

FIFTIETH DAY

Tuesday, April 17, 2012

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2012, convened at 11:39 o'clock a.m., with Vice Speaker Manahan presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Kauila Clark, Board Chairman of the National Association of Community Health Centers, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Say and Takumi, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 1120) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1120, informing the House that on April 13, 2012, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 2648, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE." (ACT 020)

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 749 through 755) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 749, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the Senate has on April 13, 2012, reconsidered its action taken on April 12, 2012, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills and have moved to agree to the amendments, and that said bills have this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 2084, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."

S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRICARE PROGRAM."

S.B. No. 2126, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."

S.B. No. 2247, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

S.B. No. 2386, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN ROLL COMMISSION."

S.B. No. 2709, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FURNISHING THE DATE OF VITAL EVENTS TO GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES WITHIN THE STATE OF HAWAII THAT REQUEST VERIFICATION."

S.B. No. 2818, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF DEAD HUMAN BODIES."

S.B. No. 2820, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII ADVISORY COMMISSION ON DRUG ABUSE AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

S.B. No. 2828, HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EARLY INTERVENTION COORDINATING COUNCIL."

Sen. Com. No. 750, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the Senate has on April 13, 2012, reconsidered its action taken on April 4,

2012, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and has moved to agree to the amendments, and that said bill has this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 3003, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES."

Sen. Com. No. 751, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the Senate has on April 12, 2012, agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and that said bill has this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 2397, SD 1, HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE SPRINKLERS."

Sen. Com. No. 752, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills:

S.B. No. 223, SD 1, HD 1 Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 580, SD 2, HD 2 Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Hee, Co-Chairs; English

S.B. No. 824, SD 2, HD 2 English, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 1168, SD 1, HD 1 Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Green, Wakai, Slom

S.B. No. 1500, HD 1 Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 2001, SD 1, HD 2 Dela Cruz, Chair; Gabbard, Co-Chair; Solomon, Slom

S.B. No. 2030, SD 2, HD 1 Espero, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 2056, HD 2 Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Slom

S.B. No. 2103, SD 2, HD 2 Green, Chair; Baker/Espero, Co-Chairs; Slom

S.B. No. 2158, HD 1 Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 2221, SD 1, HD 1 Chun Oakland, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Ihara, Slom

S.B. No. 2222, SD 2, HD 1 Fukunaga, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 2228, SD 2, HD 2 Green, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Espero

S.B. No. 2236, HD 2 Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 2248, SD 2, HD 3 Chun Oakland, Chair; Green/Espero, Co-Chairs; Slom

S.B. No. 2277, SD 2, HD 2 Gabbard, Chair; Dela Cruz/Hee, Co-Chairs; Ihara, Slom

S.B. No. 2318, SD 1, HD 2 Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Ihara, Slom

S.B. No. 2341, SD 2, HD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Dela Cruz/Kim, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2833, SD 1, HD 2	Green, Chair; Hee/Chun Oakland, Co-Chairs; Slom
S.B. No. 2354, SD 1, HD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Hee/Wakai, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2858, SD 1, HD 2	Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2375, SD 3, HD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Dela Cruz, Co-Chair; Wakai, Slom	S.B. No. 2859, SD 1, HD 2	Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Ihara, Slom
S.B. No. 2394, SD 1, HD 3	Espero, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Slom	S.B. No. 2868, SD 1, HD 1	Ige, Chair; Fukunaga, Wakai
S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, HD 1	Espero, Chair; Green/Baker, Co-Chairs	Sen. Com. No. 753, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House Bills:	
S.B. No. 2419, SD 2, HD 3	Baker, Chair; Fukunaga/Hee, Co-Chairs; Taniguchi, Slom	H.B. No. 46, HD 2, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Green
S.B. No. 2486, SD 1, HD 1	Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 238, HD 2, SD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2508, SD 2, HD 1	Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 425, HD 3, SD 2	Gabbard, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Ihara
S.B. No. 2576, SD 1, HD 3	Hee, Chair; Shimabukuro, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 755, HD 3, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2630, HD 2	Espero, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 1788, HD 1, SD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2640, SD 1, HD 1	Espero, Chair; Gabbard/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Slom	H.B. No. 1925, HD 1, SD 1	Nishihara, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Wakai, Slom
S.B. No. 2646, SD 1, HD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Espero/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Wakai, Slom	H.B. No. 1928, SD 1	English, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2712, HD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ihara, Slom	H.B. No. 1957, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Baker/Hee, Co-Chairs; Slom
S.B. No. 2713, SD 1, HD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Green, Slom	H.B. No. 1967, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2737, SD 1, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 1984, SD 1	Galuteria, Chair; Fukunaga/English, Co-Chairs; Slom
S.B. No. 2742, SD 1, HD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Fukunaga, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Slom	H.B. No. 2013, HD 2, SD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Wakai
S.B. No. 2745, SD 1, HD 2	Gabbard, Chair; Dela Cruz, Co-Chair; Ihara, Nishihara, Solomon	H.B. No. 2030, HD 2, SD 1	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2798, SD 1, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 2232, HD 2, SD 1	Green, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Baker, Slom
S.B. No. 2800, SD 1, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Tokuda, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 2266, HD 1, SD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Wakai, Slom
S.B. No. 2805, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ihara, Slom	H.B. No. 2295, HD 1, SD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2810, SD 1, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom	H.B. No. 2312, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2816, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Baker, Co-Chair; Espero, Slom	H.B. No. 2429, HD 1, SD 1	Nishihara, Chair; Kahele, Wakai, Slom
S.B. No. 2821, HD 3	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Nishihara, Slom	H.B. No. 2564, HD 1, SD 1	Green, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Chun Oakland
S.B. No. 2825, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Hee/Baker, Co-Chairs		

H.B. No. 2568, HD 2, SD 1	Green, Chair; Nishihara, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 2244, HD 1, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Espero/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom
<p>Sen. Com. No. 754, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House Bills:</p>		H.B. No. 2246, HD 2, SD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Hee/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Tokuda, Slom
H.B. No. 101, HD 2, SD 2	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 2250, HD 2, SD 1	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Gabbard/Ige, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 280, HD 1, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Wakai, Slom	H.B. No. 2262, HD 2, SD 2	Gabbard, Chair; Fukunaga/Ige/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Kidani
H.B. No. 283, HD 1, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Wakai, Slom	H.B. No. 2290, HD 1, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Fukunaga, Slom
H.B. No. 609, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Nishihara/Chun Oakland, Co-Chairs	H.B. No. 2319, HD 2, SD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom
H.B. No. 1306, HD 2, SD 1	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom	H.B. No. 2374, SD 1	Green, Chair; Hee/Chun Oakland, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 1398, HD 1, SD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Dela Cruz/Espero/Ige, Co-Chairs; Slom	H.B. No. 2375, SD 2	Baker, Chair; Hee/Espero, Co-Chairs; Taniguchi, Slom
H.B. No. 1551, HD 2, SD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 2380, HD 2, SD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; English/Wakai, Co-Chairs; Baker, Slom
H.B. No. 1617, HD 2, SD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Hee/Ige, Co-Chairs; Slom	H.B. No. 2404, HD 1, SD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Hee/Ige/Baker, Co-Chairs; English, Slom
H.B. No. 1689, HD 1, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green, Ihara	H.B. No. 2415, HD 2, SD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green, Slom
H.B. No. 1724, HD 1, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green	H.B. No. 2448, HD 2, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee/Ige, Co-Chairs
H.B. No. 1875, HD 2, SD 2	Baker, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Galuteria, Taniguchi, Slom	H.B. No. 2483, HD 1, SD 1	Gabbard, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; English, Ihara, Kouchi
H.B. No. 1879, HD 2, SD 1	Baker, Chair; Taniguchi, Slom	H.B. No. 2501, HD 1, SD 2	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Taniguchi
H.B. No. 1905, HD 2, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green, Ihara, Slom	H.B. No. 2502, HD 2, SD 2	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Slom
H.B. No. 1942, HD 2, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Wakai, Slom	H.B. No. 2540, HD 2, SD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Ihara
H.B. No. 1943, HD 2, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Wakai, Slom	H.B. No. 2553, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Nishihara
H.B. No. 1953, HD 1, SD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Espero, Nishihara, Slom	H.B. No. 2589, HD 2, SD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Hee/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 1972, HD 2, SD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Dela Cruz/Wakai, Co-Chairs; Slom	H.B. No. 2594, HD 2, SD 1	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Hee/Kidani/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 2004, HD 2, SD 2	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Slom	H.B. No. 2595, HD 2, SD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Kidani/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 2152, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Hee/Ige, Co-Chairs; Chun Oakland, Espero, Kouchi, Slom	H.B. No. 2608, HD 1, SD 2	English, Chair; Espero/Ige, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 2227, HD 1, SD 2	Green, Chair; Hee/Chun Oakland, Co-Chairs	H.B. No. 2644, HD 2, SD 1	Baker, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green, Solomon, Slom
H.B. No. 2242, HD 1, SD 1	Baker, Chair; Taniguchi, Slom	H.B. No. 2656, HD 2, SD 2	Green, Chair; Gabbard/Ige, Co-Chairs; Slom
		H.B. No. 2664, HD 1, SD 1	Green, Chair; Baker/Chun Oakland, Co-Chairs; Slom

H.B. No. 2668, HD 2, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Ige/Wakai, Co-Chairs; Espero, Slom	S.B. No. 2213, SD 2, HD 2	Hee, Chair; Kidani/Kim, Co-Chairs; Ihara, Shimabukuro
H.B. No. 2682, HD 1, SD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Dela Cruz/Wakai, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2214, SD 2, HD 2	Hee, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Shimabukuro
H.B. No. 2684, HD 2, SD 2	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Slom	S.B. No. 2220, SD 1, HD 2	Hee, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Shimabukuro
H.B. No. 2685, HD 2, SD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Ihara, Slom	S.B. No. 2226, SD 2, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Chun Oakland
H.B. No. 2703, HD 2, SD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Wakai	S.B. No. 2238, SD 1, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom
H.B. No. 2740, HD 1, SD 1	Gabbard, Chair; Kouchi, Co-Chair; Slom	S.B. No. 2239, SD 1, HD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Ryan
H.B. No. 2760, HD 2, SD 2	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Kahele, Kouchi	S.B. No. 2261, HD 1	Espero, Chair; Hee/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 2800, HD 1, SD 2	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Solomon, Slom	S.B. No. 2320, SD 2, HD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Ihara, Slom
H.B. No. 2806, HD 2, SD 2	Galuteria, Chair; Dela Cruz/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Hee, Kahele, Ryan, Slom	S.B. No. 2323, SD 1, HD 1	Hee, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Shimabukuro
H.B. No. 2819, HD 1, SD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Hee/Ige, Co-Chairs	S.B. No. 2324, SD 1, HD 1	Hee, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Shimabukuro
H.B. No. 2848, HD 3, SD 2	Galuteria, Chair; Espero/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Kahele, Ryan, Solomon	S.B. No. 2335, HD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Espero, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 2869, HD 2, SD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Wakai	S.B. No. 2344, SD 2, HD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom
H.B. No. 2871, HD 1, SD 1	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2378, SD 1, HD 1	Dela Cruz, Chair; Nishihara/Ige, Co-Chairs; Solomon, Slom
H.B. No. 2875, SD 2	Galuteria, Chair; Tokuda/Ige, Co-Chairs; Ryan, Slom	S.B. No. 2383, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Slom
H.B. No. 2883, HD 2, SD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Shimabukuro, Slom	S.B. No. 2424, SD 2, HD 2	Baker, Chair; Hee/Espero, Co-Chairs
Sen. Com. No. 755, dated April 16, 2012, informing the House that the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills:		S.B. No. 2429, SD 2, HD 1	Baker, Chair; Hee, Co-Chair; Kidani, Taniguchi
S.B. No. 490, SD 3, HD 1	Kim, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kouchi, Slom	S.B. No. 2435, SD 1, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green, Slom
S.B. No. 1142, SD 2, HD 1	Nishihara, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kahele, Slom	S.B. No. 2466, SD 2, HD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Green
S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 2	Gabbard, Chair; Tokuda/Kouchi, Co-Chairs; Baker, Slom	S.B. No. 2489, SD 2, HD 2	Espero, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 1496, SD 1, HD 1	Espero, Chair; Fukunaga/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2506, SD 2, HD 1	English, Chair; Espero/Hee, Co-Chairs
S.B. No. 2115, SD 2, HD 2	Tokuda, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kidani, Slom	S.B. No. 2528, SD 2, HD 3	Tokuda, Chair; Fukunaga/Ige, Co-Chairs
S.B. No. 2116, SD 2, HD 1	Tokuda, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kidani, Slom	S.B. No. 2534, SD 2, HD 2	Tokuda, Chair; Dela Cruz/Ige, Co-Chairs
S.B. No. 2123, SD 2, HD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom	S.B. No. 2536, HD 2	Green, Chair; Espero/Chun Oakland, Co-Chairs; Slom
		S.B. No. 2540, SD 2, HD 2	Tokuda, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Slom

S.B. No. 2545, SD 2, HD 2	Tokuda, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kidani	S.B. No. 2797, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Ryan, Slom
S.B. No. 2579, SD 2, HD 3	Chun Oakland, Chair; Hee/Ige, Co-Chairs	S.B. No. 2804, SD 2, HD 2	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Espero, Ryan, Slom
S.B. No. 2584, SD 1, HD 1	Espero, Chair; Tokuda/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2813, SD 1, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2632, SD 1, HD 1	Baker, Chair; Hee/Espero, Co-Chairs	S.B. No. 2827, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2655, SD 2, HD 3	Fukunaga, Chair; Baker/Wakai, Co-Chairs	S.B. No. 2871, SD 1, HD 2	English, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2678, SD 2, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Dela Cruz/Espero, Co-Chairs; Slom	S.B. No. 2876, SD 2, HD 3	Dela Cruz, Chair; English/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Solomon, Slom
S.B. No. 2695, SD 2, HD 2	Nishihara, Chair; Kidani, Co-Chair; Kahele	S.B. No. 2927, SD 2, HD 1	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Ige, Co-Chairs; Fukunaga, Ihara
S.B. No. 2739, SD 2, HD 1	Fukunaga, Chair; Baker/Espero, Co-Chairs; Wakai, Slom	S.B. No. 2933, SD 2, HD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Baker, Slom
S.B. No. 2746, SD 1, HD 3	English, Chair; Gabbard/Espero, Co-Chairs	S.B. No. 2939, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2748, SD 1, HD 1	Baker, Chair; Hee/Espero, Co-Chairs; Taniguchi, Slom	S.B. No. 2941, SD 2, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kahele, Slom
S.B. No. 2750, SD 1, HD 2	Hee, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom	S.B. No. 2946, SD 2, HD 2	English, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Kouchi
S.B. No. 2763, SD 2, HD 2	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Taniguchi	S.B. No. 2947, SD 2, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom
S.B. No. 2765, SD 2, HD 2	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Galuteria, Taniguchi, Slom	S.B. No. 3062, SD 1, HD 2	Baker, Chair; Taniguchi, Slom
S.B. No. 2766, SD 2, HD 2	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Kouchi, Taniguchi, Slom		
S.B. No. 2767, SD 2, HD 1	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Galuteria, Taniguchi, Slom		
S.B. No. 2769, SD 2, HD 3	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Galuteria, Taniguchi, Slom		
S.B. No. 2773, SD 1, HD 1	Tokuda, Chair; Ige/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Ryan		
S.B. No. 2776, SD 2, HD 2	Espero, Chair; Hee/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Ryan, Slom		
S.B. No. 2778, SD 1, HD 1	Green, Chair; Chun Oakland, Co-Chair; Ryan, Slom		
S.B. No. 2779, SD 2, HD 1	Chun Oakland, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Ihara, Ryan, Slom		
S.B. No. 2780, SD 1, HD 2	Fukunaga, Chair; Ige, Co-Chair; Slom		
S.B. No. 2782, SD 2, HD 2	Dela Cruz, Chair; Solomon/Gabbard/Kidani, Co-Chairs; Slom		
S.B. No. 2787, SD 2, HD 1	Baker, Chair; Espero, Co-Chair; Taniguchi		
S.B. No. 2790, SD 1, HD 1	Galuteria, Chair; Kidani/Ryan, Co-Chairs		

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Tsuji, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1781-12), recommending that S.C.R. No. 135, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 135, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The first one here on the Order of the Day, Stand. Com. Rep. 1781, S.C.R. No. 135 introduced by the good Senator, the Chair of Ag on the other side of the Legislature, has a couple of statements that I thought I'd repeat, in strong support, Mr. Speaker.

"Diversified agriculture results in a variety of locally grown and produced agricultural products available for local consumption, but for export and increases the viability of the ag industry. Job opportunities, it goes on in the fifth paragraph. And agricultural exports that diversify, again, the economy. I don't think our bill made it, the one that is supposed to be for chocolate month. But the business is doing it on its own anyway, but not with help from us. But that's not the subject of the Reso.

"The reason I support one of the ag products, and I think it qualifies for this Reso is because it increases jobs, it's actually been touted as the brightest light on the agricultural horizon right now. More and more coffee people, because of coffee farmers, because of the borer beetle, are now, thank goodness, being saved by cacao. More and more interests. I get calls every day. Whole Foods in Kailua will open tomorrow, and it'll be

carrying 100% Hawaiian Grown Chocolate. It is listed on a very prestigious world list now. It's the brightest light.

"It's nice to have a Resolution that says to support the Department of Ag's efforts to stimulate the ag industry. See cacao, actually helps ag products. It helps all of the other ag products. It's not just about itself. It's about other ag products. It's about jobs. It's about the cosmetic industry. But I don't know when this State is going to start to look to bright ideas that are unique to Hawaii, but I'm happy to support this Concurrent Resolution that says that ag is important."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 135, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S EFFORTS TO STIMULATE THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY, INCREASE AND DIVERSIFY AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT, AND PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say and Takumi being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1782-12), recommending that S.C.R. No. 97, SD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 97, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE THE CREATION OF A WEB SERVICES-BASED DATABASE PROGRAM TO TRACK UNINSURED MOTORISTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say and Takumi being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1783-12), recommending that S.C.R. No. 49, SD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 49, SD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

Representative Rhoads rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. In support of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1783-12. I just wanted to hope that the Committees that look at this later, in the Conference, if there is a Conference Committee, also look at the fact that we have these roads in limbos on other islands as well. On Oahu of course, we have in both your and my Districts, there are a number of lanes where the ownership is either not known, or people are not taking care of it. So I just hope we'll look at the issue at a statewide level. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 49, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXPEDITIOUSLY RESOLVE THE ISSUE OF ROADS IN LIMBO IN MAUI COUNTY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Say and Takumi being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1784-12) recommending that S.C.R. No. 59, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 59, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker. I rise in brief support for Stand. Com. No. 1784. Mr. Speaker, I have a good word about old cars. In the Hawaii Kai Christmas Parade, we have all of the Tin Lizzies and you can imagine how many

different old cars. So, having a celebration on July 13th is going to be great news for my community, and for the gentleman who stands and watches over us during the House, who puts so much of his time, off session, in keeping his car an antique, the vintage of which I'd forgotten. He does great honor, and we give you honor for July 13th. Thank you. And thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative C. Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you. In support. Having spent a number of years rebuilding and restoring cars I just wanted to note my support, please."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 59, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM JULY 13, 2012, AS "COLLECTOR CAR APPRECIATION DAY"," was adopted, with Representatives Say and Takumi being excused.

At 11:54 o'clock p.m., Representative Chong requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:54 o'clock p.m.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of reconsidering action previously taken in disagreeing to amendments made by the Senate to certain House Bills. (Representatives Say and Takumi were excused.)

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION TAKEN

Representative Chong moved that the House reconsider its action previously taken in disagreeing to the amendments made by the Senate, and give notice of intent to agree to such amendments for the following House Bills, seconded by Representative Evans and carried: (Representatives Say and Takumi were excused.)

H.B. No. 238, HD 2, (SD 1)
H.B. No. 425, HD 3, (SD 2)
H.B. No. 2013, HD 2, (SD 1)
H.B. No. 2436, HD 1, (SD 1)
H.B. No. 2564, HD 1, (SD 1)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Brower: "Mr. Speaker, thank you. Two quick items, first I want to wish our Waikiki Office Manager a happy birthday today. We're celebrating her work this afternoon in the office.

"And the second item, Mr. Speaker, after last night, I finally feel like I've done something with my life. Unlike kickball where everyone was a winner, perhaps last night there were winners and loser in the First Annual House and Senate Talent Competition. I would like to commend the Senate. It had more of what I'd call legitimate talent. But the House's success was its creativity and shameless desire to entertain the Capitol audience.

"Speaking of which, I congratulate the Finance Chair, she was outstanding. The Wahiawa Representative basically went on stage and acted like himself and he won the Individual Performer category.

"In addition, the House took home the Team Competition Award. Last night reminded me that working at the Capitol is kind of like a family because there were many people I don't get to see on a daily basis. The Auditorium was packed. Mahalo to the Representative from North Kona, South Kohala, for her work, and if we may request a few words from her. Thank you."

Representative Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I have the pleasure, I know Marcus has not seen this, but this is yours. This is what you won last night for the Individual category. We are going to return it to the Senate who's going to put a nameplate on this for you."

"Another thing is, I'm so pleased to announce that the House won this. They're going to put a plaque on this and it is a perpetual trophy with the hope that this becomes an annual event."

"But I want to really thank all of my colleagues that really stepped up and were willing to put themselves out there on the stage. I know when you're up there, it's pretty bright lights and it's hard to see people. It's a little strange being up there. But you know, it was a lot of fun, and everybody really got into it."

"I really want to thank everyone who gave money because this was a Foodbank fundraiser, and we raised \$1,400. So again, thank you, everybody. Thank you, everybody that came. And thank you, Marcus, for showing us the other side."

Representative Morikawa: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. As the lead singer of the Sisters Act for the House, I would like to really thank, especially those who put Jacksons in our basket. That was very impressive. Thank you for your support and for showing up for us."

Representative Ichiyama: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. Following along the lines of the previous announcements, on behalf of Co-Chair Representative Ken Ito and myself for the Hawaii Foodbank, we just wanted to thank all of the offices and members and staff who participated in this year's Foodbank drive. We raised a little over \$10,000 to benefit the Hawaii Foodbank, the Food Basket on the Big Island, the Maui Food Bank, and the Kauai Independent Food Bank."

"If I could just briefly acknowledge the staff members who helped make this year a success. From Representative Ito's office, Melissa Miranda-Johnson, Also our Chief Clerk, CJ Leong, and the House Accounting Office. And from my own office, Melanie Kuroiwa-Steiner and Cu Ri Lee. Members if you could please join me in a round of applause, thanking them for their hard work. Thank you."

Representative Ito: "Mr. Speaker and Members, this is a reminder. Tomorrow we're having our informational briefing on the Marine Debris from the 2011 Japan tsunami. It's going to be tomorrow, Wednesday April 18, from 2 o'clock to 5 o'clock at the Capitol Auditorium. The panel will include representatives from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, National Park Service, US Coast Guard, US Environmental Protection Agency, the Department of the Navy, the Army Corps of Engineers, and the Department of Forestry and Wildlife. This is being coordinated by my office, and Senator Dan Inouye. So, tomorrow, 2 o'clock at the Capitol Auditorium. Thank you."

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, on behalf of the Minority, I'd like to congratulate all the winners, the humorists, the singers, those who are multitalented. And I would also add to the gentleman from Waikiki, who tried to change history in the kickball game. Due to a sudden death, the Republicans were declared the winner. Thank you."

Representative Evans: "Yes, Mr. Speaker. I'd just like to make a few comments. It is Equal Pay Day, and I've always stood up and said a few words just as a reminder that today is the day where women now, it takes this many days into the year, before we finally reach equality in terms of pay. I have just a few comments."

"Pay and equity remains a persistent problem that continues to affect women today. It's hard to believe that less than a century ago, the subject of gender equality was little more than a fledgling ideology. Little more than a hope in the hearts of a few brave women suffragists, and other women rights pioneers of the early 19th and 20th centuries throughout the US."

"Today, the hope of these pioneers is manifested in the massive cultural shift we've experienced as a society in regard to women in the workplace. Women are no longer regulated to domestic capacities. Today, women

serve as Supreme Court Justices, teach at the front of Ivy League classrooms, and run as Presidential candidates."

"According to a study conducted by John W. Curtis, the Director of Research and Public Policy for the American Association of University of Professors, on the equity between genders, within academic employment. Women make up the majority of the undergraduates and graduate student population in the United States. An even more dramatic figure is the type of degrees earned by women students. More specifically, first professional degrees such as law and medicine have risen from 3% in 1960-61, to an impressive 51% in 2011."

"Despite these figures, women remain at a disadvantage when it comes to employment and competitive pay within these institutions of higher education. Curtis illustrates that even after four decades of efforts to fully involve women in the academic workforce, only 42% of all fulltime faculty staff are women."

"He goes on to explain that women's overall average salary has remained at around 80% of the average for men, since the 1970s. So, Mr. Speaker, I just want to point that out, and acknowledge that we are closing the gap. But we still have 20% to go. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:05 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Pine and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, Wednesday, April 18, 2012. (Representatives Say and Takumi were excused.)

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated April 17, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the Speaker has this day appointed as Conferees on the part of the House for consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill:

S.B. No. 2457, McKelvey/Choy, Co-Chrs.;
SD 2, HD 2 Yamashita, Marumoto

House Communication dated April 17, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has made the following changes to the conferees on the following measure:

H.B. No. 2524, Added Representative McKelvey as a member.
HD 2, SD 2

House Communication dated April 17, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has made the following changes to the conferees on the following measure:

H.B. No. 2569, Representative Fontaine replaced Representative
HD 2, SD 1 Thielen as conferee.

House Communication dated April 17, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has reconsidered its action taken in disagreeing to the amendments made by the Senate on February 13, 2012, and gives notice of intent to agree to the following House Bill:

H.B. No. 238, HD 2, SD 1

House Communication dated April 17, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has reconsidered its action taken in disagreeing to the amendments made by

the Senate on April 12, 2012, and gives notice of intent to agree to the following House Bills:

H.B. No. 425, HD 3, SD 2
H.B. No. 2013, HD 2, SD 1
H.B. No. 2564, HD 1, SD 1

House Communication dated April 17, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has reconsidered its action taken in disagreeing to the amendments made by the Senate on April 3, 2012, and gives notice of intent to agree to the following House Bill:

H.B. No. 2436, HD 1, SD 1