, the Speaker shall consult with the minority leadership of the House.] The Speaker shall appoint the majority party members of an interim committee as the Speaker and the chair of the interim committee shall so mutually agree. The minority party shall designate the minority party members.
- 17.3 Interim committees may submit interim committee reports from time to time on matters referred to them. The reports shall state findings of facts and conclusions based thereon, together with such recommendations as to the disposal of the matter."

Representative Stonebraker rose and stated:

"Does that motion need a second, Mr. Speaker? I'd like to second that motion."

The Chair responded, stating:

"There is no motion."

Representative Stonebraker then withdrew his second.

Representative Fox then moved that Floor Amendment No. 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Stonebraker.

Representative Fox rose to speak in support of the proposed floor amendment, stating:

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

"Briefly, our proposed changes fall under two categories. One deals with the inequity of the treatment of Minority Members selection to committees. In one part of the Rules, the Standing Committees, the Minority Party has the right to name the minority members. In two other parts of the Rules, the Conference Committees and the Interim Committees, that right is reserve for to you. You are asked to consult with us but the Minority Party is not able to name its own members. So we would just make that consistent, Standing Committees, Conference Committees, Interim Committees, all handled the same way. The Majority picks, you pick the Majority members. The Minority Party picks the Minority members. That is one rule change.

"The second rule change deals with the assignment of bills. There is a Review Committee set up under the rules to review any questionable assignment of bills to committees. The people that appeal to the Rules Committee are the Committee Chairs. We would make two changes. Number one, we would allow both the Majority Leader and the Minority Member to ..."

The Chair interjected, stating:

"Representative Fox, why don't you share with the Members of this House your proposed floor amendments and reference it for all them to follow your train of thought." Representative Fox continued, stating:

"Okay. The discussion that I am entertaining now is the discussion of how we handle the assignment of bills and that is under Rule 2, subparagraph 15. It is the first item for discussion.

"The previous items I referred to, how we handle Conference Committees and Interim Committees are Rule 16 and Rule 17 which follows in the text, the one I am currently discussing, Rule 2, subparagraph 15.

"So the two changes that we will propose to Rule 2, subparagraph 15, are number one, we will allow the Minority and the Majority Leaders to question assignments of bills. That we actually allow any member of the House to question assignment of bills since they could go to their respective Majority and Minority Leaders. They could go to their respective leaders.

"Second, and this is the one that we really find grossly unfair. The Review Panel set up under this process to review the assignment of bills is entirely composed of Majority Party members. There is no Minority Party member on that Review Panel. So we would change that to permit the same leadership from the Minority side to be on that panel. That balances the leadership from the Majority side that is on the panel. The majority would still continue to control the process but we would have a voice. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Saiki rose to speak in opposition to the proposed stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to the floor amendment. I'd just like to begin first of all by clarifying three guiding principles which dictate our legislative procedure, and I think they relate to the floor amendment that was brought forth this morning.

"The first is that the House Rules are already designed with procedural safeguards in place, and many of the issues that are raised in this floor amendment such as referrals and the Review Panel process and appeals, significantly are done in public. There are public decisions made on these issues and I think that is perhaps the most significant safeguard that we have in place within our legislative system. The fact is, that the public can review our decisions, whether it may be a bill referral or an appeal, or a decision of the Review Panel.

"The second principle that applies is that although procedure is important, and I recognize the significance of procedural safeguards and due process and all of those issues, the bottom line, particularly this year for the legislature, is results. The public wants us to produce substantive results this legislative session. The public does not want us to bicker over minutiae and over very small issues that in the end don't matter given our procedural safeguards that are already in place.

"The third principle that I think applies is that our Rules are designed to maximize public input, and to also streamline the legislative process. As we all know the legislature is under very tight time constraints. We are constitutionally mandated to complete our business within a sixty day time period. We have internal and external deadlines that we must follow and our rules are designed to accommodate for all of these timing considerations.

"There are two amendments in particular that the Minority Leader raised today. The first was appointments to Conference Committees and to Interim Committees, and I'll talk first on Conference Committees very briefly. We have already instituted a policy and a practice whereby the Speaker solicits the recommendations of the Minority Leader with respect to Republican conferees. And my understanding is that we have for the most part adopted the recommendations of the Minority Leader. We have given him ample opportunity to make those recommendations and the system worked very well over the past year.

"As far as Interim Committees, Interim Committees are actually quite unique because they are usually created by resolution. They are created by this body and depending on the subject matter or the purpose or the scope of the committee, we really need to retain flexibility in the composition of those committees. If there are particular problems with the type of membership on these Interim Committees then that issue can be addressed at the time that we adopt the resolution creating the respective Interim Committee.

"The second amendment deals with Review Panels, and I am not actually sure if the Review Panel has ever been invoked. To my knowledge it has never been invoked so I am not really sure if there are any problems with that procedure. But the underlying problem, or the underlying issue relating to the Review Panel is really, the bill referral process. That is really the crux of the issue. And I think it is incumbent upon the Chairs of each Committee to ensure that bills are properly referred to their Committees."

Representative Luke rose to yield her time, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Saiki continued, stating:

"Thank you. The legislative process really does rest upon the committee process and we defer and give much flexibility and authority to the Chairs to run their Committees, to shape their agendas, to control the flow of legislation in and out of their Committees. It is incumbent upon the Committee Chairs to safeguard the bill referrals. And actually I think that in practical terms most of the Chairs want to maximize the number of bills that are being referred to their committees. So it is really their responsibility to ensure that the referrals are done appropriately, and timely, and correctly. So for these reasons I would request that we vote down the floor amendment."

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in support of the proposed floor amendment, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to speak in favor of the motion to amend.

"The Majority Leader has laid out kind of three points that he has made in support of opposing these. He said that we already have sufficient procedural safeguards in place and that the public ultimately can oversee everything. But in fact the public's input with regard to many of these things is only theoretical, and not in fact. The public has very little say regarding, for example, referrals.

"I just want to walk the Members through here to make sure the Members understand what it is the Minority Caucus is asking for. We are not asking for special rights. We are not asking for some sort of advantage. We are asking for formalized input. If the input in the past has been appropriate and accepted as the Majority Leader has stated, why not institutionalize that? If we are already doing that why not put that in writing? What is the fear?

"Look at page two where we talk about Rule 15. Again, what we are talking about here is referral of bills, saying that such and such a bill won't be sent to such and such committee.

If you look at the current rules not only is the Review Panel consisting of only majority members, but we have no formal way of appealing because only the Chair of a Standing Committee affected by the referral of a bill may appeal. There is no formal way for the Minority. So what we are asking for if you look at the top line there it says, "... or the Majority or Minority Leader". All we are asking for is a formalized opportunity to be able to view this process.

"Now if you look at that second paragraph there just above Rule 16, Conference Committee, right at the middle of the page. Take a look at that. The Review Panel, composition is listed there all we are asking for is to have input. We are not asking to have members if you count the number of Majority Whips versus Minority Whips, etc. And if you take into consideration that the Majority Leader and the Vice Speaker are there, we don't have the votes. So we are not asking for a controlling number on the Review Panel. We are asking for formalized input is that unreasonable? Are we seeking an unfair advantage? No. We are just asking for a formalized input.

"We began this Legislative Session talking about openness. Part of the openness has to do with making sure a procedure, our procedures and practices, lend themselves to openness. I see no reason why we would formally keep Minority members off of this Review Panel and why would formally keep the Minority Leader from being able to appeal the referral.

"Rule 16 is very straightforward. We talk about efficiency as the Majority Leader has stated. We talk about things being streamlined. We are not going to hold up the process. Right now as the Majority Leader has stated, the Speaker consults with the Minority leader. But at the same time the Speaker can totally disregard. Now Mr. Speaker, you have not done that but we have no guarantee that the current practice and the current Speaker will remain. We have no idea what future Legislatures might do. If we institutionalize this open procedure, this fairness, if we make it part of our House Rules then we have some sense that future legislators will follow the practice and future Legislatures will adopt rules that are similar. Again all we are asking is ..."

Representative Leong rose to yield her time, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton continued, stating:

"Thank you. I am just concluding here. If you look at item 2, paragraph 2, under 16.2, the line we wish to add is, "The minority party shall designate the minority members." That is all. We are not asking for anything special or anything to gain, some tactical advantage. We just want to be able to designate our members.

"So Members, this is about fairness. It is about equity. It about institutionalizing the process of openness and the things that we have been practicing. If we have been doing them in the past what do we have to fear by putting them in writing. So for those reasons I urge the Members to adopt these amendments. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

At this time the Chair made the following announcement:

"At this time Members, please be patient. At this time the Chair will call a recess and we will reconvene after the State of the Judiciary Address."

At 9:55 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess and the House of Representatives stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair, and in accordance with Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, met in Joint Session with the Senate to receive the Chief Justice's State of the Judiciary Address in the Senate Chambers.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003 was called to order at 10:14 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Robert Bunda, President of the Senate.

The Senate President then welcomed and recognized the following honored guests:

Governor Linda Lingle, who was presented a lei by Senator Hogue;

Lt. Governor James R. Aiona, Jr., who was presented a lei by Representative Marumoto; and Mrs. Vivian Aiona, who was presented a lei by Senator Kawamoto;

Mrs. Stella Moon, wife of the Chief Justice, who was presented a lei by Representative Wakai;

Mr. Joseph Han and Mrs. Mary Han, parents of the Chief Justice, who were presented with leis by Senator Aduja and Representative B. Oshiro, respectively; and

Congressman Neil Abercrombie.

President Bunda then appointed Senators Hanabusa, Chun Oakland and Hemmings, and Representatives Lee, Saiki and Fox to escort Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon to the rostrum where he was presented a lei by Senator Kim.

President Bunda then presented to the Members of the Twenty-Second Legislature and the audience, the Chief Justice of the Hawaii Supreme Court, the Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon.

The Chief Justice then addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"Before l begin I would also like to introduce good friends of mine who are here today. They are now residents of Hawaii. Former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Washington State, Richard Guy and his wife Lynne. Thank you for being here. He is the only one that is appropriately dressed, as you can see.

"Being invited here today to talk about the State of the Judiciary reminds me of the CEO who was scheduled to speak at an important convention. He asked one of his employees to write for him a stirring twenty-minute speech. When the CEO returned from the big event, he was furious. He called the employee who had written the speech into his office. "What's the idea of writing me an hour-long speech? He demanded." Half the audience walked out before I finished." The employee was baffled. "I wrote you a twenty minute speech," he replied. "And I also gave you the two extra copies you asked for."

"You will be happy to know that I did not bring with me two extra copies.

"Governor Lingle, Speaker Say, President Bunda, Lieutenant Governor Aiona, distinguished members of the Twenty-Second Legislature, fellow judges and Judiciary employees, distinguished members of the federal bench, my fellow members of the Royal Order of Kamehameha I, other special guests, family, and friends: "It is indeed my privilege and pleasure to be here today to address a Joint Session of the Hawai'i State Legislature. Before I proceed, I would like to extend a special aloha to our new Governor, Linda Lingle, and our new Lieutenant Governor -- and former colleague -- Duke Aiona: Governor Lingle and Lieutenant Governor Aiona we, in the Judiciary, look forward to working collaboratively with you and your administration. 1 thank you for being here today.

"We also look forward to continuing to work together with the many returning legislators, as well as the seven newlyelected senators and thirteen newly-elected representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature. I sincerely appreciate your kind invitation to speak about the state of the Judiciary.

"Ladies and gentlemen -- the state of the Judiciary remains sound due in large part to the efforts of our hard-working Judiciary employees and volunteers. I, therefore, take this opportunity to publicly thank each and every one of our judges and other Judiciary employees for their continuing commitment, dedication, and outstanding work in helping to promote the effective, efficient, and fair administration of justice. To the many volunteers who give unselfishly of their time and talents to help our overburdened staff, we say "mahalo" for your service. Would you please help me acknowledge these hard-working Judiciary employees and volunteers, many of whom are here today, by giving them a round of applause.

"Although the state of the Judiciary is sound, I remain concerned about the public's perception of our justice system. Judging from the results of numerous public opinion polls and surveys, the perception of much of the public seems to be that the justice system is broken. I want to assure you that it is not; however, I recognize that reality is what the public thinks is real. And, often times, the public thinks that the justice system could be 'fixed' if judges would just do what the people want. Such thinking, however, speaks volumes about the need to continue to educate the public about the critical role the Judiciary plays in our democratic form of government.

"During the Constitutional Convention in 1787, James Madison expressed the view that, "If it be essential to the preservation of liberty that the Legislative, Executive, and Judiciary powers be separate, it is essential to a maintenance of the separation that they be independent of each other." Indeed, our Nation's struggle for independence was based on the vision of our founding fathers to establish the principle of "separate, independent, and equal branches of government." However, because of the system of checks and balances, each branch is not totally independent of each other. Nevertheless, the Judiciary must remain independent in the area of deciding cases.

"In the decision-making arena, an independent judiciary means that its judges must make decisions based solely on the facts of a case and the applicable law, not on popular opinion polls or surveys, or the views of special interest groups. An independent judiciary enables judges to protect and enforce the rights of the people, without regard to the race, creed, or the social and economic status of the individuals or entities involved, and without fear of reprisal. Our system of government will surely be placed in serious jeopardy if judges are perceived as formulating their decisions in response to political pressure or the perceived majority opinion of the moment.

"The importance of preserving an independent Judiciary cannot be overstated. One need only examine the efforts of any foreign country seeking to establish a democracy. In many instances, the judiciaries in these countries are controlled by the Executive Branch and the outcome of cases is controlled not by the facts of the case and the applicable law, but by the powers that be. I visited China in November 1999 and have interacted closely with lawyers and judges from China and other parts of the world who come to study the court systems in Hawai'i and on the mainland. Significantly, the aspect of our democracy that they admire and desire the most is the concept of an honest, independent judge.

"Today, due to the advancements in technology and communication, the Judiciary and its operations are far more visible and subject to much greater public scrutiny than in the past. Controversial issues garner attention much faster and provoke comment more quickly than when the founding fathers envisioned our tripartite government. In a world saturated with media coverage, inaccurate information about judges and judicial decisions often serve as the catalyst for unwarranted and unfair attacks on judges. Please don't misunderstand me --I do not mean to infer that judges are above criticism or that it is wrong to disagree with a court's ruling. To the contrary, we welcome and respect informed criticism, which is part of our great American legal tradition. What causes great concern is the type of uninformed, emotionally- or politically-based criticisms that we read in letters to the editor, editorials, columns and news stories or hear about on radio and television talk shows.

"To enhance the public's perception of our justice system, it is critical that, first, we in the Judiciary, make decisions in accordance with the facts of the case and the applicable law and, second, that the Judiciary, the Executive, and Legislature work together to address popular misconceptions of the courts. Without public confidence in an independent Judiciary, court orders and judgments would be rendered meaningless, legislative intent would be undermined, chaos would reign, and our system of government will surely deteriorate.

"With all due respect, I wish to take a moment to clarify a reference made by Governor Lingle in her State of the State Address yesterday regarding a Supreme Court decision because the Governor's comment underscores just what I have been talking about. Governor Lingle, referring to an employer's fear of taking personnel action against an employee who has done something wrong because it may lead to a workers' compensation claim, stated:

"Recently, a worker was fired for stealing. The Hawaii Supreme Court ruled that he could receive compensation for the stress he felt from getting fired for stealing. This is exactly the kind of nonsense that has caused so many businesses to steer clear of Hawaii."

"Unfortunately, whoever provided the Governor with the information regarding the Supreme Court's ruling was totally wrong. And, to the extent that the reference undermined the legislature, which crafted our workers' compensation statutes, or the Supreme Court, which interprets those laws, I know -based on my telephone call to Governor Lingle last night -- that was never her intent. I informed her -- and she acknowledged -- that the Supreme Court has never ruled that an employee fired for stealing can receive workers' compensation for the stress related to being fired for stealing. I also informed her that the 1998 Legislature specifically declared -- through its amendment to the workers' compensation statute -- that a claim for mental stress resulting solely from disciplinary action taken in good faith by an employer shall not be allowed and that the Supreme Court has consistently held such claims to be noncompensatory.

"Governor Lingle understands that I mean no ill-will towards her by taking this time to clarify the erroneous reference made in her address yesterday. She graciously acknowledged the error and indicated that she felt badly if her reference impugned the Judiciary in any way. I sincerely thank her for her candor and professionalism. This recent incident -- even though unintended -- illustrates the importance of the public receiving accurate information in order to avoid formulating misconceptions about our justice system.

"Addressing misconceptions of the courts begins with focusing on helping our citizens develop a more informed awareness and understanding of the concept of an independent judiciary, which I believe is the key to engendering a more favorable public perception of our justice system. However, the public's perception of the Judiciary is not always gleaned from court rulings and judicial decisions. Sometimes, public perception is based very simply on who they meet when they come into contact with the courts. We have one such person with us today.

"When you see or hear his name, you may not associate him with the Judiciary -- for his original claim to fame is that of being a star member of the famed Chaminade basketball team that, on December 23, 1982, achieved one of the greatest upsets in college basketball history by defeating the University of Virginia, then the number one collegiate basketball team in the nation. Leading the underdog-Silverswords to victory was sixfoot-six Tony Randolph, who had the awesome task of guarding Virginia's seven-foot-four All-American Ralph Sampson.

"Twenty-years later, Tony is still a champion of the underdog. Today, however, Tony's 'guarding' duties center around Hawai'i's youth. As a juvenile detention worker at Hale Ho'omalu for nine years and a Family Court juvenile counselor at Home Maluhia for five years, Tony is a powerful role model with a gift for building rapport with troubled youth. Drawing from his own life experiences Tony is able to effectively communicate with his kids because they know he's 'for real'.

"Tony lost both his parents within a year of each other at the age of eleven and is the first to admit that he struggled with his hardships during his youth. Of the children he counsels, Tony says, "I tend to see a lot of myself in them, in their challenges and their adversity." He helps them identify their strengths and to focus on the positives. He encourages them to obtain a good education and instills in them the importance of good manners, productive work, honest relationships, and civic involvement. And, when they succeed, Tony says, "That's the fulfillment and joy in doing the counseling." In addition to his counseling job at the family court, Tony volunteers as a basketball coach at Palolo Elementary's A-Plus Program, where the kids adore him.

"Ladies and gentlemen -- l am pleased to introduce to you an individual who makes a positive contribution towards the public's perception of the courts on a daily basis -- Mr. Tony Randolph.

"The public's perception of the Judiciary is also affected by whether the public believes the courts are helping our citizenry in concrete ways. As you know, substance abuse, mental illness, and other social problems are closely bound to the problems of crime and community safety. Recognizing that offenders who experience these problems will ultimately return to our communities, we began exploring ways to effectively address those problems by combining court supervision with the application of treatment and other resources as alternatives to incarceration -- practices that are sometimes referred to as intermediate sanctions.

"Over the past five years, the Judiciary has achieved great success and learned important lessons regarding the effective use of intermediate sanctions through its drug court initiative. Based on the success of Oahu's Adult Drug Court Program and with your assistance, we have now implemented adult drug court programs on Maui and the Big Island. Efforts are underway to begin a program on Kaua'i. Hawai'i's drug court program has successfully treated hundreds of non-violent offenders addicted to drugs. These programs have restored individuals to full, productive lives and, at the same time, saved the State the considerable expense that would have been incurred had these individuals been incarcerated, including the added expense of likely re-incarceration without drug court intervention. We are proud of the Hawai'i drug court program's recidivism rate, which is markedly below the reported national average of thirty percent.

"Hawai'i is also one of the few states that has a family drug court program. Our Family Drug Court Program began accepting clients in May of last year, working closely with families whose parents are at risk of losing their children due to their substance abuse problems. Operationally, the program provides a coherent, integrated response to help parents break the cycle of addiction and child abuse through close monitoring by the court and child protective services case managers. We are grateful for the Legislature's assistance in helping us establish our Family Drug Court Program.

"The success of our adult drug court programs has paved the way for the creation of a drug court program for juvenile offenders. This past September, the Hawai'i Juvenile Drug Court Program held its first commencement ceremony for eight juvenile offenders. And, although I wish I could say that every single one of them has remained drug free, I recognize -- as I'm sure you can too -- that the real world of a former drug user is filled with significant challenges on a daily basis. At times, in spite of everyone's best efforts, drug court graduates succumb to the temptation -- albeit with less frequency than those who did not have the benefit of a treatment program. Drug court clients and their families are prepared for this possibility, but recognize that a momentary set back does not negate or minimize the great strides they have made. In fact, a momentary set back often becomes a significant step forward because it instills a deeper commitment and greater motivation to remain drug free.

"One such graduate was admitted to the juvenile drug court program one year prior to the commencement ceremony. Before entering the program, she had a history of offenses ranging from being a runaway to using drugs. She began smoking marijuana up to four times a day, but her drug use soon escalated to ecstasy and then to crystal methamphetamine.

"She was first arrested at the age of twelve, and, since the age of fifteen, had received probationary, mental health, and outpatient substance abuse services before coming to drug court. But, she continued to test positive on drug screenings. Prior to entering the program, her grade point average had dipped as low as 1.0, and she had difficulty attending school on a regular basis.

"After admission into the drug court program and for nearly one year, she and her family received in-house multi-systemic therapy, intensive probationary services, direct and frequent contact with the juvenile drug court judge, graduated incentives, and -- when needed -- sanctions. While in the program, she had no arrests and passed every drug screening test. By the time of her drug court graduation, she was attending school on a regular basis, had been promoted to the next grade, and had received mainly A's in her classes. Major positive changes have occurred in her family as well.

"After graduating from drug court, she had a momentary set back; however, she is more determined than ever to remain drug free. She continues to be a productive high school student and is now closer than ever to her mother. Our drug court staff continues to provide the support and encouragement necessary to optimize her efforts to remain a productive citizen free from drug use.

"I am proud to introduce to you juvenile drug court graduate Ms. Raley and her mother, Patricia Raley. Will you please join me in acknowledging their tremendous courage and accomplishments.

"The effectiveness of treatment interventions coupled with court supervision, such as we have experienced with our various drug court programs, has served as the catalyst for the Judiciary's exploration of other intermediate sanction strategies. Because of the growing number of cases involving defendants suffering from a mental illness or disability, we want to establish a mental health court in Hawai'i. Therefore, the Judiciary recently submitted a grant proposal application to the Bureau of Justice Assistance, seeking funds to initiate a demonstration project to establish a mental health court within the existing framework of the district, family, and circuit court and will not require special legislation. We are awaiting word from Washington, D.C. regarding our request and remain optimistic that a favorable response will allow us to expand the use of intermediate sanctions.

"Also, after two years of planning and input from the criminal justice system and community stakeholders, I appointed the Interagency Council on Intermediate Sanctions in January of last year. The Council represents the statewide criminal justice system, the Department of Health, and other entities, all of which are committed to reducing the adult offender recidivism rate by thirty per cent. A five-year plan that involves treatment provides, community agencies, families, and all elements of the corrections system has improved how we assess offenders and what information we use to change offender behavior. We are grateful for the commitment and continuing assistance of the National Institute of Corrections, which provides important technical assistance, training, and other resources to state and local criminal justice systems.

"It is our hope that the Legislature and the public are pleased with the processes we have implemented in our efforts to establish 'problem-solving' courts while still maintaining the traditional courts for appropriate cases. However, if the Judiciary is to truly serve the people, it must also be technologically sound. At the core of our strategic technological vision is an integrated case management system, which we refer to as the Judiciary Information Management System, or JIMS. The objective of our JIMS project is to implement a modern, integrated computer-based case management system that will facilitate communications, eliminate duplication, and provide information-sharing on a statewide basis. JIMS will replace all of the current disparate case management systems, as well as all of the various trust fund fiscal systems which should be, but are not, tied to the current case management system. Our court technology committee has been working diligently over the past year on this very important project. Ultimately, the benefits reaped through the new system will translate into improved public safety, increased efficiency in court operations, and better service to the public. We respectfully ask for the Legislature's support in enhancing this absolutely critical initiative.

"Notwithstanding all of the projects and initiatives I've mentioned thus far, we recognize that, if our citizenry is to develop a full appreciation and understanding of the workings of the court, we need to be more open and communicative about the work of the court. In that end, the Judiciary has initiated reforms intended to let the sun shine in. For example, we established court concierge stations at our busiest district and family courts to answer questions from court users. The Judiciary also continues with its education and outreach efforts to inform the public about the critical role of the Judiciary in our democratic society. We are proud of the work of the King Kamehameha the Fifth Judiciary History Center. As state coordinator for programs of the National Center for Civic Education, such as Project Citizen and We the People, the Judiciary's History Center, over the past two years, has provided specialized civics education training to 46 teachers from 32 schools, including 12 schools on the neighbor islands. I've received numerous letters of appreciation from teachers who have completed the training, echoing the sentiments of Mr. Dean Kajihiro, a teacher at Waianae High School, who wrote:

"[The *We the People* curriculum] addresses the essential pillars upon which our country stands, and the students need to learn it. They need to know about the founding principles of our government beyond just how it functions. They need to know it and believe in it if our nation is to carry on as a democracy.

". . . [The curriculum] is outstanding compared to the other textbooks I've seen, and it fulfilled a critical component of what I thought was needed by future U.S. citizens. . . [O]ne [student] is [now] thinking of becoming a lawyer or a law maker in the future; another had a total change of heart from "that evil government" to "Wow, the people really have the power in our government!" and "We have a lot of freedom, don't we?" Such comments are music to my ears.

"It is estimated that these teachers have already taught the concepts and principles learned through this training to over 5,000 students. We hope that these students will reflect the kinds of results seen in studies conducted by the Center for Civic Education. Results indicate that *We the People* students were more knowledgeable across virtually every measured aspect of civic education than were other national samples of high school seniors, college freshmen, and adults. They were less critical about politics and public officials and participate in politics at a higher rate than did their peers.

"We are also proud of the Judiciary's creation of a prototype lesson plan that was presented to Department of Education Superintendent Patricia Hamamoto during Law Week activities this past year. The lesson plan is designed to help teachers educate students about separation of powers and the importance of a fair, impartial, and independent judiciary. In addition, we presented to the Hawai'i State Bar Association a speaker's kit that will assist lawyers in informing the public about the critical role the Judiciary plays in our justice system. We are grateful that the Bar has agreed to join the judges in their ongoing educational efforts.

"Both the lesson plan and the speaker's kit incorporate the use of a video, entitled *Broken Scales: Justice Under Influence*, which was produced by the Hawai'i Chapter of the American Board of Trial Advocates and presented to the Judiciary to utilize in its ongoing outreach efforts. Through a role-playing scenario, the video depicts a man's journey through a nightmare world where one of the cornerstones of democracy -- judicial independence -- has crumbled. He awakens to a new understanding of and greater appreciation for an independent judiciary. We are pleased that the video and lesson plans have now been distributed to all public and private intermediate and senior high schools throughout the State for use by civics and social studies teachers.

"Our efforts, however, mean nothing if people do not have trust in the Judiciary. And, we understand that trust is based, in part, on an open Judiciary, which means it must have some degree of transparency. I, therefore, also want to announce today that, this year, we will co-sponsor -- with the Hawai'i State Bar Association -- a bench/bar/media conference on transparency. The Conference will identify the main areas where more openness is needed and how we can best achieve this result within the limits of existing law and applicable ethical rules.

"This morning, I started my address by discussing the importance of the Judiciary remaining independent. I want to end by acknowledging our inter-connectivity. Although each branch of government is separate and independent, we are also connected in that we share a mutual quest for excellence in government. In that regard, when the State faces a challenge, the Judiciary must do its part in helping to meet that challenge - which today is our current economic situation. I pledge to you that we will be taking a hard look at the Judiciary's current budget situation with a serious eye towards restricting monies from our current budget as well as withdrawing some of our biennium budget requests. Clearly, separate and independent does not mean uncooperative and -- together -- I believe we will meet the challenge.

"Ladies and gentlemen -- We are all partners in this great enterprise of representative government and are all journeying on the same path. Our roles and responsibilities are different, but our goals are similar. In one particular case, our goal is identical -- and, that is, to serve the people of this great state to the best of our ability. We, in the Judiciary, remain committed to applying the rule of law through impartial and independent decision-making.

"On behalf of all of the dedicated employees of the Judiciary, we pledge our continued support and look forward to working collaboratively with each of you. I thank you very much for having me and for your attention."

Speaker Say then rose and stated:

"Chief Justice Moon, distinguished guests. Ending on a very jovial note, l believe the C.J. read two and a half copies.

"On a more serious note. C.J. Moon, on behalf of the State Senate, the State House, and the general public at large, thank you very much for a very eloquent and educational Address stating what the Judiciary Branch is all about. Yes, your independency is a tremendous part of what we have here in the State of Hawaii. Yes, the success stories of these two young individuals, Mr. Randolph and Ms. Raley – it is these types of programs that the Judiciary initiates that the Legislature and the public should be very, very proud of.

"If there is no other business at this time I declare this Joint Session adjourned."

At 10:58 o'clock a.m., Speaker Say declared the Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives adjourned.

RECONVENE

At 11:13 o'clock a.m., the House of Representatives reconvened with the Speaker presiding.

The Chair then announced:

"Members, prior to the recess we were in a floor debate in regards to Floor Amendment No. 1. At this time, the Chair will entertain further discussion whereby the Chair recognizes Representative Stonebraker.

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in support of the proposed floor amendment, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support of the amendment. The House Rules are extremely effective and they do reflect the tone and the direction of our State Legislature. Today the papers were filled with all kinds of warm-hearted intentions of the Majority Party and various other parties to work with our new Governor and her Administration. Within a framework of fairness, openness and honesty, we as a Minority Party and the people of Hawaii are extremely grateful. And so because the House Rules reflect the spirit and tone of this Body it is only fair that these amendments are adopted.

"In reference to the bill referral to Committee, we have seen in times past where it is has failed to meet its proper function. For example, last year I believe the physician assisted suicide bill failed to go to the Health Committee. And whether or not you are for or against that particular bill, the fact is that it failed to go to the Health Committee. A bill that has to do with doctors, patients, prescriptions, pain, drugs and so forth failing to go Health Committee is a grave error, no pun intended, for the bill referral committee.

"So in the spirit of bipartisanship let's give these amendments their due recognition, their chance. The people of Hawaii deserve it. And in that regard the Minority Caucus in the State Legislature represents over 330,000 people today and in the spirit of fairness and bipartisanship I believe that those people's voices should be heard, and therefore I stand in support of these amendments. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the proposed floor amendment, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. 1 am rising in support of the amendment. Just two days ago we celebrated Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday and of course he always talked about not discriminating. And I think no discrimination should be tolerated. Well, I believe that without making the changes to this amendment we are discriminating. We're discriminating against the Minority. It happens to be the Minority Party in this Chamber. But I am speaking not only as a member of the Minority Party but as a true minority member of society, one of only two in this Chamber, so I know what discrimination is. And believe me Mr. Speaker, this is discrimination.

"Now we heard from the Majority Leader that this was minutiae. I object to the term. This is not minutiae. This is real. This is meaningful. This would also open up this process.

"As you said, as other Members have said, the public is involved. We all know full well the public doesn't even know what happens here in the first few days of this Session. They don't know where these bills are referred. We have seen in the past that bills that at least this Party believes are important, were relegated to many, many, many hearings and Committees, and therefore they never get through the process in the short time we have. These are meaningful and important bills to us.

"I want to remind you that these rules change will not help Republicans. The wording in the rule change is 'minority' and I need to caution the Members of the other side that someday these rules may help you and protect you. So please Mr. Speaker, favorably consider these changes."

At this time, Representative Bukoski requested a roll call vote at the appropriate time.

Representative Jernigan rose to speak in support of the proposed floor amendment, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support of the amendments. Without these amendments we are ignoring the voters and all the new freshman that campaigned on change and

fairness and openness of government. Without these amendments we are supporting the status quo. Thank you very much."

The request for a roll call vote was put to vote by the Chair and upon a show of hands, the roll call vote was approved.

Roll call having been approved, the motion that Floor Amendment No. 1, amending H.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE," be adopted was put to vote by the Chair and failed to carry on the following show of Noes and Ayes:

Noes, 33: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Mindo, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Schatz, Sonson, Souki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tamayo, Wakai and Waters.

Ayes, 15: Representatives Blundell, Bukoski, Ching, Finnegan, Fox, Halford, Jernigan, Leong, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Ontai, Pendleton, Stonebraker and Thielen.

Excused, 3: Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

MAIN MOTION

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE," was adopted with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Shimabukuro being excused.

H.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE HOUSE ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL MANUAL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE," was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Fox.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, H.R. No. 12 was adopted, with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Shimabukuro being excused.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:21 o'clock a.m., on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourn until 12:00 o'clock noon, Friday, January 24, 2003. (Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Shimabukuro were excused.)

SIXTH DAY

Friday, January 24, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Bud Stonebraker, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Evans, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala and Kanoho 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 MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 139 through 142) were received and announced by the Clerk were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 139, transmitting the report on expenditures to pay unemployment compensation claims of former State employees.

Gov. Msg. No. 140, transmitting the Annual Reports on all Special, Trust, and Revolving Fund Transaction Carried Out Over the Previous Fiscal Year.

Gov. Msg. No. 141, transmitting the Criteria for the Establishment & Continuance of Administratively Established Accounts & Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 142, transmitting the Aloha Tower Development Corporation's Annual Report for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2002.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Lee introduced student 'shadows' from Russia and the Independent States participating in the Freedom Support Act Program.

Ms. Liliya Matveyeva of the Ukraine shadowing Representative Hale;

Ms. Leyla Dadashova of Azerbaijan shadowing Representative Kahikina;

Mr. Nickolay Alutin of Russia shadowing Representative Morita;

Ms. Hasmik Gharibyan of Armenia shadowing Representative Nishimoto;

Ms. Maryna Sytnik of the Ukraine shadowing Representative Ontai;

Ms. Olena Voloshyna of the Ukraine shadowing Representative Pendleton;

Mr. Ruslan Sanakulov of Turkmenistan shadowing Representative Tamayo; and

Mr. Marat Yelemesov of Kazakhstan shadowing Representative Lee.

Representative Pendleton introduced his friends, Mr. Josue Rosada, Principal at the Hawaii Mission Academy, and Pastor Jose Rojas.

Representative Kahikina introduced his student intern, Ms. Aeza Bolo of the University of Hawaii at Manoa.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 372 through 555) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B. Nos. Referred to:

- 372 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on
- 373 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 374 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 375 Committee on Judiciary

Finance

- 376 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 377 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 383 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 384 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 385 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

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- 386 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 402 Committee on Finance
- 403 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 404 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 405 Committee on Finance
- 406 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 407 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 408 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 409 Committee on Judiciary
- 410 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 411 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 412 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 413 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 414 Committee on Finance
- 415 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 416 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 417 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 418 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 419 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 420 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 421 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 422 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 423 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 424 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 429 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

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- 435 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 436 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 437 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 438 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 439 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 440 'Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 441 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 442 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 443 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 444 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 445 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 446 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 447 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 448 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 449 Committee on Finance
- 450 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 451 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 452 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

- 453 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 454 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 455 Committee on Finance
- 456 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 457 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 458 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 459 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 460 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 461 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 462 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 463 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 464 Committee on Finance
- 465 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
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- 470 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 471 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 472 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 473 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 474 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 475 Committee on Legislative Management, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 476 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 477 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 478 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 479 Committee on Finance
- 480 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 481 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 482 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 483 Committee on Judiciary
- 484 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 485 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 486 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 487 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 488 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 489 Committee on Finance
- 490 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 491 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 492 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary

- 493 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 494 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 495 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 496 Committee on International Affairs
- 497 Committee on International Affairs
- 498 Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 499 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 500 Committee on Judiciary
- 501 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 502 Committee on Judiciary
- 503 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 504 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 505 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 506 Committee on Judiciary
- 507 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 508 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 509 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 512 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 513 Committee on Finance
- 514 Committee on Judiciary
- 515 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 519 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 520 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 521 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 522 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 523 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 524 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 525 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 526 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 527 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 528 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 529 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 530 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 531 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 532 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 535 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 541 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 542 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 543 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 544 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 545 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 546 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs
- 547 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 548 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 549 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 550 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 551 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 552 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 553 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 554 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 555 Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B.</u>

Nos. Re-referred to:

- 114 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 123 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 245 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 248 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 260 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

The following resolutions and concurrent resolutions were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R. Nos. Re-referred to:

- 8 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 9 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

<u>H.C.R.</u>

Nos. <u>Re-referred to:</u>

- 5 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 6 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 7 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 556 through 1691) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representative Halford was excused.)

H. B. Nos.

556 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEER SUPPORT COUNSELING SESSIONS."

Introduced by:

Representative Saiki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Nishimoto.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Nishimoto.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Nishimoto.

560 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Nishimoto.

561 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Nishimoto.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Mindo, Nishimoto, Caldwell, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Kaho'ohalahala, Wakai, Tamayo, Evans and Karamatsu.

563 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Mindo, Nishimoto, Caldwell, Shimabukuro, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Tamayo, Sonson, Karamatsu and Wakai.

564 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROMOTION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Nishimoto, Caldwell, Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Sonson, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Wakai, Mindo, Evans and Karamatsu.

565 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Takumi and Hale.

566 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Nishimoto and Takumi. 567 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDRAISERS AND FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

569 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

571 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EIGHTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Leong.

572 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOPROSPECTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Morita, and M. Oshiro.

573 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Mindo, Sonson, and B. Oshiro.

574 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 1, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ALLOW COUNTIES TO CREATE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Mindo, B. Oshiro, Hamakawa and Evans.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Mindo, Sonson, B. Oshiro and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Mindo, B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

577 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Mindo, Sonson, Hamakawa, B. Oshiro and Evans.

578 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

579 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

580 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

581 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHARK FEEDING."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

582 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROXIES."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request.

583 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

585 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

586 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

587 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

588 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

589 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMED CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request.

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

591 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HURRICANE RESERVE TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki, by request.

592 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAVES OF ABSENCE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

593 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

595 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

596 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL."

> Introduced by: Representatives Blundell, Bukoski, Kaho'ohalahala, Halford, Souki and Nakasone.

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

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

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

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

602 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Waters, Shimabukuro, Caldwell, Sonson, Herkes, Mindo, Karamatsu, Nishimoto, Wakai, Kawakami and Evans.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Evans, Herkes and Hamakawa.

605 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLOSURE OF MUNICIPAL FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Evans, Hamakawa and Herkes.

606 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

609 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

610 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

611 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

612 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPROVING END-OF-LIFE CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee and Arakaki.

613 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE RATE REGULATION."

Introduced by: Representative Lee, by request.

614 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY INVESTMENT TAX CREDITS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Schatz, Caldwell, Kaho`ohalahala, Thielen, Wakai, Hale and Waters.

615 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

616 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STRIKES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

617 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Waters, Takumi, Caldwell, Tamayo and Takamine.

618 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton, by request.

619 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FINANCING OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Pendleton.

620 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Jernigan, Takumi, Herkes and Takamine.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Fox, Leong, Blundell, Stonebraker, Finnegan and Meyer.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Leong, Ching and Marumoto.

623 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL BIRTH ABORTIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Stonebraker, Leong, Finnegan, Ching and Meyer.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Fox, Blundell, Stonebraker, Leong, Finnegan, Ching and Meyer. 625 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS TO INCARCERATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

626 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNT CONTRIBUTION TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.

627 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF PARENTS AND GUARDIANS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki.

628 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Kawakami, Arakaki and Hale.

629 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVEYANCE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki and Kawakami.

630 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami, Finnegan, Ching, Arakaki and Hale.

631 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAIIAN IMMERSION PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Kawakami, Arakaki, Bukoski and Morita.

632 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Kawakami and Takumi.

633 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Ontai, Kawakami, Bukoski, Arakaki and Morita.

634 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WAIANAE COAST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

635 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

636 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

637 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MULLET FISHING."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Kanoho and Bukoski.

638 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

639 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE COURT RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

640 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE LOSS MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

641 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

645 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto and Say.

646 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

647 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

648 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY LEASE CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

649 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REQUIRED GREASE INTERCEPTORS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Herkes.

651 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMED CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

652 "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.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

654 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

655 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREDIT CARDS."

656 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTRUCTION RESOURCES RESEARCH CENTER."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

657 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Wakai.

658 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kanoho.

659 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE JOURNALS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

660 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

661 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE SALVAGE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

662 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII SPORTS HALL OF FAME."

> Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Say, Waters and Nishimoto.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Meyer, Blundell, Sonson, Moses, Leong, Marumoto, Tamayo, Fox, Arakaki and Ontai.

664 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL QUARANTINE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Stonebraker, Finnegan, Meyer, Blundell, Marumoto, Fox, Sonson, Moses, Leong, Ontai, Arakaki, Souki and Herkes.

665 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

666 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

667 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS SERVING THE MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Kawakami and Arakaki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

670 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

671 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUEST."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Kawakami and Arakaki.

673 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO QUALIFIED IMPROVEMENT TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

674 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Arakaki and Kawakami.

675 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PREVENT CONDEMNATION OF TRUST LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Sonson, Morita and Kawakami.

676 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Takai.

677 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Morita and Takai.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Lee, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Waters, Hale, Takumi, Arakaki, and B. Oshiro.

679 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL ZONES."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Lee, Hale, Ito, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Hiraki, Nakasone, Waters, Nishimoto, Arakaki, Takumi, and B. Oshiro.

680 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Lee, M. Oshiro, Ito, Hale, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Kanoho, Arakaki, Sonson, Hiraki and Waters.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Schatz, B. Oshiro, Luke, Lee, Hale, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Hiraki, Nakasone, Ito, Nishimoto, Takumi, Arakaki and Kanoho.

682 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PREVENT CRYSTAL METHAMPHETAMINE USE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Schatz, Luke, Lee, Nishimoto, Sonson, Evans, Waters, Arakaki, Hale, Ito, Takumi, M. Oshiro, Hiraki, and B. Oshiro.

683 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILM."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Tamayo, Shimabukuro, Waters, M. Oshiro, Arakaki, B. Oshiro, Ito, Sonson, Schatz, Takumi, Nishimoto, Lee, Luke, Hiraki and Hale.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Tamayo, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, Waters, Arakaki, Lee, Sonson, Hiraki, Hale, Ito, Takumi, and B. Oshiro.

685 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, Waters, Tamayo, Lee, Sonson, Takumi, Hiraki, Hale, Ito, Nishimoto, Arakaki, and B. Oshiro.

686 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS HIGH TECHNOLOGY EMPLOYMENT TAX CREDIT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Tamayo, Luke, Lee, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Hiraki, Hale, Ito, Waters, Nishimoto, Takumi and Arakaki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Tamayo, Shimabukuro, Schatz, Hale, B. Oshiro, Chang, Magaoay, Luke, Lee, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Hiraki, Ito, Waters, Takumi and Arakaki.

688 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKS OF ART IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Chang, Tamayo, Shimabukuro, Schatz, Lee, Ito, Luke, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Hale, Takumi, Waters, Hiraki and Arakaki.

689 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE FRIENDS OF WAIPAHU CULTURAL GARDEN PARK."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Tamayo, Lee, M. Oshiro, Nakasone, Sonson, Ito, Takumi, Hiraki, Hale, and B. Oshiro.

690 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROMOTION OF HIGH TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRIES IN HAWAII."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Magaoay, Hale, Chang, Tamayo, Luke, Lee, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Arakaki, Nishimoto, Hiraki, Ito, Waters and Takumi.

691 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Tamayo, Luke, Lee, Hiraki, Hale, Nakasone, Ito, Waters, Nishimoto, Arakaki, and B. Oshiro.

692 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Hale, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Arakaki and Kanoho.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Tamayo, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, Mindo and Karamatsu.

694 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CUSTODIAL INTERFERENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Tamayo, Mindo, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro and Abinsay.

695 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AUDITOR."

Introduced by: Representative Magaoay.

696 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN REFORM."

Introduced by: Representative Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Karamatsu, Herkes, Nakasone, Sonson, Mindo, Kawakami, Abinsay, Schatz, Nishimoto, and B. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Finnegan, Ito, Sonson, Chang, Kanoho, Souki, Herkes, Lee, and B. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Ito, Mindo, Caldwell, Moses, Souki, Nakasone, and M. Oshiro.

700 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HALEIWA PSYCHOLOGICAL REHABILITATION CENTER."

> Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Hale, Morita, Mindo, Karamatsu, Nakasone, Moses and Takumi.

701 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Ito, Mindo, Takumi, Arakaki, Nakasone, Hale, Karamatsu, Wakai, Kawakami, Waters and Nishimoto.

702 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF GRANT WRITING."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Mindo, Nakasone, Karamatsu, Wakai, Kawakami, Waters and Nishimoto.

703 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kanoho, Luke, B. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Ito, Herkes, Sonson, Souki, Wakai, Chang and Lee.

704 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chang, Karamatsu, Abinsay, Schatz, Luke, B. Oshiro and Sonson.

705 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ANALYST."

> Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Luke, Kawakami, Karamatsu, Waters and Nakasone.

706 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST THE PERSON."

Introduced by: Representative Lee.

707 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

708 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECALL OF LEGISLATORS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Luke, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Karamatsu, Tamayo, Kanoho, Ito, Chang and Hamakawa.

709 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION LIMITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Luke, B. Oshiro, Evans, Tamayo, Kanoho, Ito, Souki, Sonson, Chang and Hamakawa.

710 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER FOR GRANTS AND PUBLIC FUNDING."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Hale, Tamayo, Luke and Waters.

711 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE AND ELDER WELLNESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Arakaki, Hale, Tamayo, Waters, Luke and Sonson.

712 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

713 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Saiki.

715 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SENIOR HOUSING SECURITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Magaoay, Schatz, Ontai, Herkes, Wakai, B. Oshiro, Karamatsu and Sonson.

716 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR BIOREMEDIATION RESEARCH."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Magaoay, Herkes, Marumoto, Schatz, Sonson, Wakai, B. Oshiro and Karamatsu.

717 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Kanoho, Magaoay, Herkes, Wakai, Schatz, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Marumoto and Karamatsu.

718 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII DROUGHT PLAN."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Magaoay, Herkes, Marumoto, Sonson, Wakai, Ontai, Schatz, B. Oshiro and Karamatsu.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Magaoay, Sonson, Herkes, Marumoto, Wakai, Ontai, Schatz, B. Oshiro and Karamatsu.

720 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Ching, Ontai, Pendleton, Leong, Stonebraker, Blundell and Thielen.

721 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMBULANCE SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Arakaki and Souki.

722 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Blundell, Moses, Souki, M. Oshiro, Pendleton and Ito.

723 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INITIATIVE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Fox, Arakaki and Magaoay.

724 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Blundell, Moses, Meyer, Ching, Finnegan and Ontai.

725 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, and M. Oshiro.

726 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, and M. Oshiro.

727 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Say.

728 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY HEALTH INSURANCE FOR UNEMPLOYED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Say.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

730 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Arakaki and Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Hiraki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Takumi.

733 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.

734 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.

735 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Arakaki.

736 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Hamakawa.

737 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN WATER."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Evans, Thielen, Schatz, Morita, Caldwell and Kanoho.

738 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

739 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Luke, Lee and Hamakawa.

740 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL LITTERING."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Wakai, Ito, Thielen and Pendleton.

741 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Caldwell, Schatz, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, Ito, Karamatsu, Takamine, Wakai and Thielen.

742 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Caldwell, Schatz, B. Oshiro, Wakai, Ito, Thielen and Pendleton.

743 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, B. Oshiro, Kanoho, Thielen, Say and Evans.

744 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Shimabukuro, Thielen and Wakai.

745 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNER'S LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

746 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY FOR COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

747 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE." Introduced by: Representative Say, by

request.

748 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

750 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

751 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MASS MAILINGS BY LEGISLATORS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

752 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE STATE ETHICS CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

753 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

755 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABSENTEE VOTING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

757 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING RECORDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

758 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRIMARY ELECTION DATE."

759 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

760 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING RIGHTS OF FELONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

761 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

762 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION HEARINGS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

763 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ANTONE VIDINHA STADIUM COMPLEX, WAIMEA HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT SWIMMING POOL, AND WAILUA HOUSELOTS DRAINAGE FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

765 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNER'S LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

766 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITED LIABILITY FOR COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

767 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING COUNTIES FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

768 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRANCHISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

769 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION FEE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

772 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

773 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

775 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

776 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

777 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

779 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

780 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

781 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

782 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO E911 AND 311 TELEPHONE SURCHARGES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

783 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALLOWANCE ON SERVICE RETIREMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

784 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBPOENAS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

785 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

786 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURE OF EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES AND PROCEDURE ON ARREST."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POSSESSION OF STOLEN PROPERTY." Introduced by: Representative Say, by

request.

791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRING RANGES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

796 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURGLARY IN THE FIRST DEGREE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

797 "A BILL' FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GAMBLING OFFENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

799 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROPERTY DAMAGE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

801 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE XVII OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION."

- 802 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER HAWAII REVISED 711. STATUTES." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 803 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS, AMMUNITION, AND DANGEROUS WEAPONS." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 804 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 805 JUVENILES." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 806 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 807 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 291E." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 808 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 809 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT FEES." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 810 COURT COSTS." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 811 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RULES OF COURT." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 812 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 813 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

815 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COURTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

816 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERMEDIATE SANCTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

817 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

818 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE DRIVER'S LICENSE REVOCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho and Morita.

820 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREET SIGNS."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Meyer, Jernigan, Fox and Finnegan.

821 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGE OF CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Meyer, Ontai, Bukoski, Jernigan, Finnegan and Fox.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Ontai, Meyer, Jernigan, Finnegan, Fox and Bukoski.

823 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Meyer, Jernigan and Bukoski.

824 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, B. Oshiro, Takai and Hamakawa.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Arakaki, Karamatsu, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Morita, Takai, Waters, Wakai, Tamayo, Evans, Takumi and Hale.

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

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

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

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

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

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

829 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

830 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DIVERSIFICATION."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

831 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

832 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

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

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

834 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTORIZED DEVICES FOR TRANSPORTING PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.

835 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Caldwell.

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

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

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

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

839 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

840 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

842 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTED OFFICIALS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER SURCHARGE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala and Morita.

844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR NURSING HOME WITHOUT WALLS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay and Takamine.

846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Luke, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Takai, Nishimoto, Schatz, Souki, Hiraki, Hale, Herkes, Hamakawa, Ito, Karamatsu, Lee, Tamayo, Evans, Waters, Kawakami, Saiki, Kanoho and Chang.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Takai, Hiraki, Hamakawa, Ito, Karamatsu, Lee, Tamayo, Evans, Sonson, Chang, Waters, Saiki and Schatz.

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

Introduced by: Representative Luke, by request.

849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC TRANSIT BENEFIT PROGRAMS."

Introduced by: Representative Luke.

850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Luke, M. Oshiro, Hale, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, Saiki, Karamatsu, Arakaki, Lee, Takai, Evans, Hiraki, Herkes, Tamayo, Souki, Kawakami, Hamakawa and Takumi.

851 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION APPEALS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Takai, Arakaki, Waters, Kawakami, Chang, Saiki, Hamakawa, Schatz, Hiraki, Kanoho and Ito.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Luke, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Waters, Lee, Nishimoto, Takai, Souki, Hiraki, Hale, Herkes, Kawakami, Saiki, Chang, Hamakawa, Ito, Takumi, Schatz, Karamatsu, Kanoho and Sonson.

853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACUPUNCTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Lee, Takai, Arakaki, Tamayo, Nishimoto, Hiraki, Herkes, Chang, Ito, Karamatsu, Saiki, Kanoho, Souki, Hale, Hamakawa, Takumi, Evans, Sonson and Kawakami.

854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Luke, by request.

855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Schatz, Morita, Thielen, Evans and Kanoho.

856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

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

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Ito.

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

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

859 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEY'S FEES FOR APPOINTED COUNSEL."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Waters and Hamakawa.

860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLASS SIZE REDUCTION."

> Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Waters, Schatz, Caldwell, Shimabukuro, Nishimoto, Sonson, Tamayo, Karamatsu and Takumi.

861 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURERS."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEATH WITH DIGNITY."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Hamakawa, Saiki, M. Oshiro and Luke.

863 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE IMPACT ASSESSMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Morita, Lee, Kanoho and Schatz.

864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDRAISERS AND FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Saiki, Luke, Schatz and Hamakawa.

- 866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY."
 - Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Morita, Lee, Thielen, Waters, Karamatsu, Schatz, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Saiki and Takumi.
- 867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITAL CARE."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL TESTING RIGHT TO KNOW."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro and Takumi.

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869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL ASSESSMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro and Takumi.

870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SELF-SUFFICIENCY STANDARD."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Saiki and Takumi.

871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY, SUBSIDY LIMITS, AND JOB QUALITY STANDARDS."

> Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Saiki, Luke, Takumi, Lee, Karamatsu, Caldwell and Nishimoto.

872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESPONSIBLE SEXUALITY EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Lee and Takumi.

873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Takai and Takumi.

874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY BUDGET AND RESERVE FUND."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Schatz, Saiki, Takumi and Lee.

876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY HEALTH INSURANCE FOR UNEMPLOYED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL WELFARE."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Schatz.

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

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Tamayo.

883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING BY INCARCERATED FELONS."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro, by request.

886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT CORPORATE DISCLOSURE FOR CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ERROR PREVENTION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Mindo, Kaho'ohalahala, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Waters, Karamatsu, Abinsay, Arakaki, Sonson, Kawakami and Bukoski.

889 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII IN ORDER TO ABOLISH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTION OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

890 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

893 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAIL"

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

895 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SHORELINE."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

896 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Chang.

897 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRLINES."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Takai, Tamayo, Hale, Kanoho, Abinsay, Sonson, Arakaki, Souki, Herkes, Caldwell, Ito, B. Oshiro and Hamakawa.

898 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A VETERANS AFFAIRS LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Wakai, Magaoay, Herkes, Kanoho, Caldwell, Ito, B. Oshiro, Hale, Arakaki, Sonson, Abinsay, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Souki, Hiraki, Karamatsu and Tamayo.

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

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Souki, Herkes, Kanoho, Ito, Tamayo, Hale, B. Oshiro, Sonson and Abinsay.

900 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Takai, Evans, Hale, Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Abinsay, Tamayo, Arakaki, Souki, Herkes, Caldwell, Ito, Hamakawa and Sonson. 901 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN'S HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Marumoto, Finnegan, Leong, Mindo, Evans, Hale, Lee, Tamayo and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Marumoto, Mindo, Hale, Tamayo, Lee and Magaoay.

903 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Marumoto, Finnegan, Leong, Mindo, Hale, Tamayo, Lee and Magaoay.

904 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Karamatsu, Tamayo and Kawakami.

905 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL CARE PAYMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee and Kawakami.

906 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Tamayo and Hamakawa.

907 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Karamatsu, Hamakawa, Nishimoto, Kawakami and Tamayo.

908 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kawakami and Hamakawa.

909 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Tamayo and Nishimoto.

910 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE KULAMALU LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY IN KULA, MAUL."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Bukoski, Souki, Herkes, Lee and Tamayo.

911 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Nishimoto, Takai and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Magaoay.

913 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSE STAFFING."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ito and Magaoay.

914 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Takumi, Ching, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro and Souki.

916 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADULT DENTAL HEALTH SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ito and Magaoay.

917 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PALLIATIVE CARE AND PAIN MANAGEMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Magaoay and Ito.

918 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARM."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Souki.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Takai, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro and Souki.

920 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL LOAN PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Lee and Magaoay.

921 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

922 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEDICAID COVERED DENTAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Pendleton, Magaoay, Lee and Takumi.

923 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Souki.

924 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Pendleton, Magaoay and Lee.

925 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Pendleton, Magaoay, Lee and Takumi.

926 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROHIBITION OF DISCRIMINATION BY PUBLIC ENTITIES AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Magaoay.

927 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Kanoho, Chang, Sonson, Fox, Finnegan, Meyer, Mindo, Karamatsu, Bukoski, Ontai, Leong, Evans, Pendleton, Wakai, Marumoto, Nakasone, Magaoay, Herkes, Kaho'ohalahala, Kahikina, Caldwell, Hamakawa, Arakaki, Tamayo, Kawakami, Stonebraker, and B. Oshiro.

928 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

930 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REQUIRE THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT A PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT TO SERVE AS A VOTING MEMBER ON THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

931 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morita, and Kaho`ohalahala.

932 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morita, and Kaho'ohalahala.

933 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morita, and Kaho'ohalahala.

934 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TEACHERS."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morita, and Kaho`ohalahala.

936 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

937 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Morita, and Kaho'ohalahala.

938 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, M. Oshiro and Ito.

939 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HOALA SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

940 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EVALUATION OF TEACHERS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

942 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL/COMMUNITY-BASED MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

943 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Hiraki, Saiki, Takai, and B. Oshiro. 944 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

945 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION WAIVERS FOR TEACHERS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

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

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARNED INCOME DEDUCTION FOR PUBLIC HOUSING RENT CALCULATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

949 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE KAHUKU AREA AS A HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Magaoay.

950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO E911 AND 311 TELEPHONE SURCHARGES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Moses, Mindo, Finnegan, Pendleton, M. Oshiro, Souki, Hamakawa, Nakasone, B. Oshiro, Chang and Herkes.

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

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Moses, Mindo, Finnegan, Pendleton, M. Oshiro, Souki, Hamakawa, Nakasone, B. Oshiro, Chang and Herkes.

953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT AND POSSESSION OF STOLEN ITEMS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Pendleton, Moses, Finnegan, Mindo, Souki, Hamakawa, Nakasone, B. Oshiro, Chang and Herkes.

954 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Tamayo, Hale, Blundell, Takumi, Schatz and Ching.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Tamayo.

956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS TO ALLOW THE BOARD OF EDUCATION THE POWER TO SET INCOME TAX RATES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Tamayo.

957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, M. Oshiro, Marumoto, Mindo, Moses and Pendleton.

958 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SHELTERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Mindo, Blundell, Souki, and M. Oshiro.

959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE FOR PRINCIPALS AND VICE PRINCIPALS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takai, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Takumi and Tamayo.

960 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION EDUCATIONAL PROJECTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, by request, Mindo, Finnegan and Waters.

961 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, by request, Mindo, Waters and Marumoto.

962 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A MATCHING FUNDS APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT PUBLIC-PRIVATE А PARTNERSHIP TO MARKET AND PROMOTE INCENTIVES PROVIDED BY ACT 221. SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2001, FOR INVESTORS TO INVEST IN HIGH TECHNOLOGY IN HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Mindo, Magaoay and Chang.

963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, by request, Mindo, Waters, Marumoto and Chang.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, by request and Mindo.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Mindo, Waters and Magaoay.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Mindo, Waters, Marumoto and Magaoay.

967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OBSTRUCTION OF AN INGRESS OR EGRESS."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

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

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

971 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL REMEDIES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PURCHASE OF LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

973 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIGHTS OF VICTIMS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

974 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

975 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COURTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

976 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

977 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Souki, Nishimoto, Abinsay, Lee, Hale, Herkes, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

978 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

979 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL PROCESS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

980 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SETTLEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Herkes, Hale, Evans and Takamine.

982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WAIAKEA HIGH SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

- 983 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
 - Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 984 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE REFORM."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

985 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONTROL OF GAME ANIMAL POPULATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

986 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEATH BENEFITS OF SURVIVING CHILDREN OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

987 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY FORFEITED."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

988 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVISION OF MARITAL PROPERTY AND ALLOCATION OF DEBTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

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

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

992 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTORCYCLES AND MOPEDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Schatz.

993 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECONSTRUCTED VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

994 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WHISTLEBLOWERS' PROTECTION ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

995 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa and Morita.

996 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE CAPITOL."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

997 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE INFORMATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

998 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVERS EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

999 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY SALES TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1000 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PANAEWA RAINFOREST ZOO."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1001 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR UNIFORM LAWS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1002 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1003 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1004 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

- 1005 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DNA." Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.
- 1006 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1007 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1008 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON JUVENILES."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1009 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1010 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF INTOXICANTS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1011 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE VOTING."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1012 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDEPENDENT MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1013 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1014 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1015 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CEMETERIES."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1016 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1017 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY REVENUES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Hale, Herkes and Jernigan.

1018 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

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

1019 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF COUNTY LANDS AND IMPROVEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, Chang, Hale, Herkes, Jernigan and Takamine.

1020 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1021 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1022 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPUNGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1023 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC FINES."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1024 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL UNION."

Introduced by: Representatives Hamakawa, and B. Oshiro.

1025 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTE RETAILERS AND MANUFACTURERS."

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1026 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAIR ACCESS FOR STATE GOVERNMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Takai and Morita.

1027 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HANA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Bukoski, Takumi, Arakaki, Hale, Shimabukuro and Blundell.

1028 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1029 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMIT APPROVALS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1030 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTED OFFICIALS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1031 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DRUG TREATMENT FOR WOMEN DRUG-RELATED OFFENDERS ON MAUL."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho`ohalahala, Chang, Kanoho, Takumi and Arakaki.

1032 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1033 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1034 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALLOWANCES FOR LEGISLATORS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

1035 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1036 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHPONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1037 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF HERBICIDES IN PUBLIC PARKS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1038 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROADSIDE HERBICIDE USE."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1039 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1040 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GENETIC ENGINEERING ASSESSMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

1041 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES EXCLUDED FROM COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER ADJUSTMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Saiki.

1042 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Saiki.

1043 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR SALARY INCREASES FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Saiki.

1044 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Saiki.

1045 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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1046 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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1048 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Saiki.

1049 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Kanoho, Ito, Souki, Takumi, and M. Oshiro.

1050 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Caldwell, Kanoho, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, Lee, Magaoay, M. Oshiro and Evans.

1051 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMMIGRANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1052 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDFILLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Caldwell, Lee, Abinsay, Ito, Souki and Takumi.

1053 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Kanoho, Sonson, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki and Takumi.

1054 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Ito, Souki, Takumi, Evans, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1055 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR BLUEPRINT FOR CHANGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Arakaki, Ito, Souki and Takumi.

1056 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1057 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME STOPPERS ORGANIZATIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Kanoho, Sonson, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Evans, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1058 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESUMPTIVE MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY FOR PREGNANT WOMEN."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Lee, Kanoho, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, Takumi, Evans, and M. Oshiro.

1059 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCES FOR PERSONS CONVICTED OF THEFT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Magaoay, Abinsay, Ito, M. Oshiro, Lee, Kanoho, Souki and Arakaki.

1060 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Kanoho, Ito, Lee, Sonson, Abinsay, Magaoay, Souki, M. Oshiro and Arakaki.

1061 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Lee, Kanoho, Magaoay, Sonson, Souki, Arakaki, Evans, and M. Oshiro.

1062 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Lee, Kanoho, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki and Takumi.

1063 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVERS LICENSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Lee, Kanoho, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, Takumi, and M. Oshiro.

1064 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1065 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEOXYRIBONUCLEIC ACID COLLECTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Kanoho, Sonson, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, Evans, and M. Oshiro.

1066 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TELEVISION INDUSTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Lee, Kanoho, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1067 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Kanoho, Sonson, Lee, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki, Evans, and M. Oshiro.

1068 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Chang, Caldwell, Kanoho, Abinsay, Evans, Arakaki, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, and M. Oshiro.

1069 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Kanoho, Abinsay, Souki, Arakaki, and M. Oshiro.

1070 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Magaoay, Ito, Souki, Arakaki and Evans.

1071 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Saiki, M. Oshiro, Lee, B. Oshiro, Evans, Herkes, Chang and Souki.

1072 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Thielen, Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Hamakawa, Saiki, M. Oshiro, Lee, Herkes, Chang and Souki.

1073 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX LAW."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Magaoay, Moses, Evans, Saiki, B. Oshiro, Kanoho, Souki, Kawakami, and M. Oshiro.

1074 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPLEMENTATION OF A FIXED RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Souki, Saiki, B. Oshiro, and M. Oshiro.

1075 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPLEMENTATION OF A FIXED RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM."

> Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Moses, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Souki and Saiki.

1076 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPELLATE JURISDICTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Hamakawa, Thielen, Kanoho, Lee, Pendleton, Saiki, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Herkes, Souki and Chang. 1077 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OFFICES OF THE GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1078 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNADJUDICATED TRAFFIC FINES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1079 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF OFFICIALS IN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1080 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF OFFICIALS IN THE JUDICIAL BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1081 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTERNET PORTAL."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1082 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTIONS 2 AND 3 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CREATE ELECTED DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1083 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION GOVERNANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1084 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPALS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1085 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1086 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PAY FOR TEACHERS."

1087 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER STANDARDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1088 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1089 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

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1093 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1094 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1095 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1096 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORFEITURE OF BENEFITS FOR CONVICTED FELONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1097 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMED CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1098 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT."

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Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1101 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1102 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT CARD PAYMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1103 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT"

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1104 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1105 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL INSPECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1106 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL WATER USE AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1107 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE IRRIGATION WATER DEVELOPMENT SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1108 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

1109 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DELEGATION OF ALLOCATION AUTHORITY UNDER THE STATE WATER CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1110 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MICROORGANISM IMPORT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1111 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1112 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 846E, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1113 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVERS' LICENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1114 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1115 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1116 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1117 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANTITRUST."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1118 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL CONDUCT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1119 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1120 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1121 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANSLAUGHTER."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSAULT AGAINST LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TERRORISM."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1126 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAIL."

1130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAIL."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1131 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1134 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALOHA TOWER COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1135 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1136 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1137 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRODUCT PROCUREMENT PREFERENCES BY STATE AGENCIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1138 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1139 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENERGY CONSERVATION INCOME TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1140 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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- 1141 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
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- 1142 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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1143 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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1147 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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1149 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

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1151 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1152 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1153 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1154 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY."

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1156 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

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1158 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FUNDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1159 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIRMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1160 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXAMINATION FOR LICENSURE AS A CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 1161 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGIST LICENSING REQUIREMENTS."
 - Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 1162 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1163 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1164 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1165 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1166 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM LIMITED PARTNERSHIP ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1167 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1168 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1169 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF PREMIUMS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1170 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCILIATION PANELS."

1172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTITUTE TEACHER PER DIEM RATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1175 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1176 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1177 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1178 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF VITAL STATISTICS." Introduced by: Representative Say, by

request.

1179 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS REGISTRATION DISTRICTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1180 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA) COMPLIANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1181 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1182 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1183 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1184 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH"

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1185 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY OF DEFENDANTS COURT-ORDERED TO THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1186 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHIATRIC FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1187 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SEPARATION OF FITNESS EXAMS FROM PENAL RESPONSIBILITY EXAMINATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1188 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1189 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1190 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELIMINATING THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1191 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1192 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR ADULT SERVICES PROGRAMS."

1193	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1194	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR MEDICAID."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1195	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1196	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1197	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1198	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD LABOR."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1199	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CONSULTATION REPORTS."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1200	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPLOSIVES."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1201	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STAFFING FOR FEDERALLY FUNDED PROGRAMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1202	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1203	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADVISORY COMMITTEES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1204 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1205 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREPAID HEALTH CARE ADVISORY COUNCIL"

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1206 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1207 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTION OF JURY TRIALS IN HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION MATTERS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1208 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1209 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KIKALA-KEOKEA."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 1210 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCOMMERCIAL PIERS."
 - Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 1211 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS WITHIN THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1212 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1213 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENDANGERED SPECIES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1214 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY."

1215 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCARCERATED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1216 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FOR PRISONERS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1217 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

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1218 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

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1219 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

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1220 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PAROLING AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1221 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GARNISHMENT OF COMMITTED PERSONS' MONEYS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1222 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS OF STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1223 "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.

1224 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AMENDMENT OR REPEAL OF OBSOLETE TAX LAWS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1225 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1226 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SIMPLIFIED TAX ADMINISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1227 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARD DEDUCTION FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1228 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LONG-TERM CARE TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1231 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE IN-BOND CONCESSION AT STATE AIRPORTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S MARITIME-RELATED USES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING."

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1236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY PROJECTS AND PURPOSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1240 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RISK MANAGEMENT SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 1241 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 1242 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Moses, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Bukoski, Ontai, Ching and Stonebraker.

1243 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GROUND AND MARITIME TRANSPORTATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Moses, Meyer, Marumoto, Stonebraker and Ontai.

1244 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Moses, Finnegan, Meyer, Bukoski, Marumoto, Ontai, Ching, Stonebraker, Hale and Arakaki.

1245 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A VOLUNTARY SUBSTANCE ABUSE REHABILITATION SCHOOL."

> Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Moses, Finnegan, Meyer, Marumoto, Ching, Hale and Arakaki.

1246 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Stonebraker, Morita, Sonson, Herkes and Waters.

1247 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONTRAFLOW LANE ON FARRINGTON HIGHWAY ALONG THE WAIANAE COAST FROM MOHIHI STREET TO PILIOKAHI AVENUE."

Introduced by: Representative Shimabukuro.

1248 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OAHU METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION."

Introduced by: Representative Shimabukuro.

1249 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

1250 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Wakai, Thielen, Morita and Evans.

1251 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS LEAGUE 75TH ANNIVERSARY NATIONAL CONVENTION."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1252 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

1253 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1254 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT INTERPRETERS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1255 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

1256 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1257 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1258 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE FRANCHISES."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1259 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1260 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1261 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1262 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1263 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS."

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1264 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1265 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREET SIGNS."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Leong, Stonebraker, Blundell and Fox.

1266 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Leong, Stonebraker, Blundell and Fox.

1267 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pendleton, Leong, Marumoto, Stonebraker, Blundell and Fox.

1268 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

1269 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Blundell, Moses, Meyer, Marumoto, Jernigan, Finnegan, Bukoski, Ontai and Stonebraker.

1270 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE WORKERS."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

1271 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Morita.

1272 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVOCACY FOR HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.

1273 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

1274 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORK-RELATED EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro and Takumi.

1275 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SHORELINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Morita, Waters, and Kaho'ohalahala.

1276 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Hamakawa and B. Oshiro.

1277 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 16, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII, TO PROVIDE THE LEGISLATURE WITH THE POWER TO RECALL A BILL PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Hamakawa and B. Oshiro.

1278 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Hamakawa and B. Oshiro.

1279 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu and Mindo.

1280 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GENETIC ENGINEERING ASSESSMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1281 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

PESTICIDES." Introduced by: Representative Say, bv request. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 1283 USE OF HERBICIDES IN PUBLIC PARKS." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 1284 ROADSIDE HERBICIDE USE." Introduced by: Representative Say, by request. 1285 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC SITES." Introduced by: Representative Hale.

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1286 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN HISTORIC SITES."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1287 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1288 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Shimabukuro.

1289 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Hale, and B. Oshiro.

1290 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Kanoho, Blundell, Nishimoto, Evans, Kahikina, and Kaho'ohalahala.

1291 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIAHOLE-WAIKANE VALLEYS."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1292 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 8, AND ARTICLE X, SECTION 5, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROVIDE THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WITH COMPLETE AUTONOMY FROM THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1293 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN THE EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1294 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1295 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1296 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE ACTIVITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kanoho.

1297 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1298 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1299 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

1300 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

1301 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPRESENTATION OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS ON BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND ADVISORY BODIES."

Introduced by: [®]Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho`ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

1302 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho`ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

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1303 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

1304 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Bukoski, Kaho`ohalahala and Morita.

1305 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

1306 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho and Morita.

1307 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, by request, Kanoho, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Bukoski.

1308 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Mindo.

1309 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Morita, Hiraki, Kaho`ohalahala, Lee, Karamatsu, Kanoho, Hale, Say, Arakaki and Saiki.

1310 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo and Hale.

1311 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPUTY SHERIFFS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Morita, Hale, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Schatz, Karamatsu, Say, Kanoho, Arakaki and Saiki.

1312 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DEPUTY SHERIFFS IN THE CIVIL BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Hiraki, Hale, Schatz, Karamatsu, Say, Kanoho, Arakaki and Saiki.

1313 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1314 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1315 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1316 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1317 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATIZATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1318 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1319 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREAS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1320 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kawakami, Karamatsu and Mindo.

1321 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TARO RESEARCH."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kawakami, Waters, Tamayo, Chang, Karamatsu, Schatz, Nishimoto, Abinsay and Sonson.

1322 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FLAG DESECRATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Finnegan and Chang.

1323 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WAIALUA-HALEIWA STORMWATER DRAINAGE MASTER PLAN."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kawakami, Karamatsu, Nishimoto and Mindo.

1324 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kawakami, Karamatsu, Hale, Schatz, Mindo and Tamayo.

1325 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE POLLUTION ABATEMENT WITHIN WAIKIKI."

Introduced by: Representatives Fox and Nishimoto.

1326 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE FUELS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1327 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1328 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1329 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE BROKERS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Hiraki, M. Oshiro and Saiki.

1330 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Morita, Abinsay and Kawakami.

1331 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC FINES."

Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Blundell, Pendleton, Ito and Fox.

1332 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Pendleton, Souki, Blundell, Ito, Fox, and M. Oshiro.

1333 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR POLIPOLI ACCESS ROAD."

> Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Souki, Blundell, Ito, Moses, Fox, Pendleton, and M. Oshiro.

1334 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Pendleton, Moses, Blundell, Ito and Fox.

1335 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION WAIVERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Saiki, Kaho'ohalahala, Morita, Kanoho, Shimabukuro, Kahikina, Evans, Schatz and Leong. 1336 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIMANALO WATERSHED."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1337 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS AND THE PRACTICE OF LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1338 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT RESPONSIBILITIES."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1339 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

1340 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

1341 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1342 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR YOUTH SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1343 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1344 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED IMPROVEMENT TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

1345 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1346 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR AN ELECTED SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Saiki, Blundell, Takumi and Luke.

1347 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Saiki, Blundell, Takumi and Luke.

1348 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WAIMEA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Souki, Saiki, Blundell, Takumi and Luke.

1349 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Souki, Saiki, Blundell, Takumi and Luke.

- 1350 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Blundell, Takumi and Luke.
- 1351 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

1352 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Saiki.

1353 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Herkes.

1354 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ELECTED INSURANCE COMMISSIONER."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki and Say.

1355 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski and Arakaki.

1356 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, by request and Herkes, by request.

1357 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH CARE IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Thielen, Souki, Marumoto, Arakaki and Sonson.

1358 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1359 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1360 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1361 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID PRESCRIPTION DRUG EXPANSION PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1362 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ST. PATRICK SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1363 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT-IN-AID TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CLEAN SALT LAKE WATERWAY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Karamatsu, Mindo, Chang, Abinsay, Luke and Magaoay.

1364 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Karamatsu, Chang, Mindo, Nishimoto, Abinsay, Luke and Magaoay.

1365 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, B. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Chang, Mindo, Nishimoto, Schatz, Abinsay, Luke and Magaoay.

1366 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Luke, B. Oshiro, Chang, Mindo, Abinsay, Schatz, Karamatsu and Magaoay.

1367 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Karamatsu, Mindo, Abinsay, Luke and Magaoay.

1368 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL GAINS."

Introduced by: Representative Halford.

1369 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS."

Introduced by: Representative Halford.

1370 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1371 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."

Introduced by: Representative Fox.

1372 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE ALARM SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Fox.

1373 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

1374 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro, by request.

1375 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Halford, Meyer, Jernigan, Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan and Ontai.

1376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Ontai and Halford.

1377 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARRIAGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Fox, Arakaki, Finnegan and Blundell.

- 1378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Finnegan, Fox, Ontai, Stonebraker, Blundell and Halford.
- 1379 "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 Meyer, Fox, Stonebraker, Blundell, Ontai and Marumoto.

1380 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE SAFETY CHECKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Fox, Stonebraker, Blundell, Marumoto, Ontai and Halford. 1381 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Takumi.

1382 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDIT INCENTIVES FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Arakaki.

1383 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

1384 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITOL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

1385 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW ECONOMY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

1386 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES AND PROCEDURES ON ARREST."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Pendleton, Moses, Mindo, Souki, Hamakawa, Nakasone, B. Oshiro, Chang and Herkes.

1387 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN ACCESS ROAD FOR KAILUA HIGH SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1388 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1389 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Morita, Takai, Tamayo, Schatz, Takumi, Arakaki and Blundell.

1390 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Morita, Takai, Tamayo, Schatz, Takumi, Arakaki and Blundell.

1391 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Wakai, Morita, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro and Nishimoto.

1392 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Wakai, Morita, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro and Nishimoto.

1393 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHIEF TECHNOLOGY OFFICER."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Wakai, B. Oshiro, Herkes, Sonson, Takamine, Karamatsu, Chang, Abinsay and Magaoay.

1394 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION TO STIMULATE THE ECONOMY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Wakai, B. Oshiro, Herkes, Magaoay, Sonson, Karamatsu, Chang and Abinsay.

1395 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FACILITY PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chang, Saiki, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Takumi, Herkes, Magaoay, Souki, Fox, Schatz, Karamatsu, Marumoto and Abinsay.

1396 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Thielen, Fox, Morita, Moses, Waters, B. Oshiro, Kaho'ohalahala, Bukoski, Kanoho, Souki, Schatz, M. Oshiro and Abinsay.

1397 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FACILITY PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chang, Saiki, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Thielen, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala, Takumi, Herkes, Magaoay, Souki, Fox, Karamatsu, Schatz, Marumoto and Abinsay.

1398 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE TAX CREDIT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Thielen, Moses, Bukoski, Fox, Karamatsu, Souki, Halford, Kaho'ohalahala, Saiki and Abinsay.

1399 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILITY LINES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Lee, Evans, Saiki, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Thielen, Fox, Morita, Kaho'ohalahala, Waters, Schatz, Souki and Abinsay.

1400 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOTEL CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING TAX CREDIT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Souki, Ito, Herkes, Kanoho, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Saiki, Sonson, Hale, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Schatz and Abinsay.

1401 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Sonson, Kanoho, Saiki, Hale, Ito, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Souki and Abinsay.

1402 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hamakawa, Sonson, Hiraki, Ito, Kanoho, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Bukoski, Saiki, Schatz, Arakaki, Herkes, Hale, M. Oshiro and Souki.

1403 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHIPBOARD GAMING."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Sonson, Herkes, M. Oshiro and Souki.

1404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Kawakami, Chang and Abinsay.

1405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOFUEL."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, Hale, Kaho'ohalahala, Schatz, Thielen, Lee, Nishimoto and Evans.

1406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kaho`ohalahala and Thielen.

1407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESERVES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Schatz, Evans, Waters, Saiki, B. Oshiro, Kaho'ohalahala, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, Luke, Lee and Karamatsu.

1408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kaho`ohalahala, Schatz, Kanoho and Souki.

1409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Hiraki.

1410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."

Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.

1411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Luke.

1412 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Takai, Arakaki, Karamatsu, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Kawakami, Saiki, Nishimoto, Schatz, Kanoho, Ito, Chang, Hale and Sonson.

1413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTION AGENCIES."

Introduced by: Representative Luke.

1414 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SICK LEAVE."

Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Arakaki, Kahikina and Nishimoto.

1415 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PATIENT SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Arakaki and Nishimoto.

1416 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREVENTION OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Shimabukuro, Ching, Sonson, Magaoay and Arakaki.

1417 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMED CONSENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Stonebraker and Finnegan.

1418 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABORTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Kahikina, Stonebraker and Arakaki.

1419 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESEARCH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Shimabukuro, Tamayo and Nishimoto.

1420 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Shimabukuro.

1421 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Tamayo, Shimabukuro and Evans.

1422 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1423 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1424 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RIDING IN CARGO AREAS OF PICKUP TRUCKS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Marumoto, Evans, Leong, Mindo and Lee.

1425 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Magaoay.

1426 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Magaoay, Abinsay, Tamayo and Shimabukuro.

1427 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Tamayo, Magaoay and Evans.

1428 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Magaoay, Abinsay, Tamayo and Shimabukuro.

1429 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Tamayo, Shimabukuro, Kahikina and Magaoay.

1430 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1431 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1432 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 1433 NURSING."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Chang, Magaoay, Kahikina, Morita, Say, Sonson, Halford and Evans

1434 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Schatz, Sonson, Magaoay, Halford. Morita, Kaho'ohalahala, Karamatsu, Tamayo, Herkes, Evans and Arakaki.

1435 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PROCESSING ENTERPRISES."

> Representatives Introduced by: Abinsay, Schatz, Magaoay, Morita, Kaho'ohalahala, Karamatsu, Tamayo, Herkes, Sonson, Halford, Evans and Arakaki.

1436 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH."

> Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 1437 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS."

> Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

1438 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME LOAN PROTECTION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Nishimoto, Waters, Karamatsu, Chang, Hale, Wakai, Sonson, Shimabukuro and Evans.

1439 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE **IMMERSION** PROGRAM."

> Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 1440 EDUCATION."

> Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

1441 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Ontai, Kanoho, Kahikina and Morita.

1442 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOLOKAI GENERAL HOSPITAL."

> Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

1443 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC, EDUCATION, AND GOVERNMENT ACCESS ORGANIZATIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Morita and Takai.

1444 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIER LAW."

> Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

1445 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."

> Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1446 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1447 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO **IDENTITY THEFT."**

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1448 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 1449 PARKING FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."

> Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

1450 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRD **REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."**

> Representative Hamakawa. Introduced by:

1451 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DATA."

> Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

- "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER."
 - Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO 1453 **RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS."**

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 1454 COUNTIES' EMINENT DOMAIN POWERS."

> Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

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- 1455 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Takamine and Hamakawa.
- 1456 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

1457 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAHOA GYMNASIUM."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1458 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE VETERANS CEMETERIES IN THE COUNTY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1459 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1460 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEPHONE SURCHARGES."

Introduced by: Representatives Leong, B. Oshiro, Arakaki, Finnegan and Hale.

[Note: The following bills were received by the Clerk's Office after the Chair declared the day's final recess and prior to the 6:00 p.m. closing of the Journal this legislative day.]

1461 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF FISH HOISTS AT KEAUHOU BOAT HARBOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Herkes, Hale and Evans.

1462 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Jernigan, Thielen, Evans and Marumoto.

1463 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki and Morita.

1464 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1465 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1466 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Hiraki and Takumi.

1467 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Blundell.

1468 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI."

Introduced by: Representatives Blundell, Souki, Kaho'ohalahala, Halford and Bukoski.

1469 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING."

Introduced by: Representative Blundell.

1470 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1471 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND COURT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1472 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

1473 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

1474 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Marumoto, Moses, Fox, Bukoski, Blundell, Ontai, Leong, Stonebraker and Jernigan.

1475 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Fox, Moses, Ito, Pendleton, Abinsay, Caldwell, Hiraki, Morita, Tamayo, Magaoay, Souki and Chang. 1476 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWELFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Bukoski,

1477 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SENTENCING SIMULATION MODEL PROJECT."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Mindo, Moses, Blundell, M. Oshiro, Caldwell and Souki.

1478 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, M. Oshiro and Souki.

1479 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A NATIONAL KOREAN WAR MUSEUM IN HAWAII."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Hamakawa, Mindo, Moses, Herkes, Caldwell, Chang, Sonson, Saiki, Kawakami, Luke, Lee, Nakasone, Waters, Morita, Bukoski, Ching, Takai, Evans, Hiraki, Magaoay, Abinsay, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Ontai, Wakai, Karamatsu, Arakaki, Kahikina, Souki, Nishimoto, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Blundell and Say.

1480 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 15, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ENACT A SUPERMAJORITY VOTING REQUIREMENT FOR PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION PROPOSING TO RAISE TAXES OR FEES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Tamayo, Moses, Meyer, Finnegan, Blundell, Marumoto and Thielen.

1481 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER."

Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Tamayo, Moses, Finnegan, Thielen, Meyer, Blundell and Kanoho.

1482 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REDUCTION OF THE FUEL TAX."

> Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Ontai, Finnegan, Meyer, Blundell, Marumoto and Thielen.

1483 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Stonebraker.

1484 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Stonebraker.

1485 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1486 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1487 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIGENT CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, by request, B. Oshiro, Caldwell and Kanoho.

1488 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan and Wakai.

1489 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC CONCERNS ALONG THE WAIANAE COAST."

> Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Blundell and Kahikina.

1490 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL ATHLETICS."

Introduced by: Representative Shimabukuro.

1491 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WHISTLEBLOWERS' PROTECTION ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Nishimoto and Wakai.

1492 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, Waters, Kaho'ohalahala and Lee.

1493 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, Waters, Schatz, Kaho'ohalahala, Caldwell, Lee, Nishimoto and Sonson.

1494 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREMATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takai.

1495 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREMATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, B. Oshiro, Takamine, Arakaki and Hiraki.

1496 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Fox.

1497 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL MOTOR VEHICLE SURCHARGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Caldwell.

1498 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Nakasone, Caldwell, and Kaho'ohalahala.

1499 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF PRISONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Meyer, Stonebraker, Blundell, Fox, Marumoto and Ontai.

1500 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT."

Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Luke, Meyer, Sonson, Thielen, Tamayo, Leong, Fox, Finnegan, Ching, Ontai and Kanoho.

1501 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO GAMBLING."

> Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Moses, Finnegan, Meyer, Thielen, Stonebraker, Marumoto, Ching, Leong, Blundell, Jernigan, Bukoski, Fox, Abinsay and Kanoho.

1502 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RELIGIOUS FREEDOM."

Introduced by: Representatives Pendleton, Moses, Sonson, Stonebraker, Finnegan, Meyer, Blundell, Marumoto, Tamayo, Fox, Arakaki, Souki, Ontai, Leong, Halford, Abinsay and Kanoho.

1503 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Evans.

1504 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representative Evans, by request.

1505 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER SALARIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Takumi.

1506 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ISPED CLERK TYPISTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Takumi.

1507 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNING."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Lee, Schatz, B. Oshiro, Luke, Ito, Herkes, Wakai and Takamine.

1508 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

1509 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Kahikina, Morita, Chang, Hale, Hamakawa, Evans, Kawakami and Takamine.

1510 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC."

Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Hiraki and Hamakawa.

1511 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

1512 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE AND A TASK FORCE STUDY."

Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.

1513 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION OFFENSES."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

1514 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT COMPLIANCE WITH THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

1515 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC, EDUCATION, AND GOVERNMENT ACCESS ORGANIZATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Meyer, Tamayo, Ching, Ito and Marumoto.

1516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ontai, Schatz, Ching and Ito.

1517 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1518 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

- 1520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALAELOA."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Tamayo, Wakai, Sonson, Abinsay, Ito, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Schatz, Kanoho, Saiki and Luke.
- 1521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Nishimoto, Saiki, Wakai, B. Oshiro, Abinsay, Kahikina, Caldwell, Arakaki, Chang, Hale, Takai, Waters, Ito, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Takumi and Souki.

1522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC RECOVERY."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Kahikina, Souki, Takai, Takumi, Caldwell, Magaoay, Hamakawa, Ito, Chang, Hale, Arakaki, Waters, M. Oshiro, Wakai and Sonson.

1523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Takai, Kahikina, Takumi, Souki, Chang, Hale, Ito, Magaoay, Caldwell, Wakai, Hamakawa, Sonson and Nishimoto.

1524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER GRANTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Abinsay, Chang, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Takai, Nishimoto, Takumi, Kahikina, Arakaki, Souki, Hale, Ito, Caldwell, Wakai, Hamakawa and Sonson.

1525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.

1526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ontai, Morita, Fox, Ching, Pendleton, Leong, Bukoski, Jernigan, Kahikina, Stonebraker, Kanoho, Kawakami, Marumoto and Halford. 1527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION OF MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Ontai, Halford, Leong, Jernigan, Bukoski, Kanoho, Thielen, Marumoto, Ching, Pendleton and Stonebraker.

1528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Ontai.

1529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE ETHICS."

Introduced by: Representative Ontai.

1530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."

Introduced by: Representative Blundell.

1531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF MULTI-USE TRAILS IN THE PUNA DISTRICT OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1532 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CELEBRATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EAST-WEST CENTER."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ELEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Halford.

1536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CANOE PADDLING PROGRAMS IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Say, Waters, Takai, M. Oshiro, Souki and Takumi.

1537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE AGRICULTURAL WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, UPCOUNTRY KULA, MAUI WATERSHED."

> Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Say, Souki, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Blundell, Nakasone and Halford.

1538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."

Introduced by: Representative Bukoski, by request.

1539 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF ALTERNATIVE FUELS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Bukoski, Morita, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho and Waters.

1540 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE NINETEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1541 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMANCE OF STATE STANDARD DEDUCTION TO FEDERAL STANDARD DEDUCTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto and Leong.

1542 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADENING STATE INCOME TAX BRACKETS."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto and Leong.

1543 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMANCE TO FEDERAL TAX FILING DEADLINES."

Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto and Leong.

1544 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMANCE OF STATE PERSONAL EXEMPTION TO FEDERAL PERSONAL EXEMPTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Leong and Marumoto.

1545 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE INCOME TAX CONFORMITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Leong and Marumoto.

1546 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAKAAKO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Hiraki.

1547 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Luke, Lee and Say.

1548 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Say, Saiki, Souki, Arakaki, Abinsay, Hale, Morita, Tamayo, Mindo, Luke, Lee, M. Oshiro, Nakasone, Herkes, Ito, Takumi, Sonson, Schatz, Chang, Kanoho, Kaho'ohalahala, Caldwell, Waters, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, Takai, Kawakami, Magaoay, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Wakai, Shimabukuro, Takamine, Kahikina and Evans.

1549 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COUNTIES' EMINENT DOMAIN POWERS."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1550 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1551 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYER-UNION BENEFITS TRUST PLAN."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1552 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1553 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1554 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.

1555 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

1556 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

1557 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, by request.

1558 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho and Abinsay.

1559 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AGRICULTURAL LEASES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Say and Abinsay.

1560 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF VESSELS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.

1561 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Kanoho and Morita.

1562 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL ATTENDANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Blundell, Tamayo and Sonson.

1563 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PHASE II OF THE INSTITUTE FOR ASTRONOMY ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

1564 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Tamayo.

1565 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Mindo, Abinsay, Sonson and Chang.

1566 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PLANNING OF AN ALTERNATE ACCESS ROAD FOR THE NORTH SHORE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Mindo, Souki, M. Oshiro, Ito, Moses, Caldwell and Nakasone.

1567 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Herkes, Sonson, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Chang and Schatz.

1568 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Arakaki, Mindo, Kahikina, Takumi, Nakasone, Karamatsu, Kawakami and Hale.

1569 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chang, Karamatsu, Mindo, Herkes, Caldwell, Nakasone, Kawakami, Ito, Schatz and Sonson.

1570 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chang, Karamatsu, Mindo, Herkes, Nakasone, Kawakami, Sonson, Tamayo, Schatz and Abinsay.

1571 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT (MODIFIED)."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Mindo, Karamatsu, Nakasone and Kawakami.

1572 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representative Caldwell, by request.

1573 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, B. Oshiro, Takai, Shimabukuro, Saiki, Souki, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Hamakawa, Takamine, Schatz, Hiraki, Kahikina, Luke and Wakai.

1574 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Saiki, Shimabukuro, Takai, Luke, B. Oshiro, Hiraki, Souki, Hamakawa, Wakai, M. Oshiro, Mindo, Schatz, Kahikina, Takumi and Takamine.

1575 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.

1576 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORFEITURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Takai, Shimabukuro, B. Oshiro, Luke, Saiki, Hiraki, Takumi, Hamakawa, Takamine, Kahikina, Schatz and Wakai.

1577 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Wakai and Kahikina.

1578 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PORT AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Herkes, Luke, Caldwell, B. Oshiro, Wakai, Abinsay, Ito and Kawakami.

1579 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMIC DIVERSIFICATION AUTHORITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Ito, Herkes, Luke, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Caldwell, Takai, Hiraki, Saiki, Souki, Wakai, Evans, Hamakawa, Takumi, Say and Takamine.

1580 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SALESPERSONS AND BROKERS."

Introduced by: Representative Halford.

1581 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Bukoski, Finnegan and Ching.

1582 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTESTATE SUCCESSION AND WILLS."

Introduced by: Representative Stonebraker.

1583 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO GIVE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION THE INTERNAL STRUCTURE, OVER MANAGEMENT, AND OPERATION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM SUBJECT TO THE POWER OF THE LEGISLATURE TO IDENTIFY AND ENACT LAWS OF STATEWIDE CONCERN."

> Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Shimabukuro, Mindo, Schatz, Takai, Kanoho, Tamayo, Magaoay, Fox, Morita, Wakai, Meyer, Ching, Abinsay, Jernigan, Takumi, Arakaki, Stonebraker, Leong, Finnegan, Chang, B. Oshiro, Luke, Saiki and Nakasone.

1584 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FRIENDS OF WAIPAHU CULTURAL GARDEN PARK."

> Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Tamayo, Karamatsu, Mindo, Kahikina, Magaoay, Shimabukuro and Abinsay.

1585 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Kahikina, Takai, Shimabukuro, Abinsay, Arakaki, Mindo, Blundell, Morita, Magaoay and Ontai.

1586 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR MEDICAID PROGRAMS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Mindo, Takai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Tamayo, Hale, Kahikina, Ching, Takumi, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, Karamatsu and Finnegan.

1587 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Sonson.

1588 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Magaoay, Kaho'ohalahala, Sonson, Mindo, M. Oshiro, Kanoho, Halford, Chang, Morita, Arakaki, Say, Kawakami, Souki and Wakai.

1589 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SMALL BOAT HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Magaoay, Schatz, Fox, Halford, Kanoho, Kahikina, Mindo, Pendleton, Wakai, Shimabukuro, Morita, Souki, Evans, Blundell, M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Hiraki, Kawakami, Luke, Say, Chang and Sonson.

1590 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS' RIGHTS AND BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Pendleton, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Ito, Magaoay, Moses, Sonson, Mindo, Chang, Arakaki, Tamayo, Wakai, Hiraki, Kawakami, Takumi and Say.

1591 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HOLOMUA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

1592 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Chang, Kanoho, Saiki, Say, Tamayo, Hale, Souki, Caldwell, Evans, Hiraki, Magaoay, Arakaki, Lee, Abinsay and Sonson. 1593 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Chang, M. Oshiro, Tamayo, Morita, Sonson, Say, Magaoay, Abinsay, Takumi, Arakaki and Saiki.

1594 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Chang, Tamayo, Morita, Sonson, Say, M. Oshiro, Magaoay, Abinsay, Arakaki and Saiki.

1595 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Shimabukuro, Morita, Hamakawa, Ito, Wakai, Evans and Tamayo.

1596 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES OF THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE."

> Introduced by: Representatives Mindo, Morita, Hiraki, Hale, Kaho'ohalahala, Lee, Schatz, Karamatsu, Say, Kanoho, Arakaki and Saiki.

1597 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

> Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Sonson, Nishimoto, Mindo, Luke, Caldwell, Schatz, Karamatsu, Chang, Abinsay, Magaoay, and B. Oshiro.

1598 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representatives Wakai and Finnegan.

1599 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS."

> Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Sonson, Magaoay, B. Oshiro, Chang, Karamatsu, Nishimoto, Schatz, Luke, Saiki, Abinsay and Caldwell.

1600 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER EDUCATION MONTH."

Introduced by: Representative Wakai.

1601 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

1602 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Takamine.

1603 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ESTABLISH AN ADOLESCENT TREATMENT CENTER ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hale, Evans and Chang.

1604 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PREVENT CRYSTAL METHAMPHETAMINE USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Herkes, Hamakawa, Hale, Evans and Chang.

1605 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CITIZENS RIGHT TO VOTE."

Introduced by: Representative Fox.

1606 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE II, SECTION 1, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO ESTABLISH A CITIZEN'S RIGHT TO VOTE."

Introduced by: Representative Fox.

1607 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1608 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS."

Introduced by: Representative Hiraki.

1609 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Blundell, Pendleton, Fox, Marumoto and Moses.

1610 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Finnegan, Fox, Moses, Pendleton, Stonebraker, Blundell, Jernigan and Ontai.

1611 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Jernigan, Finnegan, Stonebraker, Blundell, Fox, Moses and Pendleton.

1612 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE DEALERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Ontai, Moses and Pendleton.

1613 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NORTH KOHALA."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Say.

1614	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
	Introduced by: Representative Say.
1615	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1616	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG- TERM CARE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Lee, Schatz and Kahikina.
1617	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Say, Arakaki, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Shimabukuro, Kahikina and Lee.
1618	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE OF LAW."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1619	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1620	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1621	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF BLOCK J IN DOWNTOWN HONOLULU."
	Introduced by: Representative Say.
1622	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kanoho.
1623	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS."
	Introduced by: Representative Lee.
1624	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SEVENTH AND THIRTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Lee and Ontai.

1625	"A	BILL	FOR	AN	ACT	RELATING	TO
	TRANSPORTATION."						

Introduced by: Representatives Lee and M. Oshiro.

1626 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee and M. Oshiro.

1627 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEW MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Takamine and Say.

1628 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL LOANS."

Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.

1629 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO BY THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Kanoho, Evans, Karamatsu, Mindo, Marumoto, Ontai, B. Oshiro, Magaoay, Souki, Jernigan, Kawakami, Hamakawa, Abinsay, Herkes, Fox, Hiraki, Luke, Blundell, Morita and Ito.

1630 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR VETERANS CEMETERIES."

> Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Ito, Herkes, Hamakawa, Morita, Kanoho, Ontai, B. Oshiro, Hale, Luke, Takumi, Jernigan, Kawakami, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Sonson, Schatz, Magaoay, Caldwell, Evans, Karamatsu, Souki, Mindo, Abinsay, Hiraki and Blundell.

1631 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Blundell, Ontai, B. Oshiro, Hamakawa, Hiraki, Luke, Souki, Abinsay, Jernigan, Marumoto, Mindo, Fox, Sonson, Caldwell, Morita, Herkes and Ito.

1632 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1633 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Stonebraker, Ching, Leong, Jernigan, Fox and Sonson.

1634 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1635 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1636 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1637 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1638 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai and Takumi.

1639 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL LAW."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1640 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OAHU INTERSCHOLASTIC ASSOCIATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Takumi, Takai, Tamayo and Evans.

1641 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Nakasone and Souki.

1642 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Nakasone and Souki.

1643 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISON ALTERNATIVES."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1644 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

1645 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Hale.

1646 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 846E, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Introduced by: Representative Moses.

1647 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Moses.

1648 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, by request, Moses and Meyer.

1649 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Meyer.

1650 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONGRESSWOMAN PATSY T. MINK."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay and Takumi.

1651 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.

1652 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MEDICAID PRESCRIPTION DRUG REBATE SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Nishimoto.

1653 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1654 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi, by request.

1655 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT INTERPRETERS AND COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."

Introduced by:	Representative Takumi.
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1656 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS."

Introduced by:

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

Representative Hamakawa.

Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa.

- Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa. 1659 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM AND COOPERATIVE HOUSING CORPORATION LEASE-TO-FEE CONVERSION." Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa. 1660 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS." Introduced by: Representative Hamakawa. 1661 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES." Introduced by: Representatives Fox and Morita. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENAL 1662 **RESPONSIBILITY."** Introduced by: Representatives Fox, Ito, Souki, Chang, B. Oshiro, Kanoho and Finnegan. "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE 1663 OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ANALYST." Representative Say. Introduced by: 1664 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX." Introduced by: Representative Say. 1665 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX." Introduced by: Representative Say. 1666 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING FOR DRUGS AND INTOXICATING COMPOUNDS OFFENSES." Introduced by: Representatives Say and Hamakawa. 1667 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX." Introduced by: Representatives Luke. Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Nishimoto, Wakai. Evans, Kaho'ohalahala and Schatz. 1668 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS ТО THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS FROM PUBLIC OFFICE." Introduced by: Representatives Luke, M. Oshiro, Saiki, B. Oshiro, Herkes, Lee, Hamakawa, Karamatsu. Shimabukuro, Kaho`ohalahala, Kahikina, Nishimoto, Kanoho, Chang, Arakaki, Hale, Sonson, Hiraki, Abinsay, Ito, Kawakami, Nakasone, Souki, Wakai, Takumi and Say.
- 1669 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Luke, by request.

1670 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Kahikina, Lee, Tamayo, Schatz and Ching.

1671 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Saiki and Nishimoto.

1672 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1673 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1674 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

1675 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN HEALING PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala, by request.

1676 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala.

1677 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KULEANA LAND."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

1678 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho`ohalahala, by request.

- 1679 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SURPLUS PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
 - Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Marumoto, Fox, Leong, Finnegan, Hale, Blundell, Jernigan, Meyer, Halford, Tamayo, Sonson, Stonebraker and Lee.

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

1680 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Takai, Bukoski, Fox, Blundell, Leong, Jernigan, Finnegan, Sonson, Takumi and Meyer.

1681 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Sonson, Jernigan, Finnegan, Schatz, Lee and Meyer.

1682 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."

Introduced by: Representative Tamayo.

1683 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIAMOND HEAD STATE MONUMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto and Marumoto.

1684 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER EXAMINATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.

1685 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING OF DRIVERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto and Caldwell.

1686 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF MEDICAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.

1687 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.

1688 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Fox, Meyer, Stonebraker, Sonson and Finnegan.

1689 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Ching.

1690 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTEENTH, FIFTEENTH, AND SIXTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho and Morita.

1691 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Kaho'ohalahala.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 11 through 14) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A JOINT HOUSE-SENATE TASK FORCE TO REVIEW OIL RESERVES IN HAWAII," was offered by Representative Say.

H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO RE-EVALUATE THE PLACEMENT OF THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," was offered by Representative Say.

H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO PERFORM A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION OF HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE," was jointly offered by Representatives Mindo, Chang, Takumi, Caldwell, Arakaki, Kanoho, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito, Souki and M. Oshiro.

H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND THE GOVERNING BODY OF EACH ACCREDITED PRIVATE OR INDEPENDENT COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN HAWAII TO ADOPT POLICIES REGULATING THE ON-CAMPUS MARKETING OF CREDIT CARDS TO STUDENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Mindo, Chang, Kanoho, Takumi, Caldwell, Arakaki, Lee, Abinsay, Magaoay, Ito and Souki.

Representative Lee moved to keep the Journal open until 6:00 o'clock p.m. this legislative day for the purpose of receiving House bills for introduction, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried. (Representative Halford was excused.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Saiki: "Madame Speaker, we'd like to send our birthday greetings to Representative Bob Herkes today."

At 12:13 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House stood in recess until 12:00 noon, Monday, January 27, 2003. (Representative Halford was excused.)

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:00 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, January 27, 2003.

SEVENTH DAY

Monday, January 27, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered in song by Representative Kahikina, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hiraki, Ontai and Takamine 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. 143 through 146) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 143, transmitting the Report Requesting the Department of Land and Natural Resources to Address the Concerns of Koke'e State Park Lessees with Expiring Leases.

Gov. Msg. No. 144, transmitting the Report on Identification of Rivers and Streams Worthy of Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 145, transmitting the Status Report from the Task Force on Beach and Water Safety.

Gov. Msg. No. 146, transmitting the report entitled "Report to the Twenty-Second Legislature, Pursuant to Act 90, SLH 2001," relating to privatization.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 29 through 37) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Comm. No. 29, from the Department of Health, transmitting their Report on Fiscal Year 2002.

Dept. Comm. No. 30, from Robin K. Matsunaga, Ombudsman, transmitting their Report of the Ombudsman for Fiscal Year 2001-2002 (Report Number 33).

Dept. Comm. No. 31, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, Audit of the Family Court Complaints Process.

Dept. Comm. No. 32, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, transmitting their report, New Century Charter School Allocations Project – FY2002-03.

Dept. Comm. No. 33, from Chief Justice Ronald T. Y. Moon, Hawaii Supreme Court, transmitting the Judiciary's 2002 Annual Report.

Dept. Comm. No. 34, from Chief Justice Ronald T. Y. Moon, Hawaii Supreme Court, transmitting the Judiciary's 2002 Annual Report Statistical Supplement.

Dept. Comm. No. 35, from Chief Justice Ronald T. Y. Moon, Hawaii Supreme Court, transmitting his 2003 State of the Judiciary Address. Dept. Comm. No. 36, from the Department of Human Services, Office of Youth Services, transmitting an annual report regarding utilization of the contracting process set forth in Part II, Privatization, of Act 90.

Dept. Comm. No. 37, from Patricia Hamamoto, Superintendent, Department of Education, transmitting an informational packet providing basic information about the Department.

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Ching introduced Mobile Emergency Care Specialists Ms. Kelly R. Yamamoto-Fuentes and Ms. Jane L. Greenwood with the Honolulu Paramedic Association.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 556 through 1691) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B.</u>

Nos. Referred to:

- 556 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 557 Committee on Health
- 558 Committee on Health
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- 562 Committee on Judiciary
- 563 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 564 Committee on Judiciary
- 565 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 566 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 567 Committee on Judiciary
- 568 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 572 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 573 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 574 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 575 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1013 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1014 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1015 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1016 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1017 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1018 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1019 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1020 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1021 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1022 Committee on Judiciary

- 1023 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1024 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1025 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1026 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1027 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1028 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1029 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1030 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1031 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1032 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1033 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1034 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1035 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1036 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1037 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1038 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1039 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1040 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1041 Committee on Finance

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- 1049 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1050 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1051 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1052 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1053 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1054 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1055 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1056 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1057 Committee on Judiciary
- 1058 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1059 Committee on Judiciary
- 1060 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1061 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1062 Jointly to the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1063 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1064 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1065 Committee on Judiciary
- 1066 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1067 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1068 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1069 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1070 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1071 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1072 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1073 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1074 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1075 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1076 Committee on Judiciary
- 1077 Committee on Finance
- 1078 Committee on Finance
- 1079 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1080 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1081 Committee on Finance
- 1082 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1083 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1084 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1085 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1086 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1087 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1088 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1089 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1090 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1091 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1092 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1093 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1094 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1095 Committee on Judiciary
- 1096 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1097 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1098 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1099 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1100 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1101 Committee on Judiciary
- 1102 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1103 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1104 Committee on Finance
- 1105 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1106 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1107 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1108 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1109 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1110 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1111 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1112 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1113 Committee on Judiciary
- 1114 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1115 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1116 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1117 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1118 Committee on Judiciary
- 1119 Committee on Judiciary
- 1120 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1121 Committee on Judiciary
- 1122 Committee on Judiciary
- 1123 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1124 Committee on Judiciary
- 1125 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1126 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1127 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1128 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1129 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1130 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1131 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1132 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1133 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1134 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1135 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1136 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1137 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1138 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1139 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1140 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1141 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1142 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1143 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1144 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1145 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

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- 1146 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance 1147 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance 1148 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance 1149 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance 1150 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then 1151 to the Committee on Finance 1152 Committee on Finance 1153 Consumer Protection Committee on Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance Committee on Consumer Protection 1154 Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1155 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1156 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1157 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1158 Committee on Finance
- 1159 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1160 Committee Protection on Consumer and Commerce
- 1161 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1162 Consumer Protection Committee on and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1163 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1164 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1165 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1166 Consumer Protection Committee on and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1167 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1168 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1169 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- Committee on Health, then to the Committee on 1170 Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- Committee on Consumer 1171 Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1172 Committee Protection on Consumer and Commerce
- Committee on Education, then to the Committee on 1173 Finance
- 1174 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1175 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1176 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1177 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1178 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1179 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1180 Committee on Finance
- 1181 Committee on Finance
- 1182 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1183 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1184 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1185 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Indiciary
- 1186 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1187 Committee on Judiciary
- 1188 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1189 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary

- 1190 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1191 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1192 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1193 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1194 Committee on Finance
- 1195 Committee on Finance
- 1196 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1197 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1198 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1199 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1200 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1201 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1202 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1203 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1204 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1205 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1206 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1207 Committee on Judiciary
- 1208 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1209 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1210 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1211 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1212 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1213 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1214 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1215 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1216 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1217 Committee on Judiciary
- 1218 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1219 Committee on Judiciary
- 1220 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1221 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1222 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1223 Committee on Finance
- 1224 Committee on Finance
- 1225 Committee on Finance
- 1226 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1227 Committee on Finance
- 1228 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1229 Committee on Finance
- 1230 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1231 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1232 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1233 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1234 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1235 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1236 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1237 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1238 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1239 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1240 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1241 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1242 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1243 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1244 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1245 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1246 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1247 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1248 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1249 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1250 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1251 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1252 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1253 Committee on Finance

- 1254 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1255 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1256 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1257 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 1258 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 1259 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1260 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 1261 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 1262 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 1263 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 1264 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
- 1265 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1266 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1267 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1268 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1269 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1270 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1271 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1272 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1273 Committee on Finance
- 1274 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1275 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs

- 1276 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1277 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1278 Committee on Judiciary
- 1279 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1280 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1281 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1282 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1283 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs
- 1284 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1285 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1286 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1287 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1288 Committee on Finance
- 1289 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1290 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1291 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1292 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1293 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1294 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
- 1295 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1296 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs
- 1297 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1298 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1299 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1300 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1301 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1302 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1303 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1304 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1305 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1306 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1307 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1308 Committee on Finance
- 1309 Committee on Judiciary
- 1310 Committee on Judiciary
- 1311 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1312 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1313 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1314 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1315 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1316 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1317 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1318 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1319 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection

- Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then
- 1321 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee

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- 1323 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1324 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1325 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1326 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1327 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1328 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
- 1329 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1330 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1331 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1332 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1333 Committee on Finance
- 1334 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1335 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1336 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1337 Committee on Judiciary
- 1338 Committee on Judiciary
- 1339 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1340 Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 1341 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

- 1342 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1343 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1344 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1345 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1346 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1347 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1348 Committee on Finance
- 1349 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1350 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1351 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1352 Committee on Judiciary
- 1353 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1354 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1355 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1356 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1357 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1358 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1359 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1360 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1361 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1362 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1363 Committee on Finance

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- 1364 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
- 1365 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1366 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1367 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1368 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1369 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1370 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1371 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1372 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1373 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1374 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1375 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1376 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1377 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1378 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1379 Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1380 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1381 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1382 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1383 Committee on Judiciary
- 1384 Committee on Finance
- 1385 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1386 Committee on Judiciary
- 1387 Committee on Finance
- 1388 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1389 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1390 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1391 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1392 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1393 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1394 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1395 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1396 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1397 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1398 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1399 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1400 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1401 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1402 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1403 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1404 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1405 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1406 Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1407 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1408 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1409 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1410 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1411 Committee on Finance
- 1412 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1413 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1414 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1415 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1416 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1417 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1418 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1419 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1421 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1422 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1436 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1446 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1447 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1448 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1449 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1450 Committee on Finance
- 1451 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1452 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1453 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing
- 1454 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1455 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1459 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
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- 1463 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
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- 1465 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1466 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1467 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection
- 1468 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1469 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1471 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
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- 1505 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1506 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1511 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
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- 1570 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1642 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1643 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1644 Committee on Finance
- 1645 Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1676 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1677 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1678 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1679 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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- 1691 Committee on Finance

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 11 through 14) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.C.R. Nos. Referred to:

- 11 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 12 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 13 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 14 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B.</u>

Nos. <u>Re-referred to:</u>

- 77 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 82 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 222 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 298 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 384 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 385 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 419 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 450 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 490 Committee on Judiciary

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 HAWAII CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND ON ITS TENTH ANNIVERSARY," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki and Kawakami.

Representative Arakaki, moved that H.R. No. 13 be adopted, seconded by Representative Kawakami.

Representative Arakaki introduced the following honorees who were seated on the floor of the House:

Mr. Michael Tongg, Chair of the Advisory Board of Hawaii Children's Trust Fund Board;

Ms. Loretta Fuddy, Past Board Chair and Department of Health Liason;

Ms. Judy Sobin, Chair of the Advisory Committee;

Mr. Tod Robertson, Past Chair of the Advisory Committee, and;

Mr. Michael Casey of the Hawaii Community Foundation.

At this time Representative Arakaki introduced the following individuals with the Hawaii Children's Trust Fund, who were seated in the gallery:

Ms. Deanna Yates, Executive Director of the Hawaii Children's Trust Fund;

Ms. Momi Kamau, Department of Health;

Ms. Marlene Lee, Department of Health, and;

Ms. Mitzi Leblon, Department of Health.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 13 was adopted with Representatives Nakasone and Takamine being excused.

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 12:28 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 15 and 16) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO STUDY AND IMPLEMENT THE USE OF MULTIDISCIPLINARY ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION TEAMS AND PHOTOGRAMMETRIC COMPUTER SYSTEMS TO EXPEDITE ITS ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES TO MINIMIZE LANE CLOSURES OF ROADWAYS," was jointly offered by Representatives Mindo, Sonson, Lee, Kanoho, Abinsay, Morita, Magaoay, Ito, Takumi Evans, Saiki, Tamayo, Chang, Say, Souki and Arakaki.

H.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE REGULATION OF TRAUMA SCENE WASTE MANAGEMENT PRACTITIONERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Chang, B. Oshiro, Herkes, Abinsay, Magaoay, Karamatsu, Sonson, Ito, Tamayo, Wakai, Takumi, Kaho'ohalahala, Souki, Hiraki, Evans, Hale, Arakaki, Kanoho, Caldwell, Hamakawa, Stonebraker, Bukoski, Saiki, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Jernigan, Mindo, Marumoto, Luke, Kawakami and Morita.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At this time the Chair addressed the Body, stating:

"The Chair has two announcements to make. First of all, you just got your referral sheets. So your job now is to go and get all your bills and tie it into the referrals of your respective bills that have been introduced.

"Secondly, the Chair would like to announce to all of you that during these dramatic times of what is happening internationally, all of us here in this Chamber cannot afford not to be aware. Faced with the proposition of the United States led war in Iraq, Hawaii must be prepared to weather this storm. For all of us, we must do everything in our capability to prevent, let me mention this, to prevent the adverse economic impact it may have on this State that we all love.

"I believe you all experienced that with the Gulf War, and 9/11 that occurred. I think all of you must know that we have a very tenuous situation in regards to the energy reserves for the State of Hawaii. Is it adequate or inadequate, as far as our reserves of oil to light our homes and our automobiles? I think all of you should know what safety measures are being taken by the military and local law enforcement officers to protect our families in the event of increased terrorism.

"And third we must also now realize that we must try to lessen the economic impact as an extended military engagement in the Middle East is in sight.

"Because of this I am going to be announcing the appointment of a Select Committee of the House on War Preparedness. The introduction of this resolution will occur tomorrow at which time I will get the input and consultation of all the Minority and Majority leaders, as far as the membership of this particular Committee.

"Because of the extreme emergency of this matter all of us will be working together closely, of all members of this Chamber. And we will be asking for the close cooperation of all administrative agencies whose actions will be critical to helping Hawaii meet its obligations to its citizens. What we are doing this afternoon is taking a proactive step in preparing ourselves in case we do go to war. "I just wanted to share that with all of you this afternoon, that this House, this Chamber, will be taking a very proactive stance in determining where the future of the State will be."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:31 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, January 28, 2003. (Representatives Hiraki, Nakasone and Takamine were excused.)

EIGHTH DAY

Tuesday, January 28, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Kevin Kuniyuki of the Wahiawa Hongwanji, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Ching, Finnegan, Hale, Stonebraker, Takumi and Tamayo, 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. 147 through 149) were received and announced by the Clerk were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 147, transmitting the Interim Report on the Use of Alternative Energy Sources to Address Energy Needs on the Island of Kaho'olawe.

Gov. Msg. No. 148, transmitting the Department of Defense's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 149, transmitting the Death Care Provider Task Force's report on The Examination of State Regulation of Death Care Providers.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Pendleton introduced family members from California, Mr. Art and Mrs. Betty Westphal, and Ms. Jolene Myers.

Representative Marumoto introduced 5th grade students from Kaimuki Christian School and Lili'uokalani Elementary School, their teachers and parents: Ms. Karen Raymer, Ms. Chao Sachs, Ms. Lee Ann Abe, Ms. Diana Harada, Ms. Catherine Cruz and Mr. Eric McCutcheon.

Representative Ontai introduced his classmate from Kamehameha Schools and West Point, Mr. Vaughn Vasconcellas.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

H.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

90 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

- 253 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 460 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 492 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 501 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 519 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1579 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

The following concurrent resolution was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.C.R. No. Re-referred to:

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

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION (FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 14) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE, MEMORY, AND LEGACY OF GLADYS KAMAKAKUOKALANI 'AINOA BRANDT AND EXTENDING CONDOLENCES AND DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HER FAMILY," was jointly offered by Representatives Kaho'ohalahala, Kahikina, Waters, Bukoski, Morita and Kanoho.

Representative Kaho'ohalahala, moved that H.R. No. 14 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morita.

Representative Kaho'ohalahala introduced the following members of the Brandt '*Ohana* who were seated on the floor of the House:

Mr. David Brandt Wichman; Mr. Fred Blake Conant; Mr. Randy Wichman; Mr. Tony Wichman; and Mr. Christopher Conant.

At this time Representative Kaho'ohalahala introduced other family members seated in the gallery:

Ms. Vicki Conant, granddaughter in law; Master Colby Conant, great grandchild; Miss Taylor Conant, great grandchild; Ms. Victoria Wichman, granddaughter in law; Ms. Lorraine Wichman, granddaughter in law; Miss Anuhea Wichman, great grandchild; Master No'eau Wichman, great grandchild; and Mr. Frank Brandt, nephew.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 14 was adopted with Representatives Nakasone and Tamayo being excused.

At this time the Speaker noted the House would observe a moment of silence in memory of Gladys Kamakakuokalani 'Ainoa Brandt before adjourning for the day.

At 12:19 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.

At this time Representative Stonebraker moved that H.B. No. 862 be re-referred to the Committees on Health and Judiciary, stating:

"Mr. Speaker I'd like to make a motion to re-refer H.B. 862, the physician assisted suicide bill to the Committees on both Health and Judiciary."

The Chair responded, stating:

"Representative Stonebraker, at this point it is not referenced in the Order of the Day. So at this time..."

Representative Fox rose to a point of order, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, you can move to have a motion pass at any point in the agenda. It is a proper motion before the Body and the Chair."

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 12:53 o'clock p.m.

At this time the Chair announced:

"Because of the time frame that we have, there are a lot of Committee hearings this afternoon. The Chair recognizes that we should continue on so, will the House please come to order."

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution (H.R. No. 15) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE CAUCUS LEADERS AND THE COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE," was offered by Representative Saiki.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried H.R. No. 15 was adopted, with Representatives Caldwell, Halford, Kahikina, Nakasone, Shimabukuro, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

H.R. No. 16

By unanimous consent, action was deferred on day.

Representative Fox then rose to a point of order, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. There was a motion on the floor that was in the process of being made when you called for a recess. I believe the proper action is to complete the introduction of the motion and then to take action on the motion. So Mr. Speaker, if you would allow the completion of the motion which is to find out whether or not there is a second to the motion."

Representative Saiki rose to a point of order, stating:

"The motion referred to was out of order."

The Chair responded, stating:

"Yes, it is out of order because the Rules of the House have not been suspended. That is for the general public at large."

Representative Fox then rose to a point of order, stating:

"You cannot rule a motion out of order before it's been completed. And the completion of the process is the introduction of the motion and an attempt to find out whether or not the motion has a second."

The Chair responded, stating:

"The motion, at this time, is out of order based on customs and practice and tradition, Representative Fox. And I think the legal staff has shared that with you. You abide by the Constitution, you abide the House Rules, and you abide by customs, traditions, and practices, and finally Mason's."

Representative Fox again rose to a point of order, stating:

"My point pertains solely to the process of the proper way to put a motion on the floor. I am not in any way addressing the content of the motion, simply the procedure of getting up, making a motion, having a second or lacking a second, and then moving at that point to dismiss the motion. That I think is the proper order."

The Chair responded, stating:

"Let me share this with the Members of the House. If you all recall, the motion before this House was that a particular House Bill be re-referred to a Committee of two rather than one. Right now, presently, in the House Rules the Speaker has the authority in regards to addressing this particular re-referral process.

"It is also in the House Rules, and it states for the record, that the Chairs of those respective Committees can make these rereferral requests. If the Minority wants to address the rereferral of a particular measure, they may through the process of moving for the suspension of the Rules of the House, which we have all adopted."

Representative Stonebraker then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, will the Chair of the Health Committee submit to a question?"

The Chair addressed Representative Arakaki, stating:

"Representative Arakaki, will you yield to a question?"

At 12:56 o'clock p.m., Representative Arakaki requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:01 o'clock p.m.

At this time the Chair announced:

"Prior to the recess, the Chair did allow Representative Stonebraker to pose a question, which was on the Chair's part very generous since there is no measure before this House.

"The Chair of Health did call a recess whereby they had some discussion and I hope you have worked out the differences or the concerns that were voiced by the Representative from Hawaii Kai. So may we proceed on?"

At this time, Representative Pendleton moved to suspend the rules of the House pertaining to House Rule 11.3 to allow for a motion of re-referral, second by Representative Moses.

The Chair then announced:

"It has been moved and seconded that there is a motion before this House to suspend the Rules of the House in reference to Representative Pendleton ... Representative Pendleton, section 15.6 of the House Rules?

Representative Pendleton responded:

"11.3, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair continued, stating:

"Thank you. Any discussion? Oh excuse me, there is no discussion."

At this time the Chair called for a roll call vote and upon a show of hands, the roll call was approved.

Roll call having been approved, the motion to suspend the rules to allow for a motion of re-referral was put to vote by the Chair and failed to carry upon the following show of Noes and Ayes:

Noes 34: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Hamakawa, Herkes, Hiraki, Ito, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Mindo, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Wakai, and Waters.

Ayes 15: Representatives Blundell, Bukoski, Ching, Finnegan, Fox, Halford, Jernigan, Leong, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Ontai, Pendleton, Stonebraker, and Thielen.

Excused 2: Representatives Nakasone and Tamayo.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Takamine: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is an announcement for the House Finance Committee Members. Because we had a hearing scheduled for 12:45 and we've already inconvenienced a number of testifiers, the Chair would like to ask the Members to assemble in the House Finance Committee conference room immediately following adjournment this afternoon. Thank you." Representative Kaho'ohalahala: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would just like to announce that tomorrow, the Governor has agreed to lower the flag to half-mast in honor of the memory of Gladys Brandt. So that is what is occurring, and we thank the Governor for doing that."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, your Committee on Health will be reconvening immediately following session in conference room 329 for the purpose of completing unfinished business, and that is to hear one more bill on mandatory overtime of nurses."

Representative Halford: "Yes, Mr. Speaker. It is common sense that death is a health issue. Thank you."

Representative Meyer: "I just wanted to make sure we did not forget to have the moment of silence. Thank you."

Speaker Say: "At this point Members, will you all rise for a moment of silence, extending our condolences and deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Gladys Brandt."

At this time the Members of the House of Representatives rose for a moment of silence in memory of Gladys Kamakakuokalani 'Ainoa Brandt.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:07 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, January 29, 2003. (Representatives Nakasone and Tamayo were excused.)

NINTH DAY

Wednesday, January 29, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Ms. Marly Wilson, Legislative Aide to Representative Takumi, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina, Meyer and Morita, who were excused.

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

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following departmental communication (Dept. Com. No. 38) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Comm. No. 38, transmitting the report, New Century Charter School Allocations Project – FY2002-03.

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Ontai introduced family members of Robert Lau, today's honoree: grandparents Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Lau and aunt, Mrs. Helen Lau.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 15 and 16) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.C.R.

Nos. <u>Referred to:</u>

- 15 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 16 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, 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:

H.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

- 1222 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1292 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on

Finance

- 1335 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1465 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1466 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1643 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS (FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 19 and 20) were announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ROBERT LAU ON BECOMING THE 6TH GRADE UNITED STATES CHESS CHAMPION," was jointly offered by Representatives Ontai and Lee.

Representative Ontai moved that H.R. No. 19 be adopted, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Ontai introduced the honoree, his family and coach who were seated on the floor of the House:

Master Robert Lau, National Chess Champion; Ms. Linda Inouye, mother; Dr. Bradley Lau, father; and Mr. Cornelius Rubsamen, coach.

At this time Representative Lee recognized Representative Ontai's Legislative Office Manager, Mr. Randy Prothero, and Mrs. Penny Ontai, who were seated in the gallery, for their support of the Chess Program.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 19 was adopted with Representatives Kahikina and Nakasone being excused.

H.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING MARK R. HUNTER AS THE 2002 HAWAII'S OUTSTANDING ADVOCATE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH," was jointly offered by Representatives Takai and Arakaki.

Representative Takai introduced the honoree, Mr. Mark R. Hunter, who was seated on the floor of the House.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 20 was adopted with Representatives Kahikina and Nakasone being excused.

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 1:13 o'clock p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE SPECIAL HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WAR PREPAREDNESS," was offered by Representative Say.

Representative Saiki moved that H.R. 16 be adopted, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Lee rose to speak in favor of the measure, stating:

"First I'd to congratulate Speaker Say on introducing this very important resolution.

"Having listened to President Bush's State of the Union speech yesterday, it would appear that the likelihood of war with Iraq is very high. I and other Members of the House know from our experience from after the first Gulf War and after the September 11th attack, that a conflict, even thousands of miles away can devastate Hawaii's economy.

"Establishing a Committee on War Preparedness would help the State of Hawaii prepare for the possible conflict with Iraq on a number of levels. Psychologically, it will reassure voters that State government is doing everything it can to prepare for the eventuality of war. To paraphrase United States Senate Minority Leader, Tom Daschle: "the State of the State is anxious." Not only must we be prepared for war, we must let our citizens know that we have done everything we can do. There is of course, no way to anticipate every threat. But we owe it to the people of Hawaii to do everything in their power to minimize the risk that we can anticipate.

"I feel the Committee on War Preparedness would also provide a focal point for taking more concrete steps for preparation for war. It would be able to do some of the following: evaluate our emergency response systems; provide a focal point for contingency plans and scenarios in which federal assistance is delayed; it can evaluate public health preparedness, including our ability to cope with everyday medical needs should there be an interruption to and from the mainland. (As a nurse working in a hospital every weekend, it occurred to me that every time that I go down into the central supply department there is something in there that is critical that comes from the mainland on a boat or a plane.)

"The Committee could also study ways to build up energy supplies before hostilities begin, and decide how to deal with energy shortages should they occur after the shooting starts.

"The Committee could consider legislation that would ensure that those who need care the most would receive it during the war. It could evaluate how much and what kind of food stockpiles may be necessary in case of war, and it could plan ways to keep programs such as school lunch operating in case of war. Establishing a Committee on War Preparedness would enable this House to fulfill its responsibilities to the people of Hawaii as we face the uncertainties that lie ahead. We must take a proactive approach and establishing this Committee would make it easier for us to do that.

"The Committee may well find that we all need to make sacrifices in the upcoming conflict. But that does not alter the fact that we need to do everything we can do to be prepared. I urge my colleagues to support this Resolution.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support of the measure, and I would like the Journal to reflect my concurrence with previous speaker's remarks.

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to say that this measure is a good and important one, and a necessary one, especially at this time in our State's and our Nation's history. This measure allows us as Legislators to supplement, and not supplant, the work of other aspects of government. I know that our Governor, Linda Lingle, and the Administration are working on these very same things. This measure allows us to collaborate and I believe that teamwork will characterize the State's efforts in this area.

"Yesterday, Mr. Speaker, I listened to the President's State of the Union Address and couldn't help but notice how some of his remarks meshed with this measure and see how there was a unity of purpose. If I may, Mr. Speaker, I would like to quote a passage that came to mind as I reviewed this measure yesterday. The President of the United States in his State of the State [Union] said that:

The qualities of courage and compassion that we strive for in America also determine our conduct abroad. The American flag stands for more than our power and our interest. Our founders dedicated this Country to the cause of human dignity, the rights of every person, and the possibilities of every life. This conviction leads us into the world to help the afflicted defend the peace and confound the designs of evil men.

"He also closed at a certain point, Mr. Speaker, by saying that:

Americans are a resolute people who have risen to every test of our time. Adversity has revealed the character to our Country, to the world, and to ourselves. America is a strong Nation, and honorable in the use of our strength. We exercise power without conquest, and sacrifice for the liberty of strangers.

"These words apply to all of Americans but also with great relevance to the State of Hawaii.

"Mr. Speaker, none of us knows what the future holds, but we will work together during difficult times as well as good, and so I look forward to supporting this measure and although I won't be on the Committee, look forward to lending my support and counsel whenever asked, and I urge my colleagues to support this measure as well, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I spent many years at CINCPAC, the headquarters for the Pacific Command, both in operations and intelligence. I can tell you that I have full faith and confidence in our military preparedness.

"Additionally our Administration has been nationally recognized for their hand in getting us ready for any kind of disaster, national or man-made, and they have won national awards in recognition. We have the experts there already working on homeland security.

"Our National Military Command Authority likewise, and our Commander in Chief in particular, have been preparing for this moment for at least two years as you know. They have ensured that we are ready for the task at hand. In the State of the Union by our Commander in Chief last night, it was a moving and compassionate speech, but it also made it clear that we are heading toward war, so we should prepare. So in that light, I commend the Speaker and this Body for taking this action now to try to ensure that we as a Legislature and as the people of Hawaii, can lend in whatever way toward the preparedness for our State to enter this time. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I salute you for taking this proactive direction in establishing this Committee. I like many of the Members in this room watched the President give his State of the Union speech which I felt was forthright. He didn't overstate the situation and tried to prepare the American people and unify us all in these challenging times.

"I have a copy here of the first State of the Union Address by President George Washington, given on Friday, January 8, 1790. It is only a two-page speech, probably took about ten minutes, but it is interesting to see that some of the things he said are just as valid today as they were in 1790. He said:

To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual means of preserving peace. A free people ought not only to be armed, but disciplined to which end a uniformed and well digested plan is requisite, and their safety and interest require that they should promote such manufactories as tend to render them independent on others for essentials, particularly for military supplies.

"I think that is something that your Committee is going to address. He ended this speech by saying:

The welfare of our Country is the great object to which our cares and efforts ought to be directed. It is our arduous task of ensuring to our fellow citizens the blessings which they have a right to expect from a free and equal government.

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 16, entitled "HOUSE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE SPECIAL HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WAR PREPAREDNESS, was adopted. (Representatives Chang, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki were excused.)

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1) recommending that H.B. No. 48, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 48, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk register and aye vote with reservations for her and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen continued, stating:

"I would like to hear the testimonies on those bills and it will be before us in the Water Land Committee. 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. 48, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEASING OF SUBMERGED LANDS," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Chang, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2) recommending that H.B. No. 53, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 53, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk register and aye vote with reservations for her and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen continued, stating:

"I would like to hear the testimonies on those bills and it will be before us in the Water Land Committee. 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. 53, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S MARITIME RELATED USES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Chang, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3) recommending that H.B. No. 58, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 58, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 4) recommending that H.B. No. 252, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 252, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Chang, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki being excused.

The Chair then called on Representative Saiki, stating:

"Representative Saiki, for the education of our freshman class, maybe you should state that the next item will be Finance, Standing Committee No. 5. And if we can go slowly so that everyone will know where we are at – for our freshmen."

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 5) recommending that H.B. No. 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 1, 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 Chang, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki being excused.

The Chair then called on Representative Takamine to say a few words on Standing Committee No. 5, for clarification of the Members who do not sit on Finance.

Representative Takamine rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, thank you for the opportunity, but in light of the vote perhaps I will save it for the next reading."

The Chair then stated:

"I want the freshmen Members to know the process because it is being placed on the calendar for Third Reading."

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 17 and 18) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 17 through 19) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STATE-PROVINCE RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE PROVINCE OF ILOCOS NORTE OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES," was jointly offered by Representatives Magaoay, Abinsay, Arakaki, Sonson, Finnegan, Pendleton and Mindo.

H.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A RURAL HEALTH CARE CENTER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," was jointly offered by Representatives Chang, Takai, Hamakawa, Takamine, Evans, Herkes, Hale, Ito, Caldwell, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Schatz, Arakaki, Thielen, Ching, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Souki and Jernigan.

H.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STATE-PROVINCE RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE PROVINCE OF ILOCOS NORTE OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES," was jointly offered by Representatives Magaoay, Abinsay, Arakaki, Sonson, Finnegan, Pendleton and Mindo.

H.C.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON GOVERNMENT USES OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Thielen and Hamakawa. H.C.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A RURAL HEALTH CARE CENTER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," was jointly offered by Representatives Chang, Takai, Hamakawa, Takamine, Evans, Herkes, Hale, Ito, Caldwell, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Schatz, Arakaki, Thielen, Ching, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Souki and Jernigan.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Kawakami: "We have a birthday boy in the House today and it is none other that Chair Takamine. Let's all wish him a very happy birthday. If you want to find out his age, you have to ask him. Thank you."

The Chair then addressed the Body, stating:

"I want to thank all of you for your rousing support of H.R. No. 16. The Select Committee will hold its first session on Saturday, February 1st, at 1:30 p.m. I would like to say that the speeches given this afternoon were eloquent in reciting some of the priorities for the Committee which will address the State's reserve of oil, food and other necessities as well as the measures that Representative Moses talked about, measures to ensure of security of Hawaii against military and terrorist threats.

"In addition, the Committee will also try to address appropriate measures to protect all of our local jobs in light of Hawaii's experience during the Gulf War, and the impact it had on local jobs, which was tremendous.

"I would also like to share with all of you before it goes to the press, the Committee that all of us have adopted. You may not believe this but we are, this Chamber, very, very cooperative.

"State Adjutant General Robert G.F. Lee, Director of State Civil Defense and the Head of the National Guard will be a part of the Committee.

"Mr. Michael T. Fitzgerald, President and Chief Executive Officer of Enterprise Honolulu.

"Mr. Robbie Alm, Senior Vice President for Hawaiian Electric Company, so that we can know what the reserves are, as in the case of consumer oils that we have here and the refineries.

"Another cabinet member is Ms. Pearl Imada Iboshi the Chief State Economist of the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism. She is now assigned to the Fifth floor in going through all of the Governor's requests tied to the Administration's package.

"Next is Ms. Faye Kurren who has volunteered her time. She is Vice President of the Hawaii Tesoro Corporation.

"Representative Sylvia Luke, the Vice Speaker, will be the Chair of the Committee.

"Representative Ken Ito, Chair of the Public Safety Committee.

"Representative Brian Schatz, Chair of the Economic Development Committee.

"Representative Kirk Caldwell, Vice Chair of the Transportation Committee.

"And last but not least, Representative Cynthia Thielen, who will be a very strong advocate for the consumers in the State of Hawaii because, as she told me earlier this morning, she and I went through a similar experience with the gas shortage in the 1970's; the even and odd system that some of you may not have experienced.

"These are your members of the House Select Committee to do the work on war preparedness."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:28 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 30, 2003. (Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Jernigan, Kahikina and Souki were excused.)

TENTH DAY

Thursday, January 30, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Tulsi Gabbard Tamayo, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Kahikina and Mindo, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Days were approved.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 150 through 153) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 150, transmitting copies of the Report on the Progress of Assessing the Cultural Sites and Burial Remains in Makua Valley and the Monitoring of these Cultural Sites and Burial Sites for fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 151, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill 1077 appropriating \$1,000,000 for the staffing of the Office of the Governor, and \$141,000 for the staffing of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor from January 2003 through June 2003.

Gov. Msg. No. 152, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill No. 1180 appropriating an additional \$2,179,400 in general funds for fiscal year 2002-2003 for the Department of Health to pay for start-up and remediation costs to comply with the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

Gov. Msg. No. 153, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill No. 1181 appropriating \$14,000,000 for the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation's contributions to the Employees' Retirement System and Health Fund for the employees of the corporation.

The Chair addressed the Members, stating:

"Members. This afternoon, I hope you understand these emergency appropriation measures are measures that have come down from the Executive Branch. It is not part of the biennium request, but are for the last five or six months of this fiscal year that we are in. I hope the Committee Chairs and the Finance Chair will look at these items very thoroughly as these funds are requested as emergency funds."

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Pendleton introduced friends from San Francisco with the LBC Corporation Ambassador Program and the Kababayan Alliance Program.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 17 through 18, and 21 through 22) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 17 through 20) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R. Nos. Referred to:

- 17 Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 18 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 21 Committee on Judiciary

Referred to:

22 Committee on International Affairs

<u>H.C.R.</u> Nos.

- 17 Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 18 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 19 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 20 Committee on Judiciary

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B.</u>

Nos. <u>Re-referred to:</u>

- 367 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 454 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 640 Committee on Finance
- 803 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 844 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
- 846 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 906 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 914 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 917 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 919 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1028 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1036 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1106 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1107 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1109 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1154 Committee on Finance
- 1164 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1207 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1364 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1398 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1438 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
- 1447 Committee on Judiciary
- 1494 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1495 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1558 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1559 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1579 Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1616 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1667 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 6) recommending that H.B. No. 160, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 160, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE'S FORESTRY PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 7) recommending that H.B. No. 161, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 161, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EAST KAUAI IRRIGATION SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 8) recommending that H.B. No. 83, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 83, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAND EXCHANGE BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE ALOHA COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 9) recommending that H.B. No. 243, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 243, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I rise in opposition to Standing Committee Report No. 9 and the accompanying H.B. No. 243. Mr. Speaker, the purpose of this measure is to hold the State liable for damages arising from motor vehicle accidents involving a vehicle driven by employees and volunteers of certain health and human services related non-profit entities, which provide contractual services to the State. I know that's a mouthful Mr. Speaker, but basically what this measure does is if we have a non-profit that is contracted to do work for the State, they get into an accident, the State becomes liable.

"Now, I would be the last person who would want to leave injured victims without recourse. We want negligent drivers to be held accountable. We want people to take personal responsibility when they cause harm to others. But this bill is not about that. What this bill does is now create a situation where that person, instead of bringing a lawsuit against a negligent driver or the operator of the vehicle in question, they will sue possibly, potentially, the State of Hawaii.

"Now people might say the measure says that. If you look at the bill itself, H.B. 243, section two talks about various limits: \$20,000 per person, and an aggregate of \$40,000. That part may be limited and defined Mr. Speaker, but the number of people this may apply to is really indeterminate. We don't know how much we may be putting the State, potentially, on the hook for in terms of future litigation.

"The best way to address this situation is to make sure that those people who are contracted to do services for the State follow the law. That their cars and automobiles are insured, and they are operating within the normal course, that they are driving responsibly and not negligently. That is the way you make sure the injured victims can be compensated in motor vehicle accidents. Not by making the State the 'deep pocket' in these situations. So again this is the reason why I oppose this particular measure, the way in which it seeks to compensate potential victims, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"You know, someone made a comment in our hearing this morning, that if the State wants to save money, all we had to do is get rid of the lawyers and the psychiatrists. But having said that, I just want to explain the genesis of this bill because this is a Keiki Caucus bill.

"The reason why this bill is being requested is because, I think many of you realize how important it is to transport children and youth when it comes to programs and services, especially for the Neighbor Islands. A lot of times because the workers and volunteers are not covered, they are very hesitant to transport children, whether it is to ball games, or to required psychiatric services, or any other kind of counseling services. And as a result, the only way children are transported is that we actually have to hire people to do that.

"I think many of you remember that there was a time when we all used to transport kids for these activities. And so in effect, it really affects many of our lower income communities as well, because they just don't have the resources to do the transportation. As a result many of our kids are cheated out of participating in activities. "We can't always hire and charter busses. We can't always hire people just to drive. It is not that we want to pay for people's irresponsibility. That is not the purpose of this bill. We do want to encourage, especially for our volunteers in our different agencies and organizations, and allow them to do this important function. So I hope the members will consider this and perhaps put in the necessary changes so that we can protect the State from people who are irresponsible."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Briefly, I think the cost impact on the State would be lower if we looked into how we might cover, through insurance, the people who operated this, rather than take up the liability for anybody who drives it in that situation. Thank you."

Representative Herkes rose to a point of order, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This bill is going to Judiciary and that is where the comments by the Minority should be addressed."

Representative Pendleton rose to a point of inquiry, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. Are we not, as Members, entitled to speak to all the measures that appear on this agenda?"

The Chair responded, stating:

"Yes you are. And you are allowed to speak on the measure as far as it passing on Second Reading and being referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Yes."

Representative Fox rose to a point of order, stating:

"I wonder if the Representative from Ka'u would enlighten me as to what section of the rules says that you only talk on the bill, if you mention the law, when it goes before Judiciary."

Representative Herkes rose to respond, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I think it is a practice of this House to have subject matter Committees deal with the subject matter. And then, when they pass it on to the next Committee, that is when that subject is addressed."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I rise to speak in favor with grave reservations.

"If the Members would notice the Standing Committee Report voting list that you have on your desk. We do notice that there are far more votes with reservations in the Housing and the Health Committees. The reason for this is because, as the Report states on the bottom of page one, "However, your Committees were unable to determine the legal ramifications and financial impact on the State should the State be held liable for damages resulting from a motor vehicle accident involving non-profit entities while under contractual obligations with the State."

"In short, that says we have no idea how many drivers the State would be liable to cover. When I asked in Committee how many we would be potentially looking at, the answer was nebulous at best, and it was dire at worse. Over a thousand, maybe thousands. And so this is why I do hope that the Chairman of the Judiciary Committee either cleans up the bill or holds it. I cannot vote for this in the affirmative on its Third Reading."

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am just going back to the Representative from Ka'u's comments, because Mr. Speaker, we have a number of new Members here I thought it was important that they realize that discussion on these bills on Second Reading is really important because it notifies those who are not on any of the Committees, or even are on some of the Committees, about possible defects, possible problems. And that full discussion is very, very helpful.

"Years ago, Mr. Speaker, you and I both will remember, there wasn't any. It was just absolutely silent and that is not in the best interest of the democratic process. So I would encourage members to freely speak up on Second Reading. A lot of us won't have been on that original Committee and it will give us a chance to look at the matter further. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'd like to incorporate the words of the Representative from Enchanted Lakes.

"And also on the matter of testifying before Judiciary Committee, many of us are in a bracket that precludes that, if we are doing our duty and due diligence in performing the duties we should as Representatives for our districts. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ontai rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. As a member of several nonprofits, I just want to comment, Mr. Speaker, that I think its inappropriate for the State to be contracting with entities that may not be able to transport children especially if they don't have the proper insurance coverage. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kawakami rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Bukoski rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Blundell rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered." Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Leong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tamayo rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The Chair then stated:

"I am very happy that there is a clear signal that you have been sending to the Judiciary Committee, and its Chair and Vice Chair.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 243, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Fox, Moses, Ontai and Pendleton, voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representatives Kahikina and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 10) recommending that H.B. No. 233, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 233, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CHILDREN'S JUSTICE CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representatives Kahikina and M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 11) recommending that H.B. No. 129, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 129, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I rise in support and I urge my fellow colleagues to support this bill. It is a most important program. This is an important program and I feel that it has come at a timely era and we need to support it Sir."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I also rise to speak in support of Standing Committee Report No. 11. I speak in support with reservations, if the Clerk can note that.

"This is a great program. The Bridge to Hope program is currently in the process of, due to our funding in the last couple of sessions, employing students that are part of the TOFL and TEFL... Actually the TESL programs. What's right actually? Somebody? I got the acronym wrong don't I? TANF. I'm sorry. What I am talking about? Teaching English as a Foreign Language. What was in my mind? TANF. Thank you. Representative.

"In the Committee we wanted to expand the coverage and the means to not only cover the TANF recipients, but TAONF as well. And this is a great idea. It is very important.

"The reservations I have, and I hope that the next Committee looks into this, is that currently covering only the TANF recipients, we have a waiting list of 363 students that have yet to be met by this. Only 100 students have been able to be employed through this program. But what we are looking at here is we are doubling the funding and I think in a time when we are faced with some economic 'crunching' to do, it is important to consider if we should indeed double that funding. As good as the program is, we are expanding the coverage. And what is going to happen is we are going to see our waiting list possibly double. So these are the reservations I have.

"The other reservations include the fact the universities in our State have a need for only a certain amount of employees. And what we don't want to do is to just hire people and pay warm bodies when there is no need. So these are some concerns that we have, and the reservations that I have that I hope will be addressed in the Higher Education Committee. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 129, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRIDGE TO HOPE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 12) recommending that H.B. No. 523, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Tourism and Culture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 523, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and Culture with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13) recommending that H.B. No. 158, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 158, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONTROL OF AXIS DEER IN MAUI COUNTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture with Representatives Hiraki, Kahikina and Mindo being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 21 through 22) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 20) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION

AFFIRMING THE LEGISLATURE'S COMMITMENT TO HUMAN RIGHTS, CIVIL LIBERTIES, AND ALL PROTECTIONS GUARANTEED BY THE CONSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE STATE OF HAWAII, AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL CHARTERS AND COVENANTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Takumi, Shimabukuro, Karamatsu, Hale, Kanoho, Takai, B. Oshiro, Morita, Schatz, Arakaki, Kawakami, Hamakawa, Chang, Souki, Lee, Caldwell, Bukoski, Nishimoto, Waters, Magaoay, Takamine, Hiraki, Evans, and Kaho'ohalahala.

H.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR U.S. POLICY IN CONTAINING AND DISARMING THE ROGUE STATES OF IRAQ AND NORTH KOREA THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS AND WITH THE SUPPORT OF ALLIES AND FRIENDS," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Saiki, Chang, Magaoay, Kanoho, Takai, Karamatsu, Ito, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Lee, Kawakami, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Caldwell, Hale, Wakai, Morita, Evans, Hamakawa, Abinsay, Kaho'ohalahala, Waters and Nakasone.

H.C.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE LEGISLATURE'S COMMITMENT TO HUMAN RIGHTS, CIVIL LIBERTIES, AND ALL PROTECTIONS GUARANTEED BY THE CONSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE STATE OF HAWAII, AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL CHARTERS AND COVENANTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Takumi, Shimabukuro, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Hale, Morita, Kanoho, Arakaki, Takai, Schatz, Caldwell, Bukoski, Magaoay, Kawakami, Hamakawa, Souki, Hiraki, Takamine, Chang, Lee, Waters, Evans, and Kaho'ohalahala.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance, requested a waiver of the 48-hour notification rule for the purpose of proceeding on an informational briefing, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Takamine continued, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Your Committee on Finance will be meeting at ..."

Representative Fox rose to a point of order, stating:

"What is the reason that this is not being handled within the 48-hour notice that is normal? I notice that according to the rules, we need to be provided with a justification as to why something is less than 48-hours."

The Chair addressed Representative Takamine, stating:

"Would the Chair of Finance explain that to the members of this House right after the announcement?"

Representative Takamine continued:

"The House Finance Committee will be holding an informational briefing at 2:00 p.m. tomorrow afternoon in conference room 308. This will be for the purpose of allowing the Director of Budget and Finance, Georgina Kawamura, an opportunity to have further discussion on their financial plan. And she will be providing more details in terms of the Administration's position on how to balance the State Budget."

Representative Fox rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker. The question is why we were not able to know this 48 hours in advance?"

The Chair then called on Representative Takamine, who responded, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I guess one of the greatest matters of legislation before this Body this year will be balancing the State Budget in light of the fiscal concerns. Because of that, both the Ways and Means Committee, as well as the House Finance Committee was concerned about potential delays in reviewing the budget because of the change and transition in the new Administration.

"Therefore, whereas both the monies Committees would generally start their budget briefings right after the New Year, in late December there was a meeting with the new Administration on how we could ensure the most meaningful review of the State Budget and not focus on the Cayetano plan, but really focus on the Lingle Administration's financial plan, and their position on how to balance the budget.

"We've encountered delays along the way and deadlines were set up, but they couldn't be met. Certainly there are good reasons for that, but it is a matter of urgency because your Finance Committee does have the responsibility of ensuring that the budget review process is proper, comprehensive, and allows for public input. We were concerned that the delays might impact on the legislative process because the subject matter Committee Chairs, as time moves on and deadlines are passed, would not have ample opportunity to do their job in terms of the initial review and allowing public input. Because of this, we have been trying to work cooperatively with the Budget Director, and the Budget Director has tried to accommodate our process and deadlines as much as possible.

"However details have not been forthcoming in a timely manner, and so in a cooperative effort, we had this special matter scheduled, and I only just received confirmation from the Budget Director. She was busy all day yesterday, otherwise we would have been able to meet the 48-hour notification or the rule. But because we didn't receive notification by her secretary until approximately 5:00 yesterday afternoon, and again we wanted to make sure that we are not cornered into a position where we might have to have impact on our legislative schedule, etc. We wanted to do our job promptly and in proper manner. Therefore the request for the 48-hour waiver."

The Chair then stated:

"Thank you for informing us Chair Takamine, on the request for the 48-hour waiver for the informational briefing. Any further announcements?"

Representative Abinsay: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would just like to remind our colleagues about the invitation extended to us from the Hawaii Farm Bureau and the Commodity Advisory group about the Island Fresh breakfast that is going to be happening tomorrow morning in room 329. That is going to be from 9:30 in the morning."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and aloha. I am sure by now all of our Members have heard about the *American Idol* program. In fact, I was going to audition myself but Session started so...

"I am really pleased to announce, on behalf of my colleagues from Kalihi, Representative Abinsay and Representative Finnegan, that one of our own from Kalihi, Mr. Jordan Segundo, is one of the 32 finalists, for those who watched last night.

"I have known this young man from the time he was 9 years old when he was singing at my fundraisers. I have seen him develop, and we are very proud of him and we want to wish him much success. I don't know if we are able to but next week, if we can call in and give him a few votes from Hawaii. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:31 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, January 31, 2003. (Representatives Kahikina and Mindo were excused.)

ELEVENTH DAY

Friday, January 31, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Eleanor van der Voort of the American Humanist Association, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Ontai and Takamine who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 154 through 155) were received and announced by the Clerk were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 154, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill No. 1194, appropriating \$22,726,806 in general funds and \$61,138,392 in federal funds to the Department of Human Services for the medical assistance program under the Med-QUEST division for the fiscal period beginning July 1, 2002, and ending June 30, 2003.

Gov. Msg. No. 155, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill No. 1177, appropriating \$1,000,000 in general funds to open and operate the Kapolei Public Library.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Stonebraker introduced his friend, Dr. Gregg Shoultz, an engineer with MIT working on Kwajalein atoll.

Representative Lee introduced her student 'shadow', Mr. Sean Tweedy, a sophomore at Farrington High School.

Representative Chang introduced on behalf of Representative Sonson, students from Waipahu Elementary School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u> <u>Re-referred to:</u>

- 184 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 186 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

- 187 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 195 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 215 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 288 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 473 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 532 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
- 576 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs
- 612 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 886 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 959 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1084 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1085 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1086 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1087 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1088 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1089 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1090 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1127 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

- 1174 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1250 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1285 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 1360 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1453 Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Human Services and Housing
- 1539 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1638 Jointly to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1675 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

The following resolution and concurrent resolution were rereferred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R. Nos. Re-referred to:

21 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

H.C.R.

Nos. <u>Re-referred to:</u>

20 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION (FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 23) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE AMERICAN EAGLE FOUNDATION AND ITS FOUNDER AND PRESIDENT, AL LOUIS CECERE, AND CHALLENGER THE BALD EAGLE," was jointly offered by Representatives Chang, Evans, Nakasone, Herkes, Souki, Caldwell, Takumi, Takai, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tamayo, Hale, Wakai, Schatz, Hamakawa, Waters, Morita, B. Oshiro, Takamine and Kawakami.

Representative Chang, moved that H.R. No. 23 be adopted, seconded by Representative Karamatsu.

Representative Chang introduced the honorees and staff members of the American Eagle Foundation (AEF) who were seated on the floor of the House:

Mr. Al Louis Cecere, Founder and President of the American Eagle Foundation;

Challenger, the bald eagle;

Dr. Michael Jones, AEF Lead Veterinarian; and

Mr. Kevin Buchanan, AEF Public Education Programs.

Representative Chang also introduced the following individuals associated with the American Eagle Foundation, who were seated in the gallery:

Ms. Gretchen Cecere and Mr. Peter McNannis.

At this time, Challenger the bald eagle gave a free-flight performance through the House Chamber.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 23 was adopted with Representatives Kahikina, Nakasone and Takamine being excused.

At 12:22 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:39 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 14) recommending that H.B. No. 47, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 47, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Again, 1 am not for not getting these vehicles off the road, and these drivers off the road. Once again, you know that I've lost a son due to a drunk driver. My problem is the police testified they don't have any place to put the vehicles. They are required to cover each and every vehicle to protect the paint. They are required to go out and start the vehicles each and every day to make sure they are running. And when it comes time that vehicle may be returned to the owner, they have to make sure it is in good operating condition. I don't know how they'll do that.

"Now the bill was amended so that now it is only upon conviction. So then my question is, what does that mean? After the person is convicted, then the police go out and impound the car? Who does that? It is not spelled out in the bill. Originally, the bill was, you stop the drunk driver, you take away his car. So I have those reservations, Mr. Speaker. Maybe it can be worked out in Committee."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 47, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the

Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 15) recommending that H.B. No. 52, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 52, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Blundell rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Although I am supportive of child safety restraints, I find the bill will only make criminals out of our parents. Most all automobiles cannot accommodate more than two child safety seats in the back seat. So the question is, what happens to a parent that has more than two children under the age of eight? Will this parent have to make a choice of which children to take to some event?

"Some will say, "Well, take two cars." And a lot of families will have two cars available to them. But what happens if dad is at work? They still come down to one car. So the families now become criminals because of the way this bill is written, and I urge that this bill be held. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Caldwell rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. Motor vehicle crashes in our nation are the leading cause of deaths of our young people. The cost of an injury is estimated to be about \$150,000. The cost of a death is about \$5.3 million. This legislation helps address that problem. It is strongly supported by the police departments in all our counties. It is supported by the Keiki Alliance for Injury Prevention. It is supported by MADD, and it is supported by the Association for Independent Schools. This is a good bill. It doesn't make it a crime. It just regulates to make sure that parents protect their children properly.

"Mr. Speaker, we regulate the use of Duck Brand penny rockets, so doing this on child safety seats is something practical and should be done."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"The previous speaker said it doesn't make it a crime. Well then, what does it do? What is the purpose of passing a law if violating it, you are not found to be against the law. I don't understand that.

"But I am concerned with the fact that, and Mr. Speaker, first of all let me say I have young children as you know. And I am all for safety and I am all for having a vehicle that can accommodate all your children. But let's face it. The poorest among us are the ones that may not be able to afford having the husband, or the 'bread winner' if you will, stay home and help the other parent take the children to school with two cars. I don't see it happening. And it would be the poorest among us that would suffer then because they have to rely on one vehicle to get their children to and from school. Yes, let's hope it's safe, but I think this is unrealistic because the smaller cars cannot accommodate the number of seats that would be required. "There was testimony that, well, they can just have two vans. I think what the bill is doing is making us all buy SUV's to guzzle more gas.

"But let's come back to the issue, Mr. Speaker. We want safety. We want to encourage people to use these seats. But I think enforcing it goes beyond the government's need in this instance. Education would work. There are free clinics that show people how to install the seats and there are very few that are turned away because they can't accommodate the number of seats in their vehicles. Also there are programs that provide reduced prices for these seats and there is a tax rebate for seats.

"So I am saying all of that is great. The only problem is making them criminals because they can't afford a vehicle big enough. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ontai rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Leong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Bukoski rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 52, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Blundell, Bukoski, Jernigan, Meyer, Moses and Ontai, voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 16) recommending that H.B. No. 459, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 459, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 459, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR

VEHICLE INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 17) recommending that H.B. No. 137, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 137, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 18) recommending that H.B. No. 218, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 218, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TERMINABLE RENTAL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE VEHICLE LEASES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 19) recommending that H.B. No. 470, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 470, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 20) recommending that H.B. No. 411, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 411, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROHIBITION OF DISCRIMINATION BY PUBLIC ENTITIES AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 21) recommending that H.B. No. 392, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 392, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee. Representative Lee rose to declare a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"I'd just like to declare a potential conflict for H.B. 392, H.D. 1. I do nurse staffing and I am a nursing supervisor on the weekends," 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. 392, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY OVERTIME FOR NURSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 22) recommending that H.B. No. 507, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 507, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer 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 Hiraki and Kahikina were excused.)

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, H.B. No. 1, 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 49 ayes, with Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina being excused.

The Chair directed the Clerk to note that H.B. No. 1, HD 1 passed Third Reading at 12:49 o'clock p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 24 and 25) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 21) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF HULA AND RECOGNIZING APRIL 1, 2003, TO MARCH 31, 2004, AS THE "YEAR OF THE HULA," was jointly offered by Representatives Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Ito, Nishimoto, Hiraki, Shimabukuro, Mindo, Hale, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Herkes, Waters, Wakai and Evans.

H.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO REPEAL THE PROVISIONS OF USA PATRIOT ACT THAT ATTACK AMERICA'S CONSTITUTIONAL PROTECTIONS AND BILL OF RIGHTS," was offered by Representative Hale.

H.C.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE ILLEGAL OVERTHROW OF THE KINGDOM OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Hale.

LATE INTRODUCTION

The following late introduction was made to the members of the House

Representative Luke introduced two students from Farrington High School participating in the Hawaii State Student Council: Mr. Sean Tweedy and Mr. Samasoni Tiitii.

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Representative Fox: "Mr. Speaker, one of our younger veterans is going to enjoy a birthday this Sunday. I wish we could all wish a warm, happy birthday to Representative David Pendleton."

Representative Pendleton: "Mr. Speaker, would the Speaker yield to a question?"

Speaker Say: "No."

Representative Pendleton: "Mr. Speaker, but isn't it true that this Sunday is also your birthday as well?"

Speaker Say: "No."

Representative Pendleton: "Okay, I stand corrected."

Representative Leong: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to remind this Body and tell them that tomorrow is a very special day. It is the Chinese New Year and we say *Kung Hee Fat Choy*. And when I was a little girl, one of the things I was always taught to remember on this day is that you don't cry, or argue. Be happy and keep smiling, and work nicely with the rest of your family because that is what you want for the rest of the year. And don't try to do housework. It is too late. And so I wish all of you a *Kung Hee Fat Choy*."

Representative Saiki: "Mr. Speaker, I have an announcement, more for edification. I'd like to wish the warmest birthday greetings to the Speaker, tomorrow, Saturday."

Speaker Say: "Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:52 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon Monday, February 3, 2003. (Representatives Hiraki and Kahikina were excused.)

TWELFTH DAY

Monday, February 03, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Reverend Rhys Kia'aina of the Oahu Church of Christ, after which the Chair addressed the Body, stating:

At this time, the Chair addressed the Body, stating:

"Before proceeding with the roll call and today's business, the Chair would like to inform you, the Members of this House, that we all share the grief and tragedy that we felt with the seven valiant astronauts of the space shuttle Columbia. Prior to adjournment this afternoon, we will have a moment of silence on behalf of the seven astronauts."

The Roll was then called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hamakawa, Hiraki, and Takamine 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 MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 156) was received and announced by the Clerk was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 156, transmitting a report on the Establishment of the Hydrogen Public/Private Partnership to Support and Promote Hydrogen Use in Hawaii's Energy Economy.

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Hale introduced Mr. Chad Ahia, a Hilo High School graduate and past participant in the Model United Nations program.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 21) and resolutions (H.R. Nos. 24 and 25) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.C.R.

Nos. <u>Referred to:</u>

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

<u>H.R.</u>

Nos. Referred to:

- 24 Committee on Tourism and Culture
- 25 Committee on Judiciary

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

H.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

- 157 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 182 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture
- 215 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 287 Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1018 Committee on Finance
- 1039 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
- 1120 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1530 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 23), recommending that H.R. No. 10, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 10, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS RECOGNIZE AN OFFICIAL POLITICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND THE INDIGENOUS HAWAIIAN PEOPLE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hamakawa, Hiraki, and Takamine being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 24), recommending that H.C.R. No. 10, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 10, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS RECOGNIZE AN OFFICIAL POLITICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND THE INDIGENOUS HAWAIIAN PEOPLE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hamakawa, Hiraki, and Takamine being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 25) recommending that H.B. No. 315, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 315, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRIBUSINESS INCUBATORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 26) recommending that H.B. No. 293, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 293, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FARMERS' MARKET," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 27) recommending that H.B. No. 453, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 453, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 28) recommending that H.B. No. 542, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 542, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 29) recommending that H.B. No. 197, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 197, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 30) recommending that H.B. No. 276, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 276, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 31) recommending that H.B. No. 156, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 156, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII FORESTRY AND COMMUNITY INITIATIVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32) recommending that H.B. No. 281, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 281, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 33) recommending that H.B. No. 334, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 334, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I am going to speak, I think, against this. Standing Committee Report No. 33, H.B. 334.

"This bill provides for putting principals on a 12-month schedule and I am in favor of rewarding principals at substantially higher levels than they are currently paid. I think they have one of the most difficult jobs in the State. I see this as a way to reward principals by paying them for 12 months rather than for 10 months. But I think this should be part of a process in which if we give the principals something, we ask for something in return. And what we should ask in return is that the principals be willing to serve on a contractual basis in which they provide goals that they would like to accomplish, and they are given something in the order of a four-year contract, substantially higher pay and full authority over their schools. But they are treated as management, not as a member of the union.

"This is an important reform. It is endorsed by many groups including the Business Round Table. Both newspapers have supported it. It is the direction to move, so I am concerned that we would just simply pay principals more without getting into the question of whether or not they should work under contract. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 334, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPALS AND VICE-PRINCIPALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representative Fox voting no, with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 34) recommending that H.B. No. 179, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 179, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would like to note my reservations. Mr. Speaker, this North Kona land purchase could be done by the county. Thank you."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am also rising with reservations. I know that in the Committee, it was made clear that this parcel which originally had a million dollar price tag on it, does not actually have any cultural sites on it. It would be purchased more as a buffer. I don't think it is appropriate to move it to the front of the line. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 179, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF LAND IN NORTH KONA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 35) recommending that H.B. No. 316, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 316, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY PROJECTS AND PURPOSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 36) recommending that H.B. No. 317, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 317, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 37) recommending that H.B. No. 319, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 319, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford rose to clarify his vote, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I asked for reservations on Standing Committee Report No. 37. I apologize. I mistook that for one on the next page, Standing Committee Report 39. I would like to express my reservations with 39, and to vote yes on 37. 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. 319, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 38) recommending that H.B. No. 320, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 320, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RISK MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 39) recommending that H.B. No. 322, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

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Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and H.B. No. 322, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Blundell rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 322, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 40) recommending that H.B. No. 1335, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1335, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION WAIVERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Thielen for the Select Committee on War Preparedness requested a waiver of the 48-hour notice requirement for the purpose of having an informational briefing on Tuesday at 4:30 p.m., and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen: "The informational briefing will be to discuss the impact that potential war would have on the airline industry. Representatives of the State's airline industry will be present at the briefing. Thank you."

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection requested a waiver of the 48-hour notice requirement.

Representative Morita: "Although notice was posted on Friday, I don't believe it was done so electronically and there are some revisions to our Monday afternoon, 1:30 agenda of a joint hearing with EEP and CPC.

"I think it might be easier if the members followed me on page A of today's Order of the Day. H.B. 206; H.B. 215; H.B. 471; H.B. 1676; H.B. 1493; and H.B. 1399 will be taken off today's agenda of the joint hearing, and placed on the agenda of tomorrow's EEP hearing agenda at 9:30 in room 312. Thank you."

Representative Hale: "Mr. Speaker, the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing had put out an amended notice, and we held that hearing at 11:00 this morning. So it is not going to be at 1:00."

The Chair then addressed the Body, stating:

"After the motion to adjourn is made, please rise, to signify your concurrence, for a moment of silence in memory of the seven-member crew of the space shuttle Columbia."

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Lee moved that the House of Representatives adjourn until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, February 4, 2003, seconded by Representative Meyer.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and upon a standing vote in memory of the seven-member crew of the space shuttle, Columbia, the motion was carried.

At 12:20 o'clock p.m. the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, February 4, 2003. (Representatives Hamakawa and Hiraki were excused.)

THIRTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 04, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:09 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Thomas Waters, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Bukoski, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Sonson, and Takamine, 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 MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 157) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 157, transmitting copies of the Special Unemployment Insurance Administration Fund for Fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

At 12:12 o'clock p.m., Representative Lee requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

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

Sen. Com. No. 4, returning H.B. No. 1, 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 4. 2003.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B.</u> Nos.	Re-referred to:
357	Committee on Labor and Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
431	Committee on Finance
432	Committee on Finance

- 591 Committee on Finance
- 644 Committee on Finance
- 1209 Committee on Finance

- 1256 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1323 Committee on Finance
- 1336 Committee on Finance
- 1461 Committee on Finance
- 1636 Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1686 Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 41) recommending that H.B. No. 447, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 447, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR INSURANCE LICENSEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 42) recommending that H.B. No. 49, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 49, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"This bill makes it illegal to hold a cell phone up to your ear. It is considered prima-facie evidence that you are communicating on the cell phone. Just the simple fact of having it up near your ear and you are guilty. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, there is a bill along these lines in the State of New York. Evidence is being gathered on this subject. It has been found that there is no particular difference in the accident rate between people who hold cell phones to their ears and people who use hand-held devices. The distraction comes from using the cell phone. Not from the difference of holding it to your ear or using a hand-held device.

"In addition there is evidence that shows it's actually a greater danger to eat while you are driving than it is to manage a cell phone, yet this bill says nothing about eating. I think this is a reflection of the 'nanny state' and we should vote against this bill."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I too will be voting no on this measure. I think all of us in campaigning have held signs, and I do see people come down the road reading their newspapers, combing their hair, shaving. I mean a zillion other things that will not be illegal, but talking on your phone would be and I think we are just going to far. Thank you."

Representative Ontai rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Evans rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I lived in Malaysia and in that country they have this law where you could not hold a cellular phone when you were driving. And many, many times I was with people driving around and I felt that it was really important. What they did was they bought these headsets that went on their ear and it was connected to the cell phone. They could answer their calls. Not a problem. But I felt very safe because what happens when cell phones ring? People are grabbing and then they put it down, and maybe it falls down. But for some reason people feel so strongly about answering their telephone, that I think they forget that they are driving a car. So I really support this measure. Thank you."

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. Thank you very much, and Members. I wish to speak in favor of the bill.

"To my good friends across the aisle who seem to have an objection for safety measures that we have to protect the public, I just want to..."

Representative Moses rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker. The comment is going to motive. We are not against safety. We just think that this bill is not going to promote safety. And it is going to jeopardize other things."

Representative Souki then stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I believe he is out of order. I believe I have the floor. And I guess I am not speaking without some substance of the bills that provide for some safety which have been spoken against by Members on the other side of the hall."

Representative Pendleton rose to a point of order, stating:

"Point of order, Mr. Speaker. The measure before us has nothing to do with the other measures the gentleman is referring to. Would he confine himself to this particular measure, Mr. Speaker?

Representative Souki responded, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I think it has everything to do this bill. It is about safety. To protect the public, to protect the driver and its occupants.

"Now I wish those who will speak against this bill will do a self-test and put that ear on the phone for a couple of minutes and see if they remember exactly where they are and where they are going. Just take this simple self-test. It is a proven fact that in the State of New York, accidents have been prevented, have not increased, have been prevented, due to the law that they have. Mr. Speaker, I ask the Members here, if you care for safety to please vote for this bill. Thank you very much."

Representative Kanoho rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I wish to indicate my support for this bill, despite the fact that it has no provision against eating or sleeping while driving. 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. 49, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Ching, Fox, Jernigan, Meyer, Moses and Ontai voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 43) recommending that H.B. No. 19, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 19, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Blundell rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Leong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 19, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG COST CONTAINMENT AND AFFORDABLE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 44) recommending that H.B. No. 13, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 13, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Blundell rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Leong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 13, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG COST CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 45) recommending that H.B. No. 18, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 18, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Lee. Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Blundell rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Leong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 18, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFIT MANAGEMENT COMPANIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 46) recommending that H.B. No. 259, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 259, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH AND ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 47) recommending that H.B. No. 1412, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1412, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I'd like to rise with reservations for Stand. Com. Report No. 47. I just have brief comments, Mr. Speaker. This looks like it would require every *manini* counselor in the State to require a license. And although all counselors are important, some...

"You know, in high school we had guidance counselors or basically people that would listen, and I just fear that the government oversight of this might be a little heavy. So I have reservations. I hope it can be cleared up in its respective Committee."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1412, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48) recommending that H.B. No. 731, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 731, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 49) recommending that H.B. No. 4, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 4, HD I, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Finnegan rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, this is in regards to Stand. Com. Report No. 49. I rise with reservations.

"A similar bill like this was passed in Massachusetts and the tobacco companies filed suit against Massachusetts and they have been in litigation for six and a half years, costing the State of Massachusetts approximately \$200,000 a year in litigation costs. And I just wanted to talk about my reservations because I think we are doing an effective campaign against tobacco with all the body bags that they show on the commercials and everything like that. And I am not sure if this measure is fiscally sound.

"I would just like to also say attached to my statements, that I am not for tobacco. "

Representative Stonebraker rose in support of the measure with reservations and asked that the remarks of Representative Finnegan be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 4, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 50) recommending that H.B. No. 189, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 189, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I wish I didn't have to rise so often, but it is like a whirlwind of bad ideas going through this Legislature. I just can't believe how much I disagree with.

"On Stand. Com. Report No. 50, emergency contraceptives for sexual assault survivors, I am rising in opposition. The problem with this bill is that, not that it doesn't take concern for sexual victims. Of course, we all feel greatly indebted to provide care and comfort, as well as counseling for victims of sexual assault. However emergency contraceptives, though the bill erroneous states on page 1, that emergency contraceptive cannot and does not cause abortion, this is a matter of definitions, Mr. Speaker. A fertilized egg that is not attached, and I think we talked about this last session, that it is not attached to the uterine wall, it is defined by some, mostly of the pro-abortion crowd, as a non-pregnancy. If that fertilized egg, which is by the pro-life crowd, is flushed, that would be considered an abortifacient. This is what emergency contraceptives do. And that is the reason why a conscience clause was added to the bill. The conscience clause however, when I asked in Committee who wrote it, it was written by Planned Parenthood. You have a hospital that maybe founded on a religious basis and the conscience clause is given to them by Planned Parenthood.

"Now there are obviously differences of opinion between the two groups. I would be surprised if the State required the local Jewish temple to carry books of Adolph Hitler, *Mein Kampf*, in their bookstore. They are mutually exclusive and if a religious hospital is required to carry information, as well as pamphlets and so forth that are written by Planned Parenthood, this would be against their rights. And that's exactly what's happening with the conscience clause written by Planned Parenthood. They are requiring any religious hospital that chooses not to provide this service, requiring them to provide information, pamphlets, brochures, that forward Planned Parenthood's point of view. That is they would have to distribute Planned Parenthood information if they would like to be exempt from this law.

"The amendment says that, "an administrative fine of \$5,000 per sexual assault survivor who is denied medically and factually accurate and unbiased information about emergency contraception or who is not offered or provided emergency contraception..." So a hospital that didn't want to do this, and they didn't want to provide Planned Parenthood information, would be fined \$5,000. The problem is the amendment says that they have to provide unbiased information. But you see this is the whole thing. The beauty of our government is that we respect people's biases. They have a bias. I respect that. That is their constitutional right. So the conscience clause in itself disregards the bias of that religious hospital. So I can't vote in favor of this. This would actually penalize a hospital \$5,000 for doing something that they find reprehensible, or if they did not do something they found reprehensible. I have to vote no. Thank you."

Representative Ontai rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to speak in favor of the measure. And I not only speak as the Chair of the Health Committee, I speak as a father of three teenage daughters and one with great concern over their health and safety.

"In the year 2000, there were 346 forcible rapes reported in Hawaii. After a woman is sexually assaulted, she may face the additional trauma of an unwanted pregnancy as a result of the sexual assault. Each year in the United States over 32,000 women become pregnant as a result of a sexual assault and approximately 50% of the pregnancies end in abortion. Emergency contraceptives, which prevent pregnancy after unprotected sexual intercourse, have been approved for use by the United States Food and Drug Administration. Emergency contraception cannot and does not cause abortion. So heaven forbid, if one of my daughters were to be sexually assaulted and became pregnant, I would rather have them go through this than to actually have to go through an abortion.

"Emergency contraception, or EC, is two consecutive doses of high-dose birth control pills given as soon as possible after an episode of unprotected intercourse. EC has been studied extensively and for years and is deemed safe with minimal side effects. It is effective for use by virtually all women seeking to reduce the likelihood of an unintended pregnancy. EC is not an abortifacient and therefore will not cause an abortion, nor interrupt, or disrupt an already established pregnancy. Women have up to 72 hours or 3 days after unprotected intercourse to potentially prevent an unintended pregnancy with EC use.

"Under this proposed bill, emergency rooms will be required to counsel female victims of sexual assault about the risk of possible pregnancy and to offer EC. Research suggests there is a knowledge gap about emergency contraception among woman, patients, and healthcare professionals. Passage of this bill will help to increase awareness and knowledge of EC. So I'd like to urge all the Members to support this measure."

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I want it to be clear. At first, you know the title which says, "An Act Relating to Emergency Contraceptives for Sex Assault Survivors in Emergency Rooms." I don't have any problem with that. I believe that hospitals should be able to provide that. I think that is very important. As a father of four, two of whom are girls, rape and that kind of forced, non-consented to sexual intercourse, that is a travesty. We need to have everything we can to protect women from that, and to help them in those situations. My concern with the measure is not with authorizing hospitals to provide emergency contraception to sexual assault survivors. That is what this description says on the back. I have no problem with authorizing hospitals to provide emergency contraception to sexual assault survivors. What I do have a problem is with the details of the bill, which basically require hospitals to follow, kind of, the legislative micro-management of how that happens.

"One of the legislators who spoke in opposition mentioned that there is an exemption, and I think religious hospitals is my greatest concern. On page 6 of the measure, it talks about a religious exemption and it nicely sets forth how that might happen. The problematic aspect of this is it says it uses permissive language. It says, "may." So you may apply for that, and you may or not get this exemption provided to. So it is not enough to be a hospital that is directly affiliated with the church. It is not enough to have a long history of having the association with some religious organization. You have to provide all of this paperwork and then hope some administrator will see things your way.

"At the very bottom, line 21 on page 6 says, "The department shall review each application and notify the religious hospital of acceptance or denial within 30 days of the submission of the completed application." Other than that, there is really no standard, nothing governing when religious hospitals get the exemption or when they don't. I mean it is completely left to the discretion of some government decision maker. I like how they have mandatory language there where it says it shall review, but other than that, it doesn't say anything else. It is up to them to say, "You know what St. Francis? We just don't agree with you, so we are going to deny your exemption." There is nothing in this bill that protects a hospital like that, and for that reason, and also the fact that the Hawaii Medical Association opposes this.

"I think this is over-management or micro-management in an area. Yes, hospitals should be authorized to do this, but the way we do it, we basically mandate, regardless of their religious affiliations. For that reason, I oppose it, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Morita rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I rise with reservations on this bill. And my problem with this bill deals with the conscience clause. You know, especially when someone in trauma going to a hospital, many times the person may be unaware of what kind of hospital you are in. You are just seeking care. And each religious hospital markets to the public in general. They don't market only to people of their faith or belief. They market to the public. And when they market to the public I believe they have an obligation to disclose all the options available to the patient. And especially a patient in need after sexual assault. For those reasons I am very concerned.

"I hope the next Committee will take a close look at the conscience clause and eliminate it, because emergency contraceptives should be available to all sexual assault victims that no matter what their belief is, that the option is made clear to the patient, and the patient alone makes that decision: whether she would take the EC or not. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"First of all, I'd like to incorporate the words of the Representative from Enchanted Lakes with the addition that I am a father of seven children, two of them are girls. I am in opposition.

"As far as the words we just heard from the previous speaker, I'd just like to say that you all know l just had a hip replacement. In her logic, I would have to go to, or if I went to a chiropractor, he would have to tell me that in his opinion, maybe, I should go see an orthopedic surgeon instead of him helping me with chiropractics.

"Now because they also operate for the good of the public in general, I don't think they have to cross and do somebody else's work or discipline for them. If a religious hospital in their belief, just can't abide by the procedure, why should they be forced to give somebody else's opinion. It is like going into a car dealer and the car dealer says, "You can go down the street and there is another car for sale, and you can check your prices there. But go see my competitor." I don't think that is right."

The Chair then announced:

"Members. For all the Members of this Chamber, this will be the last speaker on this particular measure so that we can proceed on. But before proceeding on, the Chair will allow you to state your position, with reservations or in opposition."

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Yes, I just wish to express my reservations for the same reasons as Representative Morita. Thank you."

Representative Tamayo rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Morita be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Meyer rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Pendleton be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Thielen rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Morita be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Leong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Pendleton be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kahikina rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kaho'ohalahala rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 189, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTIVES FOR SEX ASSAULT SURVIVORS IN EMERGENCY ROOMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Moses, Ontai, Pendleton and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 51) recommending that H.B. No. 543, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 543, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 52) recommending that H.B. No. 548, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 548, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 53) recommending that H.B. No. 131, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 131, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 54) recommending that H.B. No. 521, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 521, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ANNUAL GENERAL EXCISE TAX HOLIDAY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 55) recommending that H.B. No. 650, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 650, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 56) recommending that H.B. No. 719, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 719, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 57) recommending that H.B. No. 21, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 21, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to register a no vote for Stand. Com. Report No. 57. I feel that it is going to be a regulatory and bureaucratic nightmare. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 21, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATE DISCLOSURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Marumoto, Meyer and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 58) recommending that H.B. No. 217, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 217, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 59) recommending that H.B. No. 220, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 220, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Jernigan rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Id like to rise in opposition to this. The purpose of this bill is to allow the Tourism Authority to appoint its own attorneys. The new Administration has appointed a new Attorney General, and the Tourism Authority stated their reason was they wanted more specialized attorneys and the service was slow. I think we need to give the new AG a chance. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am also in opposition for basically the same reason. We have other bills passing through too that are asking for special attorneys for different departments, and I think the new Administration has made it clear that they think that the Attorney General can do the job."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A no vote for the reasons given by the Representative from Kona."

Representative Ontai rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 220, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Fox, Jernigan, Meyer, Moses, Ontai and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 60) recommending that H.B. No. 225, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 225, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Jernigan rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, again the Hawaii Tourism Authority is, looking at the original request, to increase their budget for administrative costs by 10%, which is \$6 million. They quickly made concessions to half that, and also indicated they were willing to go below that. So I don't know what the real the motive was behind the request. I think we need to keep the money for the end-use, to promote tourism and not grow the size of the government down at the Tourism Authority. Thank you."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Blundell rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'd like to have a no vote on Stand. Com. Report No. 60. The Hawaii Tourism Authority did not come up with any justification for that money. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Chang rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I stand in support. This bill would allow the HTA the same flexibility and efficiency that other businesses are afforded. At present, the HTA is currently authorized under Chapter 201B to deposit its special fund money into interest-bearing accounts until needed. Currently however, the HTA's contracting and payments involve a system that includes approval or administrative action by DBEDT, Department of Budget and Finance, the Attorney General, and the Department of Accounting and General Services, which often results in long delays in making payments.

"Mr. Speaker, as your Chairman on Tourism and Culture, I have been inundated by calls from people complaining about delays in payments by the providers and grant awardees that have caused havoc on their events. This bill requires the HTA to deposit funds of the Convention Center and a private special fund into an interest-bearing account and to disperse funds by check. It also allows the HTA to use revenues derived from any project for its purposes. It also requires the HTA's financial affairs, and to submit the audit to the Legislature prior to the next legislative session.

"The original bill also increased the percentage of that Tourism Special Fund for administrative expenses from 3.5% to 10%. Your Committee on Tourism, although cognizant of the importance of having additional administrative funds, had concerns on the increase from 3.5% to 10%, as well as the lack of specific details on how the administrative funds would be used. The bill was amended in your Committee to reduce its administrative expenses from the proposed 10% to 5%. And I have urged the proponents of the measure to be prepared to provide more details on how the additional funds would be spent when it moves on to the Finance Committee. 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. 225, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Blundell, Jernigan and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 61) recommending that H.B. No. 631, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 631, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in support of the measure and asked that his written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pendleton continued, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I stand in strong support of this measure. I have the privilege and honor of having a Hawaiian immersion school in my legislative district and I request leave to insert remarks into the Journal."

Representative Pendleton's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of this measure. I have profound admiration and respect for other languages. I have a special love and fondness for Hawaiian, though I don't speak it. I believe we must keep this language alive. We must ensure that its words and vocabulary and unique linguistic facets do not disappear from the face of this earth. We must train and educate those of our keiki who would wish to learn, learn Hawaiian.

"I support this measure because it is an appropriation for this important cause. I am so honored to have a Hawaiian Immersion school in my district. Puohala Elementary in Kaneohe is a beacon of light and hope to the Hawaiian community. I am a strong supporter of this school and its students. I would only wish that we could give more money.

"Yet I am glad that we can do this. I will continue to be a fighter for Hawaiian Immersion. I will continue to support our keiki who keep this language alive.

"For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I strongly support passage of House Bill 631."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 631, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAIIAN IMMERSION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 62) recommending that H.B. No. 633, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 633, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 63) recommending that H.B. No. 1303, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1303, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 64) recommending that H.B. No. 1304, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1304, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 65) recommending that H.B. No. 1305, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1305, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused. Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 66) recommending that H.B. No. 1441, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1441, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Kaho'ohalahala rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I'd just like to encourage my colleagues to look at this carefully. The Hawaiian language is an official language of the State of Hawaii, and I think by adding these two diacritical markings in our language, it is really intended to help all of us to pronounce the language more correctly.

"It may seem subtle. It might simply be the word, *mai* which we would all say, *mai*. So we would use it perhaps in our welcome to our office as, *e komo mai*. If you just change the diacritical marking of the same word with an `*okina* in between the *a* and the *i*, you would say *ma*'*i* and therefore it would mean, menstruation. So I would like to be very clear that we are using the correct word and the correct pronunciation, so that we would not be mistaken to say, *e komo ma*'*i*. Thank you."

Representative Kahikina rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Kaho'ohalahala be entered in 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. 1441, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 67) recommending that H.B. No. 178, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 178, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 68) recommending that H.B. No. 428, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 428, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LEASES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 69) recommending that H.B. No. 909, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 909, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Health with Representatives Hiraki and Sonson being excused.

Representative Hale, for the Committee on International Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 70) recommending that H.R. No. 22, be adopted.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and that H.R. No. 22, be adopted, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"This resolution has been carefully crafted to express our concern about unilateral action by the U.S. in resolving the crisis in Iraq. The U.S. and its allies formed the United Nations Association after World War II because these nations realized that the methods and weapons of war that had been developed, were too dangerous, and threatened the very existence of life on earth, if widely distributed and used. And I would like to quote partly from the preamble of the Charter of the United Nations:

We the peoples of the United Nations determined to save succeeding generations from the scourge of war, which twice in our lifetime has brought untold sorrow to mankind, and to reaffirm the faith in fundamental human rights, in the dignity and worth of the human person, in the equal rights of men and women and of nations large and small, and to establish conditions under which justice and respect for the obligations arising from treaties and other sources of international law can be maintained, and to promote social progress and better standards of life in larger freedom ... have resolved to combine our efforts to accomplish these aims ... [we] hereby establish an international organization to be known as the United Nations.

"The resolution is urging the President to get the support of the United Nations organization before embarking on a war with Iraq. As our report indicates, some members feel the wording should be stronger, but the resolution makes it clear that we desire that any overt action against Iraq get the support of the United Nations just as we did in the 1991 Gulf War.

"On a more promising note, a report from the United Nations Foundation, quoting USA Today: "A consensus is emerging to allow U.N. weapons inspections in Iraq to continue as late as the middle of next month before the United Nations Security decides to authorize military action according to U.N. diplomats."

"Another article quotes United States Representative Jim McDermott. "One of the real problems is if we wind up undermining the power of the United Nations to deal with crises like this, we will have done enormous damage to this institution" and Representative Jim Conyers cited the danger of undermining the United Nations, which he described as, "A process that we might regret somewhere along the line".

"Yesterday's *Advertiser*, gave the most recent statewide poll that showed that 73% of the people, statewide in Hawaii, support this position.

"Finally, President Bush has expressed support for the possibility of Iraqi President Saddam Hussein and his top officials and family members leaving the country and going into voluntary exile. He is quoted as saying, "Hopefully the pressure of the free world will convince Saddam Hussein to relinquish power. The use of military troops is my last choice, not my first."

"For all these reasons, I urge my colleagues to pass H.R. 22, and send this message to the State and national administration, and to our congressional delegation. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"As a former foreign service officer who worked for the Department of State, I find this resolution am embarrassment. It attempts to tell the United States a different way to do foreign policy when we know that the foreign policy of the United States rests on fifteen Security Council resolutions, most especially resolution 1441, which spells out the terms under which Iraq has to comply with the order of the Security Council to disarm and dismantle weapons of mass destruction.

"We have an outstanding Secretary of State, Colin Powell, who's working with the United Nations and will go to the United Nations tomorrow. I find the passages in here that chide the United States government for contemplating unilateral action and opposition to the United Nations, highly offensive. I think this resolution does violence to the principles of bipartisanship that lay behind your effort to set up a group to explore the war situation, and what it might do to Hawaii.

"I am really astounded that a resolution like this would be brought to the floor. It should be voted down. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Kanoho rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I wish to speak in strong support. Our Nation is facing very difficult times. Since September 11, 2001 when terrorists brought unimaginable horror and destruction to our Nation, we have struggled to maintain our economy and have been engaged in a war on terror.

"As part of this war on terror, the United States helped to overthrow the oppressive Taliban regime in Afghanistan, which provided a safe haven for terrorists, and helped to bring about a freer and more open government and society for the people of Afghanistan. The threat posed by Iraq is another part of the United States war on terror.

"Since the Persian Gulf War of 1991 when the nations of the world banded together to oust the Iraqi invaders from the peaceful and sovereign state of Kuwait, Baghdad has defied the international community. Iraq continues to develop weapons of mass destruction, and outright defies numerous United Nations resolutions. Iraq is also refusing to cooperate with U.N. weapons inspectors, whose duty is to monitor Iraqi compliance with the U.N. resolutions.

"The danger that such weapons pose to global peace and security is enormous. In addition, evidence exist that suggest that Saddam Hussein is linked to the Al Qaida terrorist network.

"U.S. efforts to resolve the crises in the Korean Peninsula are also designed to protect global peace and security. North Korea's admission that it possesses nuclear weapons demonstrates that it is patently violating the 1994 mediation agreements between it and the United States.

"Conflict between Pyongyang and Seoul would not only devastate the Korean Peninsula, but also destabilize the East Asian region as a whole. The need for peace and security is paramount and clear. However, a unilateral approach that disregards the views of allies and world opinion is not the approach. Most definitely, not the proper approach.

"The House of Representatives restates unequivocally this firm commitment to collective security through the United Nations and strongly supports American policy of containing and disarming the rouge states of Iraq and North Korea through the U.N. and with the support of our allies. The House also expresses its strong support for the men and women of our armed forces and their families.

"For these reasons, I strongly support Resolution No. 22. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to speak in strong support of H.R. No. 22, "Expressing Strong Support for U.S. Policy in Containing and Disarming the Rouge States of Iraq and North Korea through the United Nations and with the Support of Allies and Friends."

"In a recent poll, 49 other states in addition to Hawaii all stand shoulder to shoulder behind this policy. Many believe that Iraq and North Korea are threats not only to their neighbors, but also to the world, including the United States, and are strongly behind the policy of containing and disarming these states.

"This resolution urges the United States to cooperate with the United Nations and seeks support of allies and friends. More than half a century ago we formed the North Atlantic Alliance, and with the United Nations, contained the Soviet Union. Many then called for liberation. Remember that slogan and the tragic ending of the Hungarian fight for liberation in 1956?

"The United States persevered in containing the Soviet Union until it collapsed from its contradictions a decade ago. Today the United States, with our allies South Korea and Japan, and with the cooperation and support of China and Russia, are containing North Korea and are seeking to disarm North Korea's nuclear program with diplomatic, political and other means.

"In 1991, during the Gulf War the United States organized an armed coalition of 28 countries and led the successful effort to oust Saddam Hussein from Kuwait. Today some are calling for a regime change through military action, with or without allies.

"As the Chair of the International Affairs Committee has said, the Hawaii Poll in the *Advertiser* reported on Monday that the people of Hawaii, like the people of the mainland, overwhelmingly support U.S. military action, but only with the full support of major allies in the United Nations; 73% in Hawaii and 81% in the Nation as a whole. Going it alone is opposed by the majority of Americans. This resolution reflects the opinion of both residents in Hawaii and on the mainland.

"Finally, the resolution supports our soldiers, sailors and airmen in carrying out our nation's policy. They have willingly enlisted in the defense of our country and among them are our neighbors, friends and even relatives. Despite our differences, we support them wholeheartedly and the loved ones they have left at home. I urge my colleagues to voice their opinions and then support this resolution. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I understand that the nation and the State is wholeheartedly supporting the policy of the President against the rouge states of Iraq and North Korea, and I applaud that. What I find myself having strong reservations with is that the President of the United States is using the 'bully pulpit' throughout the world right now.

"Many nations of the world are looking upon the United States as a 'bully', using the weapons that it has as a means of negotiation. Either you do what I say, or we will not support you financially or with arms. And the President is using the same 'bully pulpit' against the United Nations in a very subtle fashion, threatening the United Nations. Either you come along, or I will go alone. This is a 'bully pulpit.'

"I am a veteran and was proud to serve in the service, but I don't believe that we can be a 'bully' to all the nations in the world. Thank you."

Representative Kahikina rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations and asked that the words of Representative Souki be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina continued, stating:

"I also agree that the simple reason why I have reservations is that I just don't believe that war is the solution. I think that there are other ways of dealing with this situation that can be more humane. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Takumi rose to disclose a potential conflict, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would like a ruling on a potential conflict of interest. My son is 19 years old, and should there be a war he may possibly be in harms way," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

Representative Takumi continued in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, but to be honest, I think I am conflicted on this one.

"I rise with support of the resolution with some reservations. I think the Chair of the Committee did a decent job in trying to craft something that would meet the concerns raised by many people. But frankly I do believe that the resolution is not strong enough.

"I do believe we should stand shoulder to shoulder with the 64 cities across this country that have stood up and basically said, "We do not support unilateral action against a country that we are still not clear about how potential the threat really is." I think we all agree, and the resolution states to some degree, that if it is multilateral, that if it comes with the United Nations support, then let's do it. But as far a unilateral action, I still raise many concerns. And I would like the remarks of the speaker from Maui to entered in the Journal as if they were my own.

"Finally, Mr. Speaker, I am reminded of the words of Jimmy Carter when he accepted the Nobel Peace Prize last year when he said that, "War may be a necessary evil. But it is always evil." Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong opposition to the resolution.

"I feel it is a sad day when this Body embraces a resolution of this kind that undermines the President of the United States, and is not looking out for the best interest of peace-loving people throughout the world.

"I would appreciate it if you don't turn the volume down. I will speak more quietly. It seems that the volume goes up and down. Somebody is controlling it, I believe.

"At any rate, on the second page, "Whereas neither the nations of the world nor public opinion is supporting the United States in seeking a unilateral military solution in Iraq because they do not perceive the provocation or threat that existed in 1991..." I think the threat in 1991 was real. The inspectors that went in after that war found lots of proof. The treaty that Saddam Hussein signed on to. He simply had ignored and thumbed his nose at the U.N. and all our allies in that war in Kuwait.

"For a long time, there are books written, and people know that America is the envy of the world with our form of government. We have the strongest economy. We have the greatest military might. It is not a comfortable place to be where we are now, the only super power in the world. But after 9/11... When I speak of 9/11, when I saw this two-sentence paragraph here on the first page, "Whereas the city of New York stood tall in withstanding the attack on the World Trade Center on September 11..." I feel like that paragraph is so inadequate.

"What happened here on September 11th, nothing like it in the history of the world that we know has ever happened to that degree, where peace-loving people going to work on a beautiful sunny day, a beautiful day in New York, doing their work, not selfishly, just what we all do everyday. And these evil people from far away with these devious plans carried off the most diabolical plan and attacked our country. If this had happened to Saddam Hussein, if he had a bomb, which I very much believe he does, he would think nothing of striking back with an atomic bomb. Our President held back. He wasn't afraid. He said we are going to go after them. But we didn't rush over there and just start 'willy-nilly' dropping atom bombs all over the world. We are a very responsible country.

"Going back to this unilateral stuff. We have friends across the Atlantic. The U.K., Great Britain will be right by our side. Canada has said they will be there with us. We are not alone in this. I just think that we should be standing tall and strong and not undermining the great leaders of our Country. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Moses rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would like you to rule on a potential conflict of interest. I have one child who is no longer with me, but he was in the military. I have two children who are in the Reserves now, and I could be subject to be recalled at any time too, Mr. Speaker," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict".

Representative Moses then continued in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I find the resolution full of unsubstantiated facts. You've heard some of them. This talks about unilateral action. We're not contemplating any unilateral action. We have scores of countries with us. We have many who have given us landing lights and crossing rights, etc., for our forces, if need be. That among others are some of the unsubstantiated facts.

"We've heard about the U.N. Well, let me remind this Body. There was a League of Nations. That didn't stop any wars. We have the U.N. It didn't stop Pol Pot, the Khmer Rouge. It didn't stop Saddam Hussein. And these people killed millions of their own countrymen, and gassed them. We have seen the pictures that show it's true.

"So, what do we have now? We have fourteen resolutions now from the U.N., commanding that Saddam Hussein prove that he has destroyed his weapons of mass destruction. It's not a matter of whether he has them. He has them. They've been seen. They are there. He has to prove that he has destroyed them. That is what he is refusing to do. You can't prove that you don't have something unless you can prove that you destroyed it, and that is what he fails to do.

"Now of course, he has invited the inspectors back so he can lead them around by the nose again. There's thousands of bugs in all of their rooms, in all of their telephones. Everybody knows exactly where they are going to go. And when they go, I think they have like 20,000 people in that country that escort these 200 inspectors around. They can't go and check for things without being told where they are going to go, and when they're going to go.

"We have Colin Powell going to the U.N. tomorrow. He is going to present evidence. Why are we rushing now? Why don't we wait at least until tomorrow and consider this again. See what proof is presented. See how many nations then are behind our country. Anyway, Mr. Speaker, I can go on and on. I am just urging this Body to at least wait a day and give our President and our Administration the ability to go forward at the U.N. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"As I read this Mr. Speaker, I find myself agreeing with much of it. Let me speak in favor of it. Mr. Speaker, let me also state where I strongly disagree.

"When I look at page two, for example, of House Resolution No. 22, the bottom paragraph. I like the title of this resolution. I like the general thrust in terms of us standing united with our nation, standing against terrorism, standing against rouge states. But to the extent that we seek to lecture our national leaders in terms of unilateral military solution, or unilateral military action, I disagree and dissent from those portions.

"I also disagree and dissent from page 4, item 5, where it says that we express strong concerns and reservations for unilateral United States military solution such as a preemptive strike.

"Here, we've had much language and discussion about collaboration and working in concert with other nations. Why do we want to do that? I think as a nation we are going to strive to do that to the best of our ability.

"Mr. Speaker, when something is right, we need to be able to do it on our own. We need to be willing to take leadership. If we remember the date December 6, 1941, the polls on that day show the United States, most Americans, didn't want to get involved in taking on Hitler. That was a European conflict. That was something that those on that continent had to worry about. Things changed on December 7. Are we going to wait for something like that to happen before we decide to get involved?

"Mr. Speaker, the United Nations serves a good and important purpose, but the United Nations has never taken leadership in terms of taking on these kinds of nations. It has always been because the United States was a part of that effort that we were able to take on rouge states and rouge nations. There won't be a coalition unless the United States articulates that we're willing to go it alone. It's because Colin Powell, because Donald Rumsfeld, because President Bush has said, we are willing to go it alone. That is why you recently saw several of the nations coming and meeting. That's the only way Prime Minister Blair has the ability to go back and tell his people that though the polls don't show it being popular, but it is the right thing. And over the long haul, we make sure that that 'mad man' in Iraq doesn't have weapons of mass destruction, be it either nuclear, biochemical or biological.

"Until we as a world, and the United States if we have to, we will never be secure because we know he's not going to use those unconventional weapons in a conventional way. He'll just farm those off to terrorists. There will be no way to respond, no deterrent. At least today, with other nation states, we can negotiate, presumably, with North Korea. But we can't if we don't even know what terrorist group there is, that's targeting civilians, that has no military interest, no military targets. They are just targeting civilians. So, I think this particular part of the measure in many ways undercuts the whole purpose of this resolution. The resolution talks about expressing support, and I agree with that, but to the extent that this item number 5, on page 4, on this resolution is in conflict with that. I want to dissent to that particular portion.

"We need to be able to say we will go it alone if no one else wants to stand with us and do the right thing. That's the only way we can build a coalition. Otherwise they're going to stand around until a December 7 happens and that particular nation is attacked before they get involved. The United Nations has never been a leader, but has always been a follower. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I speak against it only as to the section on page 4, subparagraph 5.

"Mr. Speaker, I really ask: Does Hawaii want to be the only state that undermines the President of the United States at a time when it is so terribly vital that the United States remain united? I don't think we do, and I would deeply request with all due respect, that you send this measure back to Committee. That we not be the ones to show Saddam Hussein that America is not united. Please?"

The Chair responded, stating:

"The Chair will take a vote on it at the proper time."

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I have the same problem with the paragraph on page 2, as expressed by the Representative from Kaneohe. It starts off with a very broad statement. "Neither the nations of the world nor public opinion is supporting the United States in seeking a unilateral military solution in Iraq..." I don't know whether this is a valid statement. I don't think it is. I think it is overly broad. I think not all the countries have weighed in on this argument, as the Representative from Kaneohe has mentioned of Canada. No one has asked Australia. There are probably many others that just have not weighed in on this particular sentence, on this particular point.

"It goes on to say, because they do not perceive a provocation or threat that existed in 1991. Well, we are trying to impugn the motive of these people trying to figure out what they perceive, why they are not supporting the United States in a unilateral military solution. I think the validity of a resolution stands on its "whereas'." Are they true? Are they valid? When you question one, you question the entire resolution. "I'm very curious also in that this is just a House Resolution. Where is the House Concurrent Resolution? If this does pass, it asks Governor Lingle to present this to the President of the United States. I really cannot see Governor Lingle going up to the President and saying, "Mr. President, here is a resolution passed by half the Hawaii Legislature." It is generally not done in this manner. I think one that passes both houses has a lot more weight with it.

"Lastly, the good Representative from Maui argued that the President is using this issue as a 'bully pulpit' and I would contend that rather, he is using it for diplomatic purpose. It is part of his overall plan along with the National Security Council, the Secretary of State, and the Secretary of Defense, to try and convince Saddam Hussein to disarm peacefully. Even the military build up is all a part of the diplomatic effort. Better words than sticks and stones, Mr. Speaker.

"I urge all people to vote against this measure. Thank you."

The Chair then addressed the Body, stating:

"A lot of discussion has occurred on the floor of this House this afternoon. At this point, the Chair has not heard from Representative Ontai, but Representative Kanoho stood up first so the Chair will recognize you."

Representative Kanoho rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, in further strong support. Unfortunately what we have been witnessing is blind support, blind partisan support for our President..."

Representative Fox rose, stating:

"Objection Mr. Speaker. It gets to motive rather than debating the issue."

The Chair responded, stating:

"He is speaking in support of the resolution before us. This is his second time, and the Chair will allow him to speak. Please proceed Representative Kanoho. This is your second time."

Representative Kanoho continued, stating:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. Unfortunately we have been witnessing blind partisan support for our President..."

Representative Fox: "Objection, Mr. Speaker. We're talking about motive. This is not proper according to our House Rules."

Speaker Say: "Representative Kanoho, please proceed."

Representative Kanoho continued, stating:

. "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Where our President who appears to be willing to unilaterally take this nation into war, killing thousands of our men and women, devastating our economy and giving justification for terrorists to reign havoc all over this land. And indeed, if Saddam Hussein does have those mass destructive weapons, to use it and give him the justification to use it upon us.

"This resolution is a very nice way of saying, "Please Mr. President, don't do it." Thank you."

Representative Ontai rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, theoretically, I have a son in the Army right now. I served in the Army, and I would say that this could be, as written with an inspired hand, could be a great resolution. However, Mr. Speaker, I have to object to certain parts and I think many of our colleagues here have mentioned that.

"In particular, Mr. Speaker, I stood on the World Trade Center, those awesome buildings. To watch them fall on television, that was something. The problem here is that in my opinion, and I think I need to represent the opinion of perhaps the minority, according to this poll. That the fact that I think we have to emphasize the fact that the United States does have that right, should have that right. We were the ones that were attacked, and we took the brunt of the terrorist attack, and in our view, if we choose to.

"If you look at the title of this, we have done this already. The title. We've done this. We tried. We are working through the United Nations. However, if the United Nations decides not to go along with us, Mr. Speaker, I think that the President has that right, and we should support his right to take unilateral action. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Moses rose to a point of information, stating:

"I'd like a ruling of this House. Is it the House's opinion that if the Commander in Chief orders U.S. military forces into combat and they are killed, that he is guilty of killing them?"

The Chair responded, stating:

"I cannot respond to that question, since I do not know what the Commander in Chief will do."

Representative Moses: "I'm saying that if the Commander in Chief orders military forces into action, and they die, is he guilty of killing them?"

Speaker Say: "I cannot respond to that question."

Representative Moses: "Well that statement was made on this floor, Mr. Speaker, and I object to it."

Speaker Say: "You can object to it. Thank you. That was your second time."

Representative M. Oshiro rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I have been listening to the comments made on this floor. First of all, I think it is quite appropriate that a State Representative, he or she, can articulate their views and comments on this very important issue. After all, Mr. Speaker, whether you are the President of the United States or a State Representative, you have a voice for the people on this important matter.

"Mr. Speaker, this is an issue of conscience, and not knowing the future, and in my heart of hearts, and in my conscience, should the 'dogs of war' be unleashed and cause all the cataclysmic affects of war across the world, that we can never imagine, both within our own country and our own state and this world, at least I had the opportunity, as one State Representative in this country, to voice my concern on behalf of my constituents, whose sons and daughters will have to spill their blood on a foreign field for an issue that I am not really sure that our country, or our people, have agreement on.

"So, this resolution goes to that point of asking our President to show some restraint. Should we go to war, Mr. Speaker, I give the men and women in uniform of all nations my full and unmeasured support. Thank you."

At this time, Representative Fox moved that, "In light of the fact that Secretary of State Colin Powell will be talking to the U.N. tomorrow, to postpone action on this resolution until Thursday," seconded by Representative Thielen.

At 1:36 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:38 o'clock p.m.

At this time Representative Bukoski requested a roll call vote.

The Chair responded, stating:

"Roll call was already going to be done for all of you. So it was already part of the program.

"The motion before this House is to table this measure for one day. Members who vote for the measure will have to say aye... You just said tomorrow...

"Well, the motion before this House is to defer this measure for two days until Thursday. Okay? Those who support the measure will vote aye. Those who oppose the measure for deferral will vote no. Madame Clerk, please call the roll."

The Clerk proceeded with the roll call vote, which was interrupted.

Representative Meyer rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, there is some confusion. Are we voting on the measure..."

Speaker Say: "We are voting on the measure already. We are voting on the measure to defer for two days. The motion."

Representative Bukoski: "Mr. Speaker, I'd like ... "

Representative Saiki rose to a point of order, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, point of order. You cannot interrupt roll call votes."

Speaker Say: "I beg your pardon."

Representative Saiki: "You cannot interrupt roll call votes."

Speaker Say: "Please proceed, Madame Clerk."

The Clerk continued with the roll call vote, and the announcement of the vote was interrupted.

Representative Bukoski rose to a point of personal privilege, stating:

"I am unclear on what we are voting on and ..."

The Chair responded, stating:

"I will respond to the Minority Floor Leader... the Minority Whip. The motion before this House, was to ask, by the Minority, for deferral of two days on the resolution to be adopted. It was moved and seconded, and that was the roll call vote. "The Chair stated for the record, all those who favor the motion would vote aye. Those who oppose the motion would vote no, for the deferral of two days. So Madame Clerk, what is the vote at this period in time?"

The request for a roll call vote was approved by unanimous consent, and the motion that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR U.S. POLICY IN CONTAINING AND DISARMING THE ROGUE STATES OF IRAQ AND NORTH KOREA THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS AND WITH THE SUPPORT OF ALLIES AND FRIENDS," be adopted, be deferred until Thursday was put to vote by the Chair and failed to carry on the following show of Noes and Ayes:

Noes, 34: Representatives Arakaki, Bukoski, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Mindo, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tamayo, Wakai, and Waters.

Ayes, 14: Representatives Abinsay, Blundell, Ching, Finnegan, Fox, Jernigan, Leong, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Ontai, Pendleton, Stonebraker and Thielen.

Excused, 3: Representatives Halford, Hiraki, and Sonson,

The Chair then announced:

"So the motion for deferral has passed. Now the main motion before the House... Representative Saiki. The motion fails, excuse me. The motion fails at this period in time. At this time, the Chair will now call for a roll call vote."

Representative Meyer then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, if you would please indulge me. I think the Whip here was wanting to change his vote because he was confused on which way to vote on that. Which would have changed the numbers."

The Chair responded, stating:

"He called for the roll call vote."

Representative Bukoski then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to request that I could change my vote."

At 1:43 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:51 o'clock p.m.

At this time Representative Stonebraker requested a roll call vote.

The Chair responded, stating:

"Yes, on the measure that is before this House. At this time the Chair recognizes both Representative Bukoski and Representative Abinsay."

Representative Bukoski rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. And I apologize to this House for the delay. I was incorrect in my understanding of what the motion that we were voting on. I would like to state for the record that my vote was intended to support the deferral of this resolution until Thursday for further action, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

Representative Abinsay rose and stated:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, for this opportunity on my position also. I was listening vividly, and I know in deference to you, what I was voting for is based on what you said; that we are voting for the measure. And because of that I voted aye. Otherwise, if it has been clarified that the vote taken was based on the motion to postpone, my vote should be no. So that is the clarification."

The Chair responded, stating:

"Even though the record will state this, the votes have not changed.

"Also now Members, before us is the main motion for the adoption of H.R. No. 22. A roll call has been requested so Madame Clerk, please call the roll in adoption of the resolution."

MAIN MOTION

The request for a roll call vote was approved by unanimous consent, and the motion that the report of the Committee be adopted and H.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR U.S. POLICY IN CONTAINING AND DISARMING THE ROGUE STATES OF IRAQ AND NORTH KOREA THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS AND WITH THE SUPPORT OF ALLIES AND FRIENDS," be adopted was put to vote by the Chair and successfully carried on the following show of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 34: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Hamakawa, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kaho'ohalahala, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Mindo, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tamayo, Wakai, and Waters.

Noes, 14: Representatives Blundell, Bukoski, Ching, Finnegan, Fox, Jernigan, Leong, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Ontai, Pendleton, Stonebraker and Thielen.

Excused, 3: Representatives Halford, Hiraki and Sonson.

LATE INTRODUCTION

The following late introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Herkes introduced Ms. Beverly Byouk of Ka'u, and Hawaii County Councilman Bob Jacobson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing requested a waiver of the 48-hour notice requirement for the purpose of holding a public hearing for decision making on H.B. No. 76, which would be placed at the end of the calendar on February 5th, starting at 8:30 a.m. in conference room 329, and the Chair "so ordered." Representative Takai: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On behalf of you, I'd like to invite our colleagues upstairs, the fourth floor, for UH Day at the Capitol. It is supposed to end at 2:00, but I am going up there and ask them to hold the exhibits for us just for a few more minutes. I want to encourage all of our Members to go there and visit with all of the 10 campuses we have. We have campuses represented throughout the islands.

"In addition we all have an opportunity to partake in a bento box lunch provided by the University. And you can get that at room 423."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you Mr. Speaker. Your Committee on Health will be reconvening in conference room 329 immediately after adjournment for the purpose of completing this morning's agenda."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:57 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Wednesday, February 5, 2003. (Representatives Halford, Herkes, Hiraki, Sonson and Takumi were excused.)

FOURTEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 05, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Felipe P. Abinsay, Jr., after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives M. Oshiro, Sonson, Takai and Takumi, 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. 158 through 162) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 158, transmitting the High Technology Directional Plan for the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 159, transmitting copies of the Fiscal Year 2001-2002 Annual Report for the Hawaii Community Development Authority.

Gov. Msg. No. 160, dated January 30, 2003, proposing changes to H.B. No. 200, the State Budget, and includes operating budget adjustments for the following departments and agencies: Departments of Budget and Finance; Defense; Hawaiian Home Lands; Human Resources Development; and Taxation; the Office of the Governor; and the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation.

Gov. Msg. No. 161, dated January 31, 2003, proposing changes to H.B. 200, the State Budget, and includes operating budget adjustments to the Departments of Agriculture; Attorney General; Business, Economic Development and Tourism; and Human Services. Also included are capital improvement project adjustments for the Departments of Accounting and General Services; Agriculture; Defense; Land and Natural Resources; Public Safety; Transportation; and the University of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 162, dated February 4, 2003, proposing changes to H.B. 200, the State Budget, and includes budget adjustments to the Departments of Accounting and General Services; Labor and Industrial Relations; Land and Natural Resources; and Public Safety; and the Office of the Lieutenant Governor. Also included are corrections to inadvertent errors in previous messages relating to the operating budget for the Office of the Governor and the capital improvements project budget for the University of Hawaii.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

H.B. Nos. Re-referred to:

32, Committee on Education, then to the Committee on HD 1Finance

- 298 Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
- 1139 Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Hale, for the Committee on International Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 71) recommending that H.B. No. 1534, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1534, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues to please pass this. I think in these troubled times that we all would wish for peace rather than war, no matter what. But September 21st is recognized by the United Nations as the International Day of Peace. As far as we could find out there has been no effort on the part of this State to make this an official holiday. Without making it an official holiday and a day that we don't go to work, we use this as a day to celebrate peace, and try to have vigils on peace, go to our churches and pray for peace. And hope that this will redirect our thinking against violence that occurs in the world today. Aloha. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd just note on Stand. Com. Report No. 71 that there was only one person that testified in support of this. I am speaking just with some reservations.

"Just the fact that it's not a landslide of support. It is just one individual. It does seem like a good idea. I just don't see really the need to have a bill like this. It just encourages the celebration and blessings of peace. I think most bills that come up should have some kind of base of support. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Kahikina rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support on this measure. Just for your and our colleagues' information, that one testimony of support was from a young man from Hilo. He was a high school student that basically took on the charge after Representative Hale got elected. And it was very impressive to see a young man take such a leadership role in crafting and supporting such a measure. And I guess it did compel the Chair and the Committee members to pass this measure on. 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. 1534, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Morita, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 72) recommending that H.B. No. 604, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 604, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 73) recommending that H.B. No. 524, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 524, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"The bill will waive land owners' liability for allowing hunters to use their property. There are some aspects that I think could harm the ability of the bill to move forward. And I think we need to look at those. Of course it's opposed by the Hawaii Plaintiff Lawyers, but I think if we carefully craft an immunity that will help the hunters be able to control the wild animals that are doing so much damage in our conservation areas, then I think we could come up with a good bill. But the way the bill is phrased now, it is not a good bill. Thank you."

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 524, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 74) recommending that H.B. No. 427, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 427, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 75) recommending that H.B. No. 1657, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1657, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Would the Clerk please cast a no vote for me on this measure. And Mr. Speaker, if I could just explain why.

"This would convert your DLNR conservation and resources enforcement officers to a different status under the Employees Retirement System. While the cause may be noble, Mr. Speaker, two things: Number one, we don't have the money; and number two, they aren't engaged in activities that are inherently dangerous as are the firefighters and the police department. So I think we must postpone this kind of move at this point."

Representative Stonebraker rose in oppostion of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Morita rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I speak in support of this bill. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

"My father was a game warden, and my brother is a conservation officer. These officers deal with people out in isolated areas that are carrying guns. The work that they do is dangerous, and they are also brothers and sisters to the fire department and the police department. They do the same kind of work and that is the reason I strongly support the bill, because they are on equal footing as the firemen and policemen."

Representative Kaho'ohalahala rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Morita be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kaho'ohalahala continued, stating:

"I rise in support, strong support and I do agree with the Representative. In the instance of my district which are separate islands, these enforcement officers are given the charge of securing all of our areas that are under State control, whether on land or at sea. And therefore I wholly agree and would ask this Body to support this measure. Thank you,

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I will join some of my colleagues on this side and voting no. I don't want to argue the hazardous nature of their job..."

Representative Lee rose to a point of order, stating:

"Point of order, Mr. Speaker. Is she speaking for or against the measure?"

The Chair responded, stating:

"She is voting no on the measure."

Representative Marumoto continued, stating:

"Thank you very much. I did not want to talk about the hazardous nature of their jobs, but on the other hand, the fact that at one point we had a reform. We had all civil service go under the C system. A few of us, judges, legislators, did stay under the A system, and the police and firefighters have their own system. But more and more people had wanted to come back into the A system. That really kind of throws all the numbers out of 'whack.' So I would ask that we kind of stay with our original reform, original plan, so that the Retirement System is able to compute their Fund, the nature of their fund.

"I think that we should watch out for them, especially since they been losing a lot of money because of the stock market and their unfunded liability is quite large at this time. More and more people are asking to come back to A, and I think we should hold the line. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"For the Members of the House, in clarifying what Representative Marumoto said. Representative Marumoto the A means the what? Contributory plan. And the C is the noncontributory plan in our civil service laws."

Representative Marumoto responded, stating:

"Thank you for the clarification. It was non-contributory. They do have more take-home pay."

Representative Jernigan rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Marumoto be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to register an aye with some serious reservations."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1657, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Ching, Jernigan, Marumoto, Stonebraker and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 76) recommending that H.B. No. 277, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 277, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am rising with reservations. I haven't heard this bill because I am not in Education, and it is going on to Judiciary, so I won't see it there. I am just looking at the Committee Report because the bill is not here. And it shows the established penalties including fines and community service requirements for the child, as well as the mother, father, guardian or other person having charge of the child.

"This is a truancy bill. It seems like there could be many cases where the parent, guardian, whoever is responsible, is

trying to get the child to school and is unable. And then it says they have not used proper diligence. I don't know how we can define that or prove that. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I rise with reservations as well. And I am reading from the same Committee Report. The bottom there on the third, number three, it says that it establishes penalties including home detention or curfew using electronic monitoring for a child older than 11 years. So this is that should arouse concern among anybody that the government is considering monitoring our children 12 year-olds with electronic devices. Thank you."

Representative Blundell rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I have many concerns with this bill. I applaud the intent of it. It is trying to deal with truancy because it is a big problem in our schools.

"First of all, I don't see any part of this bill that allows for mediation between the school and the family. Not every case of truancy is a lack of parental guidance. I would agree that in elementary, K-5, the most probable cause is the student under parental control. And it is either family problems or familystudent versus school problems. At this point, mediation by a hearings officer would be a good best start. He could recommend parenting classes and/or recommendations for changing schools, or whatever it would take to help the child succeed in school.

"Middle school truancy takes on other issues. Here the parents may think their kids are at school but they have walked off at the bus stop after arriving at school. Why? Not enough supervision, one. Or two, security personnel do not have the authority to leave campus to retrieve youngsters.

"Now this where we as adults must step up and look outside of the box and try to figure out why they leave. Is it curriculum or academics? Rules too harsh? Constant harassment and/or bullying by others? We need mental health personnel in the school systems.

"By the high school level, truancy is all of the above and more. It is all about independence. Too many students on campus, or a campus allows too many students on campus which allows for higher truancy.

"To punish parents of high school students is not as advisable as it may look. It should have started in elementary school and questions should be asked. Does the child carry a truancy record or history? What has been done to assure attendance? What do the parents think might work? What is the school done to help this child succeed? What can the DOE do to keep the campus secure and keep kids on campus once they arrive? What can the community do to help fund school job-training programs for non-college bound students? Only when we try new programs to get new behaviors do we succeed. Look at what other districts around the country are doing before levying fines and punishments remember if we always do what we've always done, then we will always get what we've always got. So I do oppose this bill thank you Mr. Speaker."

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tamayo rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Shimabukuro rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I rise in support of the bill. As the author of the bill I do appreciate all the concerns that have been raised, especially the Committee's concern about causing undue financial hardship to the parents. I do urge the next Committee to take these concerns under consideration and to please try to adjust them. Thank you."

Representative Kahikina rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I rise in support with some reservations. I do appreciate this measure being introduced. In our district, and if everyone realizes that the federal mandate that No Child Left Behind, the absenteeism of our students will affect and could possibly put sanctions on communities such as the communities that we represent. In our schools on any given day, about 25-30% of our students are absent. So this measure does open up a concern that we all need to address.

"I guess my reservations have been expressed with the previous speakers and I also agree that we need to look at other elements of this issue, and one of the issues that I wanted to address is the school in itself. In our district with 50% of our kids not graduating from high school -- our sixth graders, this is the history -- 50% of our sixth graders will not graduate. And we've got 65% of our teachers with less than three years of experience, and teachers not teaching in their field of expertise. So the question is, why are the kids not coming? Why are they not excited about school? And I'd like to look at those issues too. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kaho'ohalahala rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 277, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Blundell voting no, and, with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 77) recommending that H.B. No. 714, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 714, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered." Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in opposition. Stand. Com. 77, H.B. 714, is, in its language, pretty sweeping about changes in the Department of Education. It removes the Department from the cabinet and sets it up as another political entity, which is something I don't quite understand. But nevertheless, that is what the bill does.

"More importantly, or just as important in that regard, the bill when it gets to its introductory phase which is section 6, after repealing a bunch of stuff, says that it is necessary to have unambiguous accountability and taxation authority. So the bill hints that there is going to be some separate taxing system for this separate political entity. However you know, I am in opposition partly because I can't find any further reference to taxation in the bill. I may have missed it. It may be there. But if it is, the way it is referring to taxation in section 6 and then dropping the subject, it is rather poorly drafted.

"The principal reason I oppose this bill is, in spite of its sweeping sound, is that it is in effect another study. Mr. Speaker, we passed a study in the last session of the Legislature of what to do about the Department of Education. It was our 'punting' gesture at the end of a strong effort to try to reform the public education system. We came out with a 'punt', a study. This is yet another study. It forms a completely different group to study and make recommendations. I find this process really... We understand in this community it is way beyond study. It is time to make change. It is time to really fix the public school system. We do not need another study. I am strongly opposed to this bill, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Marumoto rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Jernigan rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Thielen rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"I'd like to declare a potential conflict. My daughter is on the Board of Education," and the Chair declared, "no conflict."

Representative Thielen then rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Ching rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Leong rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.) Representative Finnegan rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Fox be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Blundell rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 714, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Blundell, Ching, Finnegan, Fox, Jernigan, Leong, Marumoto, Meyer, Stonebraker and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 78) recommending that H.B. No. 292, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 292, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ontai rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"In opposition, Mr. Speaker. Thank you. Stand. Com. Report No. 78 refers to a bill relating to a School Priority Fund. The gesture is honorable, Mr. Speaker. The Fund is designed to set up a special fund to enable principals at public schools to have a source of discretionary funding. I find that this is one of our criticisms, Mr. Speaker. What we get criticized for is that we micro-manage, and this is one of those instances I think. If we put \$1,000 in here, we have to divide between I believe 253 or 255 principals. So to try to do that from here, from downtown Honolulu, or from wherever this Fund might be established seems rather ludicrous, and so for those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I oppose this bill."

Representative Schatz rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I rise in support of this measure and frankly, for some of the same reasons that the previous rose in opposition.

"I think the point of this bill is that certain school priorities should be decided upon by school administrators, and I think there is broad agreement that basically principals are best equipped to make certain fiscal decisions. And what this does is, while it does established special funds, it actually enables school administrators who are on site, who are with the kids everyday, who are in the classrooms everyday, to make decisions about what is best for public education. And that is the idea behind this decentralization measure.

"There may be some disagreement about the method of decentralization of power and authority over fiscal matters, but I think that this is an important measure to move forward because right now the Department of Accounting and General Services and the DOE have a centralized decision-making process over fiscal matters and over what happens at the school level, and this would begin to change that process. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I have a lot experience working with the schools and the principals in my district. And of course we have SCBM councils at some of the schools. Some of them actually work. But we also have facilities maintenance and we have DAGS and we have the principals providing priorities to both of them. And those priorities should be accepted by the Board of Education and then passed on. So when the principals identify these priorities, those are the things that should be getting done. I agree it would be better to have local school boards and it can be locally. But until we do that, I don't think this is the way to go."

Representative Saiki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I rise in support of this measure. It is to me very clear that parents, teachers, students want us to produce results this year and this measure is intended to do just that. We will basically provide principals with discretionary funds to purchase the basics: textbooks, supplies, whatever the principals need on their campuses. We already have a system in place now. We have a special fund that provides funds for principals to provide these kinds of supplies to their schools. This proposal will merely increase the funds that are made available to principals. We want to give them the flexibility to set priorities within their campuses. We want them to have that flexibility so that students can learn. The students will benefit from this system."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I know I just voted no, but I'd like to speak against the measure. I know it is a Majority package bill, and I don't want to offend anybody in the Majority, but this is really an issue of how to deal with the problem. And we want to decentralize. We want to have parents, teachers, principals and those involved in education making decisions. And there are two ways to go about that. Either the government can let go, or try to reach in. We'd like to see the government let go and let parents make those decisions. Let them have the ability to choose teachers, as well as mainly, principals.

"This measure is a means to reach in. It is the same way that we've done it for many years, and that is why half of our budget is special funds. We've done this hundreds and hundreds and hundreds of times. And the people of Hawaii want precisely the opposite of this. They want less bureaucracy, less red tape, less special funds. Enough with the special funds, the people of Hawaii would say. And I would say that with them. So I am voting no on this measure."

Representative Moses rose to restate his vote, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. If I could, I'd like to change my vote to a no vote. And I'd like to refer to one of the previous speakers that talked about the principals, that they could buy books. I don't think that is possible because books are bought and you know, because there is curriculum set downtown Honolulu and the books have to match that. And also there are the contracting problems. You can't just go out and buy 20 textbooks without paying exuberant fees. You have to buy them on contract where there is more volume. And also I don't think the principals have the contracting experience to go say, "Hey, fix my playground." They can't do that. That is why they need facilities maintenance and DAGS."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support with some reservations. I just note that there is, in reading the bill, I don't see that there is an ongoing revenues source for this special fund. If I could make an inquiry of the Majority Leader since it's a Majority package bill, I would be curious because the bill has no dollar amount. Was there any kind of estimate done as to the actual amount of money. I also see that the Budget and Finance Director spoke in opposition to the bill."

The Chair addressed Representative Saiki, stating:

"Representative Saiki, would you yield to a question?"

Representative Saiki responded, "No."

Representative Meyer stated: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Halford rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, with reservations. I was going to let it go but I think information should be forthcoming, if asked."

Representative Jernigan rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Stonebraker be entered in 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. 292, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHOOL PRIORITY FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Jernigan, Moses, Ontai and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 79) recommending that H.B. No. 1128, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1128, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 80) recommending that H.B. No. 948, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 948, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARNED INCOME DEDUCTION FOR PUBLIC HOUSING RENT CALCULATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Schatz and Morita, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 81) recommending that H.B. No. 201, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and Culture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 201, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and Culture with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 82) recommending that H.B. No. 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I am registering a no vote on this bill, Stand. Com. Report No. 82, H.B. 2.

"The bill would ban smoking from private organizations or private facilities. It repeals the definition of small business which says, a ""Small business" means a business establishment having not more than five employees working on the business premises per established workshift." What we are saying here is that we are going to disallow, perhaps private, or not perhaps -- definitely private, maybe family businesses, from smoking in their own office. It also prohibits smoking in nightclubs and bars. And its been a long time since I've been in a night club or a bar. But as I recall many years ago that is what was done at a nightclub or a bar, smoking.

"May I say for the record that I do not smoke, and I do not receive money from tobacco industries, but this is a matter of the government going too far. It is not my right, as somebody in the government, to tell a private owner of a business what they can or cannot do. Somebody may rise and say, "Well, the counties have done this already." Well the counties are wrong. This is not the right of government to reach in and to tell somebody that owns a business what they can or cannot do in their own facility. It's, as far as my philosophy of government, and how I read the Constitution...

"Excuse me. Would you stop speaking, Sir? Mr. Speaker ... "

Representative Fox rose to a point of order, stating:

"People are not supposed to converse on the floor of the House while somebody is speaking."

The Chair asked Representative Stonebraker to "please proceed."

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"I would request that the person behind me would refrain from speaking."

The Chair responded, stating:

"I believe it has been acknowledged at this point."

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"For those reasons Mr. Speaker, I rise against this bill."

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Your Health Committee, with the exception of the previous speaker, believes that sound legislation provides protection for all employees including those who work in restaurants, bars, nightclubs, catering or service industries. Secondhand smoke exposure in restaurants is often double what is found in a typical workplace, and is 4 to 6 times higher in bars than in offices.

"By exempting nightclubs and free-standing bars, the very worker that is exposed to the highest levels of secondhand smoke and thus needs more protection, would be exempt from protection under this bill. There is another class of people that I think also deserve protection, and that is our children who sometimes have no say as to whether they want to be exposed to secondhand smoke or not. We believe it is good public policy to say whether people should be exposed to poison.

"The Committee understands that there is concern and that such a bill would hurt Hawaii's hospitality and visitor industry. But recent studies examined restaurants and hotel revenues in 82 locations before and after ordinances were passed for smoke-free restaurants. In all these locations, including California and New York City, which attract tremendous number of Asian and European tourists, revenues did not go down as a result of restaurants going smoke-free. In fact a number of locations revenues increased.

"In the past several months, legislation has been passed in Boston, New York City and the entire State of Delaware making all workplaces, including bars and nightclubs, smokefree. Hong Kong is currently considering legislation to make all restaurants smoke-free. Norway has passed legislation declaring all workplaces throughout the country as smoke-free. Over and over in locations across the country and the world, it is verified that going smoke-free does not hurt business and in many cases business improves.

"In a recent national survey conducted by USA Today, 75% of the people indicated that they avoid going to bars, night clubs, and lounges specifically because of the cigarette smoke. And 48% avoid restaurants where smoking is allowed. Tobacco use remains the greatest cause of preventable illness and death in Hawaii and in the United States. Exposure to secondhand smoke is a significant factor with over 53,000 deaths in the United States each year as a result of exposure to secondhand smoke.

"So, this measure is simply the right thing to do to provide all of us, and especially the workers, protection from exposure to a harmful substance. I urge all of my colleagues to show strong support for this. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I also rise in strong support of this measure. I think that we as a elected body should really set the standard for what should occur in our State by declaring this building, the entire building, a smoke-free building. So I look at this as one step, but I look at it also equally important is that we also take the same step here in this State Capitol. Thank you." Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in opposition to this measure. I think this is a real infringement on private property rights. If what the Chairman of Health had to say, that these businesses in California and New York have experienced such increase business and things are really great, I think that these businesses, bars and restaurants in Hawaii will come to that decision on their own and it's not necessary for us to dictate from here.

"We are setting a precedent. We are mandating for the entire State, every county. And those counties should make that decision themselves where people can more easily testify. I didn't see any restaurant workers or bar workers here testifying in favor. And I also noticed that the Department of Health was in opposition to this bill. So for those reasons, I will be voting no. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am rising in opposition. First of all I don't smoke, Mr. Speaker. I did many, many years ago and I stopped on my own accord. So that is my personal choice.

"This bill, in the Committee Report it talks about the amendments it has made and it says, "Eliminating the exceptions of private gatherings and establishments..." I don't understand that. I mean you can't go smoke in your back patio?

"It says, "including all enclosed and partially enclosed areas of cruise ships as designated smoke-free areas." So you can't take a cruise and smoke in your cabin, even if they have maybe set aside smoke-free cabins and smoking cabins. This makes it illegal. I'm sure we can control all of the cruise ships that come here.

""Repealing the current exceptions to small businesses and smaller retail stores and exceptions to bars and nightclubs." So it repeals those exclusions so every single small business and retail store then must comply with the law. So I have real problems with this bill, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

Representative Herkes rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am in strong support of the bill. As a former hotel manager and an owner of a saloon, and as the author of one of the most comprehensive anti-smoking ordinances for the County of Hawaii, I think that this is a good bill. Thank you."

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In opposition. Briefly, my opposition is confined to the point that the State Legislature at one time messed with the question of controlling smoking in order to prevent the counties from passing stronger antismoking laws. The Legislature stepped in and passed a law that over-road county jurisdiction in this area. I found that very offensive at the time it happened.

"Now we are coming at it from a different angle but the principle is still the same. The counties ought to decide this issue. It belongs at the county level, and the previous speaker correctly referred to an ordinance that he put in place when he was at the county level. So that's where it should be dealt with. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I have brief comments in favor of the measure. We hear a lot about core government functions. To me one of the major core government functions is the protection and promotion of the public health. Smoking is clearly a danger to the citizens of our State, to the children, to the elderly. And if you work in healthcare like I do, everyday you see the effects of smoking on our people. It also causes a huge expense in our healthcare industry. If people did not smoke, in many ways we would be saving lots of money on things like cardiovascular disease, lung cancer, I could go on and on.

"I would like the to have the words of the Health Chairman included in my comments as if they were my own. And also the words of the Representative from Kailua. She made the point that we as legislators should set a good example here at the State Capitol. I would like to see the 'no smoking in the workplace' be passed here at the State Capitol, as well as every business in the State."

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of this bill also. And I would like the words of the Chair of the Health Committee and also the Representative, I think she is from Kailua, put in as my words also. You know, particularly the words of the Representative from Kailua, that we ought to be setting an example here, right here in the State Capitol.

"I find it very offensive to go out around the *lanais*, the inside, whatever you call that courtyard, and find people out there smoking because I don't like second-hand smoke myself. So I really would hope that we would do this for the whole building here. Thank you."

Representative Souki rose to speak in opposition of the measure, stating:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. Without sounding like a Scrooge, I wish to voice my opposition to this bill. I might be the only Democrat who might be opposed to this bill, but I think I speak for some that are silent, but they feel like me. I think this bill is too comprehensive, too all encompassing. I believe that it goes against 'home rule'. The fact that the counties of Oahu and Maui, and I'm not sure if Kauai, and the Big Island, but they have enacted anti-smoking bills. I think this bill would seem to go beyond what they have and I think this should be a 'home rule' issue.

"Each respective county should decide as to how much the smoking should be allowed or not allowed. I believe this bill infringes in private areas where it should not. Therefore, Mr. Speaker, for all those silent ones who I'm sure have some questions about this bill, I speak for them and myself. Thank you very much."

Representative Thielen rose to respond, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to just continue with my remarks against the bill. Mr. Speaker, my oldest son, who lives in Colorado, developed cancer in the throat region. He grew up here in Hawaii. He lived here until he was an adult. He spent that period of time in a state where we just didn't pay attention to the serious health ramification of allowing smoking.

"He never smoked. Dave never smoked. He inhaled secondhand smoke. And I think that we as legislators, as policy makers, owe it to the people of this State to say we will not permit this to continue. And that we will start right here with this building, as legislators willing to take that step. And I say to my colleague from Maui, people that smoked here caused that. Dave never smoked. I think we must remember that. Thank you."

Representative Blundell rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to this bill. I feel very strongly that this is an effort that should be taken by the counties. And we are trying to get 'home rule' for the counties. I would like the words of my colleague from Wailuku inserted as my own. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Stonebraker rose and stated:

"I'd just like to say that the public should be... I am still in opposition. I haven't been swayed yet. But I will ask the Representative from Kailua to clarify her vote. She rose and she said she would like to continue speaking in opposition."

The Chair responded, stating:

"It is in support."

Representative Thielen rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you. I am in opposition to my colleague from Maui. Not in opposition to the bill. I am in very much support of the bill and I believe it needs to be ..."

Representative Souki rose to a point of order, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, point of order. I think the Representative from Kailua is getting very personal and it should be more generic and not towards any individual."

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"I think the public, we in the Legislature should set an example. And this being a public building, this would be a great place to start. And we have that jurisdiction. The definition of a limited government is limited to jurisdiction, and we have the right within our own House to set the rules, and we should do that. We should make it and be a good example in that way. It is just when we go beyond those limits into a private office, home or business, that is when we violate those principles, and so I remain in opposition."

Representative Ontai rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Jernigan rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns with Representatives Blundell, Fox, Jernigan, Meyer, Moses, Ontai, Souki and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 83) recommending that H.B. No. 1102, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1102, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT CARD PAYMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 84) recommending that H.B. No. 1162, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1162, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 85) recommending that H.B. No. 1163, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1163, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 86) recommending that H.B. No. 736, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 736, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 87) recommending that H.B. No. 1114, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1114, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 88) recommending that H.B. No. 1165, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1165, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Morita and Hiraki, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 89) recommending that H.B. No. 1127, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1127, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Have you turned my microphone off, Mr. Speaker? Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

"I believe this goes back to Stand Comm Report No. 89. I wish to speak on this measure, this one is on the gas caps. I wish to speak on this with strong reservations. I would vote against this, but it is going to the Finance Committee and hopefully the Finance Committee can look into the merits and demerits of this bill. This has to do with the gas cap bill.

"Mr. Speaker, we had a hearing on this and those who testified on behalf of DBEDT, the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism, all spoke against the gas cap. And they said they will be coming up in a couple of weeks with additional information. Now this bill here seems to defer this for an uncertain time. And you know as much as the testifiers from DBEDT, whom we, last session, asked to testify for us and to do an analysis for us. And they stated that in two weeks they will have more information. So I don't see any necessity for a bill like this. There is certainly enough time between now and the final lateral to await the final recommendations of DBEDT.

"So Mr. Speaker, Members, I believe that this bill should be deferred until the information the final recommendation from the DBEDT comes in. If we are going to be passing this through, I would hope that the Chairman of the Finance Committee and the Members will be looking at the recommendation that will be coming in and act accordingly. I am still convinced Mr. Speaker, and members, that the gas cap on regular gas only, will be impossible to work, especially for smaller communities where they will probably end up not selling the regular gas. They will sell the premium gas and it will have the opposite affect that we want. We will be in fact paying more.

"So Mr. Speaker, I ask the Members if you are going to pass this please await until the final recommendation comes in. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker and Members."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations and asked that the remarks of Representative Souki be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Thielen continued, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would just like to say that my reservations are the same as the speaker from Maui."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I have the same reservations and also request that the Speaker Emeritus' remarks be placed in the Journal. I just want to add that I don't see a need for this to go forward now, but I also of course would have recommended that it go to the Transportation Committee. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Blundell rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Souki be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Morita rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I rise in support of this bill. I just want to note that this is an Administration bill where DBEDT is asking that the law be corrected, the Session Law be corrected to reflect that the report would be ready in the 2004 Session.

"This is a very complicated matter. They were able to present us with preliminary findings but we have not gotten anything in writing from the Department and their final recommendations. Again the best-case scenario is that their final findings will be ready, hopefully before Second Crossover, but it is not a guarantee.

"Again this is a very complicated matter and I for one as the Committee Chair would like to see something in writing before we proceed in dealing with this issue that really impacts every segment of our lives in Hawaii, from business to residence. And again I am just asking for more time."

Representative Hiraki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I am rising in support of this measure. Basically I'd like to commend, actually, the new Administration for supporting our efforts to keeping this law in place. By supporting our efforts we have further time to gather valuable information that will help us really, once and for all, understand how the gasoline market in Hawaii really works. Although the law doesn't take into effect for another year and a half, just the mere presence of this measure has already produced benefits. For example there are now signs that the gasoline market is working. Gasoline prices are more competitively priced.

"Second, for the first time, interested parties are actually coming together, talking and looking for long-term solutions. And finally, we are gathering valuable data about not only gasoline, but all energy related resources. So Mr. Speaker, for these and other reasons, I really support this Administration measure. Thank you."

Representative Souki rose to respond, stating:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. In rebuttal. I just want to inform the members that the longer we wait, the more difficult it is for the small dealers to remain in business. The small dealers now cannot get a loan on their business because of this hanging legislation that is over them. Nobody is going to give you a loan if the gas cap is not enough to provide sufficient revenue for that service station to continue. And that is why I believe that this should be done with great expediency.

"If we care about business, and gas stations are the ultimate of the small business, of family run business, especially in the country where you have limited volume. We know what we're talking about, we come from the country. We know what we are talking about, we come from the country. We know what is going to happen to them. They will not be able to get a loan. They won't be able to sell their service station. It is a limbo situation. To delay this until next year or a year and a half is disastrous to these small businesses. It should be done expediently. 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. 1127, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 90) recommending that H.B. No. 1212, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1212, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 91) recommending that H.B. No. 675, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 675, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Fox rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In opposition. I find that difficult to speak in opposition to this bill, but I am filled with a sense of history of this issue.

"I recall as a young person when the Democratic Party was the champion of the average man in Hawaii and made land reform a principal platform in its drive for justice for the people of Hawaii. At that time a significant percentage of the homes of Hawaii were in the possession of Bishop Estate and people were investing in the lands of Bishop Estate to build their homes and to build up equity, and face the possibility at the end of their house ownership that everything would have to be returned to Bishop Estate. With the initiative of the Democratic Party's strong push, we got land reform.

"Bishop Estate fought it every step of the way for two decades. It finally went to the Supreme Court, and the Supreme Court said that the State of Hawaii indeed did have the right to condemn land, and turn it over to the people who occupied the land as tenants and who paid for the structures that were placed on the land. We then moved forward to have land sales and to allow the single-family owners to get their land that was under them, and it is a definite step forward. It is a credit to the Democratic Party that this whole movement took place in Hawaii.

"We are still trying to work through the process when it comes to people who live in condominiums. They have not yet achieved the standing that the single-family home owners have achieved. In that tail end struggle, we do have a radical transformation in the nature of Bishop Estate and it is now Kamehameha Schools that is now, it seems, to be more operating to the benefit of the school that it was set out to be, rather than kind of wealthy people who controlled Bishop Estate before.

"So there have been real changes. This law does pertain only to the so-called "Ali'i trust", but I find myself essentially unable to vote to override a system that has done so much for Hawaii."

Representative Kahikina rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support of the measure. It is in the line of the Democrat Party for diversity and advocating for the very frail and needy.

"Mr. Speaker, this measure was introduced because of condemnation of lands of charitable trusts that benefit not only native Hawaiians, but all children and people of the poor and needv. Mr. Speaker, this measure would provide an opportunity to stop condemnations of assets. The assets and the revenue from that asset are used to provide significant education and social services to the poor, the mentally ill children, the elderly, the disabled individuals. The loss of the assets through land condemnations seriously jeopardize the delivery of trust services. Even the very survival of the trust itself. The loss of these charitable trusts would not only be a major loss for the beneficiaries, but it would also force the State to provide these services that are being lost. This is the decision that you would have to search into your heart, and I guess yes, the question is: who are the citizens we are protecting and who are we standing up for?

"This constitutional amendment will be placed on the ballot for the people to decide. When we became a State Mr. Speaker, the Admissions Act said that this State would manage and dispose of the Hawaiian Home Commission Act. As you all know the Hawaiian Home Commission Act was created for the indigenous people of this State. But it also violated their civil rights by creating two classes of Hawaiians. To qualify, you had to first prove that your family was here prior to Captain Cook when the Islands of Hawaii discovered him lost in the Pacific in 1778. Not only that, you would have to prove that you were 50% of that blood.

"So Mr. Speaker, all of these trusts address those indigenous people. We are also inundated with court decrees and challenges in court for their very entitlement. We know that federal recognition is needed so that we can preserve these entitlements. And this is in that same spirit. I ask my colleagues and you to seriously dig deep into your heart, dig into your heart and really search yourself. Ask yourself, who are you really protecting? And I want to remind you to look at the very seriously poor, the mentally ill children, the elderly and the disabled individuals. Thank you."

Representative Caldwell rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to declare a potential conflict. The law firm that 1 am a partner of does represent Kamehameha Schools," and the Chair declared, "no conflict."

Representative Caldwell continued in support, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would also like to speak in support of this report. As the Minority Leader mentioned, the Land Reform Act was a historic event in our State. And the Democratic Party took the lead in that. As a result of the Land Reform Act we see a drastic breaking apart of the "Ali'i trust." Most residential neighborhoods in our State today are no longer held in "Ali'i trust". What remains are condominum properties, and then agricultural lands and commercial lands. There is a move on the way to extend the Land Reform Act to agricultural lands and commercial lands.

"Enough is enough. At this point we have broken apart the monopoly that once controlled residential properties in our State. At this point there should be a line drawn and the "Ali'i trust" should be allowed to keep those lands. As others have stated, we all benefit from those "Ali'i trust" whether it be the Queen's Hospital or other entities throughout the State. And they derive revenues from those lands to provide those benefits to all of us. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise with some reservations. I notice in the Committee Report, it stated that the Committee further finds that consideration should be given to making this bill apply to lands owned by any type of charitable trust. They acknowledge that, but yet in the bill as amended, it does not open it to other charitable trusts. I am thinking of the Weinberg Trust that does all kinds of good things for all types of people. And I just would make an appeal that perhaps that would be looked at as this bill goes through the process."

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Yes Mr. Speaker. I wish to speak with some very minor reservations on this here. I can see this is quite a historic document. We are repealing the Land Reform Act which was the standard bearer of the Democratic Party in making land available to all its citizens, in fee. However I do understand the need for the trusts to maintain the land and solvency. And I am well aware of Lunalilo Trust who lost their land through the sales as they went along the way. So I have some aloha for that.

"I am kind of befuddled that we are talking about trying to preserve the will and the estate of the "Ali'i trust" and yet, Mr. Speaker and Members, when the will of the Queen was breached just a couple of years ago, when the courts overruled the will and created a precedent, an unprecedented precedent where you can break wills. We know that the will of the Queen was breached through the action of the courts. I just want this to be known to all the Members. It did create a precedent. Yet I heard no hew and cry on that. So with this I am kind of... It is impractical for this year."

Representative M. Oshiro rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Caldwell be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Saiki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I have brief comments in support of this measure. As noted by the prior speakers, over thirty years have passed since we passed the Land Reform Act. Just as it was in the 1960's and the 1970's, the issue of land ownership was a fundamental interest of our entire State.

"Today we are faced with another interest and that is the sovereignty of native Hawaiian people. As the role of charitable organizations increase in advancing the circumstances and livelihood of native Hawaiians, it is important that we discuss this issue. Land is a vital component of the charitable organizations that provide services to Hawaiians. We need to make sure that their resources are kept intact in the long run for the benefit of the beneficiaries. Thank you." The Chair then addressed the Body, stating:

"For all of you Members, this particular measure will be going to the Judiciary Committee, so for the Judiciary Committee members, please be aware."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 675, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PREVENT CONDEMNATION OF TRUST LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Fox voting no, and with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

H.B. No. 675, HD 1 passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary in the following form:

H.B. No. 675, HD 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PREVENT CONDEMNATION OF TRUST LANDS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION 1. Historically, charitable trusts were developed to do public good by providing aid to the community in addition to governmental assistance. In recognition of the provision of these important societal benefits, the federal government adopted specific laws to identify these charitable trusts and to exempt qualifying charitable trusts from paying federal and state income taxes. This law reflects the public policy of supporting charities that relieve the government from the burden of financing all community services.

Recently, the city and county of Honolulu attempted to pass a law patterned after Hawaii's Land Reform Act that had been enacted to break up the large land holdings to provide more affordable housing opportunities. Testimony at the public hearings on this law raised the significant concern that by doing so, landowners that are also charitable trusts, like the Queen Liliuokalani Trust, would have their assets stripped. Even if compensated, given the current economic climate, it is doubtful that they would be able to find another type of investment with the same level of return. The trusts would then be unable to continue their activities that significantly benefit the public.

The legislature finds that charitable trusts whose beneficiaries are Hawaiians--often called "Ali'i trusts"--provide a significant amount of social services in this State. If the charitable trusts fail, many segments of Hawaii's Hawaiian population--the poor, the elderly, women, children, the disabled, and the mentally ill--would lose their safety net. The State would be hard-pressed to finance these services itself.

The purpose of this Act is to ensure that the real property assets of these charitable trusts are able to be preserved by prohibiting the State or the counties from condemning land held in fee by those charitable trusts.

SECTION 2. Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended by adding a new section to be designated and to read as follows:

"Section . Neither the State nor any political subdivision of the State may institute or participate in a condemnation action of land owned by a charitable trust, the beneficiaries of which are Hawaiians. For the purposes of this section:

"Charitable trust" means a trust created for charitable purposes that has its principal place of administration in this State and whose income is not taxable under the Internal Revenue Code.

"Hawaiian" means any descendant of the aboriginal peoples inhabiting the Hawaiian Islands which exercised sovereignty and subsisted in the Hawaiian Islands in 1778, and which thereafter have continued to reside in Hawaii."

SECTION 3. The question to be printed on the ballot shall be as follows:

"Shall the State and counties be prevented from condemning land owned by any charitable trust sited in this State whose beneficiaries are Hawaiians?"

SECTION 4. New constitutional material is underscored.

SECTION 5. This amendment shall take effect upon compliance with article XVII, section 3, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 92) recommending that H.B. No. 32, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 32, HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative Lee.

The Chair addressed Representative Saiki, stating:

"Representative Saiki, would you like to explain the recommital and what a short form is and then tell the members of the freshmen class."

Representative Saiki responded, stating:

"Members, the purpose of the recommital is to allow the Committee on Education to hear a short form bill which was amended or proposed to the Committee on Education on February 3rd. So a notice will be posted as to the amended version of the bill for hearing purposes."

Representative Thielen rose and stated:

"Maybe the Majority Leader could also explain for the new members what a short form bill is."

Speaker Say: "Go right ahead, Representative Saiki. Would you like to explain to the members of the Chamber what a short form measure is?"

Representative Saiki: "I actually want to say no, but a short form bill is introduced by the Committee Chairs. The purpose of it is to provide a vehicle for Chairs to entertain proposals that come up after the filing deadline."

Speaker Say: "Thank you. Excellent response. Any further discussion? If not, Madame Clerk. Introduction of ... Did we make the decision yet?"

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 32, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was recommitted to the Committee on

Education with Representatives Herkes, Sonson and Takai being excused.

The Chair then stated:

"I am very sorry. The motion was for the recommital back to Education which we did not vote on until now."

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Kahikina: "Mr. Speaker, your Committees on Human Services and Housing, and Health will resume their morning hearing right after session."

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:16 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 6, 2003. (Representatives Herkes, Sonson, and Takai were excused.)

FIFTEENTH DAY

Thursday, February 06, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Vice Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor John Vaughn of the Kalihi Baptist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Ontai, Takai and Tamayo, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, and Twelfth Days were approved. (Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Ontai, Takai and Tamayo were excused.)

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 163 through 165) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 163, transmitting the Agribusiness Development Corporation response to Act 194, Session Laws Hawaii 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 164, in accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of House Bill No. 1195 which makes an emergency appropriation and authorization of \$6,259,886 from the Hawaii Tobacco Settlement special fund to allow the Department of Human Services (DHS) to continue to provide health care coverage to children under 19 who are eligible under its medical assistance program.

Gov. Msg. No. 165, dated February 5, 2003, proposing changes to H.B. 200, the State Budget, and includes operating budget adjustments to the Departments of Commerce and Consumer Affairs; Labor and Industrial Relations (which was inadvertently listed as included in the third message – GM No. 162); and Health (except for adjustments to the Child and Adolescent Mental Health and Adult Mental Health programs).

INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Kaho`ohalahala introduced Mr. Jonathan Starr, Chair of the Democratic Party on Maui.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following bill was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.

No. <u>Re-referred to:</u>

893, Committee on Higher Education, then to the HD 1 Committee on Finance

At this time the Chair addressed the Body, stating:

"Before we move on, the Chair has a request. I know to expedite matters, a lot of times Members will stand up and vote your reservations or your no vote for three consecutive bills at one time. The Chair requests that we do it separately. What it does is it makes matters confused when it comes out in the Journal. So if you can wait until I call the number before you stand up, and please refrain from putting your reservation or no vote bundled up."

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Morita and Hiraki, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 93) recommending that H.B. No. 473, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 473, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representatives Morita and Hiraki, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 94) recommending that H.B. No. 1539, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1539, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF ALTERNATIVE FUELS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 95) recommending that H.B. No. 1372, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1372, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 1372, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE ALARM SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with

Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 96) recommending that H.B. No. 1137, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1137, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRODUCT PROCUREMENT PREFERENCES BY STATE AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 97) recommending that H.B. No. 1371, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1371, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Kaho'ohalahala rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 1371, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 98) recommending that H.B. No. 1399, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1399, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Souki rose and asked that the Clerk record 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. 1399, 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 Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 99) recommending that H.B. No. 1634, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1634, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 100) recommending that H.B. No. 849, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 849, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC TRANSIT BENEFIT PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 101) recommending that H.B. No. 1233, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1233, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 102) recommending that H.B. No. 1332, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1332, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 103) recommending that H.B. No. 1572, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1572, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 104) recommending that H.B. No. 1063, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1063, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVERS LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused. Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 105) recommending that H.B. No. 1075, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1075, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPLEMENTATION OF A FIXED RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representatives Ito and M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 106) recommending that H.B. No. 979, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 979, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Speaker. I have some comments with reservations on Stand. Com. Report No. 106. My reservations are I think it is a good bill overall because it does provide some standards of conduct. But it also causes some maybe unbudgeted personnel costs. So we need to look at it carefully in Finance."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 979, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL PROCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 107) recommending that H.B. No. 1301, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1301, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPRESENTATION OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS ON BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND ADVISORY BODIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 108) recommending that H.B. No. 1307, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1307, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused. Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 109) recommending that H.B. No. 532, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 532, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 110) recommending that H.B. No. 1166, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1166, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM LIMITED PARTNERSHIP ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Takumi, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 111) recommending that H.B. No. 682, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 682, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PREVENT CRYSTAL METHAMPHETAMINE USE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Ito, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs presented a report (Stand, Com. Rep. No. 112) recommending that H.B. No. 1110, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1110, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MICROORGANISM IMPORT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Kahikina, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 113) recommending that H.B. No. 260, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 260, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 114) recommending that H.B. No. 244, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 244, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 115) recommending that H.B. No. 97, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 97, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 116) recommending that H.B. No. 421, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 421, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 117) recommending that H.B. No. 893, as amended in HD 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 893, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Hiraki, Marumoto, Takai and Tamayo being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Stonebraker rose to a point of personal privilege, stating:

"I rise on a point of personal privilege. Yesterday during the session, as I spoke I was interrupted by somebody in the back row uttering gaffs, slurs, sighs and derogatory comments. This is a point of personal privilege. I believe this has priority."

Representative Saiki rose to a point of order, stating:

"Could the Representative not personalize his comments please."

Representative Stonebraker: "Will this speaker who interrupted me indicate how I personalized the comments."

Vice Speaker Luke: "Representative Stonebraker, please proceed."

Representative Stonebraker: "I'm rising on a point of personal privilege. Yesterday I was interrupted with gaffs, slurs, and childish giggling in the back row. It interrupted my speech. I was speaking of course to a Standing Committee Report which related to public policy in Hawaii. This wasn't the first time the Representative scoffed while somebody was discussing and addressing the needs of Hawaii's people. I've heard these verbal injections ever since I was first inaugurated in the year 2000. I feel that I finally have to speak on the issue for the benefit of the entire House. When the Rules of the House are disrespected, the Members are disrespected. When the members are disrespected, the people are disrespected.

"The Representative from Pearl City, and the Chair of the Education Committee, who thus undermine ..."

The Chair interjected, stating:

"Representative Stonebraker, hold on just a second. You need to make a point. And the point of personal privilege is for you to stand up on a parliamentary procedure, or to request something. At this point in time we are in announcements. Would you confine your remarks to a point that you are making for parliamentary procedure?"

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"Yes, thank you. The Representative from Pearl City, and the Chair of the Education Committee, who thus undermines the integrity of this House approached me this morning and apologized. And I thanked him for that. However he apologized for being ignorant of the House Rules and the Mason's rules of parliamentary procedure. It wasn't against his disruption towards me. Then he challenged me to show him where in the Rules of the House and Mason's rules where it says he cannot engage in such vitriolic behavior. As I walked away in order to keep my composure, he yelled at me, "Show me in the House where it says I cannot speak..."

The Chair again interjected, stating:

"Representative Stonebraker, hold on. You need to make a point, and at this point in time, it is becoming..."

Representative Stonebraker: "My point is that I am pointing out in the Rules of the House. I'd like to bring to light those very rules that he asked me to educate him on. I do believe though however that the veteran Members of this House should..."

At 12:19 o'clock p.m., Representative Souki requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:29 o'clock p.m.

At this time the Chair recognized Representative Stonebraker, stating:

"Representative Stonebraker, you had the floor."

Representative Stonebraker rose and stated:

"I just wanted to say that I look to you, and to the Speaker of the House, and all other senior members as stellar examples of the respect and the honor that is due this office. As an underclassman, maybe not a freshman but still an underclassman, we look to you for leadership and how we are supposed to conduct ourselves in the House. The House Rules indicate how we are to do that. You veteran Members are the most well-versed in the procedure of this House so you are the role models for us and you still have our utmost respect."

Vice Speaker Luke: "Representative Stonebraker, will you point to the House Rules for edification of the Members at this point."

Representative Stonebraker: "Yes I will. Aside from the fact that a veteran Member does not know the House Rules, it frightens me to think of the condition of the House if someone who chairs a Committee is not aware of the House Rules but...

"For the education and the edification of the House, we read in Rule number 27.2 that, "No person shall maintain a private discourse while ... a member is speaking."

"Continuing on in Rule number 60, and may I say that though we differ in opinion and philosophy, and we are willing to debate on any number of issues, our respect for one another should remain high, regardless of party. And I think I speak for all Members of the House, and I do have the utmost respect for the Representative from Pearl City and Chair of the Education Committee for his work with medication and so forth. That is why it so sad that he persists in badgering me in public and his imprudence is terrible, and so for that reason I rise on this point of personal privilege to read from rule number 60.1, "Members should conduct themselves in a respectful manner befitting the office with which they as elected officials have been entrusted, respecting and complying with the laws and acting at all times in a manner that promotes public confidence in the integrity of the House."

"Rule number 60.3 says that, "Members should treat their fellow House members, staff, and the general public with respect and courtesy, regardless of political ... beliefs..."

"Section 60 section 4, it says that, "To the greatest extent reasonably possible, members should ... refrain from showing bias or prejudice, including but not limited to bias or prejudice based on political ... beliefs." They should, "... exercise patience, tolerance, and courtesy to all those with whom they deal in a official capacity, and require staff and others to subject to their direction and control to maintain similar standards..." They should, "... afford every person who wishes to participate in the legislative process the opportunity to be heard according to the established procedures." And they should, "consider at all times whether their conduct would create in reasonable minds the perception that their ability to carry out legislative responsibilities with integrity and independence is either questionable or impaired."

"And the reason I state these rules is because I was asked to find them by the Representative in question. And with this said, may I be given leave to apologize. As I've said earlier, this sort of behavior in the back row has happened for years and I apologize that I haven't stood up and said anything earlier. It disrespects all the Members in the House and it should not be tolerated. I waited and I apologize to you Madame Speaker and to the Speaker, that I did not bring this up earlier and I allowed it to go on for two years. Perhaps I relied too much on the honor of the Representative in question. Maybe I thought that others would correct him privately. Unfortunately that was not done. Nothing was done and the sighs and the giggling and the sharp remarks, disruptions, and general remarks about a speaker's mother or the way that they smelt continued to the shame of this House. Not only does it violate the House Rules but it lowers this august body and desecrates this hallow chamber. And my sorrow extends to the party which your Member represents. I know that your party fights for the people of Hawaii. Your party is not acidic ... "

Representative Schatz rose to a point of order, stating:

"Point of order. The current speaker is no longer on his point of personal privilege. He is now engaged in a speech. I would ask him to finish his point with respect to the House Rules so we can all move on to our Committees."

Vice Speaker Luke: "Your point is well taken. Representative Stonebraker, do you have a point?"

Representative Stonebraker: "Yes. I rise on the point of this personal privilege to point out the House Rules for the edification and education of this Body and to express sorrow that this House and the people of Hawaii were subjected to such disrespect by the Representative from Pearl City and the Chair of the Education Committee."

The Chair then addressed the Body, stating:

"Thank you. Let me remind all the Members of this House that we have proper decorum to be displayed by all the Members. If you have personal problems, you can always seek the counseling of either the Speaker or myself to ...

"Representative Stonebraker, I am talking. Please sit down."

Representative Stonebraker: "I rise on a point of personal privilege. The Representative in question asked me what the rules of the House were and I was under the impression that such a veteran Representative did not know those rules. Perhaps I should educate all the Members of the House."

Vice Speaker Luke: "Representative Stonebraker, at this point in time I am going to... Representative Stonebraker, please sit down. I have allowed you a lot of leeway to state your point of personal privilege. At this point in time the Chair is speaking. Please sit down."

Representative Stonebraker: "Madame Speaker, I was simply referring to the fact it was simply for the edification of the Body. There is nothing personal."

Vice Speaker Luke: "Representative Stonebraker, please sit down. Thank you.

"At this point in time, as I was saying, the Members have to look at decorum and look at the House Rules for guidance. If you have personal problems, please see either the Speaker, myself, the Majority Leader, or the Minority Leader to deal with your personal problems.

"I am not sure what happen between the two Representatives in question today, but I encourage you to continue to dialogue and work your differences out."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:36 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, February 7, 2003. (Representatives Hamakawa, Marumoto, Nakasone, Takai and Tamayo were excused.)

SIXTEENTH DAY

Friday, February 7, 2003

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Vice-Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Brian K. Blundell, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Kanoho, Marumoto, Sonson, and Takai who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 166 through 168) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 166, transmitting the Hawaii's Sister State/Province Program Report as prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 167, transmitting the 2002 Annual Report of the State of Hawaii Overseas Offices as prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 168, informing the House that on February 4, 2003, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. No. 1, HD 1, MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN. (ACT 001)

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Hamakawa introduced on behalf of Representative Takamine and himself, Mr. Mark Nakashima of Honoka'a.

Representative Bukoski introduced Mr. Masaru 'Pundy' Yokouchi of Maui.

At 12:11 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:47 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following bill was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

No. Re-referred to:

1251 Committee on Finance

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 118) recommending that H.B. No. 965, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 965, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 119) recommending that H.B. No. 1038, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1038, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Madame Speaker, I have some reservations with Stand. Com. Report No. 119, H.B. 1038.

"Thank you. My reservations are twofold. One is, it creates a new committee in the Department of Transportation. That of course cost funds and increases the size of government.

"But also I have trouble with the title of the bill. I believe the title is flawed because it says it either requires or, and I forget the second word but it is two words. They are mutually exclusive. You can't... I think it is 'requires or encourages.' And you can't encourage and require. It has to be one or the other so I think the bill may be flawed because of the title."

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Madame Speaker, I wish to speak in favor of this bill. The Department of Transportation found no problem with the bill. They favored the bill. And as they've done in the past, the nonuse of herbicides will be in only those areas that could be done manually. And in those areas where you need to use herbicides, it will continue to be used. And if there are any flaws in the bill, I think that can remedied as it moves along. I think it is very minor and I don't think it will create a problem, certainly."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I rise with some reservations on this bill. I guess one of my concerns is that this does require the counties, and there were no counties that came to testify. This is sort of a perennial bill. It comes up. I am quite frankly surprised that the DOT was in support because in the past, it never has been."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1038, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROADSIDE HERBICIDE USE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection with Representatives Ching, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 120) recommending that H.B. No. 1064, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1064, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Schatz, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 121) recommending that H.B. No. 1135, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1135, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Speaker. I am standing on Standing Committee Report No. 121, the transfer of the Land Use Commission and the Office of Planning from DBEDT to DLNR. I guess my reservation is the way the Committee amended the bill.

"Originally the bill called for repealing Chapter 214, Chapter 223, and Chapter 225M. The Committee has amended the bill by deleting the provision that repeals 214 and 223. I would have rather seen that left in the bill. For those reasons I am with reservations."

Representative Morita rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Chair. I just want to point out for the next Committee... I am sorry. I am speaking with reservations.

"The two sections that the previous speaker mentioned, and section 13, which is in the bill, are the duties and functions of these various agencies. So we are actually moving forward, for the Office of State Planning, a section which repeals the duty and functions of the Office of State Planning. 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. 1135, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Morita, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 122) recommending that H.B. No. 1053, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1053, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Madame Speaker, I rise to speak and cast a no vote on Standing Committee Report No. 122, the Habitat Conservation Plans - Kapolei Parkway and UH West Oahu.

"Madame Speaker, my objections are similar to many that were raised by Hawaii's Thousand Friends, the Sierra Club and the Audubon Society, who all testified in opposition to this measure."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Morita rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Chair. I rise in support of this bill. I just wanted to inform the Members that we are moving this through as sort of a safeguard.

"Right now the way the law reads, State agencies cannot enter into agreement to protect endangered species regarding public lands. The way we addressed this issue last year was just on a piecemeal basis, citing project by project, and this particular bill adds the Kapolei Parkway and West Oahu Campus. The better solution would be in another vehicle, which is H.B. 476, which is coming up. But this is just a safeguard as we go through the process."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Speaker. I am rising in support. As was previously addressed, we did try to address this problem last year. We learned last year that private developers could relocate endangered species but on public lands, you couldn't do it.

"And we were planning to build a roadway there which we already has federal approval for. The North South Road. And where there are endangered species and nobody knew was there because every year you burn the crops. It was cane fields. Every year you burn the crop and there were no endangered species. It just happen that the wind blew some in there. So there they were, growing now that we don't grow the cane anymore.

"We were moving them and we had two established colonies already and one was just about ready to be established. It has to grow, so many plants, so high etc. So it was two thirds of the way and then we said, "Golly, I should have had a V-8," because we realized we didn't have the authority to do it. So in order to go ahead with the process, we did amend the law last year to allow it to be done for that roadway.

"Well it intersects with another roadway that is being built, the Kapolei Parkway. And right at the intersection of these two roads the North South Road and the Kapolei Parkway. Guess what? That is where we are putting the University West Oahu campus. So we have to do it each time for each individual project and those are all State projects. That is why we have to look at the other vehicle. But if we pass this in the meantime, at least these projects which are already funded or arranged for funding with the federal government and the State is behind the projects, at least we go ahead with those projects.

"These endangered species are not going to be lost because they have been transplanted already. They are growing in other areas. This is just the means so that we have the ability to move them to another spot and ensure that they continue to grow."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1053, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Ching, Hale and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 123) recommending that H.B. No. 1407, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1407, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESERVES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 124) recommending that H.B. No. 1561, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1561, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 125) recommending that H.B. No. 267, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 267, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 126) recommending that H.B. No. 1631, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 1631, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 127) recommending that H.B. No. 1279, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1279, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Morita rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Caldwell rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Speaker. I guess I have to rise again in support. This is not in my district so I don't need to ask you for a ruling on a conflict of interest, although I did put in the identical bill as did the Administration, and this is because this project will create tremendous jobs and economic growth for the Leeward Coast.

"My district doesn't do too poorly, thank you. Makakilo and Kapolei. Right next door we start going into more depressed economic areas. That is where this resort is by doing this project and the proviso that is in there, that they have to provide job training and hire local people, we will see a great influx to not only the economy of the State, but to the working conditions and the proximity of work for the people that live on that coast. I can't tell you how difficult it is for people living there even where I live to get here to town. This will provide jobs in the neighborhood. Thank you, Madame Speaker."

Representative Lee rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in support of HB 1279, related to tax credits. Mr. Speaker, although I support this bill today, I have grave concerns about the public policy represented by this kind of a tax credit. It is not good public policy to target a single private development for a tax break.

"Although the Waianae Coast is a depressed area, we should find other ways to support the residents' needs for jobs, job training and education -- ways that do not leave open the question of who will profit in the end."

Representative Evans rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"I rise with reservations, just with reservations. The concept of tax credits, we have a lot development going around the State of Hawaii. I just feel that we need to have further discussion on this."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1279, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Hale, Morita and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Chang and Schatz, for the Committee on Tourism and Culture and the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 128) recommending that H.B. No. 1400, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1400, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOTEL CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 129) recommending that H.B. No. 737, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 737, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I would like the Clerk to register a no vote for me on this measure. I believe that this would create a lot of litigation and I am not in favor of these citizen suits. It also increases the existing fine from \$25,000 to \$40,000. I think this bill was introduced sort of for a one-person event, and I just think it would be very harmful to our economy if we pass this bill."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 737, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN WATER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Meyer voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 130) recommending that H.B. No. 1607, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1607, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused. Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 131) recommending that H.B. No. 1247, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1247, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONTRAFLOW LANE ON FARRINGTON HIGHWAY ALONG THE WAIANAE COAST FROM MOHIHI STREET TO PILIOKAHI AVENUE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Souki and Chang, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 132) recommending that H.B. No. 840, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 840, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 133) recommending that H.B. No. 485, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 485, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose to declare a possible conflict of interest, stating:

"I was a former board member of Hanahau'oli School," and the Chair declared, "no conflict."

Representative Caldwell rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"I just want to disclose a possible conflict regarding SPRBs relating to Hanahau'oli School, which is Standing Committee Report No. 133. Our daughter attends Hanahau'oli School," and the Chair declared "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. 485, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HANAHAU'OLI SCHOOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 134) recommending that H.B. No. 488, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 488, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR MID-PACIFIC INSTITUTE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 135) recommending that H.B. No. 939, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 939, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HOALA SCHOOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 136) recommending that H.B. No. 1362, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1362, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ST. PATRICK SCHOOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Hiraki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 137) recommending that H.B. No. 929, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 929, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 138) recommending that H.B. No. 475, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 475, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 139) recommending that H.B. No. 413, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 413, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Halford rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you. In opposition please, to Standing Committee Report 139, H.B. 413. Madame Speaker, this bill provides that the Office of Elections, that the administration of the Office of Elections would fall under the purview, fall into the Legislative Branch of government.

"Madame Speaker, currently the Legislative Branch funds the Office of Elections. The Executive Branch administers the Office of Elections. What this bill proposes is that the Legislative Branch would fund the Office of Elections and additionally administer the Office of Elections. This concept is directly contrary to the doctrine of separation of powers of the three branches of government.

"I believe if the intention of the Legislature is to have more scrutiny to assure that we feel that proper processes are followed, we have the Office of the Auditor whom we could ask to do whatever oversight, whatever audit, to observe whatever management practice that we would want her to do. But for us to bring this administrative function into the legislative branch where we both fund and administer the project, leaves more opportunity for mismanaged elections than almost any other proposal we might make.

"So for those reasons, the proper separation of powers that we have in American style democracy, I vote no on this."

Representative Stonebraker rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Halford be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Souki rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you very much, Madame Chairman. I have strong reservations on this measure. In respect to the Committee and to the Chairman, I believe the Legislative Auditor has enough responsibilities, and by law and by the Constitution, the role of the Legislative Auditor is strictly for auditing. And unless we want to amend the Constitution and the language of enabling legislation, I think this might this bill might be challenged. Thank you very much."

Representative Pendleton rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Madame Speaker, I rise in opposition. I've learned that as a Member there is much wisdom to be gained by veterans. I have been persuaded by the gentleman from Maui, so please note my opposition to this. Thank you.

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Like wise. The Representative from Maui, the former Speaker, lent some wisdom to this matter. I am just looking at the fact that the Auditor is supposed to audit. If we are putting something under the Auditor ...

"I am rising with reservations. Thank you, Madame Clerk.

"My reservations are that the Auditor is supposed to audit. It may be hard for her to audit things that belong to her. And that is one of the things we talked about before. We don't want other departments hiring auditors and auditing themselves basically under contract. We want the Legislative Auditor to do the auditing because there is a separation. This would provide no separation. So for that reason I have those grave reservations and we'll see what happens as it moves along Madame Chair."

Representative Saiki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Madame Speaker, I rise in support of this measure. Madame Speaker, aside from the Judiciary perhaps the single most function in State government that requires public confidence and public trust is our election system. The purpose of this measure is to ensure that we can maximize that public trust within our Office of Elections.

"A few years ago when the Office of Elections transitioned into an electronic voting system, there was some public criticism and questioning over that system. And in order to ensure that that system was reliable, the Legislature took action. What did we do? We called in the State Auditor to audit that new system. The Auditor spearheaded a panel that reviewed the intricacies of that system and issued a final report stating that the system was sound, that it was feasible and that there was really no problem with it.

"I think there is no agency or entity within State government other than the Auditor that has the trust of the public, the confidence of the public, the knowledge of the election system, and it is for this reason that we would like to entertain the concept of placing the Office of Elections under the jurisdiction of the Auditor, not of the Legislature, but under the jurisdiction of the Auditor.

"There are some jurisdictions on the mainland that already do this and in order for us to maintain confidence in our system we would like to do likewise."

Representative Halford rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Speaker. The previous speaker correctly wisely pointed out how valuable the Legislative Auditor can be regarding elections, in conducting audits, or having providing closer scrutiny when perhaps there is not full confidence with the public. But if we give her control of the elections, then we will not have available to us the ability to ask her to audit her own function. We would then be looking for someone else to conduct an audit or provide that kind of oversight. That is one of the important reasons why we should keep the Office of Elections outside of her office and outside of the Legislative Branch of government."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 413, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford and Pendleton voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 140) recommending that H.B. No. 753, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 753, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 141) recommending that H.B. No. 1277, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1277, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 16, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII, TO PROVIDE THE LEGISLATURE WITH THE POWER TO RECALL A BILL PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

H.B. No. 1277 passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary in the following form:

H.B. No. 1277:

A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 16, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII, TO PROVIDE THE LEGISLATURE WITH THE POWER TO RECALL A BILL PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to propose a constitutional amendment to article III, section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii to allow the legislature to recall a bill that passed the legislature and was presented to the governor. This will provide the legislature with some recourse if a bill is inadvertently presented to the governor with either a substantive or procedural error.

SECTION 2. Article III, section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended to read as follows:

"APPROVAL OR VETO

Section 16. Every bill which shall have passed the legislature shall be certified by the presiding officers and clerks of both houses and shall thereupon be presented to the governor. If the governor approves it, the governor shall sign it and it shall become law. If the governor does not approve such bill, the governor may return it, with the governor's objections to the legislature. Except for items appropriated to be expended by the judicial and legislative branches, the governor may veto any specific item or items in any bill which appropriates money for specific purposes by striking out or reducing the same; but the governor shall veto other bills, if at all, only as a whole.

The governor shall have ten days to consider bills presented to the governor ten or more days before the adjournment of the legislature sine die, and if any such bill is neither signed nor returned by the governor within that time, it shall become law in like manner as if the governor had signed it.

RECONSIDERATION AFTER ADJOURNMENT

The governor shall have forty-five days, after the adjournment of the legislature sine die, to consider bills

presented to the governor less than ten days before such adjournment, or presented after adjournment, and any such bill shall become law on the forty-fifth day unless the governor by proclamation shall have given ten days' notice to the legislature that the governor plans to return such bill with the governor's objections on that day. The legislature may convene at or before noon on the forty-fifth day in special session, without call, for the sole purpose of acting upon any such bill returned by the governor. In case the legislature shall fail to so convene, such bill shall not become law. Any such bill may be amended to meet the governor's objections and, if so amended and passed, only one reading being required in each house for such passage, it shall be presented again to the governor, but shall become law only if the governor shall sign it within ten days after presentation.

RECALL

A bill under consideration by the governor may be recalled to the legislature by concurrent resolution. Before the recalled bill is presented again to the governor, it shall pass one additional reading in each house during the session in which it was recalled.

COMPUTATION OF TIME

In computing the number of days designated in this section, the following days shall be excluded: Saturdays, Sundays, holidays and any days in which the legislature is in recess prior to its adjournment as provided in section 10 of this article."

SECTION 3. The question to be printed on the ballot shall be as follows:

"Shall the State Constitution be amended to allow the legislature to recall a bill for further consideration if the Governor has not yet either vetoed or approved the bill?"

SECTION 4. New constitutional material is underscored.

SECTION 5. This amendment shall take effect upon compliance with article XVII, section 3, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 142) recommending that H.B. No. 1668, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1668, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS FROM PUBLIC OFFICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

H.B. No. 1668 passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary in the following form:

H.B. No. 1668:

A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS FROM PUBLIC OFFICE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to propose amendments to the Constitution of the State of Hawaii to require the house of representatives to consent to the appointment and removal of persons appointed to public office by the governor whenever the consent of the senate is required for that appointment or removal.

SECTION 2. Article III, Section 19, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended to read as follows:

"IMPEACHMENT

Section 19. The governor and lieutenant governor, and any appointive officer for whose removal the consent of the senate <u>and house of representatives</u> is required, may be removed from office upon conviction of impeachment for such causes as may be provided by law.

The house of representatives shall have the sole power of impeachment of the governor and lieutenant governor and the senate the sole power to try such impeachments, and no such officer shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members of the senate. When sitting for that purpose, the members of the senate shall be on oath or affirmation and the chief justice shall preside. Subject to [the provisions of] this paragraph, the legislature may provide for the manner and procedure of removal by impeachment of such officers.

The legislature shall by law provide for the manner and procedure of removal by impeachment of the appointive officers.

Judgments in cases of impeachment shall not extend beyond removal from office and disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust or profit under the State; but the person convicted may nevertheless be liable and subject to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment as provided by law."

SECTION 3. Article V, Section 6, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended to read as follows:

"EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS

Section 6. All executive and administrative offices, departments and instrumentalities of the state government and their respective powers and duties shall be allocated by law among and within not more than twenty principal departments in such a manner as to group the same according to common purposes and related functions. Temporary commissions or agencies for special purposes may be established by law and need not be allocated within a principal department.

Each principal department shall be under the supervision of the governor and, unless otherwise provided in this constitution or by law, shall be headed by a single executive. Such single executive shall be nominated and, by and with the advice and consent of the senate[$_3$] and house of representatives, appointed by the governor. That person shall hold office for a term to expire at the end of the term for which the governor was elected, unless sooner removed by the governor; except that the removal of the chief legal officer of the State shall be subject to the advice and consent of the senate[$_3$] and house of representatives.

Except as otherwise provided in this constitution, whenever a board, commission or other body shall be the head of a principal department of the state government, the members thereof shall be nominated and, by and with the advice and consent of the senate[$_1$] and house of representatives, appointed by the governor. The term of office and removal of such

members shall be as provided by law. Such board, commission or other body may appoint a principal executive officer who, when authorized by law, may be an ex officio, voting member thereof, and who may be removed by a majority vote of the members appointed by the governor.

The governor shall nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of the senate[$_{3}$] and house of representatives, appoint all officers for whose election or appointment provision is not otherwise provided for by this constitution or by law. If the manner or removal of an officer is not prescribed in this constitution, removal shall be as provided by law.

When the senate <u>or house of representatives</u> is not in session and a vacancy occurs in any office, appointment to which requires the confirmation of the senate[$_{7}$] <u>and house of</u> <u>representatives</u>, the governor may fill the office by granting a commission which shall expire, unless such appointment is confirmed, at the end of the next session of the senate[$_{7}$] <u>and</u> <u>house of representatives</u>. The person so appointed shall not be eligible for another interim appointment to such office if the appointment failed to be confirmed by the senate[$_{7}$] <u>and house</u> <u>of representatives</u>.

No person who has been nominated for appointment to any office and whose appointment has not received the consent of the senate <u>and house of representatives</u> shall be eligible to an interim appointment thereafter to such office.

Every officer appointed under [the provisions of] this section shall be a citizen of the United States and shall have been a resident of this State for at least one year immediately preceding that person's appointment, except that this residency requirement shall not apply to the president of the University of Hawaii."

SECTION 4. Article VI, Section 3, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended to read as follows:

"APPOINTMENT OF JUSTICES AND JUDGES

Section 3. The governor, with the consent of the senate[$_7$] and house of representatives, shall fill a vacancy in the office of the chief justice, supreme court, intermediate appellate court and circuit courts, by appointing a person from a list of not less than four, and not more than six, nominees for the vacancy, presented to the governor by the judicial selection commission.

If the governor fails to make any appointment within thirty days of presentation, or within ten days of the senate's and house of representatives' rejection of any previous appointment, the appointment shall be made by the judicial selection commission from the list with the consent of the senate[-] and house of representatives. If the senate [fails] and house of representatives fail to reject any appointment within thirty days thereof, [it] they shall be deemed to have given [its] their consent to such appointment. If the senate and house of representatives shall reject any appointment, the governor shall make another appointment from the list within ten days thereof. The same appointment and consent procedure shall be followed until a valid appointment has been made, or failing this, the commission shall make the appointment from the list, without the consent of the senate [consent.] and house of representatives.

The chief justice, with the consent of the senate $[_{r}]$ and house of representatives, shall fill a vacancy in the district courts by appointing a person from a list of not less than six nominees for the vacancy presented by the judicial commission. If the chief justice fails to make the appointment within thirty days of presentation, or within ten days of the senate's and house of representatives' rejection of any previous appointment, the

appointment shall be made by the judicial selection commission from the list with the consent of the senate[-] and house of representatives. The senate and house of representatives must hold a public hearing and vote on each appointment within thirty days of any appointment. If the senate [fails] and house of representatives fail to do so, the nomination shall be returned to the commission and the commission shall make the appointment from the list without the consent of the senate [consent.] and house of representatives. The chief justice shall appoint per diem district court judges as provided by law.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT

Justices and judges shall be residents and citizens of the State and of the United States, and licensed to practice law by the supreme court. A justice of the supreme court, a judge of the intermediate appellate court and a judge of the circuit court shall have been so licensed for a period of not less than ten years preceding nomination. A judge of the district court shall have been so licensed for a period of not less than five years preceding nomination.

No justice or judge shall, during the term of office, engage in the practice of law, or run for or hold any other office or position of profit under the United States, the State or its political subdivisions.

TENURE; COMPENSATION; RETIREMENT

The term of office of justices and judges of the supreme court, intermediate appellate court and circuit courts shall be ten years. Judges of district courts shall hold office for the periods as provided by law. At least six months prior to the expiration of a justice's or judge's term of office, every justice and judge shall petition the judicial selection commission to be retained in office or shall inform the commission of an intention to retire. If the judicial selection commission determines that the justice or judge should be retained in office, the commission shall renew the term of office of such justice or judge for the period provided by this section or by law.

There shall be a salary commission to review and recommend salaries for justices and judges of all state courts. Justices and judges shall have salaries as provided by law. Their compensation shall not be decreased during their respective terms of office, unless by general law applying to all salaried officers of the State. They shall be retired upon attaining the age of seventy years. They shall be included in any retirement law of the State."

SECTION 5. Article X, Section 6, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended to read as follows:

"BOARD OF REGENTS: POWERS

Section 6. There shall be a board of regents of the University of Hawaii, the members of which shall be nominated and, by and with the advice and consent of the senate[7] and house of representatives, appointed by the governor. At least part of the membership of the board shall represent geographic subdivisions of the State. The board shall have the power to formulate policy, and to exercise control over the university through its executive officer, the president of the university, who shall be appointed by the board. The board shall also have exclusive jurisdiction over the internal structure, management, and operation of the university. This section shall not limit the power of the legislature to enact laws of statewide concern. The legislature shall have the exclusive jurisdiction to identify laws of statewide concern. The legislature shall have the exclusive jurisdiction to identify laws of statewide concern."

SECTION 6. Article XVI, Section 4, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii is amended to read as follows:

"OATH OF OFFICE

Section 4. All eligible public officers, before entering upon the duties of their respective offices, shall take and subscribe to the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, and that I will faithfully discharge my duties as . to best of my ability." As used in this section, "eligible public officers" means the governor, the lieutenant governor, the members of both houses of the legislature, the members of the board of education, the members of the national guard, State or county employees who possess police powers, district court judges, and all those whose appointment requires the consent of the senate[-] and house of representatives."

SECTION 7. The question to be printed on the ballot shall be as follows:

"Shall the Constitution of the State of Hawaii be amended to require the house of representatives to consent to the appointment and removal of persons appointed to public office by the governor whenever the consent of the senate is required for that appointment or removal?"

SECTION 8. Constitutional material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New constitutional material is underscored.

SECTION 9. This amendment shall take effect upon compliance with article XVII, section 3, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 143) recommending that H.B. No. 1125, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1125, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 144) recommending that H.B. No. 170, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 170, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Lee rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee's written remarks are as follows:

"Madam Speaker, I rise in support of H.B. No. 170. Current federal criminal law (18 United States Code Sections 602 and 603) prohibits federal employees from making contributions to the political campaigns of their employers. Thus, someone who works for a U.S. Senator or a U.S. Representative is not allowed under any circumstances to contribute to his or her employer's campaign. Moreover, 18 USC 602 prohibits the employer from asking for a contribution from any federal employee, not just those who work for him or her. The penalty for violation of either section 602 or 603 is a fine and/or up to three years in prison.

"I believe the rationale for these rules are obvious. Employers can put their employees in very awkward positions by asking for campaign contributions. While the vast majority of elected officials would never be intentionally coercive, employees can easily view a perfectly legitimate solicitation for a contribution as more than a simple request. This is especially true of civil service exempt employees who can be fired for any or no reason. Most employees will simply make the contribution rather than risk retaliation even if they believe the possibility is slight.

"It is not surprising that very few complaints are received from employees about elected officials soliciting them for campaign contributions. Employees, quite rationally, do not want to risk the potential consequences of doing so even if they believe that risk is small. And of course the vast majority of employees donate willingly because they believe in their employer and understand that if their employer is reelected he/she will still have a job.

"Having said that, since 1909 Congress has banned such contributions because of the real possibility of abuse. HB 170 is essentially a verbatim copy of 18 USC §§ 602 and 603 applied to State and county employees instead of federal employees. I believe it is time to give State and county employees the same protections their federal counterparts have had for the last 96 years. Not only will this protect our valued staff members, it will help restore public confidence in their elected officials.

"I am grateful to the Legislative Management Committee for reporting HB 170 out without amendment and hope my colleagues will support the bill today. 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. 170, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 145) recommending that H.B. No. 403, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 403, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Employment with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 146) recommending that H.B. No. 606, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 606, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 147) recommending that H.B. No. 1249, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1249, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 148) recommending that H.B. No. 969, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 969, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149) recommending that H.B. No. 554, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 554, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 150) recommending that H.B. No. 641, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 641, 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 with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 151) recommending that H.B. No. 474, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 474, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EMERGENCY ENVIRONMENTAL WORKFORCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152) recommending that H.B. No. 1013, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1013, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153) recommending that H.B. No. 1092, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1092, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 154) recommending that H.B. No. 1105, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1105, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL INSPECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 155) recommending that H.B. No. 1330, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1330, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative M. Oshiro, for the Committee on Labor and Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 156) recommending that H.B. No. 386, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 386, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION,"

passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Schatz, for the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 157) recommending that H.B. No. 530, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 530, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 158) recommending that H.B. No. 471, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 471, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 159) recommending that H.B. No. 1032, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1032, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Morita and Kanoho, for the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 160) recommending that H.B. No. 1392, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1392, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Business Concerns with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 161) recommending that H.B. No. 1302, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1302, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 162) recommending that H.B. No. 208, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 208, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMPLETING FENCE ENCLOSURES AROUND LANA'I'S WATERSHED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 163) recommending that H.B. No. 1286, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1286, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN HISTORIC SITES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Morita, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 164) recommending that H.B. No. 85, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Lee and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 85, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Morita, for the Committee on Water, Land Use, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 165) recommending that H.B. No. 476, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 476, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Lee.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I am rising to speak against Standing Committee Report 165, H.B. 476, the Habitat Safe Harbor Agreement. I don't agree with the concept of safe harbors and I don't agree with the 'God-Committee' that was created under federal law. When I take a look the way this bill has ended up, what it did was delete the provision requiring the landowner to be obliged to put in additional mitigation measures that are deemed necessary to ensure the continued existence of the endangered species. And it deletes the citizen suit provision.

"Many times it's our few environmental groups that we have in this State that really enforce our laws, and they do that on behalf of the people of Hawaii to preserve the environment. When we take out a citizen suit provision, you in essence, mute that voice that stands up for the trees, the birds, the plants. And it leaves the developer or the landowner free to go ahead, and government to go ahead, many times wrongfully.

"Madame Speaker, in my former life when I was an environmental and land use attorney, numerous times, I needed to, with my colleagues in the environmental field, my attorney colleagues we had to file suit against the government and were successful most of the time. This citizen suit provision makes that possible because the attorneys that used to be around to help defend the environment have either moved away or are doing other activities. We don't have that many groups that are really out there on the forefront. I think a citizen suit provision, if we all looked at truly and carefully, we would realize that it is in the best interest.

"The only way the environmental lawyers are able to recover any of their costs in filing such a suit is if they prevail or are the substantially prevailing party. If they prevail or substantially prevail, they have helped to enforce our environmental laws. Now we've tied their hands by deleting that section."

Representative Kanoho rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Madame Speaker. Brief comments in support. Madame Speaker and members, in all that we do, we to try to strike that balance so that we can, in this case, preserve our endangered species, and willingly allow and provide an incentive for landowners to participate in the program. Placing that additional burden on the landowner to assume the obligation in the event that additional litigation measures need to be taken, and also to impose or provide for citizen suits, not only does it take away that incentive, but knowing many of the landowners who are very industrious and who want to and have been on their own, attempting to preserve and promote endangered species, that will not result in the preservation and promotion of the endangered species. To the contrary, many of the landowners that I know, some small landowners as well as some big landowners, as an example, Mr. Robins is the epitome of what we are trying to talk about.

"The imposition of these restrictions and the threat of suits will cause them not to participate, and we need to realize that if our endangered species program is to be successful at all, that we would need and require the willing participation of our private landowners. And this bill, and I do thank the Co-Chair for the way that this bill did come out, and it provides that balance. That this bill will help us to preserve and promote our endangered species."

Representative Hale rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, 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. 476, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION OF AQUATIC LIFE, WILDLIFE, AND LAND PLANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Hale and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai being excused.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:13 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Lee, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon Monday, February 10, 2003. (Representatives Chang, Hiraki, Marumoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Takai were excused.)