

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

Wednesday, February 25, 2015

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Mizuno presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Minister Robert Helsham of First Assembly of God, Red Hill, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present.

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

**KA HUA 'ŌLELO O KA LĀ
HAWAIIAN WORD FOR THE DAY**

Representative Tokioka presented *Ka Hua 'Ōlelo o Ka Lā*, the Hawaiian Word for the Day, as follows:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm sure as everyone has had the opportunity to say the Hawaiian Word for the Day, you think about what word you're going to use. One of the words I thought about is a phrase that comes out of Chapter 89, which is *huki pau*. But I didn't choose that word, Mr. Speaker.

"I thought about why we are here doing the Hawaiian Word for the Day and who instigated this for this Body, and I wanted to pay the former Representative from District 4 the credit of having us here acknowledging our host culture. So the word of the day, Mr. Speaker, is *ho'ohanohano*. What it means, Mr. Speaker, is glorious, magnificent, noble, honored, dignified, and that's what this person brought to the table here at this Legislature as far as Hawaiian issues are concerned.

"So on behalf of this Body, I'd like to honor her with this Hawaiian Word for the Day. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. And I'd also like to thank the Chair of Hawaiian Affairs for having this opportunity for other people to do the word as well. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative San Buenaventura introduced her staff: Christopher Stump, James Logue and Allan Acosta; and Pahoa High School Basketball Team: Freshmen, Kallen Cardines and Noa Kaleiwaka; Sophomores, William Stinnett and Kealii Luis; Juniors, Keinan Agonias, Kili Olivera and Joel Rosario Jr.; Seniors, Tolby Saito and Torrell Thomas; Head Coach, Mr. Marc Saito; and Assistant Coach, Mr. John Byrd.

Representative Brower introduced members of Hawaii's Hospitality and Healthcare Union, Local 5: James Bartolome, Gloria Salinas and Evelyn Tubay from the Hyatt, Audrey Gecain and Victor Gonzales from the Modern, Evelyn Peralta and Divina Sabado from the Marriott, Arnold Tabuso and Cynthia Uy from the Kahala Hotel, Lydia Agustin and Nerissa Diego from the Moana, Nathaniel Felicitas and Manuel Sagun from the Sheraton, Gemma Conn from the Princess Kaiulani, Milegros Dollopac, Mike McGurn, Junior Bosey and Ima Afituk from the Hilton, and non-union members Faustino Sabro, Berna Rivera and Lorena Elpidio from the Aston Waikiki Beach.

Representative Kawakami, on behalf of the Kauai delegation, introduced Ms. Anela Pa and Ms. Rowena Pangan of Ho'omana.

Representative Matsumoto introduced her brother, Matthew Cheape, a former UH Men's Volleyball player.

Representative Pouha introduced students from Tahiti, Queen Pomare IV High School; Mr. Rodney Livine, Principal; Mr. Gordon Barff, Paddling Coach; and Mr. Hironui Johnston, trip coordinator.

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

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:29 o'clock p.m.

At this time, the students from Queen Pomare IV High School performed a *haka* for the Members of the House of Representatives.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 578) recommending that H.B. No. 832, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 832, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Tupola and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a certain House Bill for Third Reading by consent calendar.

THIRD READING

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 579) recommending that H.B. No. 696, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 696, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

At 12:32 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that the following bill passed Third Reading:

H.B. No. 696, HD 1

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 22 and 23) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 48 through 52) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEED FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF TRANSIENT VACATION RENTALS," was jointly offered by Representatives Brower, Choy, Creagan, Evans, Hashem, Ito, Jordan, LoPresti, Lowen, Luke, McKelvey, Nishimoto, Onishi, Tokioka, Ing, Johanson, Morikawa, Takayama and Takumi.

H.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE LOCAL FISHING INDUSTRY'S EFFORTS TO PROMOTE SUSTAINABILITY AND FOOD SECURITY," was jointly offered by Representatives Evans, DeCoite, Ing, Morikawa, Onishi and Tsuji.

H.C.R. No. 48, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEED FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF TRANSIENT VACATION RENTALS," was jointly offered by Representatives Brower, Choy, Evans, Hashem, Ito, Jordan, LoPresti, Lowen, Luke, McKelvey, Nishimoto, Onishi, Creagan, Ing, Johanson, Morikawa, Takayama, Takumi and Tokioka.

H.C.R. No. 49, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO BEGIN CONVERTING THE LIGHTING FIXTURES AT HARBORS THROUGHOUT THE STATE TO SOLAR STREET LIGHT DEVICES," was offered by Representative Lowen.

H.C.R. No. 50, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO EVALUATE ITS RULES RELATING TO STATE BEACH PARKS TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING GREATER ACCESS FOR PERSONS ACCOMPANIED BY PET ANIMALS," was offered by Representative Lowen.

H.C.R. No. 51, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DIVISION OF BOATING AND OCEAN RESOURCES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DEVELOP INDIVIDUALIZED EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANS FOR EACH SMALL BOAT HARBOR UNDER ITS JURISDICTION," was offered by Representative Lowen.

H.C.R. No. 52, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE LOCAL FISHING INDUSTRY'S EFFORTS TO PROMOTE SUSTAINABILITY AND FOOD SECURITY," was jointly offered by Representatives Evans, DeCoite, Ing, Morikawa, Onishi and Tsuji.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R.

Nos. **Referred to:**

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| 22 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 23 | Committee on Economic Development & Business, then to the Committee on Finance |

H.C.R.

Nos. **Referred to:**

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| 48 | Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 49 | Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 50 | Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 51 | Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 52 | Committee on Economic Development & Business, then to the Committee on Finance |

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:33 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Tupola and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Thursday, March 5, 2015.