

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

Friday, March 18, 2016

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2016, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with Speaker Souki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Ms. Amy Hānaiali'i, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong, Matsumoto and Pouha, who were excused.

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

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Yamane introduced from the Boy Scouts of America Aloha Council: Mr. Jeff Sulzbach, Scout Executive; Dr. John Henry Felix, Eagle Scout; Ms. Kimi Takazawa, Director of Development and Communications; Ms. Lisa Peddle Smith, Cubmaster; Kainoa Hepfner, Webelos Scout; and boy scouts and their parents.

Representative Choy introduced Mr. Kerry Higa, Principal, Manoa Elementary School; Saint Francis School 8th Grade American Government students: Armando Alegria, Steven Artzt, Walter Berthold, Rebecca Conde, Julianne Johnson, Jaynann Ka'ahanui, Reece Kadota, Isaac Kaleikau, Donald Locsin-Buechner, Noah McCloud, Alic Morales, Kordel Ng, Andrew Nishitomi, Yankun Pan, Taylor Lei San Juan, Junho Shim, Harlie Sonognini, Emily Toro, Jonathan Wilson, Christopher Wong, Preston Woo, Chase Akana, Shayna Au, Ann Boeckmann, Tiate Campbell-Brown, Justin Chow, Kilinoe Cockett, Luke Cuthrell, Pedro de Lannoy Kobayashi, Aidan Durkin, Sydney Farm-Masanai, Faith Anna Fautanu, Kamanaopono Hibberts, Kana Katelyn Kihara-Holbron, Patience Kumalae, Skyler Morikawa, Isaiah San Diego, Chloe Solidum, Jhyrin Soriano-Kaiahua and Tanner Won; and their teacher, Mr. Eric Devlin.

Representative Ito introduced baseball players from Niigata, Japan: Hikaru Hasegawa, Ryo Koike, Tomomitsu Watanabe, Shingo Tamaki, Daiki Kishimoto, Taketo Abe, Ryusei Abe, Esu Hasegawa, Fuki Yoshida, Kaiki Takano, Kota Shibayama, Kosei Kobayashi and Sumito Oyabu; Leader, Masahiro Enomoto; Deputy Leader, Senji Murakoshi; Head Coach, Masaaki Tsumoto; Coaches, Nobuo Asano and Kazuyuki Abe; parents, Takumi Horii and Akihito Hasegawa; International Affairs Division Director and Deputy Director, Mariko Sato and Naoko Kashimoto; and from Nigata Kotsu, Satoshi Akiyama.

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 12:18 o'clock p.m.

Representative Luke introduced her son, Logan Luke; his classmate, Sammy Sniffen; Mr. Ed Sniffen, Highways Division Deputy Director, Department of Transportation; and Tanner Won, baseball player from Saint Francis.

Representative Har introduced Superintendent Kathryn Matayoshi, Department of Education; and her Office Manager, Wendee Wilson.

Representative Cullen introduced his friend's daughter, Chloe Solidum, a student at Saint Francis.

Representative Aquino introduced from YMCA of Honolulu: Mr. Michael Broderick, President and CEO; Ms. Jen Townsend, Executive Director, Leeward YMCA; Mr. Michael Doss, Executive Vice President & COO; Mr. Michael Chinaka, Senior Vice President & CFO; Ms. Kerri Van Duyn, Vice President of Development; Ms. Lisa Ontai, Director of

Marketing and Communications; Ms. Lorraine Leslie, Director of Philanthropy; Ms. Stephanie Shim, Development Research Manager; Mr. Ron Okimoto, Executive Director, Camp Erdman; Ms. Ananda Chou, Executive Director, Atherton YMCA; Mr. Keola Taniguchi, Executive Director, Mililani West Oahu YMCA; Mr. Kyle Ishizaka, Associate Executive Director, Kalihi YMCA; and Ms. Melissa Pavlicek, President, Hawaii Policy Advocates.

Representative Ito introduced Ms. Deborah Nekomoto, Principal, Kapunahala Elementary School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 158) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 158, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING STEPHANIE MEW AS THE 2016 HAWAII STATE TEACHER OF THE YEAR, ALICIA CHANG AS THE 2016 HONOLULU DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR, LYNN YOSHIOKA AS THE 2016 CENTRAL DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR, KATHY LIN AS THE 2016 LEEWARD DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR, DARRYL YAGI AS THE 2016 HAWAII DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR, JOY AULANI TAKATSUKA AS THE 2016 MAUI DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR, AND DAVID PAUL BRAUN, JR., AS THE 2016 KAUAI DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR," was jointly offered by Representatives Takumi and Ohno.

Representative Takumi moved that H.R. No. 158 be adopted, seconded by Representative Ohno.

Representative Takumi recognized how teachers shape people and change the way we look at the world, and introduced honorees who were seated on the Floor of the House:

Ms. Stephanie Mew, Kapunahala Elementary, 2016 Hawaii State Teacher of the Year. She was accompanied by friends and family who were seated in the gallery: Chiyoko Mew, Sandy Mew-McRoberts, Iris Asao, Joni Masutani, Kryn Masutani, Theresa Kong Kee, Germaine Yoshimura, Dana Miranda, Jackie Branch, Vicki Villaluz, Mary Choo Loy, Principal Debbie Nekomoto and District Superintendent Matt Ho.

Ms. Alicia Chang, King Liholiho Elementary School, 2016 Honolulu District Teacher of the Year. She was accompanied by friends and family who were seated in the gallery: Ryan Chang, Antonio Bacani and Joanne Bacani.

Ms. Lynn Yoshioka, Mililani Middle School, 2016 Central District Teacher of the Year. She was accompanied by friends and family who were seated in the gallery: Joycelyn Murakami, Roy Murakami, Caytlin Yoshioka, Tyler Yoshioka and Shane Nguyen.

Ms. Kathy Lin, Highlands Intermediate School, 2016 Leeward District Teacher of the Year.

Representative Ohno congratulated the teachers on their outstanding achievements and introduced additional honorees who were seated on the Floor of the House:

Mr. Darryl Yagi, E. B. de Silva Elementary School, 2016 Hawaii District Teacher of the Year. He was accompanied by friends and family who were seated in the gallery: Adele Yagi and Diane Nakashima.

Ms. Joy Aulani Takatsuka, King Kamehameha III Elementary School, 2016 Maui District Teacher of the Year. She was accompanied by a friend who was seated in the gallery: Jill Yoshimoto.

Mr. David Paul Braun, Jr., Waimea Canyon Middle School, 2016 Kauai District Teacher of the Year. He was accompanied by his family who was seated in the gallery: Mrs. Kelly Braun.

Representative McKelvey congratulated Joy Takatsuka and thanked her for everything she does for Lahaina.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 158 was adopted, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami and Kong being excused.

The following resolution (H.R. No. 159) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 159, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE WINNERS OF THE HAWAII: NEXT 50 CONTEST," was jointly offered by Representatives Nakashima, Aquino, Belatti, Choy, Cullen, Fukumoto Chang, Har, Ichiyama, Kawakami, Ohno, Pouha, Takayama, Takumi and Yamane.

Representative Nakashima moved that H.R. No. 159 be adopted, seconded by Representative Belatti.

Representative Nakashima thanked all supporters and participants, and congratulated the winners of the 2016 Hawaii: Next 50 contest, who have been challenged to consider their futures and what they would like to see for Hawaii while answering the question "Over the next 50 years, what can I do to help Hawaii reach its 100% renewable energy goal?"

Representative Belatti introduced honorees who were seated on the Floor of the House:

Mana Harada, Maemae Elementary School, Grades 4-5 Poster Winner. She was accompanied by her parents, Makoto and Masami Harada; and teacher, Sandy Domion, who were seated in the gallery.

Angelica Devers, Kapolei Middle School, Grades 6-8 Poster Winner. She was accompanied by her parents, Brian and Jessica Devers; and teacher, Daryle Mishina, who were seated in the gallery.

Febelie Rodriguez, Waipahu Intermediate School, Grades 6-8 Poster Winner. She was accompanied by her parents, Jerry and Maryann Rodriguez; and brothers, Lucky and Joshua Rodriguez, who were seated in the gallery.

Aolele Taulapapa, Kahuku High and Intermediate School, Grades 9-12 Poster Winner. She was accompanied by her mom, Frieda Taulapapa; video partner, Fogaseuga Uelese; and teacher, Kiana Wilson Uluave, who were seated in the gallery.

Mei Rosa, Manoa Elementary School, Grades 4-5 Essay Winner. She was accompanied by her mom, Jolyn Rosa; and Principal, Kerry Higa, who were seated in the gallery.

Alize Pagaduan, Highlands Intermediate School, Grades 6-8 Essay Winner. She was accompanied by her mom, Shirleen Pagaduan; grandma, Doris Pagaduan; and teacher, Kathy Lin, who were seated in the gallery.

Sydney Millerd, Waipahu High School, Grades 9-12 Essay Winner. She was accompanied by her parents, Edward and Virginia Millerd; and sister, Lindsey Millerd, who were seated in the gallery.

Kiana Smith and Ethan Christensen, Kahuku High School, runner-ups, who were seated in the gallery.

Governor George Ariyoshi, sponsor and inspiration of the Hawaii: Next 50 contest through his book, "Hawaii: The Past Fifty Years, The Next Fifty Years."

Representative Fukumoto Chang thanked sponsors of the Hawaii: Next 50 contest who were seated in the gallery:

Mr. George Engerbreston Books, Watermark Publishing;
Ms. Jamie Kinoshita Oliveria, aio Foundation;
Mr. Brandon Lee, Ulupono Initiative;
Mr. Andrew Sato, Upspring Media;
Mr. Dion Mesta, representing Councilman Elefante, Future Caucus; and
Ms. Michele Kurihara-Klein, HGEA.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 159 was adopted, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

At 12:44 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:58 o'clock p.m.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1070-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2565 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. 2565, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1071-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2823 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. 2823, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1072-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2566, 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. 2566, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1073-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2343, 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. 2343, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1074-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2570, 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. 2570, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RAPID RE-HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2563, 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. 2563, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Morikawa, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1076-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2309, 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. 2309, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Nakashima, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1077-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2894, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2894, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1078-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2476, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2476, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1079-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3017, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3017, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1080-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2076, 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. 2076, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition. Mr. Speaker, I don't need to tell anybody that we are number 50 in terms of business friendly in our environment. This bill throws gas onto the fire, so to speak. This bill says, if you want to sell any medical supplies or medical equipment in Hawaii you better get a license first, because it's prohibited under this bill.

"Mr. Speaker, that's the wrong message that we're sending. I know there is a purported good cause, and maybe it's specific to the neighbor islands, for that I might perhaps agree. But otherwise, as I spoke on the floor for the House version of this, this is side-cutting what otherwise the market resolves by competition. If you can't be available and you can't deliver on time, don't buy from those people. There are a lot of people who sell medical equipment.

"This bill, unfortunately, shuts us down, gives us a bad image, and increases the already bad reputation that we have. So, Mr. Speaker, I would say the best fate for this bill is like 1673 that we had introduced and then killed in the House, and I'm hoping that the following chairs that hear this bill will see the better of it and kill the Senate version of the same bill. We need to up our game in terms of business friendliness, and this one downs the game. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative McDermott rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Ward be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support. There's more than one of these business climate index ones. But I would point out that the Tax Foundation, which is certainly no liberal institution, the 2016 State Business Tax Climate Index, it's not a stellar rating, but it's not 50th either. We are ranked number 31. Thirty-one instead of 50. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, *déjà vu* all over again. In support. Mr. Speaker, just because I seem to keep saying this all the time. The reason why are we doing this bill is because of the ACA's mandate on competitive bidding, which is now going to spread to the neighbor islands.

"It is a very dire situation, because the feds are saying you have to buy at the lowest cost only. Period. There's no quality metrics, there's no any way to use local businesses, and a lot of these companies, when these devices are expected, they don't show up. The veterans can't go home, the elderly can't go home. They're stuck in the hospital. And when they call, there's no answer.

"So to just make sure that if we're forced to buy the lowest price only and we're forced to deal with companies that are refusing to deliver the goods that our veterans and elderly need, I think it's very, and this bill has been watered down quite a bit, Mr. Speaker. All it says is, just be available so we know that the equipment that our people need will show up. We're not in Illinois, we're in Hawaii. We're in the middle of the Pacific Ocean. If the equipment doesn't show up, people suffer. 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. 2076, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives McDermott and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1081-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2667, 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. 2667, SD 1, 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 Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1082-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2387, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2387, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Health, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1083-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2607, SD 2 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. 2607, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT DATA MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1084-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2425, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2425, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Evans.

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote 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. 2425, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Kawakami, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1085-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2494, 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. 2494, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Kawakami, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1086-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3102, 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. 3102, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Kawakami, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1087-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3101, 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. 3101, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Kawakami, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1088-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2495, 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. 2495, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1089-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2906, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2906, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On 1089 on safe harbors becoming perpetual, a no vote, please. I'd like to cast my vote in favor of the endangered species. Thank you."

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

Representative Tupola 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. 2906, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 13 OF ACT 380, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1997," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Tupola and Ward voting aye with reservations, with Representative Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1090-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2604, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2604, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MICROGRID PILOT PROJECT FOR SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1091-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2257, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2257,

SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1092-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2773, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Water & Land and 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. 2773, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALOHA+ CHALLENGE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1093-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2030, 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. 2030, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1094-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2100, 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. 2100, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTRICT JUDGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1095-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2108 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. 2108, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1096-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2438, 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. 2438, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Kawakami, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1097-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3092, 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. 3092, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the

Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Tsuji, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1098-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2659, SD 2 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. 2659, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1099-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2256, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2256, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Ing, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1100-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2162, 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. 2162, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Ing, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1101-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2453 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. 2453, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES PENALTIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1102-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2863, SD 2 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. 2863, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CITATIONS FOR MASSAGE THERAPY VIOLATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1103-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2298, 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. 2298, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2661, 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. 2661, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1105-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2961, 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. 2961, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1106-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2694, 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. 2694, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1107-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2815, 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. 2815, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONALLY LICENSED OR CERTIFIED GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1108-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2313, 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. 2313, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EQUAL PAY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1109-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Ward voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1110-16) recommending that S.B. No. 1178, 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. 1178, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1111-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2083, 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. 2083, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1112-16) recommending that S.B. No. 612, 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. 612, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1113-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2684, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2684, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations and a short comment. I think that it's really important in Hawaii where we need to diversify the types of transportation we have, I was just hoping that perhaps the next committee could take into consideration the different periods of coverage, to still have coverage, but different periods of coverage as in alignment with the 29 other states that are trying to regulate transportation network companies at this time. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Mr. Speaker, a no vote on 1113, the Uber bill. A no vote, please."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2684, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Tupola and Ward voting aye with reservations, with Representative Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1114-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2677, 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. 2677, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1115-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2392, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and 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. 2392, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPIOID ANTAGONISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1116-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2915, 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. 2915, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1117-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2688, 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. 2688, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SALE OF E-LIQUID," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1118-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2691, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, 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. 2691, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations. Just concerned that the tax is a little overly broad. 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. 2691, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Tupola voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1119-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2376, 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. 2376, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1120-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2668, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and 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. 2668, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1121-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2389, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2389, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Brower, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1122-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2673, 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. 2673, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAVEL AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Brower, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1123-16) recommending that S.B. No. 83, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 83, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Another no vote, Mr. Speaker. I don't think it's appropriate to take the funds out of the Hawaii tourism program and put them into athletics. I just think that while there are things that I would say are appropriate to take out of the Hawaii tourism fund, such as things to improve our environment that tourists come to see, I don't really see the nexus between college athletics. Thank you."

Representative LoPresti rose in support of the measure with reservations and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Choy rose in support of the measure with reservations and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Reservations, please, Mr. Speaker. I'm concerned about how it would potentially impact our community on Maui as it relates to particular programs."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Reservations, and for the same reasons as the previous speaker for Kauai. Thank you."

Representative Tupola 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, with reservations and a brief comment. Mr. Speaker, in the hearing there was extensive discussion, and I hope that, even though this is second reading, at least if it's not on the floor people will have it in their head, because this is one of those avoidance-avoidance. It's like you don't want to upset one for the sake of the other."

"UH athletics are very, very dear to us. So is the HTA, the golden goose that lays all the 8.6 million visitors and the income that that creates. It's because of the lack of funding that they can go to the Hawaii Tourism Authority. But there was so much opposition in the hearing, Mr. Speaker, I don't think that the will of everyone is for this."

"UH is caught in a position of a town and gown battle, if you will, ever since the Stevie Wonder battle. We put everything under the microscope that they do. And when they're not winning, they're losing money. And when they're not losing money, we are joyful."

"But with this bill, Mr. Speaker, there's got to be a better solution than having to treat one of your children different than the other, or in the case here where you don't want to upset either of them as it is. But it's where UH athletics are important, it's kind of the spirit, if you will, of the whole academic surrounding there. But at the same time, so is the sacred cow of the visitor industry which feeds the State a third or more of its economy."

"So, Mr. Speaker, I hope there's a lot of dialogue on this one. And for the good minds that are on this floor as well as on the Senate Floor, something good will come out of it. But right now, it's split down the middle. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support. Mr. Speaker, I have a lot of concerns about this measure, but every issue deserves debate. And I can't think of a better afternoon to discuss this issue after what I saw when I skipped part of my committee hearing this morning on television and was broadcast nationally."

"So, I'm just glad that we're talking about this, and it begs the question, why does the University need money for its sports teams to travel? 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. 83, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Choy, LoPresti, Morikawa, Tupola, Ward and Woodson voting aye with reservations, with Representative Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1124-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2312, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2312, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Kawakami, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1125-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2825, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2825, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I was really pleased. I rise in opposition. But I was so pleased to see Governor Ariyoshi, because this is one of his, how would you say, pet projects, one that he went to bat for. One of my favorite projects, one of the things that I would hate to vote against, but, Mr. Speaker, there is a poison pill in this thing and it just doesn't make sense at all."

"What this bill does is really take the core of the space program and sticks its fingers in the eyes of NASA. This bill takes NASA off of the advisory board of PISCES. PISCES is the aerospace program that is in its budding growth now on the Big Island. It's something that should be nurtured, it's something we should diplomatically be very sensitive to."

"And there are six alternatives, including the President of the University of Hawaii, David Lassner, who's on the Board, who never shows up, also. I know that in the testimony it said, well NASA can't afford to come out and show up. Well, we can't afford to take NASA off of that, Mr. Speaker, because all the projects and all the money for the future of our aerospace program is NASA."

"And you might say, well, the person who's in the position now who is invited may not enjoy coming to Hawaii or may not think it's any significance, but those people change positions."

"So, Mr. Speaker, not for the sake of diplomacy, but for the sake of the treasury and the future of aerospace, this bill should take one of the people off who is a bureaucrat, not NASA, the motherload of the future of this program, Mr. Speaker. I plea with the next committee, please use your logic. Don't throw off the motherload of our aerospace program. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2825, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with

Representative Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1126-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 7 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE PROBABLE EFFECTS OF LICENSING AND REGULATING YOUTH SPORTS COACHES," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management, with Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong and Tokioka being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker Souki: "University won. We're very proud of our team."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
40	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
103	Committee on Finance
115	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

<u>H.C.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
78	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
151	Committee on Finance
165	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:18 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Pouha and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon Monday, March 21, 2016. (Representatives Cachola, Kawakami, Kong, Tokioka and Yamane were excused.)