

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

Thursday, March 24, 2016

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2016, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Mizuno presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Kenneth Wong, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Ing, Kong, Tupola and Woodson, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Pouha and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journals of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-First, Twenty-Second and Twenty-Third Days were approved. (Representatives Ing, Kong, Tupola and Woodson were excused.)

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 358 through 361) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 358, transmitting H.B. No. 2362, HD 2, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 23, 2016.

Sen. Com. No. 359, transmitting H.B. No. 2448, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 23, 2016.

Sen. Com. No. 360, transmitting S.C.R. No. 20, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE STATE OF GOA OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA," which was adopted by the Senate on March 23, 2016.

Sen. Com. No. 361, transmitting S.C.R. No. 43, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA GRANTING PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR ADULT LEARNERS," which was adopted by the Senate on March 23, 2016.

Representative Saiki moved to disagree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Bills, seconded by Representative Evans and carried: (Representatives Ing, Kong, Tupola and Woodson were excused.)

H.B. No. 2362, HD 2, (SD 1)
H.B. No. 2448, HD 1, (SD 1)

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative San Buenaventura introduced Harley Flint who was celebrating her 9th birthday, sister Haley, grandparents Mr. and Mrs. De Mont and Rachel Conner, and great-grandmother Tutu Ina Agcalon.

Representatives Jordan, LoPresti, Morikawa, DeCoite and Creagan introduced from Habitat for Humanity:

Mr. Jim Murphy, Executive Director, Honolulu Habitat for Humanity;
Mr. Stephen Spears, Executive Director, Kauai Habitat for Humanity;
Ms. Sherri Dodson, Executive Director, Maui Habitat for Humanity;
Ms. Jean Lilley, Executive Director, Hawaii Habitat for Humanity Association;
Mr. Gary Passon, Board President; and
Mr. George Massengale.

Representative McDermott introduced students from Campbell High School.

Representative LoPresti introduced Reverend Bob Nakata; and his friend, Michael Golojuch.

Representative Lowen introduced students from Konawaena High School participating in Kick Butts Day: Cody Ascuncion, Kiara Thompson and Danielle-Rae Hope.

Representative Kawakami introduced students from Kapaa High School participating in Kick Butts Day: Shaylen DeMello-Oliveira, Hauoli Lopez and Shayna Sa; and coordinator, Ms. Valerie Saiki.

Representative Belatti introduced the Youth Council of the Coalition for a Tobacco-Free Hawaii: Chase Kessler, La Pietra Hawaii School for Girls; Brianne-Lyn Nagamine, Carin Ham and Kelsie Calabrese, UH Manoa; Kristian Leming, James B. Castle High School; Cody Ascuncion, Konawaena; Keiki Kurohara, Waiakea High School; Arissa Molina, Baldwin High School; Sharnelle Kaili, Molokai High School; and Hau'oli Lopez, Kapaa High School. They were accompanied by staff from the Hawaii Public Health Institute: Jessica Yamauchi, Trish La Chica and Courtney Voss.

Representative DeCoite introduced students from Molokai High and Middle School: Linelle Cariaga-Abafa, Dylan Aquino and Sharnelle Kaili; and chaperone, Ms. Janna Sasada-Cariaga.

Representative Cachola introduced former Representative, Reverend Bob Nakata.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1195-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2998, 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. 2998, SD 2, 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 Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1196-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2561, 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. 2561, SD 2, 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 Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1197-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2833, 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. 2833, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1198-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2333, 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. 2333, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO LICENSED MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1199-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2008, 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. 2008, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE AREA BOARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1200-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2862 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. 2862, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1201-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2107 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. 2107, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEN REGISTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1202-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2853, 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. 2853, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1203-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2680, 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. 2680, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1204-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2029, 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. 2029, 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 Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1205-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2114, 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. 2114, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLASS C FELONIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1206-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2294, 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. 2294, SD 2, 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 Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1207-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2444, 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. 2444, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Please note my strong reservations on this, Mr. Speaker. I am not comfortable with allowing the Office of Elections to have access to databases at this point in time, Mr. Speaker. And I believe this may go to Finance, so hopefully I'll have this discussion there. Thank you very much, 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. 2444, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1208-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2446, 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. 2446, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in support of this measure. The fee is very nominal. Normally I'm against the increases of fees, however this service is widely available for free, if you have an account at a bank or a credit union, they do it as a courtesy. This might be an opportunity for us to get out of regulating this all together. That's something perhaps we should think about in the future. 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. 2446, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTARY PUBLIC FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1209-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2554 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. 2554, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF EXCESS REVENUES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1210-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3024, 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. 3024, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1211-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2512, 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. 2512, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1212-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2551, 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. 2551, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the

Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1213-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2604, SD 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. 2604, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MICROGRID PILOT PROJECT FOR SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1214-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2782, 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. 2782, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1215-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2731, 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. 2731, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1216-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2426, 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. 2426, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT MEALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1217-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2981, 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. 2981, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1218-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3099, 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. 3099, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1219-16) recommending that S.B. No. 814, 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. 814, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, just reservations. I have no concerns, I support it. I have reservations. I have no concerns about the naming, particularly for anyone who has given their life in public service to our country or state. It's just the priority of the school construction. That's all. 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. 814, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Takayama and Rhoads, for the Committee on Public Safety and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1220-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2914, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2914, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT ORDERS TO PROVIDE MEDICAL TREATMENT IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Morikawa and Takumi, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1221-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2231 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2231, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Morikawa, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1222-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2277, 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. 2277, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR GOODWILL INDUSTRIES OF HAWAII, INC.," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Morikawa, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1223-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2559, 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. 2559, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the

Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Morikawa, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1224-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2878, 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. 2878, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH TRANSITIONING FROM FOSTER CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Morikawa, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1225-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2396, 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. 2396, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Morikawa, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1226-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2583 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. 2583, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPOSTING TOILETS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1227-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2077, 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. 2077, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEPARATION BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1228-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2369, 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. 2369, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HAWAII RENEWABLE RESOURCES, LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Takumi and McKelvey, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1229-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2976, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2976, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, I do stand in support, but I just want to publicly mark that the support is contingent upon general fund support for this to happen. Because, as was pointed out in testimony, if there is no general fund support for this at all, the fees for each student could dramatically rise, even if we spread the class out as large as possible to all the schools regardless of the vocational license that potentially could be impacted. So I hope the next committee when they hear this will help to work with Education and CPC for that general fund support, otherwise I may not be able to support this at the very end. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2976, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1230-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2476, SD 2, 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. 2476, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1231-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2232, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2232, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1232-16) recommending that S.B. No. 612, 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. 612, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1233-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2313, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2313, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in support with reservations. I voted against this measure on third reading when it left the House. This one is a substantially better measure, I do believe, because it elevated the criteria to bring

lawsuits from substantially similar, which is very vague and ambiguous, to substantially equal. So for that reason, I support it. 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. 2313, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EQUAL PAY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1234-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2723, 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. 2723, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENFORCEMENT OF WAGE LAWS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1235-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2926, 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. 2926, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE TAX APPEALS AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1236-16) recommending that S.B. No. 1022, SD 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. 1022, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"I have reservations on this one currently. I don't think we should be changing this, but I am going to listen to the dialogue in Finance. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

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

Representative McKelvey 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. 1022, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REPEAL THE ONE-YEAR MINIMUM HAWAII RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT TO QUALIFY FOR APPOINTMENT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Jordan, LoPresti, McKelvey and Ward voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1237-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2083, 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. 2083, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1238-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2149, 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. 2149, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORFEITURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1239-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2156, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2156, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1240-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2298, 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. 2298, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS ACT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1241-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2425, SD 2, as amended in 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. 2425, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1242-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2755, 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. 2755, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1243-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2815, SD 2, 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. 2815, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONALLY LICENSED OR CERTIFIED GOVERNMENT

EMPLOYEES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1244-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2906, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2906, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 13 OF ACT 380, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1997," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1245-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2863, SD 2 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. 2863, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CITATIONS FOR MASSAGE THERAPY VIOLATIONS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1246-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2915, SD 2, 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. 2915, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1247-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2910, 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. 2910, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARE COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1248-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3033, 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. 3033, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SELF-STORAGE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1249-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2807, 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. 2807, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1250-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2732, 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. 2732, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HURRICANE RELIEF FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1251-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2672, SD 1, as amended in 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. 2672, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1252-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2398, 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. 2398, SD 2, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, 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 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Ward voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1253-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2040, 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. 2040, 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 Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1254-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2647, 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. 2647, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1255-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2021, 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. 2021, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST BIOENERGY HAWAII, LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1256-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2652, 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. 2652, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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. 2652, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1257-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2383, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2383, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1258-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2850, 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. 2850, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE INDUSTRY REGULATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1259-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2859, 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. 2859, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1260-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2329, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2329, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECURITY INTERESTS IN REAL PROPERTY," was referred to the

Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1261-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2861, SD 2, as amended in 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. 2861, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOINT FORMULARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Ing and Lee, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1262-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2245, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2245, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACHES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1263-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2971, 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. 2971, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Lee and Takumi, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1264-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3126, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3126, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Tsuji, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1265-16) recommending that S.B. No. 1374, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 1374, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1266-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2376, SD 1, 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. 2376, SD 1, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"In committee I said that the delimiter was 300,000 square miles, and upon further review that would pretty much be the size of China. So the Big Island is actually 3,000 square miles, and that's the proper thing and it's in the bill now. So, just wanted to let everybody know who was in committee when I said 300,000 miles, we're not trying to add China to our prescription network benefits. In support with that clarification for the record."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2376, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFITS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1267-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2894, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2894, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1268-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3073, 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. 3073, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1269-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3034, 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. 3034, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ESTABLISH RIGHTS FOR VICTIMS OF CRIMES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1270-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2162, SD 2, 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. 2162, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1271-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2451, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2451, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 183, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2659, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2659, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am in strong support, but I wanted to point out a couple of things to the chair and members of Finance. On page 17 of the bill, this is requiring the farmers to have case-hardened locks and chains to limit anyone getting near a plant that won't get anyone high.

"I mean, the restrictions are really pretty absurd. And it goes on, on page 17, which I hope all of it will be eliminated, that the farmer would have to mark each plant. I mean, this is nuts. This isn't required under federal law and it wasn't required for the Waimanalo project. There is no reason to make this so onerous. And then you go on to page 18 and they continue with some really unreasonable and unnecessary restrictions.

"And then the clincher is on subsection K on page 18, this will hurt the small farmers, this wouldn't hurt a big operation like A&B, but it would hurt the ranchers that want to grow hemp for animal forage. It would hurt the egg producers that want the good omega benefits in the eggs, because the eggs are more valuable and more healthy. So you go to subsection K and they have restrictions that local smaller farmers are just going to throw up their hands and say, forget it. A physical barrier such as a hoop house or row cover, what are we talking about with a plant that grew out in the open in Waimanalo, did very well, and it can grow in other places in our state.

"So I strongly encourage the Finance Committee and the Finance Chair to remove those unnecessary provisions, and then we have a bill that can move forward and not only can A&B grow, but so can our local cattle ranchers, egg producers and others. And we will see the benefit of industrial hemp. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. For those very reasons, I'm going to go with reservations on this measure. I'd like to adopt the words of the previous speaker as if they were my own. And to note, you probably have a better chance of getting high smoking the signs that they want to put on the plant than you do the plant itself. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"In support, but I will mention a few of my concerns. First, I would like to adopt the words of the Representative from Kailua," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Ing continued, stating:

"We had a bill that crossed over to the Senate which was very open. It was a free market type of bill, opened the industry out to anybody who wants to participate, you simply need to sign a memorandum of understanding with the Department of Agriculture.

"That model was based on what has been successful in Kentucky and Colorado where there is over 1,000 growers now growing industrial hemp without any repercussions from the DEA or the federal authorities in general. And this bill, when you read through the language, it tends to treat industrial hemp as a drug and not just the growing and selling of it.

"Right now you can go on Amazon and you can buy hemp seeds to plant, or eat, or to cook with, or whatever. But if this bill passes, there could be questions of whether you can still do that without all these procedures. Alexander & Baldwin themselves said, hey, Kaniela, we support your language a lot better than this overly comprehensive verbose bill. But they did try to propose amendments in order to make our bill limited to just one corporation or one pilot project.

"As a legislature and looking to open up a new industry for our economy here in Hawaii and diversify our economy here in Hawaii, I don't think we should be limiting it to one corporation, just because they asked. And moving on, I hope that we could adopt language that's maybe not identical, but a lot closer to what we proposed in the House. 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. 2659, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McKelvey voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2924, 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. 2924, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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. 2924, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF TAX RETURN INFORMATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1274-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2569, 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. 2569, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUNITY COURT OUTREACH PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1275-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2411, 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. 2411, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support, but I did want to express some concerns. I support this measure for the use of law enforcement cameras. In fact, it has I think the entirety of my HB 1738 put into it. But it's been substantially changed, as I understand it, and that gives me some cause for concern. The bill that I had introduced that goes along with this idea helps protect privacy rights. I don't think it's a good idea that just because any time a citizen walks in front of a police officer, they lose their Fourth Amendment right to privacy.

"I'm concerned that the way that some of the language in this bill is being altered or evolving, it's going to allow that any time you have any interaction with an officer, it could be on YouTube. Just because somebody makes a noise complaint or an officer has a conversation with you, doesn't mean that it should now be just accessible to the media or the public. God forbid somebody loses a loved one in a car accident, now what? The footage is going to be on YouTube and the 6 o'clock news. I don't think anybody should have to go through that.

"For criminal purposes, I'm concerned it could pollute jury pools if it's just automatically available to the public if there is an arrest, or some violent altercation even. Certainly it should be available for review. I think there should be some judicial controls as to when footage is released, but I am very concerned about protecting Fourth Amendment rights, while also providing for accountability.

"But I think we also have to concern ourselves with protecting the police officers themselves and their rights to privacy. Just because they have a conversation at lunch doesn't mean that their administrator should be able to review everything they said that day, and in a sense spy on what they're doing in their down time, just because they have a camera on.

"I know its second reading, but I put all this out there for us to consider when it gets to Finance. Thank you. I am in support, but I have concerns."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I realize that it is second reading. In support with reservations. But as this bill has a clean date, I will be voting with reservations. May I request permission to enter written comments into the Journal? Thank you."

Representative Har's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of Senate Bill 2411, SD 2, HD 1, with reservations. The purpose of this bill is to establish requirements, restrictions, and implementation guidelines for body-worn cameras and vehicle cameras for county police departments, as well as funding a body-and vehicle-camera program through state grant matching of county funding. While I support the intent of the bill to increase accountability and transparency in law enforcement, I have reservations about the scope, structure, and cost of the intended program.

"The scope of this program will be grand. Video files are large, and having a large number of cameras recording every day will bring law enforcement agencies deeply into the role of data storage and processing. In the language of the bill, videos recorded by law enforcement agents will need to be held for between one and three years by the agency employing the device. Where these videos are held and how they are used is poorly addressed by the bill. As many testifiers mentioned about this bill, the line of public-private life is blurred by such extensive footage, and the public nature of it. There must be a legal framework to encompass this and ensure that the public is protected in its right to privacy to a further extent than the bill currently provides. In the internet age, footage can be a tool for transparency just as much as it can be a tool for legal spin, public shaming, and selfish gain. Establishing strong protections for the public and setting hard standards for control over footage needs to be done early on, as dissemination and framing of footage in today's world is powerful enough to sway the public at-large and even influence jury pools. The lives of private citizens should not be freely publicized or framed at the whims of social, private, or public media. It is important to realize how ambitious this undertaking is in the age we live in, and take care to do it with foresight, keeping the rights of the public in mind.

"This leads to my second reservation as to the structure of the proposed program. The massive amounts of data that will be collected and stored under this bill will need to have a level of standardization to allow counties, courts, and law enforcement agencies to transmit and use the data efficiently. This raises questions: Will smaller agencies with fewer cameras still require investment in storage and staff to hold the footage? Will they be allowed to work with another agency to centralize footage, or must the footage remain with the specific agency? The bill as it stands

does not effectively address these, and a more specific answer to these questions would help ensure the success of the program.

"The scope and structure of the bill will eventually compound costs upon costs unless these shortcomings are addressed specifically. As the adoption of body and vehicle cameras proceeds, more complex systems of organization, more hardware, and more staff will be required to handle the influx of video footage. In the current language, this financial and logistical burden is simply on 'the agency which employs the law enforcement officer.' This disproportionately affects smaller agencies, who will need a base level of hardware, organization, and staff to implement the policy, and given my aforementioned concerns with how agencies will keep up with the footage and even how they will be allowed to, there is no real way to predict the expense this will generate for the State and counties. The language only provides the appropriated funds to departments for cameras, it does not account for other costs. It would be a shame to see a program with such potential fail because the costs were not properly analyzed or controlled.

"For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I stand in support of Senate Bill 2411, SD 2, HD 1, with reservations. 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. 2411, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT CAMERAS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Har voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Lee and Yamane, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1276-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2535, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2535, 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 going to vote no on this measure. I know it's been gutted and it's sitting out there sort of as an empty bill, but the problem is the underlying purpose of that bill was to take away the county's authority over geothermal. And we all know what can happen to a bill as it moves through the process. What was gutted can be replaced. So I would rather just see the bill stop in its tracks now and let the Big Island County of Hawaii deal with this on a local basis. So a firm no vote, sir."

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

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

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

Representative Creagan 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2535, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Creagan, Lowen, San Buenaventura and Ward voting aye with reservations, with Representative Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Lee, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1277-16) recommending that S.B. No. 75, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 75, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Rhoads, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1278-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2384, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2384, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING INSPECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1279-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2394 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. 2394 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in strong opposition to this bill. May I be allowed to provide some brief comments? You may be asking why I am objecting to this bill on second reading, but this does have a good date and I believe that it could be salvaged in some way. I am a physician, after all. I was a medical director of a biotech vaccine company. I have vaccine patents. So, don't I want to protect poor, helpless patients in the hospital against flu? What kind of monster am I?"

"Well, if you look at this bill, you'd think there was some tremendous advance in vaccine technology. Such a stunning advance that would warrant infringing on the rights of individuals to protect their own bodies against harm. After all, haven't women been demanding autonomy over their bodies for years? But where is the breakthrough?"

"The reality is that this is about a push by big pharma to ensure that they make money from vaccines. Even if those are at times lousy vaccines and they hurt people. Big pharmacy has also gotten into the vaccine profiteering act big time, and they are all supporting this bill. The secret sweetener is that Medicare will give the hospitals 2% more for their billings if they achieve 90% uptake of flu vaccine among their employees.

"What are they doing in other states? Given the carrot for the hospitals, I can now understand the rush to push through bills in other state legislatures. But many of these bills in other states have better protections and options for employees. For example, they often require that an employee who does not receive the vaccine to wear a surgical mask during the flu season. Some have argued that this is a shaming technique, but the hospitals have argued vehemently that this is about patient protection. They also provided exemptions for philosophical objections, which this bill does not.

"Yet some years, the vaccine only provides 18% protection or less. And theoretically, according to the CDC, if the CDC guesses wrong about the strains, there could be no protection and yet there could be substantial risk. So, if there is less than 20% protection from the vaccines, why don't hospitals require surgical mask of all employees during flu season? As if

they are correct, these masks will protect their patients. What is the downside of that?"

"Another aspect is compensation for vaccine injuries. There is a voluntary system reporting outsourced effects to vaccines called VAERS or the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System. Because it is voluntary and there is justifiable cynicism of its non-use, perhaps only 5% of VAERS events are reported. The CDC claims perhaps 10%, but others differ.

"What are some of the side effects? The list is quite long, but two stand out. Guillain-Barre syndrome, which is a progressive paralysis caused by the body attacking its own nervous system. Some people die from this. I have seen one young man and taken care of that young man on a ventilator for over six months, before he partially recovered.

"And let me tell you about what happened to a friend of a friend. He was working as a nursery man but his business was not thriving so he returned to school, was trained as a respiratory therapist. He then applied to a hospital. He was told he would have to receive a panel of vaccines. He said that he already had those diseases and asked that they do antibody screening instead. That was the standard of care, when I worked for Kaiser briefly. I didn't need any vaccines, as I was already immune.

"They insisted he receives vaccines, so he received them. He developed Guillain-Barre syndrome and became progressively paralyzed. Guillain-Barre syndrome is caused by your immune system attacking your nervous system, replacing your antibody laden plasma. A process called plasmapheresis was tried. Unfortunately, air was introduced accidentally into the IV lines, and the air went to his brain and caused a massive stroke. He survived, but was permanently impaired. He and his wife were financially devastated, and it took years of fighting before they received any compensation. Their lives were ruined.

"The informed consent document from the CDC also acknowledges that people can be killed by that shot. The most likely reason for this is that an anaphylactic reaction, often caused by an egg allergy, although not all flu vaccines contain egg. Some versions of flu vaccine also contain mercury, although they are safer alternatives. Safer, but not cheaper.

"The next issue is who pays if someone is injured by vaccines. After a number of successful suits against vaccine makers for brain damage due to pertussis, vaccine manufacturers were folding."

Representative McKelvey rose, stating:

"Since I'm in opposition too, I'll yield my time."

Representative Creagan continued, stating:

"Thank you. A National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program was thus set up. For a small amount of 75 cents per dose, vaccine manufacturers were largely off the hook. Instead, injured parties had to file their claims through the vaccine court in Washington D.C. The court seemed like a good idea, but in practice it is a sham. The government has unlimited resources to pay its witnesses, and those witnesses, as in the workers' compensation system, can often be paid liars. The injured parties, however, have to pay their witnesses up front and though all the legal fees may be covered after the fact, it is very difficult to get legal representation, and without that you can almost forget any compensation.

"I was a witness for two children in the vaccine court who lost most of their hearing after improperly given Hib vaccines. One of them who received the improper vaccine at 15 months developed neurologic symptoms consistent with autism spectrum disorder, and was still unable to read in his teens. His sister who received the vaccine at four years of age, after the brain was fully developed, is now at Dartmouth on a \$50,000 scholarship. Neither of these children received any compensation for their injuries. None.

"The last thing that I think is egregious is that this bill is a major infringement on employee's rights and should have been heard in the Labor Committee and it was not.

"I think that using the state's power to force this issue, not based on medical science but on money issues, while ignoring the individual philosophic objections to these injections, is reprehensible.

"I would propose that given the amount of money the hospitals receive, it would behoove them to use a carrot approach, and I would support funding a pilot program at Hilo Hospital to give perhaps \$200 to an employee if they receive the vaccine.

"I think that a program of surgical masks could also be employed, given the increased protections that mainland hospitals claim. This could be compared as a control group to Kona Hospital within the HHSC system, and a report provided to the Legislature for further evaluation next session. Given the potential savings to the system, I think this is a more reasonable approach.

"I do think, however, that close attention should be given to the informed consent component of this program and to the programs in pharmacies. I doubt people are being told that vaccines can paralyze them or kill them, and I think the compensation or the lack thereof for injury should also be explained. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I was going to vote with reservations on this bill, but with the usually calm, quiet, sometimes I can't even hear him speak, but with the commitment that he just gave, I am going to go for a no vote, Mr. Speaker.

"And while he was speaking, I was remembering when I was the Peace Corps Country Director in East Timor, we had to vary the vaccines with our volunteers. And they would tell me that if you use the North American one, you can have this rate of effect, if use the African or the Southeast Asian one. This really sometimes is a crap shoot. So we think when we get a flu shot, we're really getting what we're supposed to be getting. The probabilities are, as the good gentleman and the Peace Corps volunteer himself has just said, it's a crap shoot.

"And now to force it, and I didn't know it was for the big pharma guys that we are doing it. For all of those reasons, Mr. Speaker, this is not a good policy. Thank you."

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

"With reservations. I am one of those who annually take my flu vaccination. I and my family do whatever the doctor tells us to do, as far as taking vaccinations. But I also agree with the Representative from Kau. My brother got Guillain-Barre syndrome because of a flu shot. He was paralyzed. Mandating vaccinations that we think is so innocuous as the flu without considering other incentives or other less invasive means such as surgical masks, I believe is foolhardy. For those reasons, it's with reservations."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. Very brief, I just want to point out that this is a bill that is limited in scope to hospital workers. There are exemptions, religious exemptions as well as a medical exemption for individuals, if contraindicated for those individuals. I would also note, Mr. Speaker, before vaccines, and flu vaccine is very, when people say, well it's not clinically tested. Well, it's not, because we understand the pathology of the flu vaccine, and every year it's different because scientists around the world are trying to determine which is going to be the flu vaccine that is going to be most effective.

"Before the onset of flu vaccines, I just want to point out to Members, in 1918 the pandemic of influenza led to 50 million deaths statewide. This is an issue of public health, and I urge you to look at the many, many, many medical societies that are standing behind in support of this measure. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

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

"No vote, Mr. Speaker. And I'd just like to compliment the good doctor on his devastating remarks. Thank you."

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

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

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support. I would note that this bill contains an exemption for those people working in hospitals who do not want a flu shot, you can wear a mask. It is true that no vaccine is 100% effective. At the same time, no vaccine is 100% safe. The issue is a bit confused, in part because there are a huge number of flu-like illnesses that cannot be easily distinguished from a flu. But, unfortunately, to distinguish between one versus the other can take a little bit of effort.

"Infections in hospitals are a serious problem. And I would say that if we can do something to lessen hospital-based infections, that would be a help. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. I just wanted to point out that the Centers for Disease Control lists the ten greatest public health achievements in the 20th century, and right at the top of the list is immunizations. So, if used correctly, overall the benefit is huge. I'm sorry, I didn't mean to quote Mr. Trump. It was very significant."

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

"Mr. Speaker, ruling on a potential conflict. I have been in the past a medical social worker and a hospital employee both in the ER and in the hospital and would be affected by being required to take the influenza shot," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

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

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

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

"Please note my no vote, Mr. Speaker. Although I know the chair has done a lot of great work on hearing the discussion on this particular measure, I have some challenges with requiring individuals, even in the hospital setting, to have this immunization. Personally, I have never taken the flu vaccination that I know of. And I don't want to impose that upon employees that have to make that decision.

"I think there is just a slim exemption under religious aspects of it, and I don't think many other people could step out of those exemptions that are placed in this particular measure. So therefore I have some grave concerns on this measure. So it will remain as no, Mr. Speaker."

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

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

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

Representative Creagan rose to respond, stating:

"Still in opposition. And I thank the Chair of Health for reminding me that this is an experimental vaccine. It is put out there every year, never having been tested on people. So we don't know what the side effects are, because we never tested it. We only see if it's effective after it's been put out there. So, it is human experimentation on a grand scale.

"The other thing is, unfortunately the exemption that my friend on the Health Committee indicates was there for wearing masks is not in the bill, and there is no philosophical exemption as is provided in almost every other state that requires this. There is the religious exemption, but as one of the testifiers from one of the healthcare systems said, that only applies to one particular religion, because all the others don't have that.

"So there is no philosophical exemption, there is no allowance for people to wear masks, as many other states provide. And they don't make other people wear masks, even though the other states say this is a very beneficial effect. So I remain in opposition. Thank you."

Representative DeCoite 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. 2394, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFLUENZA IMMUNIZATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Brower, DeCoite, Har, LoPresti, Lowen, Pouha, San Buenaventura and Takayama voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Creagan, Ing, Jordan, Matsumoto, McDermott, McKelvey, Thielen and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1280-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3085, SD 1, 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. 3085, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In very strong support. Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support and I just have very brief comments. I have two names and a Supreme Court case that I would like to talk about as to why I am in support of this matter.

"North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners v. Federal Trade Commission. This is a Supreme Court case that was decided February 25th, 2015. Its holdings are very significant to us as a state. All states in fact are dealing with this ruling. The court held in this ruling that a state board on which a controlling number of decisionmakers are active participants in the occupation the board regulates must satisfy active supervision requirements in order to invoke state action antitrust immunity. The court further said that if a state wants to rely on active market participants as regulators, it must provide active supervision if state action immunity is to be invoked.

"Mr. Speaker, here in the State we have the duty to supervise many, many, many professional boards. Your Committee on Health has over the last three to four years done its due diligence and had many individuals come forward to talk about, in one particular case, the board of dental examiners here in this state.

"Mr. Speaker, this bill is an important measure and I feel like I need to stand up on second reading, because I'm not even sure that this will get further hearing, but I look forward to working with the future committee and Members on this measure. This measure would seek to clarify what is the legislative intent for the regulation of dentists, dental hygienists and dental assistants in this state.

"The three names I would like to leave with you, Mr. Speaker, as to why we need to do this. Not simply because of Supreme Court ruling, because we should actively supervise these active market participants who we ask to regulate, but because of the public health and safety in this state.

"The three names I would like to leave you with are Finley Boyle, three years old, January 2014, passes away, dies after undergoing root canals in a Kailua Honolulu dentist office. Kristen Tavares, 24 years old, mother of two, March 2014, falls into a coma after going in to have her wisdom teeth removed in a Hilo dental office. Recently, this year, and I don't want to say the name of the dental assistant and I don't know the name of the victim, but March 10th of this year, a dental assistant was charged for assaults and prohibited acts related to controlled substances for administering drugs to a two-year-old girl who became unconscious for 12 hours.

"Mr. Speaker, it would be unfortunate that we do not act, because we have been trying to act on this issue for the last three to four years. It would be unfortunate if we did not act. It would be unfortunate that it would take a death of a child on Kauai, or Maui, or Molokai before we do something.

"With the extension of pediatric dental health care in all plans because of the Affordable Care Act, we need to take greater responsibility of overseeing the supervision of these kinds of professions that affect the health, safety and welfare of our community. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In very strong support."

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

"Mr. Speaker, that makes it rather difficult for me. With reservations."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3085, SD 1, 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 Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1281-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2131, 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. 2131, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1282-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2738, 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. 2738, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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. 2738, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A

BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1283-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2618, 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. 2618, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you very much. In support with a slight reservation. And let me tell you why there's a slight reservation, because I've been known as a champion of the ferry. I also want to thank the Transportation Committee members for passing this measure. I think it's very important that we move it on. I just want to give a little history on the ferry.

"There's a lot of blame that goes back that the former Governor, and I was the Transportation Chairman myself during that particular time, did not have an EIS. The Governor was advised by her director, who was responsible for determining the need of an EIS or not, that there was no need for an EIS, this was given to the Governor, as it is an ocean-going vessel. I didn't quite believe the Governor, even though she was from Maui and Molokai, and I went and called that person myself. And she said yes, the committee felt and she felt that, as an ocean-going vessel, there is no need for an EIS.

"Then may I just go on a little bit. We have a ferry that has been going on for years between Lahaina and Lanai and Molokai, no EIS is required of them. We have a new ocean vessel in Pasha, it has a roll on, roll off, and it's quite different than the other freight boats that come through to Hawaii, and that didn't require it. Then of course, they never did require it in the days past of Young Brothers and Matson and any of those. And of course, you've got the Navy ships going up and down, that's not required.

"So, it's an imposition that was put upon by people who just didn't, for some reason, didn't want the ferry. And of course, the judge then, and he is my good personal friend, believed them and he said that there was a need for an EIS. So okay, so be it. There will be an EIS. But I wanted to give you a history of this, of why this measure came about. Thank you very much."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2618, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Souki voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1284-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2246 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. 2246, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TESTING FOR INTOXICANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1285-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2934, 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. 2934, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1286-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2372, SD 3, 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. 2372, SD 3, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE ROADS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Aquino and Yamane, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1287-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3072, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3072, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Strong support, comments to the Journal. I would really like to thank the Transportation Chair. Thank you."

Representative McKelvey's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, in this measure Hawaii Airport Authority would benefit the State of Hawaii with one jurisdiction having overall authority to efficiently manage and allocate statewide resources, as appropriate, to improve the airport facilities and operations. This airport authority will give Hawaii the opportunity to create a truly world-class airport system that supports the critical air transportation needs of our communities and the continuing economic growth of business and leisure travel.

"I believe that this measure could facilitate the completion of long-needed airport improvement and also create a platform for integrated planning that will greatly benefit the traveling public. There are over 40 airport authorities on the mainland that recognize the importance of their airports as playing a key role and economic engine for their community. As an island state, Hawaii clearly needs one as well. Additionally, experience at these US airports shows that airport authorities can develop and implement policies and procedures designed to deliver uniquely complex airport capital programs more effectively and in a more timely fashion, while retaining full public transparency and accountability.

"Being a neighbor island resident, there are further reasons why I support this measure:

1. On August 4, 2015, Phase 1 of the Airport Access Road in Kahului opened for motorists, providing traffic relief to visitors and residents. Modernization of surrounding infrastructure calls for the timely creation of a Hawaii Airport Authority, which can provide focus and efficiency on improving our outdated airports and support facilities, especially on the neighbor islands.
2. The State Department of Transportation plays numerous roles with many constituencies, spanning from harbors to roadways. A single entity with a consolidated jurisdiction will be able to solely focus on operations and long-term planning for our airports. The authority will also allow for community input, while complementing other efforts to revitalize and promote Hawaii's economy.

3. Airport concessions are also in favor the idea of an Authority because contracts can be "negotiated" via RFP or other means with interested parties like all the other airports across the United States. It's time Hawaii airports utilizes a process that will achieve the overall maximum benefits that can result from negotiations among competitors.

4. This would allow proper resources and planning to develop our small airport systems as an independent transportation network and lay the groundwork for possibly bringing in the small boat harbor system.

"Mr. Speaker, airports are the first and last impression visitors see of Hawaii, and a positive impression is critical for our long-term success as an international destination. It is vital that we improve upon the service, infrastructure, and overall development of such a vital entity.

"For these foregoing reasons, I support SB 3072, SD 2, HD 1."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3072, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Aquino and Yamane, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1288-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3077, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3077, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm in support, but with some reservations. Thank you. What this would do is establish the Office of Planning as the lead state agency for transit-oriented development coordination. There's a sense to doing that, but there is a real void in the make-up of the group. You read the list of the different people that are to be on that, and they're all government related. We don't have the development community in there, and there should certainly be more than one token person, but by development community I mean those people that are experienced in putting shovels to the ground and building affordable or low-cost housing. That's the brain that we need on that group, rather than just government people.

"So I hope as the bill moves forward that the next committee, Finance Committee, could take a look at that make-up and get rid of a few of the, what is it, 14, 15 government people, put in those with real actual knowledge of how to do this, so it doesn't just become a talk story group, but it becomes an effective group that's going to result in affordable and low-cost housing being built. Thank you. May I also have remarks to the Journal, please? Thank you."

Representative Thielen's written remarks are as follows:

"I vote with reservations on SB 3077.

"The bill establishes the Hawaii Interagency Council for Transit-oriented Development within DBEDT in order to coordinate effective and efficient transit-oriented development planning on a statewide level. However the composition of the Council does not include enough expertise, including professionals with real estate development experience, especially with respect to affordable housing development.

"The bill's language provides that the Council consist of: 1. Director of the Office of Planning; 2. Executive Director of the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation; 3. Chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural Resources; 4. Director of Transportation; 5. Comptroller;

6. Director of Health; 7. Director of Human Services; 8. Director of Public Safety; 9. Chairperson of the Hawaiian Homes Commission; 10. Chairperson of the Board of Trustees of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs; 11. President of University of Hawaii; 12. Superintendent of Education; 13. Executive Director of the Hawaii Community Development Authority; 14. Executive Director of the Hawaii Public Housing Authority; 15. One Member of the House of Representatives to be designated by the Speaker of the House; 16. One Member of the Senate to be designated by the President of the Senate; 17. The mayor of each county; 18. A representative of the Honolulu Field Office of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development; 19. A representative of the business community to be designated by the Governor; and 20. A representative of the community who is a housing advocate, to be designated by the Governor.

"The Council cannot be dominated by Government agencies, there must be more direct involvement from professionals with training in affordable housing building projects, otherwise, this development scheme will not address the pressing needs of our community.

"Accordingly, I vote with reservations on this measure."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3077, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE COMMUNITY PLANNING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2102, 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. 2102, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2496, 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. 2496, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2196, 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. 2196, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER INDEPENDENT REVIEW BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

At 1:12 o'clock p.m., Representative McKelvey requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:13 o'clock p.m.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1292-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2557, 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. 2557, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCUSSIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1293-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2387, SD 2, as amended in 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. 2387, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1294-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2690, 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. 2690, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, support with a brief demographic footnote. I just wanted to create the awareness that we are in the process, not knowingly, but creating a smoking underclass. The more that these bills are heard, the more that I hear that those who have stopped smoking are generally those in the upper and the middle classes.

"What we've got now is a smoking underclass. Those who can least afford it are the ones who are going to get hit with this tax. Just like gambling. Those who can least afford to gamble are the ones that gamble.

"Just so we know that as we put the percent, or the per cigarette tax on this, that it's going to a regressive purpose, the same way the GET tax, they say it's very regressive, because the poor pay more. The same, Mr. Speaker, if there's any mental health benefits to the poor having a cigarette, I think we have to be cognizant of that.

"For those reasons, I'm in support, but I think we should be cognizant of what we're doing demographically. Thank you."

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

"Reservations at this moment in time. 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. 2690, 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 Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Rhoads, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1295-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2523, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2523, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

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

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, a no vote, in that we are changing rules of the game when we're about in the next couple of months to give licenses for medical marijuana. I would request that my comments in the Journal for HB 1808 be entered in for this one. Even though that one is dead, my comments still are alive. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

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

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

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support and real brief, to read the contents of the bill, you'll see that what we're changing is not the definition for this current application period, it would be for the next application period and not for this period. So I just want to correct the record. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2523, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Fukumoto Chang, Johanson, Matsumoto and Pouha voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Har, McDermott and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Belatti and McKelvey, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1296-16) recommending that S.B. No. 1311, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 1311, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations. I appreciate the work that the committees did on the bill to make some changes, but I'd just like to note my reservations. Thank you."

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

Representative Har rose in support of the measure with reservations and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Har's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of Senate Bill 1311, SD 2, HD 1, with reservations. The intent of the bill is to exempt licensed or credentialed practitioners from licensing requirements for the practice of behavior analysis. It specifically relates to autism treatment services pursuant to the Department of Education's Individualized Education Plan. My reservations stem from various testimonies provided to the House Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce. The concerns raised by testifiers centered around the strain that will be placed on teachers, and the strong need for behavioral analysts in appropriately working with *keiki* who need these services.

"Teachers have come forward to speak directly to the need for behavioral analytic services in their defined capacity, and that the assumption of this bill going forward is that the teachers themselves can simply 'handle it.' According to the very powerful testimony provided to the committee, there is a strong understanding in the teaching profession that the education and experience required for teaching does not adequately equip teachers to deal with the demand for behavioral analytic services. Requiring them to do so can create many issues for both teachers and the most at-risk students in our schools.

"The need for behavior analysts has already presented itself, it is what has given rise to Senate Bill 1311. I am concerned that the language of the bill will not address the real need for the service, but instead hopes to address an arbitrary numerical requirement in place for department professionals who provide the service. The key here is that the service would not actually be provided. This is not a prudent solution, allowing the educational system to 'fulfil its legal obligations' but putting the burden of these obligations on the already-overburdened staff of the educational system and students in need. It also leaves neither with any recourse; students and parents cannot ask for redress as the State will have, under this bill, fulfilled its obligations, and teachers cannot appropriately provide for the most at-risk students, as the burden can be placed on them with impunity. All of Hawaii's children deserve the best from our educational system, and care needs to be taken to ensure that laws we pass provide the most for our *keiki*, and not just for state departments. The testimony heard on this measure leaves me with concerns as to where this will leave our state's schools.

"For these reasons I stand in support of Senate Bill 1311, SD 2, HD 1, with reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1311, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har, Ichiyama and Johanson voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Belatti and McKelvey, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1297-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2670, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2670, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR ANALYSTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1298-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2681, 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. 2681, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with

Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2395, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2395, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEHEALTH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2776, 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. 2776, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2408, 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. 2408, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2854, 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. 2854, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2961, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2961, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1304-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2319, SD 1, 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. 2319, SD 1, 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. 2319, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives McKelvey and Rhoads, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1305-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2392, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2392, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPIOID ANTAGONISTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1306-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2619, 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. 2619, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2660, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2660, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUREAU OF CONVEYANCES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2675, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, 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. 2675, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1309-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2667, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 2667, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1310-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2852, 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. 2852, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE HOLDING COMPANY SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1311-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2607, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, 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. 2607, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT DATA MANAGEMENT," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1312-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3092, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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. 3092, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1313-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2439, 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. 2439, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Lee and Belatti, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1314-16) recommending that S.B. No. 3084, 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 Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3084, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3084, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives McKelvey and Rhoads, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1315-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2812, 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2812, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

CHARITABLE SOLICITATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2076, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2076, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, another no vote for let's kill competition bill in the medical field."

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

"In support, and to save time, a federal version of this act was just introduced by Maize Hirono and two Republican Senators. Thank you very much."

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, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives McDermott and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317-16) recommending that S.B. No. 2856 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. 2856, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1318-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 47 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 47 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, a no vote, please. Mr. Speaker, just very briefly, this has the DNA of the state bank, and the state bank is now morphing for the sake of marijuana. I think this is not the right direction, having the tail wagging the dog. Medical marijuana is medical marijuana, but having to create a banking system around that is really trying to pre-empt what otherwise we have as an established banking system. And I think the lack of patience that this bill implies is uncalled for. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 47, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF A STATE-OPERATED FINANCIAL INSTITUTION TO SERVICE MARIJUANA-RELATED BUSINESSES IN HAWAII," was referred to

the Committee on Finance, with Representative Ward voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1319-16) recommending that H.R. No. 28 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 H.R. No. 28, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON IMPOSING MANDATORY ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION TO RESOLVE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS DISPUTES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1320-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 63 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 H.C.R. No. 63, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON IMPOSING MANDATORY ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION TO RESOLVE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS DISPUTES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1321-16) recommending that H.R. No. 20 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 H.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONVENE A WORK AND SAVE WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY AND IMPACT OF ESTABLISHING A RETIREMENT SAVINGS TRUST FUND FOR PRIVATE-SECTOR EMPLOYEES IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1322-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 53 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 H.C.R. No. 53, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONVENE A WORK AND SAVE WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY AND IMPACT OF ESTABLISHING A RETIREMENT SAVINGS TRUST FUND FOR PRIVATE-SECTOR EMPLOYEES IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Tsuji, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1323-16) recommending that H.R. No. 149, as amended in 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 H.R. No. 149, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO PROMOTE THE EXPANSION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMERCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Tsuji, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1324-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 203, as amended in 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 H.C.R. No. 203, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO PROMOTE THE EXPANSION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMERCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1325-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 47, as amended in HD 1, 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 H.R. No. 47, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY EFFECTIVE INCARCERATION POLICIES TO IMPROVE HAWAII'S CORRECTIONAL SYSTEM," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1326-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 85, as amended in HD 1, 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 H.C.R. No. 85, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY EFFECTIVE INCARCERATION POLICIES TO IMPROVE HAWAII'S CORRECTIONAL SYSTEM," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Yamane and Ing, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1327-16) recommending that H.R. No. 112 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 112, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS FOR STEWARDSHIP AND PRESERVATION OF WAIPI'O VALLEY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representatives Yamane and Ing, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1328-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 162 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS FOR STEWARDSHIP AND PRESERVATION OF WAIPI'O VALLEY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1329-16) recommending that H.R. No. 35 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 H.R. No. 35, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES TO IMMEDIATELY RESUME BIOMETRIC INTAKE AND INTERVIEWS ON THE COUNTIES OF HAWAII, MAUI, AND KAUAI," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1330-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 40 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 H.C.R. No. 40, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE PROVIDE EIGHT-PERSON FIRING PARTIES (SEVEN MEMBERS AND THE FIRING PARTY NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER IN CHARGE) AT THE FUNERALS OF ALL AIR FORCE VETERANS AND RETIREES WHO WERE DISCHARGED OR RELEASED UNDER CONDITIONS OTHER THAN DISHONORABLE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1331-16) recommending that H.R. No. 77, as amended in 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 H.R. No. 77, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND CONSIDER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE/PROVINCE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE PROVINCE OF AKLAN OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 123, as amended in 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 H.C.R. No. 123, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND CONSIDER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE/PROVINCE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE PROVINCE OF AKLAN OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333-16) recommending that H.R. No. 83 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 H.R. No. 83, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO RENAME A SECTION OF KAPULE HIGHWAY IN THE COUNTY OF KAUA'I AS THE KAUA'I VETERANS MEMORIAL HIGHWAY," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand.

Com. Rep. No. 1334-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 130 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 H.C.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO RENAME A SECTION OF KAPULE HIGHWAY IN THE COUNTY OF KAUA'I AS THE KAUA'I VETERANS MEMORIAL HIGHWAY," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335-16) recommending that H.R. No. 81 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 H.R. No. 81, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A SURVEY AND EVALUATION OF ARTIST RELOCATION PROGRAMS AND THEIR POTENTIAL FOR CREATION IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 128 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 H.C.R. No. 128, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A SURVEY AND EVALUATION OF ARTIST RELOCATION PROGRAMS AND THEIR POTENTIAL FOR CREATION IN THE STATE OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337-16) recommending that H.R. No. 15 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 H.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THAT WHENEVER THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES IS FLOWN ON A PERMANENT FLAGPOLE IN FRONT OF THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, THE NATIONAL LEAGUE OF FAMILIES' POW/MIA FLAG SHALL BE FLOWN ON THE SAME HALYARD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 46 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 H.C.R. No. 46, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THAT WHENEVER THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES IS FLOWN ON A PERMANENT FLAGPOLE IN FRONT OF THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, THE NATIONAL LEAGUE OF FAMILIES' POW/MIA FLAG SHALL BE FLOWN ON THE SAME HALYARD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 10 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 H.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING VARIOUS GOVERNMENT ENTITIES WHO MANAGE AND OWN LAND AROUND EACH OF THE PLANNED RAIL TRANSIT STATIONS TO CONSIDER AND INCLUDE IN DEVELOPMENT DISCUSSIONS, TO THE GREATEST EXTENT POSSIBLE, AFFORDABLE HOUSING, CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES, ELDERLY SERVICES, AND OTHER BENEFICIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE PEOPLE OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 13 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 13 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Evans.

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

"Mr. Speaker, please note my no vote. Just a few comments. Mr. Speaker, this is crown land, and my stance is I don't think we should be selling any crown land or any government lands prior to 1895. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-648 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Jordan voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1341-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 14 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 H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 47-394 KEOHAPA PLACE, KANEHOE, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1342-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 15 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 H.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-029 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 128, MILILANI, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1343-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 16 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 H.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 94-946 MEHEULA

PARKWAY, NO. 264, MILILANI, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1344-16) recommending that H.C.R. No. 58 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 H.C.R. No. 58, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT OF PERPETUAL NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF EXISTING SEAWALL AND LANDSCAPING OF EASEMENT AREA AT LAHAINA ON THE ISLAND OF MAUI," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson being excused.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:25 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 28, 2016. (Representatives Har, Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Tokioka, Tupola and Woodson were excused.)

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated March 24, 2016, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has disagreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the following measures:

H.B. No. 2362, HD 2, SD 1

H.B. No. 2448, HD 1, SD 1