

FORTY-THIRD DAY

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2018, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Nakashima presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Ryan Kalei Tsuji, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Choy, Holt, Lee, McKelvey and Woodson, who were excused.

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

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 469 through 478) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 469, transmitting S.C.R. No. 2, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIANAE, OAHU, FOR THE EXISTING SEAWALL, STEPS, AND LANDSCAPED AREA AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 470, transmitting S.C.R. No. 14, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 2949 ALA ILIMA STREET, NO. 204, HONOLULU, HAWAII," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 471, transmitting S.C.R. No. 15, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-1373 HAUNAUKOI STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 472, transmitting S.C.R. No. 18, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU, FOR THE EXISTING PIER AND SEAWALL AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 473, transmitting S.C.R. No. 19, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AMENDMENT OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALA, HONOLULU, OAHU, FOR THE SEAWALL AND STEPS, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 474, transmitting S.C.R. No. 21, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENDORSING AND ADOPTING, AND URGING THE SEVERAL COUNTIES TO ENDORSE AND USE, THE UNITED NATIONS SEVENTEEN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS AS COMPONENTS OF A FRAMEWORK FOR ADDRESSING AND ASSESSING HAWAII'S EFFORTS TOWARD SOCIAL JUSTICE AND SUSTAINABILITY," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 475, transmitting S.C.R. No. 124, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, IN

CONSULTATION WITH THE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, TO IMPLEMENT SAFEGUARDS AT HAULA BEACH PARK TO PROTECT HAWAIIAN MONK SEALS," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 476, transmitting S.C.R. No. 176, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ASSESS THE DANGERS OF PEDESTRIAN USE OF THE SHOULDER OF HALEAKALA HIGHWAY BETWEEN UPPER KIMO DRIVE AND AINAKULA ROAD AND TO EXAMINE POTENTIAL PEDESTRIAN SAFETY COUNTERMEASURES," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 477, transmitting S.C.R. No. 185, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING STATEWIDE SUPPORT FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY LEGISLATION TO REDUCE MOTOR VEHICLE FATALITIES AND INJURIES," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

Sen. Com. No. 478, transmitting S.C.R. No. 191, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ALL THE COUNTIES OF HAWAII TO CREATE A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE DECAL, SIMILAR TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU'S "HAWAII SAYS NO MORE WEEK" SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE DECAL, TO RAISE FUNDS TO END DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ABUSE," which was adopted by the Senate on April 3, 2018.

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introduction was made to the Members of the House:

Representative Lowen introduced seventh grade students from the Big Island: Elyssa Simmons and her mom Elena Atoa-Simmons; Iwalani Mehau and her mom Beth Mehau; and Ms. Taffi Wise, Executive Director, Kanu o ka Aina Learning Center.

At 12:08 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:27 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1762-18) recommending that H.R. No. 60 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 60, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH A KAUAI INVASIVE SPECIES TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE ISSUES OF INVASIVE ANIMALS IN KAUAI," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1763-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 75 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 75, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH A KAUAI INVASIVE SPECIES TASK FORCE TO STUDY

THE ISSUES OF INVASIVE ANIMALS IN KAUAI," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1764-18) recommending that H.R. No. 66 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 66, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING COMMUNITY OUTREACH COURTS IN PUNA AND KAU," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1765-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 81 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 81, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING COMMUNITY OUTREACH COURTS IN PUNA AND KAU," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1766-18) recommending that H.R. No. 78 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 78, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A STATE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STRATEGIC PLAN TO INCLUDE DATA GOALS AND OBJECTIVES," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1767-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 94 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 94, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A STATE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STRATEGIC PLAN TO INCLUDE DATA GOALS AND OBJECTIVES," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1768-18) recommending that H.R. No. 79 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1769-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 95 be adopted.

Representative Belatti moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 79; and H.C.R. No. 95 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

Representative Tupola rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ward rose to speak in opposition to both measures, stating:

"Same request, and I would request challenge somebody to explain why we want to close two hospitals that are in this resolution. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

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

Representative Tokioka rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Har rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Say rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 79, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION OAHU REGIONAL BOARD TO ASSESS THE AVAILABILITY OF LONG-TERM CARE BEDS ON OAHU AND TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE CLOSURE OF LEAHI HOSPITAL AND MALUHIA LONG-TERM CARE HEALTH CENTER," was adopted, with Representative Cachola voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Har, Matsumoto, McDermott, Say, Thielen, Tokioka, Tupola and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 95, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION OAHU REGIONAL BOARD TO ASSESS THE AVAILABILITY OF LONG-TERM CARE BEDS ON OAHU AND TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE CLOSURE OF LEAHI HOSPITAL AND MALUHIA LONG-TERM CARE HEALTH CENTER," was adopted, with Representative Cachola voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Har, Matsumoto, McDermott, Say, Thielen, Tokioka, Tupola and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1770-18) recommending that H.R. No. 81 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 81, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENGAGE IN PUBLIC EDUCATION AND OUTREACH TO REDUCE LITTERING, PROMOTE AND ENCOURAGE PARTICIPATION IN THE ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY PROGRAM TO KEEP ROADS LITTER-FREE, AND WORK WITH THE COUNTIES TO EXPAND THE ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY PROGRAM TO INCLUDE COUNTY ROADS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1771-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 96 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 96, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENGAGE IN PUBLIC EDUCATION AND OUTREACH TO REDUCE LITTERING, PROMOTE AND ENCOURAGE PARTICIPATION IN THE ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY PROGRAM TO KEEP ROADS LITTER-FREE, AND WORK WITH THE COUNTIES TO EXPAND THE ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY PROGRAM TO INCLUDE COUNTY ROADS," was

adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1772-18) recommending that H.R. No. 96, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 96, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE TO ADDRESS THE LACK OF LANGUAGE SUPPORT IN SERVICES, PROGRAMS, AND ACTIVITIES OFFERED BY STATE GOVERNMENT FOR PERSONS WITH LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1773-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 108, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 108, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE TO ADDRESS THE LACK OF LANGUAGE SUPPORT IN SERVICES, PROGRAMS, AND ACTIVITIES OFFERED BY STATE GOVERNMENT FOR PERSONS WITH LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1774-18) recommending that H.R. No. 97 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 97, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO GRANT FULL VETERANS BENEFITS TO FILIPINO VETERANS WHO FOUGHT IN WORLD WAR II BUT WERE SUBSEQUENTLY DENIED THE BENEFITS TO WHICH THEY WERE ENTITLED," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1775-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 109 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 109, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO GRANT FULL VETERANS BENEFITS TO FILIPINO VETERANS WHO FOUGHT IN WORLD WAR II BUT WERE SUBSEQUENTLY DENIED THE BENEFITS TO WHICH THEY WERE ENTITLED," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1776-18) recommending that H.R. No. 100 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 100, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ASSESS THE DANGERS OF PEDESTRIAN USE OF THE SHOULDER OF HALEAKALA HIGHWAY BETWEEN UPPER KIMO DRIVE AND AINAKULA ROAD AND TO EXAMINE POTENTIAL PEDESTRIAN SAFETY COUNTERMEASURES," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1777-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 112 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 112, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ASSESS THE DANGERS OF PEDESTRIAN USE OF THE SHOULDER OF HALEAKALA HIGHWAY BETWEEN UPPER KIMO DRIVE AND AINAKULA ROAD AND TO EXAMINE POTENTIAL PEDESTRIAN SAFETY COUNTERMEASURES," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1778-18) recommending that H.R. No. 101 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 101, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY WAYS TO ENCOURAGE ALL POLICE AND FIRE STATIONS IN THE STATE TO HAVE A CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIAN AVAILABLE TO INSPECT CHILD PASSENGER RESTRAINT SYSTEMS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1779-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 113 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 113, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY WAYS TO ENCOURAGE ALL POLICE AND FIRE STATIONS IN THE STATE TO HAVE A CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIAN AVAILABLE TO INSPECT CHILD PASSENGER RESTRAINT SYSTEMS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1780-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 28, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 28, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE CAPITOL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE STATE CAPITOL," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1781-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 36 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 36, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S EXPENDITURE OF MONEYS FROM THE NOTARIES PUBLIC REVOLVING FUND DURING FISCAL YEARS 2010-2014," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1782-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 39 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

H.C.R. No. 39, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE COST OF CONVENING A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1783-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 82, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 82, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF BEST PRACTICES REGARDING "INCIDENTAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL" CONTRACTING WORK," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1784-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 86 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 86, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTS THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY BARRIERS AND SOLUTIONS TO EXPANDED WATER REUSE IN THE STATE," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1785-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 123 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 123, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF POTENTIAL PROJECTS THAT WOULD REDUCE ENERGY COSTS FOR ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1786-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 130 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING STATE AGENCIES TO EVALUATE, COLLABORATE, AND IMPLEMENT BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES, TECHNOLOGIES, AND REGULATIONS TO ADDRESS VESSEL BIOFOULING IN HAWAII HARBORS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1787-18) recommending that H.R. No. 24 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE THE "DUTCH REACH" OR FAR-HAND METHOD IN DRIVER'S EDUCATION CURRICULA," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1788-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 30 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 30, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE THE "DUTCH REACH" OR FAR-HAND METHOD IN DRIVER'S EDUCATION CURRICULA," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1789-18) recommending that H.R. No. 28 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 28, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DIVISION OF STATE PARKS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ASSESS POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS OCEAN CONDITIONS AT BEACH PARKS AND ENSURE THAT SAFETY CONCERNS ARE ADDRESSED PRIOR TO UNDERTAKING ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS THAT WILL INCREASE USE, AND TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ABOUT POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AT STATE BEACH PARKS ON THE DIVISION'S WEBSITE AND IN ITS PRINTED MATERIALS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1790-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 34 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 34, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DIVISION OF STATE PARKS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ASSESS POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS OCEAN CONDITIONS AT BEACH PARKS AND ENSURE THAT SAFETY CONCERNS ARE ADDRESSED PRIOR TO UNDERTAKING ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS THAT WILL INCREASE USE, AND TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ABOUT POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AT STATE BEACH PARKS ON THE DIVISION'S WEBSITE AND IN ITS PRINTED MATERIALS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1791-18) recommending that H.R. No. 39 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 39, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ADOPT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES REGARDING NOISE LEVEL STANDARDS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL AREAS OF THE STATE," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1792-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 51 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 51, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ADOPT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES REGARDING NOISE LEVEL STANDARDS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL AREAS OF THE STATE," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1793-18) recommending that H.R. No. 117 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 117, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE, INTERNATIONAL PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE, UNITED STATES OLYMPIC COMMITTEE, AND THE TOKYO ORGANISING COMMITTEE OF THE OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC GAMES TO ENCOURAGE OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC ATHLETES TO TRAIN IN HAWAII FOR THE 2020 SUMMER OLYMPICS AND THE 2020 SUMMER PARALYMPICS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1794-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 131 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 131, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE, INTERNATIONAL PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE, UNITED STATES OLYMPIC COMMITTEE, AND THE TOKYO ORGANISING COMMITTEE OF THE OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC GAMES TO ENCOURAGE OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC ATHLETES TO TRAIN IN HAWAII FOR THE 2020 SUMMER OLYMPICS AND THE 2020 SUMMER PARALYMPICS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1795-18) recommending that H.R. No. 186 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 186, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CREATE INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUNDS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1796-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 216 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 216, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CREATE INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUNDS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1797-18) recommending that H.R. No. 187, HD 1 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1798-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 217, HD 1 be adopted.

Representative Belatti moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 187, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 217, HD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Ward rose to speak in opposition to both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, a no vote with a very brief comment. It confounds me as to why we would complain about \$480 million being pumped into the economy regarding these tax cuts and the job act. If there's proof for the contrary or what the Tax Foundation said, there's \$800 on the average per person, and there's 600,000 taxpayers, that's \$480 million. Why we'd want to complain to that, or make us look in the eyes of the feds ungrateful. Also, I would note that we are 23% to 25% dependent on federal funds. So asking the President to do this is a bit confounding. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 187, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO MITIGATE THE DISPROPORTIONATE ADVERSE EFFECTS OF THE TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT OF 2017 ON HAWAII CITIZENS BY INCREASING FEDERAL SUPPORT OF HAWAII HOUSING INITIATIVES," was adopted, with Representative Ward voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 217, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO MITIGATE THE DISPROPORTIONATE ADVERSE EFFECTS OF THE TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT OF 2017 ON HAWAII CITIZENS BY INCREASING FEDERAL SUPPORT OF HAWAII HOUSING INITIATIVES," was adopted, with Representative Ward voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1799-18) recommending that H.R. No. 143, HD 1 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1800-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 166, HD 1 be adopted.

Representative Belatti moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 143, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 166, HD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to both measures, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. No vote on both of these measures, HR 143 and HCR 166. It's another pass of more authority and scope of work to ADC, the Agribusiness Development Corporation, and we still don't have an audit. Thank you."

Representative Tupola rose to speak in opposition to both measures, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. No vote for 1799 and 1800, brief comment. So I know that there's a homeless issue in that area, and they believe that possibly by switching landowners there might be better chance for enforcement, but I've never seen ADC enforce homeless issues. So I'm not really sure either landowner knows how to handle that, and either way, like my previous colleague said, without the audit, I'm not sure that that would be an appropriate transfer. Thank you."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 143, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE FINALIZATION AND EXECUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S TRANSFER OF THE OPERATION AND LANDS OF WAIALEE LIVESTOCK EXPERIMENT STATION TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was adopted, with Representatives McDermott, Thielen and Tupola voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 166, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE FINALIZATION AND EXECUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S TRANSFER OF THE OPERATION AND LANDS OF WAIALEE LIVESTOCK EXPERIMENT STATION TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was adopted, with Representatives McDermott, Thielen and Tupola voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1801-18) recommending that H.R. No. 154, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 154, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO REMOVE ABANDONED VEHICLES, GARBAGE, AND MARINE DEBRIS FROM PUBLIC PARKS AND BEACHES IN THE STATE WITHIN TEN BUSINESS DAYS OF THE DATE THAT THE ABANDONED VEHICLE, GARBAGE, OR MARINE DEBRIS WAS REPORTED TO THE DEPARTMENT," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1802-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 183, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 183, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO REMOVE ABANDONED VEHICLES, GARBAGE, AND MARINE DEBRIS FROM PUBLIC PARKS AND BEACHES IN THE STATE WITHIN TEN BUSINESS DAYS OF THE DATE THAT THE ABANDONED VEHICLE, GARBAGE, OR MARINE DEBRIS WAS REPORTED TO THE DEPARTMENT," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1803-18) recommending that H.R. No. 185, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 185, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE THIRTY-DAY PERIOD FROM THE LAST SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER TO THE LAST SUNDAY IN OCTOBER AS MALAMA PU'ULOA MONTH," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1804-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 214, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 214, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE THIRTY-DAY PERIOD FROM THE LAST SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER TO THE LAST SUNDAY IN OCTOBER AS MALAMA PU'ULOA MONTH," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1805-18) recommending that H.R. No. 204, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 204, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DESIGN AND IMPLEMENT A CURRICULUM IN HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT TEACHES STUDENTS TO PERFORM CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION AND TO IDENTIFY SYMPTOMS OF A STROKE," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1806-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 236, HD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 236, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DESIGN AND IMPLEMENT A CURRICULUM IN HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT TEACHES STUDENTS TO PERFORM CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION AND TO IDENTIFY SYMPTOMS OF A STROKE," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1807-18) recommending that H.R. No. 206 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 206, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO COLLABORATIVELY WORK WITH COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS TO IDENTIFY AND ESTABLISH OFF-LEASH DOG PARKS ON THE WINDWARD SIDE OF OAHU," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1808-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 238 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 238, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO COLLABORATIVELY WORK WITH COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS TO IDENTIFY AND ESTABLISH OFF-LEASH DOG PARKS ON THE WINDWARD SIDE OF OAHU," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1809-18) recommending that H.R. No. 16, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 16, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INCREASED HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESENCE IN WAIANAE, THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU, CHINATOWN AND DOWNTOWN HONOLULU AREAS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1810-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 20, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 20, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INCREASED HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESENCE IN WAIANAE, THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU, CHINATOWN AND DOWNTOWN HONOLULU AREAS," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1811-18) recommending that H.R. No. 183, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 183, HD 2, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

TO REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT-MAJOR FOR ANY AND ALL ALLOWED USES, EXCEPT CERTAIN UTILITY INSTALLATIONS, ON LANDS IN P-2 GENERAL PRESERVATION DISTRICTS THAT ARE WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF A RESIDENTIAL ZONED AREA," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1812-18) recommending that H.C.R. No. 212, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 212, HD 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REQUIRE A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT-MAJOR FOR ANY AND ALL ALLOWED USES, EXCEPT CERTAIN UTILITY INSTALLATIONS, ON LANDS IN P-2 GENERAL PRESERVATION DISTRICTS THAT ARE WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF A RESIDENTIAL ZONED AREA," was adopted, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Ward and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain Senate Bills for Third Reading by consent calendar. (Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey were excused.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1813-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2051, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2051, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support of SB 2051. I believe that this bill is a game changer that I believe will modernize our education system. This measure will allow for schools across the state, like Waianae High School in District 44, to continue to improve on the innovative work they are doing with programs such as Searider Productions and the Marine Science Learning Center. Searider Productions is an award-winning multimedia program that allows students to design and sell products such as t-shirts, hats and other apparel to the public, which generates revenue for the program. The Marine Science Learning Center instructs students on how to be modern hydroponic farmers, which sells premium *ogo* and other products to places such as Costco and Foodland.

"With this bill, students will learn how to be entrepreneurs and start businesses, greatly contributing to the economic health and vitality of our local communities by allowing students to engage in commercial enterprises through their school curriculum, and I humbly ask members to support the passing of this measure. *Mahalo.*"

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2051, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1814-18) recommending that S.B. No. 3070, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.B. No. 3070, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1815-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2381, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2381, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Har 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. 2381, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL CLOSURES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Har and Tokioka voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1816-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2382, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2382, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1817-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2383, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2383, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1818-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2384, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2384, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1819-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2905, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2905, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-SITE EARLY CHILDHOOD FACILITIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1820-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2774, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.B. No. 2774, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1821-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2945, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2945, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1822-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2522, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2522, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, no vote and some comments. This measure establishes the Agricultural Accelerator Program to authorize ADC to invest in existing or new agricultural businesses approved by the board of directors of ADC in return for equity, part ownership, in those private-sector ventures. And then we're going to establish an ADC accelerator special fund to provide monies that ADC may invest in these agrobusinesses under this new program.

"Why is this needed? Well, the last five years we've spent \$65 million buying agricultural land on the island of Oahu at top dollar, and in one case we paid above appraised value for that land, thereby chasing the farmer out. The average farmer can't afford to buy land or lease land when they're competing against the State who comes in and buys, last year I think we spent \$23 million on three parcels of Dole property.

"Why are we doing this? We're not farmers. So we're interfering in the market, we're coming in and buying agricultural land. Everybody knows what the heck's going on here, and everybody knows whose fiefdom this is. We're going in and buying agricultural land at inflated prices, top dollar, the most expensive agricultural land in the world, and we're reinforcing that top dollar, that top asking price, by paying it, and in one case paid over the appraised value for this land. Now, the average farmer can't compete to get on the land. He can't buy his way on the land, and he can't lease his way on the land. So our solution to creating this problem is say, hey, we will subsidize you for a piece of the action. We want a piece of your business.

"So in this session we see ADC getting into the trash business, they're getting into the livestock business, now they want a special fund to get into partially owning private-sector farming operations. They have proven to be an abysmal failure at getting farmers on the land. Why are we doing this?

"I know it's not this body's creation, it's not from this side of the building, but we are creating a fiefdom out there. One only has to look at the success, \$65 million, by the way that's money that could have gone to schools that are greatly in need across the state. All of us have schools in need of disrepair. We could have used that \$65 million instead of land banking. If you're flush with cash, land banking makes sense, but in this case with ADC, it makes no sense at all.

"Mr. Speaker, I predict the success of this venture will parallel the other ADC venture. By the way, one footnote, the land that ADC buys, or the State of Hawaii buys, the State of Hawaii does not own that land, ADC owns that land. Now, we ostensibly control ADC as a state agency, but the State of Hawaii doesn't have title to that land, the Agricultural Development Corporation holds title. It's just an interesting footnote. The board is appointed, we know who's on the board, we know who they're beholden to. This is troubling. And I know I'm not the only one in this body who feels this way about ADC and the mission creep going on here, sir.

"But again, I'll summarize and conclude, which I predict that the success of ADC will mirror the success of their Tamura warehouse project, which we paid several million dollars for a few years ago, which continues to sit vacant up in Wahiawa. No, I take that back, it's not vacant, there is a ColorTyme TV store renting one of the garages. So with that, sir, I conclude, there's something troubling here, and we should stop it. Thank you."

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

"Thank you. Mr. Speaker, also please register a no vote for me in this measure. Four of the farmers that were actually one of those Dole properties that got sold to the State recently, they had a huge parcel in Wahiawa and they had it subdivided between 21 different entities, but when they went in to try to buy it, similar to what my colleague said, they came up with the money and they actually offered it, and the State overbid them by more than what the appraised value was worth, so all of them were displaced, from their animals to their livestock, to everything that they had to move off of there, and they had nowhere to go. They tried to reach out to Kamehameha Schools, they're still trying to reallocate some of their property, some of their businesses.

"But again, with the lack of information we have on the effectivity of ADC, and on top of it, the type of revenue or benefit that it's bringing into the State, our bigger concern here is whether or not we should be allowing this to kind of grow and expand into an area where we have very few areas where you can farm, and when you're able to do it, it's actually almost at a loss to you and your family or to you and your company, because you're either breaking even or you're not making any money. And so this is something that we really need to think about as we push forward with all of these different measures to put it into one agency that we still haven't completed an audit for, and this is real. These companies have called me and asked me to help connect them to other lands because they don't know what to do, they don't know where to move, and there are, again, very few parcels left for them to even continue farming or doing what they did on those Dole plantations in other areas.

"So I would urge other people to look into this, as we make decisions based upon huge parcels of very few, very far-between farmlands that we have available in the state. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To paraphrase a line from Hamlet, something's rotten in Denmark. And Mr. Speaker, I'm a no vote on this measure. I think it just shows, desperately, why we need to have an audit of ADC, to find out what Agribusiness Development Corporation has or has not accomplished, and what they have done or have not done with the millions of money that we have appropriated to ADC. This is just another example of what used to be called 'mission creep,' but I think we really have to call it 'mission leap,' and I cannot understand why the body doesn't just stop on this policy measure and say, first we need to hold them accountable, let's find out what they've done.

"I know that ADC has opposed any audit. That in the past has not stopped this body from passing measures to audit different branches of government when it's been appropriate to do this. I can't think of a better example than ADC, who's sitting with millions of dollars of taxpayers' money, and not a record that one could put forth to say it justifies the spending and the continued mission leap of their authority. Thank you."

Representative McDermott rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'll just be very brief. I know for a fact that ADC is interested in acquiring another \$33 million parcel, the last large parcel on this island, and I know our Finance Chair is an honest individual who works hard and does the best she can for all our members, and I admire her. I'm just wondering what the Senate is going to do, and I look with curiosity to see if that's going to be in the final budget that comes out. Because that, again, will just magnify the problem we have. Thank you, sir."

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

"Mr. Speaker, with reservations. Mr. Speaker, this is a good news, bad news bill. Good news is, it pays attention to the farmers from a point of investing and creating in an entrepreneurial way, more farmers. We've given them lip service, now we're going to give them money. This is to, what DBEDT has done for its accelerators for non-farmers, for what the farmers can do. And it's to buy equipment and other things, and do marketing studies, *et cetera*. So, it's good, but where the bad news is, any corporation, particularly this one, that refuses an audit, in their testimony they think that's a bad idea, it's hard to go with them. And given what my colleagues have just said, Mr. Speaker, they deserve intense scrutiny, and an audit is a must, before I would vote full up on this. So with those reasons, I'm with reservations. Thank you."

Representative Thielen rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you. Second time, Mr. Speaker, and quickly. I would ask people to look at the vote record from the Senate side, it's pretty dramatic, with the number of noes and then the with reservations. So this is a measure that I'm sorry to see it moving forward, but at least it will go to a conference committee, unless the Senate agrees to the House's version. But I think this is, frankly, a very poor policy. Thank you."

Representative LoPresti 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. 2522, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 42 ayes to 3 noes, with Representatives LoPresti and Ward voting aye with reservations, with Representatives McDermott, Thielen and Tupola voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1823-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2556, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2556, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1824-18) recommending that S.B. No. 3030, SD 1, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3030, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1825-18) recommending that S.B. No. 3087, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3087, SD 2, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm voting with reservations, because I'm a no on giving ADC more work to do under the papaya section of the bill, but I'm strongly a yes on the audit, so it's with reservations. Thank you."

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

"Reservations, Mr. Speaker. And my feelings mirror those of my colleague from Kailua. The same rationale applies to me, sir. Thank you."

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

Representative Say rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote 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. 3087, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes to 1 no, with Representatives McDermott, Thielen and Tupola voting aye with reservations, with Representative Say voting no, and with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee and McKelvey being excused.

At 12:50 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Third Reading:

S.B. No. 2051, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 3070, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2381, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2382, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2383, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2384, HD 1
S.B. No. 2905, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2774, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2945, HD 1
S.B. No. 2522, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2556, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 3030, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 3087, SD 2, HD 1

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1826-18) recommending that S.B. No. 2821, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2821, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee, McKelvey and Mizuno being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1827-18) recommending that S.B. No. 3095, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3095, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee, McKelvey and Mizuno being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Belatti: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I just want to remind folks that on Friday we have our annual Art at the Capitol. The opening program will start at 4:30 p.m. in Room 325, self-guided tours will start at 5 p.m., and we invite folks to come up to the 4th floor and check out the performance art piece that we have up there, and invite you to participate. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Nishimoto, for the Committee on Judiciary, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advanced notice requirement for the purpose of hearing the following measures on Wednesday, April 4, 2018, at 2:00 p.m. in Conference Room 325, and the Chair "so ordered."

S.B. No. 901, Relating to the Aerospace Advisory Committee; and
S.B. No. 2046, SD 1, Relating to Firearms.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Finance, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advanced notice requirement for the purpose of hearing the following measures on Wednesday, April 4, 2018, at 2:45 p.m. in Conference Room 308, and the Chair "so ordered."

S.B. No. 2585, SD 2, HD 1, Relating to Collective Bargaining;
S.B. No. 2567, SD 2, HD 2, Relating to Cesspools; and
S.B. No. 2576, SD 2, HD 1, Relating to Education.

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, in case anyone missed it, on April 4, 1968, the assassination of Martin Luther King took place, a tragedy of a great American, and to be remembered on this day. Thank you."

Representative Gates: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Today, as my colleague noted, marks the 50th anniversary of the passing of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. To commemorate his life and legacy, the NAACP and I will be holding an event today at 4 p.m. in the rotunda, and would like to cordially invite Members of the House as well as staff to attend. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

At this time, the Chair stated:

"The Chair does have a few announcements. First, crossover filing deadline for House concurrent resolutions is 6 p.m. tonight. And secondly, non-fiscal single-referral bills filing deadline is tonight at 9 p.m. Please file your committee reports and drafts with the Chief Clerk's Office by the aforementioned deadlines."

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were referred to committee by the Speaker:

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Nos.

Referred to:

- 2, SD1 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance
- 14, SD1 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 15, SD1 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
- 18, SD1 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance
- 19, SD1 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance
- 21 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business and the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
- 69 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 75, SD1 Jointly to the Committee on Intrastate Commerce and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
- 116, SD1 Committee on Judiciary

- 121, SD1 Jointly to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts and the Committee on Economic Development & Business, then to the Committee on Finance
- 124, SD1 Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
- 142 Committee on Health & Human Services
- 164, SD1 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
- 176 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 185, SD1 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
- 191 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:55 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Ward and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, April 5, 2018. (Representatives Choy, Fukumoto, Holt, Lee, Lowen and McKelvey were excused.)

**29th LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION OF 2018
JOINT HOUSE and SENATE
COMMITTEES ON CONFERENCE PROCEDURES**

The Senate and the House have agreed to the following special procedures for all 2018 Regular Session Committees on Conference. These Conference procedures shall be effective from 8:00 a.m. on Monday, April 16, 2018, until 12:00 midnight on Friday, April 27, 2018.

1. Definitions

For purposes of these procedures:

"Chairs" refers to all of the designated chairs and co-chairs of a Conference Committee.

"Conference Committee" refers to the conference of the House Committee and the Senate Committee assigned by their respective chamber to resolve the differences between the House and the Senate over a particular measure.

"Lead chair" refers to the chair of the House Committee or the Senate Committee who is listed first on the Action Sheets, as provided by the respective chamber.

"Lead committee staff" refers to the staff of the lead Chair from the chamber from which the measure in conference originated.

"Managers" refers to all members of the House and Senate assigned to a Conference Committee.

2. Conference Committee Scope and Amendments

The authority of the Conference Committee shall be limited to resolving differences between the Senate and House drafts of a measure. Accordingly:

- a. With the exception of the Executive Budget, the Judiciary Budget, and the Budget of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, a Conference Committee shall not amend a measure by inserting any unrelated or new subject matter.
- b. To assure the integrity of individual measures, the merging of two or more distinct but related measures into one encompassing measure shall not be allowed.

3. Conference Committee Meeting Times and Places

Conference Committee deliberations shall take place only between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight.

A Conference Committee shall meet in the conference room assigned or reserved, pursuant to the Room Scheduling Procedures and Guidelines and Room Assignment Schedule, as attached.

4. Initial Public-Meeting Notice

The signatures of all chairs shall be obtained before the notice of an initial meeting is posted or distributed. Prior to offering the initial meeting notice for signatures, the chairs shall consult with one another on the information to be included in the notice. Lead chairs from both houses are encouraged to sign meeting notices first, before distributing them to other chairs to sign.

Chairs shall provide at least 24 hours public notice of the first meeting of the Conference Committee and are strongly encouraged to provide more than 24 hours notice if at all possible. Written notices shall be submitted to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official postings on the Legislature's website and Capitol bulletin boards. The lead committee staff shall post the notice adjacent to the door of the assigned conference room at the time of the meeting.

5. Notice of Subsequent Meetings

- a. If agreement is not reached at a duly noticed meeting but the lead chairs of both chambers agree to meet again before midnight on the same day, the lead chairs of both chambers shall publicly announce at the meeting the time and place at which the Conference

Committee will reconvene. Written notice of the reconvening of the Conference Committee on the same day is not required to be distributed. However, written notice containing information on the subsequent meeting shall be submitted to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official posting as soon as possible. The lead committee staff shall post the notice adjacent to the door of the assigned conference room at the time of the meeting.

- b. If agreement is not reached at a duly noticed meeting but the lead chairs of both chambers agree to meet on another day, the lead chairs of both chambers shall publicly announce at the meeting the date(s), time(s), and place of the subsequent meeting(s), and submit written notice to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official posting. The lead committee staff shall post the notice adjacent to the door of the assigned conference room at the time of the meeting.
- c. If agreement is not reached at a duly noticed meeting and the date(s), time(s), and place of future meetings are not publicly announced at that noticed meeting, chairs shall ensure that a written meeting notice, signed by the lead chairs of their respective chamber, is submitted to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official posting at least 24 hours in advance of the next meeting of the Conference Committee.

6. Attendance at Meetings

- a. To convene the initial conference committee meeting only the lead House and Senate chair must be present. All other conference committee managers, especially any co-chair, should attempt to be present.
- b. Once a conference has been opened, reconvening of any subsequent meeting of a conference committee shall require the following:
 - i. For the Senate, the lead chair or co-chair must be present.
 - ii. For the House, the lead chair must be present.
 - iii. All other conference committee managers, especially any co-chair, should attempt to be present at the convening of and during each meeting.
- c. For decision-making at a meeting, a quorum must be present. "A quorum shall be a majority of the House Committee managers and a majority of the Senate Committee managers, and shall include the lead House and Senate chair and majority of the chairs of the Conference Committee for their respective chamber." See Section 9.a of the "Procedures." The lead House and Senate chair of the conference committee must be part of this quorum.
- d. For a measure with fiscal implications, approval must be given by the chair representing the House Finance Committee and Senate Ways and Means Committee during the decision-making on the measure.

7. Conference Discussion

Except as authorized by the respective chairs, only the respective chairs may speak during conference. All other managers or other authorized persons shall be recognized by their respective chairs before speaking on any issue.

8. Decorum in Conference Committee Meetings and Courtesy to the Public and to the Managers

- a. Managers shall respect the differing views of other managers and conduct themselves in a courteous manner.
- b. Chairs shall ensure that meetings convene and reconvene at scheduled times. If none of the chairs of one of the Committees are present within 15 minutes of the scheduled meeting time, the chairs of the other Committee shall have the names of the absent chairs pagged through the State Capitol public address system.
- c. If none of the absent chairs are present within 30 minutes of the scheduled meeting time, the chairs present shall inform the managers and members of public present that the Conference

Committee cannot be convened or reconvened, and that, pursuant to 5c of these Committees on Conference Procedures, a 24-hour advance notice shall be provided for a subsequent meeting of the Conference Committee.

9. Decision-making Meeting

The decision-making meeting of a Conference Committee shall comply with the following open meeting provisions:

- a. A quorum of the Conference Committee shall be present for the decision-making meeting. A quorum shall be a majority of the House Committee managers and a majority of the Senate Committee managers, and shall include the lead House and Senate chair and majority of the chairs of the Conference Committee for their respective chamber.
- b. To report a measure out of Conference Committee in amended form, Conference Draft (CD), a majority of the quorum of managers for each respective chamber shall vote in favor of the proposed amendments.
- c. The lead chair (or the lead chair's designee) representing their respective chamber shall call the roll and be the recorder of the quorum and the votes on that measure for that chamber. (Sample attached).
- d. If, after naming a Conference Committee on a measure, the Conference Committee managers representing the chamber from which a measure originated agree to the amendments made by the non-originating chamber, only a quorum of those representing the originating chamber shall vote on the agreement at a duly noticed meeting. For example, if after naming a Conference Committee on a House measure, the House managers of the Conference Committee decide to agree to the amendments in the Senate draft (SD) of the measure, then only the House managers of the Conference Committee shall vote on the measure, returning it to the House in its SD form. For such action, only a quorum of the Conference Committee managers representing the chamber from which the measure originated need to be present. The "Record of Votes of a Conference Committee" sheet detailing the votes of the managers of the originating chamber shall be filed with the appropriate chamber without a Conference Committee Report.

10. Conference Committee Reports

- a. A majority of the House and Senate chairs, respectively, of a Conference Committee shall attest to the action of the Conference Committee by signing the Conference Committee Report on behalf of their respective managers; provided that no Conference Committee Report concerning a measure with fiscal implications shall be reported out of a Conference Committee without the signature of the chair (or the chair's designee) of each fiscal committee to which the measure is referred. The "Record of Votes of a Conference Committee" sheet detailing the votes of the managers of the Conference Committee shall be attached to the report as a part thereof.
- b. All House measures reported out of Conference Committee shall be filed with the House Chief Clerk, and likewise all Senate measures shall be filed with the Senate Chief Clerk. A document filed in the originating chamber shall be deemed simultaneously filed in the other chamber. Only the original Conference Committee Report, with the attached Record of Votes, and the Conference Draft of the measure shall be required for filing.
- c. If the Conference Committee votes to report the measure out, the Committee must file a Conference Committee Report and Conference Draft with the appropriate chamber's Chief Clerk.

11. Decision-making Deadlines

On the deadline nights for Final Decking of both non-fiscal and fiscal bills:

- a. Conference Committees shall conclude their negotiations by **6:00 p.m.** to allow adequate time for final preparation of the bills and Conference Committee Reports.
- b. To provide all chairs with ample opportunity to review and sign the Conference Committee Reports before filing, all Conference Committee Reports shall be available for review and signature by **9:00 p.m.**
- c. All Conference Committee Reports and Conference Drafts of measures shall be filed with the respective Chief Clerk by **11:30 p.m.**

12. Electronic Transfer

Should a Conference Committee for which the vehicle is a Senate bill decide to use a proposal drafted by the House, the House chair shall have the House proposal electronically transferred to the appropriate Senate office so that the Conference Draft can be prepared. The converse shall apply to House bills with proposals drafted by the Senate that the Conference Committee agrees to.

13. Exceptions to these Deadlines and Procedures

Exceptions to these deadlines and other procedures may be made only with the advance written approval of both the Senate President and the House Speaker.

/s/ Ronald D. Kouchi
 Ronald D. Kouchi
 President of the Senate

/s/ Scott K. Saiki
 Scott K. Saiki
 Speaker of the House of Representatives

4/4/18
 Date

4/4/2018
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Attachment

Hawaii State Legislature
 Record of Votes of a
 Conference Committee

CCR 140-16

Bill / Concurrent Resolution No. HB 1700, HD 1, SD 1					Date/Time: TITU APRIL 28, 2016 2:29 p.m.						
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DELA CRUZ, Donovan M., Co-Chr.		✓				CACHOLA, Romy M.		✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne		✓				CULLEN, Ty J.K.		✓			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		✓				DECOITE, Lynn		✓			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood		✓				JOHANSON, Aaron Ling		✓			
HARIMOTO, Breene					✓	JORDAN, Jo		✓			
INOUE, Lorraine R.		✓				KEOHOKALOOLE, Jarrett		✓			
RIVIERE, Gil		✓				KOBAYASHI, Bertrand		✓			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.		✓				LOPRESTI, Matthew S.		✓			
WAKAI, Glenn		✓				LOWEN, Nicole E.		✓			
SLOM, Sam					✓	NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.		✓			
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						TOKIOKA, James Kunane		✓			
						YAMASHITA, Kyle T.		✓			
						POUHA, Feki		✓			
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COMMITTEES ON CONFERENCE
CONFERENCE ROOM SCHEDULING
PROCEDURES AND GUIDELINES**

The following conference room scheduling procedures and guidelines shall apply to all Senate and House conference rooms beginning 8:00 a.m. on Monday, April 16, 2018, until 12:00 midnight on Friday, April 27, 2018.

Priority for the use of conference rooms will be given in the following order:

- First Priority: Standing Committee Bill Hearings
- Second Priority: Conference Committee Meetings
- Third Priority: Committee Hearings on Resolutions and Governor's Messages

Reserving a Conference Room:

House Conference Rooms (Rooms 309, 312, 325, 329, 423, or 429). If your committee is designated to use one of the House conference rooms, please reserve the room by contacting the House Sergeant-at-Arms office at 586-6500.

Senate Conference Rooms (Room 016, 224, 225, or 229). If your committee is designated to use one of the Senate conference rooms, please reserve the room by contacting the Senate Sergeant-at-Arms office at 586-6725.

Conference committees assigned to use a specific conference room will be given priority in using that room for conference committee meetings. (See attached Room Assignment Schedule)

All conference room assignments must be made by the respective Sergeant-at-Arms offices. Committees should not allocate the use of their assigned conference room to another committee without first contacting the House or Senate Sergeant-at-Arms office.

Coordinating the Use of Assigned Conference Rooms:

For those committees sharing conference rooms with other committees, it is recommended that you meet with respective committee chairs to formulate a basic timetable for sharing the room. Please do not reserve a block of specific times until a timetable has been agreed to.

If you have reserved a specific block of time which you no longer plan to use, please notify the respective Sergeant-at-Arms office as soon as possible to allow use by another committee.

If your committee needs to meet and your assigned room has already been reserved or is in use by another committee, please contact the House and Senate Sergeant-at-Arms to arrange for the temporary use of an available conference room.

Conference committees are encouraged to give as much advanced public notice for meetings as is possible. Please be aware that lower priority room usage may be postponed or relocated as we approach the deadline to complete conference committee meetings.

Exceptions to the Conference Room Scheduling Procedures and Guidelines may be made only with the advanced written approval of both the Senate President and the Speaker of the House.

/s/ Ronald D. Kouchi
Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate

/s/ Scott K. Saiki
Scott K. Saiki
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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ROOM ASSIGNMENT SCHEDULE**

2018 Room Assignments:

Senate Standing Committees	House Standing Committees	Conference Room Assignment
PSM	PBS, VMI	016
AEN, WTL	AGR, WAL	224
TRE, HWN	TRN, EEP, OMH	225
CPH	CPC	229
WAM	FIN	309
EDU, HRE	EDN, HED	312
HOU, HMS	HSG, HHS	325
JDC, LBR	JUD, LAB	329
ETT	EDB, TOU, IAC	423
GVO	LMG	429

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