

**FIFTY-SIXTH DAY****Wednesday, April 24, 2013**

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2013, convened at 11:38 o'clock a.m., with Speaker Souki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Richard Lee Fale, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Har and Oshiro, who were excused.

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

**INTRODUCTIONS**

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

Representative Takumi introduced Ms. Ai-jen Poo, Director of the National Domestic Workers Alliance; and Professor Robert Perkinson, American Studies, University of Hawaii at Manoa.

At 11:44 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:11 o'clock p.m.

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

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:13 o'clock p.m.

Representative Ichiyama introduced third grade students from Salt Lake Elementary School, and their teacher, Ms. Cheryl Kojima.

**GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES**

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1127 through 1138) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1127, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. No. 411, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITAL EMERGENCY COMPASSIONATE CARE FOR SEXUAL ASSAULT VICTIMS." (ACT 027)

Gov. Msg. No. 1128, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 409, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MAHINA 'OLELO HAWAI'I." (ACT 028)

Gov. Msg. No. 1129, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 891, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTARIES PUBLIC." (ACT 029)

Gov. Msg. No. 1130, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. No. 919, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYMENT." (ACT 030)

Gov. Msg. No. 1131, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 870, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF FORCE BY PERSONS WITH SPECIAL

RESPONSIBILITY FOR CARE, DISCIPLINE, OR SAFETY OF OTHERS." (ACT 031)

Gov. Msg. No. 1132, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 306, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID." (ACT 032)

Gov. Msg. No. 1133, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 1187, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT TAXES." (ACT 033)

Gov. Msg. No. 1134, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 1040, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC SYSTEMS." (ACT 034)

Gov. Msg. No. 1135, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 1075, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHYSICAL THERAPY." (ACT 035)

Gov. Msg. No. 1136, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 1076, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF THE DOCTOR OF ACUPUNCTURE TITLE." (ACT 036)

Gov. Msg. No. 1137, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 120, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES." (ACT 037)

Gov. Msg. No. 1138, informing the House that on April 22, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. No. 1133, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND." (ACT 038)

**SENATE COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 736 through 738) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 736, transmitting H.C.R. No. 189, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ENGAGE AND WORK WITH LANAI, MOLOKAI, AND THE OTHER NEIGHBOR ISLAND COMMUNITIES WHEN FORMULATING ENERGY POLICY AND IDENTIFYING ENERGY PROJECTS FOR THE STATE OF HAWAII," which was adopted by the Senate on April 23, 2013.

Sen. Com. No. 737, dated April 23, 2013, informing the House that the Senate has on April 17, 2013, reconsidered its action taken on April 11, 2013, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and has move to agree to the amendments, and that said bill has this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 1193, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-24.3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Sen. Com. No. 738, dated April 24, 2013, 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:

H.B. No. 487, Nishihara, Chair; Kouchi, Co-Chair; Ige HD 2, SD 2

H.B. No. 1264, Nishihara, Chair; Kouchi, Co-Chair; Ige HD 2, SD 2

### MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following miscellaneous communication (Misc. Com. No. 4) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 4, received April 23, 2013, from Americans for Democratic Action/Hawaii, Common Cause Hawaii, League of Women Voters of Hawaii, Citizen Voice, Choon James - Country Talk Story, Conservation Council for Hawaii, Hawaii Coalition for Legislative Reform, Hawaii Open Data, Hawaii's Thousand Friends, Kokua Council, Media Council Hawaii, Open Law Alliance, and members of the public, submitting a petition to the Senate under Rule 67 and the House under Rule 44, asking the Senate and House to ban certain committee-level legislative practices and to oppose certain 2013 legislative session bills which are products of those practices.

### ORDER OF THE DAY

#### SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Awana, seconded by Representative Fukumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a certain Senate Bill for Final Reading by consent calendar. (Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro were excused.)

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

##### Conf. Com. Rep. No. 2 and S.B. No. 1083, HD 2, CD 1:

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 1083, HD 2, CD 1 pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Takai rose in support of the measure and asked that his written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Takai's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this bill.

"Members, as you know, with student bus costs tripling to \$72.4 million over the past seven years and last year's school transportation budget leaving a \$17 million deficit, it's clear that student transportation is an important and crucial issue to our state. Last year, rather than taking money from other educational programs, we tried to address this deficit through budget cuts. We hoped that these cuts would encourage the Department of Education (DOE) to reign in and restructure contracting costs of private bus companies.

"In analyzing the management of these DOE bus contracts, the State Auditor reported that bus services have been managed 'ineffectively' and 'unsystematically.' In Report No. 12-07, *Management Audit of the Department of Education's School Bus Transportation Services*, the State Auditor determined that the DOE failed to acknowledge anticompetitive behavior, thus wasting state resources.

"Over the past few years, the private bus market in Hawaii has been monopolized and run by a few select big-name companies. Smaller companies have been run out and a lack of competition has led to increasingly higher costs and higher rates of rebid contracts. Simply stated, without competition and oversight, costs of private bus transportation will continue to rise and we will continually face the dilemma of student transportation cuts.

"Without addressing the repercussions of anticompetitive behavior, this not only translates to a higher cost for students, but also into cuts in bus routes that inconveniences students and families. Throughout the past few years, bus costs have risen from \$0.35 to \$1.25. Furthermore, last year, the Department of Education was forced to cut student bus routes. These cuts were initially estimated to affect 20,000 students, decreased to 4,000 in June, and 2,380 in July (with the help of \$11.7 million in federal impact aid funds).

"These cuts place a further unreasonable burden on students and families and without bus service, many students will choose to stay home. Take for example, Aiea Elementary School, where students come from as far away as Puu Wai Momi in Halawa. If bus service is not provided to these students, they would need to walk more than one mile across the entire Aloha Stadium property, and then over a six-lane freeway to get to school. Additionally, some children living in Aiea Heights and who attend Alvah Scott Elementary School on Moanalua Road would have a three mile walk to school. Aiea Heights Drive is a dangerous road without adequate sidewalks, and safety is an understandable concern. It is with absolute certainty that a student will not learn if he or she isn't in school, and some kids will not go to school without student bus service.

"This bill encourages competitiveness by making wage certification inapplicable to school bus contracts and allows for a larger pool of contractor applicants. Per the suggestions of the State Auditor for the DOE to 'develop and implement a policy concerning procurement training' and to 'develop and implement procedures for reporting suspected anticompetitive practices,' these amendments give the DOE the leeway to create said policies and procedures.

"As legislators, we have to do our part to help the DOE manage the rising costs of student transportation. We cannot dehumanize the harsh truth of cutting student transportation and must remember that—not only will thousands of children and family members continue to be affected by the lack of access to school, but those who will suffer most will be the students that cannot afford to find other ways to commute. By cutting routes and not providing all public school children with an option for affordable, safe, and efficient student transportation, we disregard our obligation as a state to provide each child with the same opportunity to get an education.

"For these reasons, I support this measure and urge my colleagues to do the same. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1083, HD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

At 12:16 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that the following bill passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 1083, HD 2, CD 1

### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1753), recommending that S.C.R. No. 97 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 97, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO UNDERTAKE A SYSTEMWIDE REVIEW OF ITS OVERSIGHT, MONITORING, AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE OPERATIONAL AND FISCAL PRACTICES OF THE DEPARTMENT'S SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES BRANCH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1754), recommending that S.C.R. No. 96 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 96, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE JUMP START TASK FORCE ON THE CREATION OF THE JUMP START PROGRAM, ENCOURAGING EXPANSION OF THE PROGRAM TO SCHOOLS ON THE ISLANDS OF MAUI AND HAWAII, AND REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGES TO CONTINUE THEIR SUPPORT OF THE PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1755), recommending that S.C.R. No. 76 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 76, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO RESEARCH STATE MODELS AND BEST PRACTICES ON HOME SCHOOLED STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOL EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SPORTS AND EXPLORE IMPLEMENTATION OF SUCH A PROGRAM IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1756), recommending that S.C.R. No. 191 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 191, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE STATE LIBRARIAN, TO EXPLORE THE FEASIBILITY OF ACTIVATING A STATEWIDE LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMISSION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1757), recommending that S.C.R. No. 190 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 190, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW POLICY NO. 6701 IN LIGHT OF THE STATE'S EFFORT TO RENOVATE AND BUILD TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY SCHOOLS AND TO REPORT ITS RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1758), recommending that S.C.R. No. 123, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 123, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Fale rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cheape 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 S.C.R. No. 123, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONCERN ABOUT THE USE OF HYDRAULIC FRACTURING IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Fale voting no, and with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1759), recommending that S.C.R. No. 198 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 198, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO TO CONDUCT AN OUTREACH PROGRAM, PERFORM A NEEDS ASSESSMENT, AND ESTABLISH A HIGHER EDUCATION LEARNING CENTER IN THE DISTRICT OF PUNA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Choy, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1760) recommending that S.C.R. No. 120, SD 2 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 120, SD 2, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EVALUATE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A PLAN TO PROMOTE GREATER AWARENESS OF DYSLEXIA AND PROVIDE COMPREHENSIVE SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS WITH DYSLEXIA AND OTHER LITERACY CHALLENGES," was adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1761) recommending that S.C.R. No. 132, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 132, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO TO ESTABLISH A FORMAL ASSOCIATION WITH THE RISE 21ST CENTURY AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM," was adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1762) recommending that S.C.R. No. 119, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 119, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE POTENTIAL REGULATION OF UNACCREDITED DEGREE GRANTING INSTITUTIONS IN THE STATE," was adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

## REPORTS OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

Representatives McKelvey and Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 960, SD 1, HD 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10) recommending that S.B. No. 960, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in CD 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10 and S.B. No. 960,

SD 1, HD 1, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORECLOSURES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Representatives Tsuji and Tokioka, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1196, SD 1, HD 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11) recommending that S.B. No. 1196, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in CD 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11 and S.B. No. 1196, SD 1, HD 1, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CASH ECONOMY ENFORCEMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Representatives Yamane and Evans, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1207, HD 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12) recommending that S.B. No. 1207, HD 2, as amended in CD 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12 and S.B. No. 1207, HD 2, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 995, HD 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13) recommending that S.B. No. 995, HD 1, as amended in CD 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13 and S.B. No. 995, HD 1, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION WATER DEVELOPMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1207, HD 1, SD 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14) recommending that H.B. No. 1207, HD 1, SD 1, as amended in CD 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14 and H.B. No. 1207, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

### SUSPENSION OF RULES

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, please note that the Chair has discharged the House conferees previously appointed to House Bill Number 654, House Bill Number 877, and House Bill Number 980. The House will now proceed to reconsider the disagreement to the Senate amendments to the aforementioned measures."

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana 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 Brower, Har and Oshiro were excused.)

### RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION TAKEN

Representative Saiki 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 Awana and carried: (Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro were excused.)

H.B. No. 654, HD 2, (SD 1)

H.B. No. 877, HD 1, (SD 1)

H.B. No. 980, HD 2, (SD 2)

### DISPOSITION OF MATTERS PLACED ON THE CLERK'S DESK

Representative Saiki moved to agree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Concurrent Resolutions, seconded by Representative Awana and carried: (Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro were excused.)

H.C.R. No. 6, HD 1 (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 46, (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 48, (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 92, HD 1, (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 119, (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 120, (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 130, (SD 1)

H.C.R. No. 178, HD 1, (SD 1)

#### H.C.R. No. 6, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 6, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PUBLIC LAW 103-150, RECOGNIZING THE PROGRESS MADE TOWARDS RECONCILIATION AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN SELF-GOVERNANCE AND SELF-DETERMINATION, REAFFIRMING THE STATE'S COMMITMENT TO RECONCILIATION WITH NATIVE HAWAIIANS FOR HISTORICAL INJUSTICES, URGING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO ADVANCE RECONCILIATION EFFORTS WITH NATIVE HAWAIIANS, AND SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO FURTHER THE SELF-DETERMINATION AND SOVEREIGNTY OF NATIVE HAWAIIANS," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

#### H.C.R. No. 46, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 46, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LANIKAI, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR SEAWALL AND REVETMENT PURPOSES," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

#### H.C.R. No. 48, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 48, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF FORMING A UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO MEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

#### H.C.R. No. 92, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 92, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXPAND THE MANDARIN CHINESE LANGUAGE CURRICULUM IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

**H.C.R. No. 119, SD 1:**

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 119, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF USING SOCIAL IMPACT BONDS TO FUND EARLY LEARNING PROGRAMS AND SERVICES IN THE STATE," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

**H.C.R. No. 120, SD 1:**

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 120, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE COMMERCIAL VESSEL PERMITS IN STATE SMALL BOAT HARBORS INVOLVING OCEAN-RELATED ACTIVITIES FOR OCEAN WATERS BETWEEN KALAELOA POINT AND KAENA POINT, CONSULT WITH THE WAIANAE COAST COMMUNITY ON THE EXISTING AND FUTURE OCEAN-USE ACTIVITIES," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

**H.C.R. No. 130, SD 1:**

Representative Saiki moved that H.C.R. No. 130, SD 1 be Adopted, seconded by Representative Awana.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support. I'll be brief. I want to thank the Chairs of both the House and Senate for passing this. This was introduced at the behest of retired Rear Admiral Joe Vasey, who is a World War II veteran, a submariner who was in many battles in the Pacific during World War II.

"He's still alive, he lives at the Arcadia. Some of you may know Joe, he's about 95 years old. He was Senator McCain's father's best friend and he was deputy chief of staff at CINCPAC when McCain's father was the CINCPAC commander, he was the deputy when J.S.M. was a prisoner of war.

"His vision was that Pearl Harbor, this complement what is there and it becomes an educational opportunity for the young people coming along that know that it was not just Pearl Harbor but all of these battles in the Pacific, complement much smaller degree. I thank the Chair of our committee, I think he's done a fantastic job this session, and I thank the Body for supporting this. Thank you, sir."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.C.R. No. 130, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO SUPPORT THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MEMORIAL COMMEMORATING THE WAR IN THE PACIFIC AT THE PEARL HARBOR VISITOR CENTER," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

**H.C.R. No. 178, HD 1, SD 1:**

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, H.C.R. No. 178, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW AND MODIFY BOARD POLICY NO. 6710 TO IDENTIFY WAYS TO INCORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP AT THE CLASSROOM LEVEL," was Adopted, with Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro being excused.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Representative Takumi: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. We are having a lunch and talk by Ai-jen Poo, who I introduced earlier today,

tomorrow at 11:30 a.m. in Room 329. Thank you. If you're interested, call my office. Thank you."

Representative Evans: "Thank you. Representative Tom Brower is not here and he wanted me to announce to all House Members that there'll be lunch in his office. Come by and if you can't stay, please stop by and take out. It's Bangkok Chef, Gina's Drive-in food. Thank you."

**COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS**

The following measure was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

**S.C.R.  
No.****Re-referred to:**

195 Committee on Finance

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:28 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Awana, seconded by Representative Fukumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 6:30 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, Thursday, April 25, 2013. (Representatives Brower, Har and Oshiro were excused.)

**HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS**

House Communication dated April 24, 2013, from Brian L. Takeshita, 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 measures:

H.B. No. 654, Discharged all conferees  
HD 2, SD 1

H.B. No. 877, Discharged all conferees  
HD 1, SD 1

H.B. No. 980, Discharged all conferees  
HD 2, SD 2

House Communication dated April 24, 2013, from Brian L. Takeshita, 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 5, 2013, and gives notice of intent to agree to the following House Bill:

H.B. No. 654, HD 2, SD 1

House Communication dated April 24, 2013, from Brian L. Takeshita, 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 11, 2013, and gives notice of intent to agree to the following House Bills:

H.B. No. 877, HD 1, SD 1  
H.B. No. 980, HD 2, SD 2

House Communication dated April 24, 2013, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has this day passed the following bill on Final Reading:

S.B. No. 1083, HD 2, CD 1

House Communication dated April 24, 2013, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has

agreed to the amendments made by the Senate and has this day adopted the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

- H.C.R. No. 6, HD 1 SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 46, SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 48, SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 92, HD 1, SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 119, SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 120, SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 130, SD 1
- H.C.R. No. 178, HD 1, SD 1