

FORTY-NINTH DAY

Friday, April 12, 2019

The House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2019, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Nakashima presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Dan Chun of the First Presbyterian Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Holt, Saiki, Say and Thielen, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Seventh and Forty-Eighth Days was deferred.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 893 through 895) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 893, dated April 11, 2019, informing the House that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills:

S.B. No. 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 19, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 50, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 78, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 126, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 130, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 162, SD 2, HD 3
 S.B. No. 166, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 187, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 216, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 272, HD 2
 S.B. No. 281, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 316, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 366, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 411, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 412, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 417, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 427, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 470, HD 1
 S.B. No. 492, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 537, SD 2, HD 3
 S.B. No. 551, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 552, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 567, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 592, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 641, HD 2
 S.B. No. 752, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 759, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 763, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 768, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 772, HD 2
 S.B. No. 789, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 852, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 856, SD 1, HD 3
 S.B. No. 859, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 898, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 911, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 966, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 972, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 978, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 983, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 991, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1002, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1025, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1034, SD 1, HD 1

S.B. No. 1041, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1047, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1069, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1082, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1091, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1148, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1150, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1151, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1173, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1176, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1223, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1241, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1246, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1257, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1263, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1271, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1292, SD 2, HD 3
 S.B. No. 1303, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1348, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1353, SD 3, HD 3
 S.B. No. 1394, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1395, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1417, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1422, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1423, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1440, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1460, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1466, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1494, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1526, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 1530, SD 3, HD 2
 S.B. No. 1539, SD 1, HD 1

Sen. Com. No. 894, dated April 11, 2019, informing the House that the Senate has on April 9, 2019, agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills and that said bills have this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 491, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 512, SD 1, HD 1

Sen. Com. No. 895, dated April 11, 2019, informing the House that the Senate has this day agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and that said bill has passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 812, SD 1, HD 2

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2217) recommending that S.C.R. No. 67, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Brower, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 67, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING PUBLIC WATER UTILITIES TO CONSIDER THE DISRUPTION TO TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION AS A CRITERION IN PLANNING FUTURE MAINTENANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Holt, Saiki, Say and Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2218) recommending that S.C.R. No. 133, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Brower, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 133, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INFORM THE MARITIME COMMUNITY OF THE PROCEDURES TO BE TAKEN IN PREPARATION OF A STORM AND ASSIST THE MARITIME COMMUNITY WITH SUBMITTING THEIR APPLICATION FOR A MARITIME HEAVY WEATHER AND HURRICANE PLAN," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Holt, Saiki, Say and Thielen being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, today is the 158th year since the beginning of the Civil War. I only announce that because it was between the North and the South, and now the contemporary version of where we are divided is sometimes Democrat, Republican, blue, red. The point is, and it follows, I think, Pastor Chun's prayer, that we have the courage to work through our differences and not do what they did between the North and the South 158 years ago. Thank you."

Representative Todd, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advanced notice requirement for the purpose of hearing the following measure on Friday, April 12, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. in Conference Room 312, and the Chair "so ordered."

S.C.R. No. 180, SD 1, Supporting the Development of a Hawaiian Language Plan, Including Goals, Benchmarks, Strategies, and Outcomes, to Build Upon Accomplishments and to Accelerate the Normalization of 'Olelo Hawai'i.

Representative Nakamura: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Tomorrow marks the one-year anniversary of the rain bombs that severely impacted East Honolulu and the North Shore of Kauai. Fifty inches of rain fell in Waipa on the North Shore over a 24-hour period, setting a national record. The floods damaged homes, vehicles, businesses, roads, schools, farms, parks, and trails, and there were 12 rock slides in a two-mile stretch.

"Mr. Speaker, while many families and businesses have recovered, there's still a stretch of highway undergoing hillside stabilization and road rebuilding. Over 1,500 residents in Wainiha and Haena have scheduled their lives for the past year around a set convoy schedule regulating when they can enter and leave their neighborhood. We have been told that the last stretch of the road repair will be done by the end of the month, while the three one-way bridges will be done in May or early June.

"Mr. Speaker, within 10 days of this flood event, the Legislature approved funding to assist Kauai. We are most grateful that funds were used, and continue to be used, to help with the recovery and rebuilding. So, on behalf of the Kauai delegation, I would like to thank you and this body for coming to the assistance of Kauai in time of our greatest need. *Mahalo*."

At this time, the Chair stated:

"The Chair would like to remind committee chairs that today is the last lateral filing deadline for the Senate concurrent resolutions that need to move to their final committees. Please file your committee reports and drafts with the Chief Clerk's Office by 6:00 p.m. this evening.

"Also, members, please note that floor session will convene at 11:30 a.m. effective Monday, April 15 through Wednesday, April 24. This is to maximize the amount of conference committee time available for members to meet and carry on negotiations."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following measure was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>S.C.R.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
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50	Committee on Tourism & International Affairs
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ADJOURNMENT

At 12:14 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Matsumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m. Monday, April 15, 2019. (Representatives Holt, Saiki, Say and Thielen were excused.)

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated April 12, 2019, 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 Speaker has this day appointed as conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House Bills:

H.B. No. 330, HD 1, SD 1	Mizuno/Nakamura, Co-Chrs.; Eli, Gates, Morikawa, Todd, Ward
H.B. No. 510, HD 2, SD 2	Lee/Luke, Co-Chrs.; Cullen, Yamashita, Thielen

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S.B. No. 126, SD 1, HD 1	Luke, Chr.; Cullen, McDermott
S.B. No. 494, SD 1, HD 1	Luke, Chr.; Cullen, McDermott
S.B. No. 1188, SD 1, HD 1	Yamane/Cullen, Co-Chrs.; Thielen