THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, March 25, 2015

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Mizuno presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Piper Toyama of Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Ing and McKelvey, who were excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 223 thorough 227) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 223, dated March 18, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Agricultural Development and Food Security Special Fund, prepared by the Department of Agriculture pursuant to Act 73, Section 7, SLH 2010.

Gov. Msg. No. 224, dated March 18, 2015, transmitting the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism's 2014 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 201-10, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 225, dated March 24, 2015, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1072, Making an Emergency Appropriation for the Department of the Attorney General.

Gov. Msg. No. 226, dated March 24, 2015, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1107, HD 1, Making an Emergency Appropriation for General Assistance.

Gov. Msg. No. 227, dated March 24, 2015, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1118, SD 1, Making an Emergency Appropriation for the Department of Health for Hazard Evaluation and Emergency Response Preparedness.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 371) was received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 371, transmitting H.B. No. 951, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 24, 2015.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Oshiro introduced his constituent, Mr. Tracy Dixon, US Navy EOD Senior Chief (Ret.).

Representative Tupola introduced Mr. Abraham Narvaez, student at UH Manoa.

Representative McDermott introduced Mr. John "Jack" Dwyer, Of Counsel, Case Lombardi & Petit; and Dr. John Steelquist, Professor, Chaminade University.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS (FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 169) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 169, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE HAWAII ROTARY DISTRICT 5000 ON THE OCCASION OF THEIR 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF SERVICE TO THE STATE OF HAWAII," was offered by Representative Lee.

Representative Lee moved that H.R. No. 169 be adopted, seconded by Representative Belatti.

Representative Lee welcomed the Rotary Club District 5000 and recognized them for 100 years of acting on their motto, 'Service Above Self', founding nonprofit organizations such as Children's Justice Centers and Friends of Foster Kids.

Representative Belatti thanked the leaders of the Honolulu Rotary Club for their 100 years of selfless service, and introduced honorees seated on the Floor of the House:

Ms. Laura Steelquist, District Governor;

Mr. Del Green, District Governor Elect;

Mr. Clint Schroeder, District Governor Nominee; and

Ms. Edith "Nalani" Flynn, District Nominee Governor Delegate.

Representative Belatti also recognized additional guests from the Rotary Club seated in the gallery:

Mr. Jason Kama, Social Media Director;

Ms. Diana Doan, Member, Rotary Club of Downtown Honolulu;

Mr. John Steelquist, Past District Governor; and

Ms. Naomi Masuno, District Secretary.

Representative Tupola thanked Ms. Flynn for her service to the Waianae Coast.

Representative Ward, as a member of Rotary Club District 5000, recognized Mr. Clint Schroeder for his help keeping Puuhale Elementary School open.

Representative Onishi thanked the Rotary Club for the opportunity they gave him in participating in their Group Study Exchange to Austria.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 169 was adopted, with Representatives Ing and McKelvey being excused.

At 12:24 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:24 o'clock p.m.

The following resolution (H.R. No. 170) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 170, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE KAISER HIGH SCHOOL COUGARS BOYS' VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM AND HEAD COACH BRANDEN KAWAZOE FOR WINNING THE 2015 DIVISION II STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP," was jointly offered by Representatives Ward and Hashem.

Representative Ward moved that H.R. No. 170 be adopted, seconded by Representative Hashem.

Representative Ward recognized the Kaiser High School Basketball team for their school's first Division II State Championship, noted the exemplary GPA of the team and the coaches' emphasis on teamwork and sportsmanship, and recognized honorees seated on the Floor of the House:

Mr. Branden Kawazoe, Coach;

Mr. Justin Mew, Principal;

Mr. Rodney Iwasaki, Athletic Director; and

Mr. Kainoa Scheer, Assistant Coach.

Representative Hashem recognized the players seated on the Floor of the House:

Keoua Mahiko, Junior Guard; Isaiah Lundell, Junior Forward; Nicholas Tom, Junior Guard; Chance Kalaugher, Junior Forward; and Kelsey Lewis II, Senior Point Guard.

Representative Hashem also recognized Sean Kim, son of Ms. Stephanie Kim, who was seated in the gallery.

Representative Ward recognized the final player seated on the Floor of the House and recognized him for his team spirit:

Micah Okamoto, Senior Guard.

Representative Ward also recognized guests seated in the gallery:

Jordan Wong, Joe Young, Drew Ishijima, Tyler Kamita, Kamaka Camarillo, Shane Yoshimoto and Kalei Camarillo, Assistant Coaches; and Marlis Khansmith, Secretary to the Athletic Director.

Representative Pouha, on behalf of the district that is home of the Red Raiders, congratulated the Cougars.

Representative Tupola commended the Principal, Athletic Director and Coaches on promoting athletic success in their school.

Representative McKelvey recognized the honorees and noted that the needs of the many outweigh the needs of the few.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 170 was adopted, with Representative Ing being excused.

At 12:40 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:54 o'clock p.m.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1066) recommending that S.B. No. 504, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 504, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1067) recommending that S.B. No. 502, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 502, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1068) recommending that S.B. No. 1124, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1124, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1069) recommending that S.B. No. 113, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 113, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1070) recommending that S.B. No. 987, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 987, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1071) recommending that S.B. No. 589, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 589, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1072) recommending that S.B. No. 1211, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1211, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1073) recommending that S.B. No. 564, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 564, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused. Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1074) recommending that S.B. No. 913, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 913, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Ing, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075) recommending that S.B. No. 434, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 434, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Ing, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1076) recommending that S.B. No. 436 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 436, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Ing, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1077) recommending that S.B. No. 895, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 895, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Ing, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1078) recommending that S.B. No. 1166, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1166, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Brower, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1079) recommending that S.B. No. 743, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 743, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Brower, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1080) recommending that S.B. No. 283,

SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 283, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1081) recommending that S.B. No. 878, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 878, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1082) recommending that S.B. No. 710, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 710, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1083) recommending that S.B. No. 1049, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1049, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1084) recommending that S.B. No. 286, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 286, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm standing to speak against Standing Committee Report 1084. This is a bill that would create the Office of the State Inspector General, a new government office with all the costs that would go with it. We frankly don't need to do that because what it's looking at is waste and abuse. We have an auditor, and we have an example of when the Auditor assisted the Legislature in looking at the Bureau of Conveyances and there was a quite lengthy, about a week or so long, proceeding looking into the Bureau of Conveyances and what was going wrong and what was going on.

"We don't need to create a whole new government entity. And I would just say for people that are concerned about the rising costs for our constituents, this carries a price tag that we don't need to do because we have an existing entity that can do this work.

"So expand what is in existence if necessary at much less cost. Use the Auditor with the State Attorney General's assistance where it's necessary. And then we save taxpayers money and we cut down on waste, fraud and abuse where's it's shown. Thank you."

Representative Tupola rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, a no vote. I just wanted to support my colleague from Kailua in the same regard as far as waste and already having some entities that can fix this problem. Thank you."

Representative McDermott rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I've had a change of heart and I am going to vote no on this. Thank you."

Representative McKelvey rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, please cast a no vote for me. I'd like the words of the speaker of Kailua entered into the record as if they were my own. And I'm very concerned that we're setting up a Star Chamber to go after government workers for inefficiencies, waste and amorphous terms like this. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kobayashi rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, rising in opposition. I think that the other agency that might overlap with this is the State Ombudsman's Office, which has jurisdiction over all matters, both county and state, excluding certain judiciary and legislative matters."

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

"With reservations. My brother was Regional Inspector General for the United States Department of Agriculture, so I echo the Representative of Kailua's statements. I also believe it is applicative of the Auditor's position. Thank you."

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, I agree with my colleagues but I had some reservations because of two things. One is, a watchdog always costs money. And number two is, until we have a two-party system, I think this is another watch dog that we're going to have to pay for. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'll be going with reservations. Concerns that I have are those that were raised by the Chair of the CPC Committee. Also the effective date of July 1, 2015. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support. Just briefly, I would say that yes, we do have organizations that are already supposed to take care of these problems, but I think it's also pretty clear that they don't. So I think we need to consider taking this further step. *Mahalo*."

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

Representative Ward rose to respond, stating:

"Clarification of my reservation and why the two-party system was mentioned, Mr. Speaker. It's because of checks and balances, which is innate in the political process. When there's a super majority on one side, no matter where it is or how it is, whether it's one Republican or it's on the Democrat side, it means there's a lack of accountability. Those of us who are married know that our wives keep us accountable. Those of us who are wives know that our husbands keep us accountable.

"A lot of the checks and balances that are needed are generally just in this office in this position, right here in this Chamber. We keep each other accountable because we're watching what the government is doing. With a super majority, it is more difficult. Therefore we need another watch dog, and we may have to pay for it, as my colleagues have indicated. Thank you."

Representative Pouha 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 S.B. No. 286, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Fukumoto Chang, Matsumoto, Oshiro, Pouha, San Buenaventura and Ward voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Kobayashi, McDermott, McKelvey, Thielen and Tupola voting no, and with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1085) recommending that S.B. No. 440, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 440, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1086) recommending that S.B. No. 524, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 524, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1087) recommending that S.B. No. 652, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 652, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1088) recommending that S.B. No. 657, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 657, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1089) recommending that S.B. No. 243,

SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 243, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1090) recommending that S.B. No. 854, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 854, SD 2, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

Representative Jordan 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.B. No. 854, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1091) recommending that S.B. No. 974, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 974, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1092) recommending that S.B. No. 521, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 521, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1093) recommending that S.B. No. 1367, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1367, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1094) recommending that S.B. No. 1117, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1117, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused. Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1095) recommending that S.B. No. 2, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1096) recommending that S.B. No. 225, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 225, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1097) recommending that S.B. No. 140, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 140, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1098) recommending that S.B. No. 275, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 275, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1099) recommending that S.B. No. 475, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 475, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1100) recommending that S.B. No. 1047, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 1047 SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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 S.B. No. 1047, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL

PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PELATRON Q, LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1101) recommending that S.B. No. 646, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 646, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, could I ask for a ruling on a potential conflict? I sit on a homeowner's association as a director," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

Representative Cullen continued, stating:

"And may that apply throughout the rest of the Session?" and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cullen continued and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Ruling on a possible conflict. I'm the president of a home association," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

Representative LoPresti continued, stating:

"And may that stand for the remainder of the session, please?" and the Chair "so ordered." $% \mathcal{A}^{(n)}$

Representative Fukumoto Chang 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.B. No. 646, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cullen and Fukumoto Chang voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1102) recommending that S.B. No. 103, SD 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 S.B. No. 103, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Ing and Luke being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I wanted to announce that the 98th Annual Lion's Club International Convention will be in Honolulu from June 26th to June 30th. We have 12 of our legislators are lions, Representatives Aquino, Evans, Ichiyama, Ito, Johanson, Matsumoto, McDermott, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Oshiro, Say and Yamane. After adjournment we will gather for a group picture. Thank you." At this time, the Chair stated:

"The Chair would like to remind committee chairs that today's second lateral filing deadline for bills that need to move to their final committees, please file your committee reports and drafts with the Chief Clerk's Office by 9:00 p.m. this evening."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.R. No. Re-referred to:

127 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

<u>H.C.R.</u>

Nos. <u>Re-referred to:</u>

- 29 Committee on Finance
- 78 Committee on Finance
- 156 Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 158 Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 192 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:07 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, Friday, March 27, 2015. (Representatives Ing and Luke were excused.)