ELEVENTH DAY

Friday, February 1, 2008

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Fourth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2008, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Joey Manahan, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Berg and Meyer, 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. 246 through 249) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 246, dated January 25, 2008, transmitting, "A Report to the Legislature on High Technology; Incubation Center; Kakaako."

Gov. Msg. No. 247, dated January 25, 2008, transmitting the High Technology Innovation Corporation's 2007 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 206M-56, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 248, dated January 25, 2008, transmitting the High Technology Development Corporation's 2007 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 206M-3.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 249, dated January 31, 2008, transmitting the Report of the Temporary Hawaii Inter-Island Ferry Oversight Task Force.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Luke introduced her friend and former ASUH colleague, Mr. Randell Dunn, Waipahu Intermediate School Principal.

Representative Waters introduced his legislative 'shadow', Mr. Antonio Faimaw from the Waimanalo Job Corp Program. He was accompanied by his advisor, Ms. Julie Dugan.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION (FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 54) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 54, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE WAIPAHU INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL 2007 JUNIOR ENGINEERING EXPO WINNERS," was jointly offered by Representatives Sonson, Awana, Belatti, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Manahan, Sagum, Yamane and Wakai.

Representative Sonson moved that H.R. No. 54 be adopted, seconded by Representative Karamatsu.

Representative Sonson congratulated the Waipahu Intermediate School 2007 Junior Engineering Expo Winners and introduced the following student honorees who were seated on the floor of the House:

Danten Inouye, Lancen Daclison and Zhyla-Maranda Aldoz, first place winners in the Coaster Mania competition;

Dianne Agpaoa, Taylor Fujiuchi and Faith Faustorilla, first place winners in the Electromagnetic Fishing Pole contest;

Melissa Macabeo and Jerome Caballero, first place winners in the Pendulum Design contest; and

Abigail Macadamia, Zhayla-Maranda Aldoz, Mary Page Diaz and Faith Faustorilla, first place winners for oral presentation in the Popsicle Stick Bridge competition.

Representative Sonson then introduced Waipahu Intermediate School Principal, Mr. Randell Dunn, as well as parents and relatives seated in the gallery: Aida and Wilfredo Caballero, Christine Agpaoa, Anderson Wong, Lance Daclison, Eric Calo, Joyce Sarmiento and Ramon Diaz.

Representative Sonson also introduced the Waipahu Intermediate Production Crew who where filming the presentation: Jeinstene Agonoy, Charlyn Agonoy, Sharmaine Tiburcio and Jenalyn Romos; and advisor, Mr. Sparky Rodriges. They were accompanied by Representative Sonson's legislative staff, UH intern Mr. Matt Prellbery, and Ms. Lagaya Hartman.

Representative Cabanilla further congratulated the Waipahu Intermediate School Junior Engineers.

Representative Karamatsu then introduced other Junior Engineering participants seated in the gallery: Rachel Wong, Jhonell Tristan Abucay, Mike Ragaspi and Christine Rioca who competed in the Engineering and Science HEXathalon. They were accompanied by their supervisors and teachers, Mr. Brian Okumura, Ms. Renee Blue, and Mr. Edgar Ugale.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 54 was adopted with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

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

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:32 o'clock p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 36-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3325, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3325, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM LAND SALES PRACTICES ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representatives Shimabukuro and Green, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 37-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2062, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance. On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2062, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 38-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2229, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2229, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine 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 Ward 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. 2229, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 39-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2428, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water, Land, Ocean Resources & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2428, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, Ocean Resources & Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 40-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2745, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2745, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine 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 Ward 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. 2745, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MASS TRANSIT ROUTE ECONOMIC ZONES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 41-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2577, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2577, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representatives Green and Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 42-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2001, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2001, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEPHARMACY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Green, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 43-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2567, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2567, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER PREPAREDNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 44-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2004, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2004, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STUDY ON ENERGY EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION STRATEGIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 45-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2368, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2368, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Ward rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, just with reservations. There is a component in here that is contrary to the need for more teachers. It's going to make those

who are emergency teachers get thrown out of the system quicker. I think that needs to be amended. So I am with reservations."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2368, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 46-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2248, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2248, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 47-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2347, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2347, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2573, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2573, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 8-08 with reservations. This would raise the pay schedule to 120 percent. I thought this might be a little too low. I would like to see it at least 140 percent. Thank you."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Takamine rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48-08 can I ask for a conflict of interest ruling? My private practice includes worker's compensation cases. Thank you," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

Representative Sonson rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Id like the Speaker to please rule on a potential conflict on all workers' comp bills that we will vote on on this Floor, including this one. I am also an attorney in private practice and a substantial number of my cases are for workers' compensation," 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. 2573, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 49-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3029, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3029, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Marumoto 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 Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ward rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3029, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 50-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3368, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3368, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Marumoto 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 Finnegan 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 Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ward rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3368, HD 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 51-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2280, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2280, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 52-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2051, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2051, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION FOR FOSTER CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 53-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2775, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2775, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans 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. 2775, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 54-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2767, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2767, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 55-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2772, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2772, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro. 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 this measure. Human trafficking is an unfortunate circumstance of human beings in poor living conditions, desperate for a better quality of life. As a result, they are deceived, taken advantage of, and abused in numerous ways. Many of them are immigrants, particularly women and children.

"According to the U.S. Government, approximately 800,000 human beings are trafficked across international borders each year, with millions more being trafficked in their own nations. Of these 800,000, 80% are females, and up to 50% are minors.

"Because of Hawaii's geographical position, human trafficking is occurring in our islands. During November of 2003, a Waipahu man was charged with several counts of human trafficking and forced labor on his pig farm in Nanakuli.

"On January 4th of 2008, two men were sentenced by the federal court in Hawaii for illegally recruiting Chinese women to American Samoa. The women were forced into prostitution by being denied access to their passports, and the pay they were promised.

"It is essential that the Hawaii Anti-Trafficking Task Force receives the extended time period, additional members, and funding necessary for Hawaii to stay involved in this united, national battle against human trafficking."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2772, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN TRAFFICKING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 56-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2766, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Caldwell moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2766, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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 am in strong support of HB 2766 – Relating to Electronic Monitoring.

"Victims obtain Temporary Restraining Orders (TRO) or Protective Orders (PO) as legal means for seeking safety from domestic violence. Statistics show that approximately 75% of women murdered by a partner or former partner had separated from their batterer or told their batterer they planned to leave.

"The intimate nature of these relationships means that the offender is well versed in the victim's routines, and personal and social affiliations, such as family, friends, and membership in organizations. He knows when and where she works, the school where she waits to pick up the children, her telephone numbers, as well as her travel routes to reach home, work or fulfill other responsibilities, needs or preferences. Such knowledge of her daily routines furnishes the abuser with numerous opportunities to harass, talk, intimidate, assault or abuse the victim in violation of protective orders.

"The electronic monitor is a global positioning satellite (GPS) device. Its purpose is to reduce contact between an order violator and the victim. If the order violator enters a court defined exclusion zone, the victim and the police will be notified as to the violator's location.

"Electronic monitoring serves as an additional tool that would assist in protecting victims and their children's safety."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2766, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

Representative Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Human Services & Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 57-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2698, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Caldwell, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2698, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT-APPOINTED COUNSEL AND GUARDIANS AD LITEM IN FAMILY COURT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 59 and 60) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 59, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EVALUATE THE STATE'S DRIVER EDUCATION PROGRAM AND ITS FUNDING," was offered by Representative Evans.

H.C.R. No. 60, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO PROVIDE AN INVENTORY OF CAMPING FACILITIES AND CAMPSITES AVAILABLE STATEWIDE AND REPORT ON THE CONDITIONS OF, AND PROBLEMS ASSOCIATED WITH, EXISTING CAMPING FACILITIES AND CAMPSITES IN THE STATE," was offered by Representative Evans.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Karamatsu: "Mr. Speaker, I would like to announce that the Committees on Water, Land, Ocean Resources & Hawaiian Affairs and Agriculture will reconvene at 2:30 p.m. in Room 329."

Representative Green: "Thank you Mr. Speaker. An untraditional thanks goes to the International Affairs Committee. They carved out some time for us, so the Health Committee will be having a hearing on Monday morning. Just to alert our members. So Monday, Wednesday, Friday next week. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Caldwell: "Mr. Speaker, today is a very special day. Do you know why? Would you like to share with the Members of this body or would you like me to share it?"

Speaker Say: "Oh yes. I'm just getting one year older. Thank you."

Representative Caldwell: "It's House's Speaker Calvin Say's birthday today. Mr. Speaker, if its okay, at the end of the session today, we'd like to invite all Members of this body to share cake and ice cream over in the parlor on the *mauka* end. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan: "Yes, and we have to work off the cake and ice cream that we're about to eat after session, so we have what's called HAT Tuesdays, short for House Activity Team Tuesdays. And basically we're just inviting you out to enjoy some exercise, walking or running on Tuesday. There's the information right there in front of you.

"Throughout the Session, I know it's difficult to carve out that time to do exercise and keep healthy. And in case you're a little afraid of getting out there and getting that heart pumping we will have our Doc of the House out there running with us. So he'll keep an eye on us. I hope to see you there."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:40 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, February 4, 2008. (Representatives Berg, Herkes and Nakasone were excused.)