

SIXTIETH DAY

Thursday, May 2, 2019

The House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2019, convened at 10:03 o'clock a.m., with Speaker Saiki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Tom Brower, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives DeCoite, Mizuno and Nakashima, who were excused.

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Matsumoto and carried, reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journals of the Forty-Seventh, Forty-Eighth, Forty-Ninth, Fiftieth, Fifty-First, Fifty-Second, Fifty-Third, Fifty-Fourth, Fifty-Fifth, Fifty-Sixth and Fifty-Seventh Days were approved. (Representatives DeCoite, Mizuno and Nakashima were excused.)

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 17 and 1133) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 17, dated April 25, 2019, informing the House that the tentative agreements with United Public Workers, Collective Bargaining Units 1 and 10 were ratified.

Gov. Msg. No. 1133, informing the House that on April 30, 2019, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 1033, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LICENSURE OF MIDWIVES." (ACT 032)

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 967 and 968) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 967, dated April 30, 2019, informing the House that the Senate has on April 25, 2019, reconsidered its action taken on April 11, 2019, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill, has moved to agree to the amendments, and that said bill on April 26, 2019 failed to pass Final Reading, and that on this day, the Senate reconsidered its action taken on April 26, 2019 and passed said bill on Final Reading:

S.B. No. 1292, SD 2, HD 3

Sen. Com. No. 968, dated April 30, 2019, informing the House that the following bills have this day passed Final Reading:

H.B. No. 32, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 34, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 61, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 66, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 89, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 116, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 120, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 157, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 172, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 214, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 250, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 252, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 257, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 290, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 323, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 333, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 340, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 398, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 401, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1

H.B. No. 407, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 420, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 444, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 452, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 456, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 463, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 471, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 510, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 543, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 546, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 551, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 556, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 560, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 622, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 654, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 665, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 673, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 699, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 703, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 710, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 756, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 757, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 808, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 809, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 812, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 820, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 845, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1
 H.B. No. 852, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1
 H.B. No. 867, HD 2, SD 2, CD 1
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S.B. No. 25, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1

S.B. No. 33, SD 3, HD 2, CD 1
 S.B. No. 98, HD 1, CD 1
 S.B. No. 162, SD 2, HD 3, CD 1
 S.B. No. 192, SD 1, HD 2, CD 1
 S.B. No. 216, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1
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 S.B. No. 1530, SD 3, HD 2, CD 1

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 428 through 443) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 428, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated March 27, 2019, transmitting the report, Estimated Motion Picture, Digital Media and Film Production Income Tax Credit for Calendar Year 2018, pursuant to Act 89, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 429, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated March 29, 2019, transmitting the HawaiiPay Project IV&V Monthly Status Report - Final for Reporting Period: January 1-31, 2019, pursuant to Section 27-43.6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 430, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated March 29, 2019, transmitting the HawaiiPay Project Phase I Final Report, IV&V Monthly Status Report - Final for Reporting Period: February 1-28, 2019, pursuant to Section 27-43.6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 431, from the Department of Education, dated April 2, 2019, transmitting the Report on the Security Breach at the Department of Education, March 2019, pursuant to Section 487N-4, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 432, from the University of Hawaii System, dated April 2, 2019, transmitting a Position Report, pursuant to Act 49, Section 96, SLH 2017.

Dept. Com. No. 433, from the Office of the Auditor, dated April 3, 2019, transmitting the Financial and Compliance Audit of the Hawaii Public Housing Authority, pursuant to Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 434, from the Office of the Auditor, dated April 8, 2019, transmitting the Financial and Compliance Audit of the Department of Health, pursuant to Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 435, from the University of Hawaii System, dated April 8, 2019, transmitting a Position Report, pursuant to Act 49, Section 96, SLH 2017.

Dept. Com. No. 436, from the Office of the Auditor, dated April 15, 2019, transmitting the Financial and Compliance Audit of the Department of the Attorney General, pursuant to Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 437, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated April 15, 2019, transmitting the Hawaii Department of Human Services Systems Modernization Project, Final IV&V Status Report for Reporting Period: March 1-31, 2019, pursuant to Section 27-43.6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 438, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated April 15, 2019, transmitting the Hawaii BHA Integrated Case Management System Project, Final IV&V Report for the period of March 1-31, 2019, pursuant to Section 27-43.6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 439, from the University of Hawaii System, dated April 16, 2019, transmitting a Position Report, pursuant to Act 49, Section 96, SLH 2017.

Dept. Com. No. 440, from the Office of the Auditor, dated April 17, 2019, transmitting the Financial and Compliance Audit of the Department of Education, pursuant to Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 441, from the University of Hawaii System, dated April 17, 2019, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawaii Cancer Research Special Fund, pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 442, from the Office of the Auditor, dated April 18, 2019, transmitting the Financial and Compliance Audit of the Department of Human Services, pursuant to Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 443, from the University of Hawaii System, dated April 23, 2019, transmitting a Position Report, pursuant to Act 49, Section 96, SLH 2017.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative McDermott introduced his intern, Blake Lawson, and his staff, LuAnn Poti.

Representative Eli introduced her staff: Kamana Levy, Soana Tupua-Fanoga, Nancy Barry and Sydney Fanoga.

Representative Lee introduced his staff: Joey Brown, Nikki Byerlotzer, Andrew Carmody, Christilei Hessler, Arwyn Jackson, Rachel James, Anthony Miranda, Shari Nishijimi, Katy Pacheco, Matt Prellberg and Derek Turbin.

Representative Holt introduced fifth graders from Kapalama Elementary School and their teachers, Lori Fujimoto, Roy Morigawara, Kyle Sakamoto and Yuri Toyama:

Ivy Agamata, Samantha Agustin, Joshua Ancheta, Noa Arriegasado, Elizabeth Balanza, Sean Baloran, Noah Baltero, Jace Batara, Brayden Bello, Alisha Biacan, Leiko Bongo, Tiffany Bonilla, Kimreie Borja, Bronson Boucher, Ava Cadoy-Makinano, Wen Qian Cao, Nadine Castillo, Sean Concepcion, Jazzarae Constantino, Jaiden De Leon, Francis De Mesa, Ian Dela Cruz, Jusser Dela Cruz, Kaleb Dias, KC Duldulao, Francisco Duran, Isaac Ea, Randy Fiesta, Jared Fontanilla, Ralsn Galapate-Bareng, Jhanika Ganal, Dexter Garcia, Sierra Gomes, Kaeo-Boy Grant, Wanqiu He, YiTing He, Warner Hoopii, Cayleb Huynh, Camille Irurita-Corpuz, Tyler Lam, Louise Lanuza, Trysson Lasit, Valeb Lavallee, YiXiang Lin, Aukai Lyman-Aea, Leila Macapagal, William Macatumbas, Trisha Macatumbas, Kim Maderazo, Lynette Manuel, Chazlene Marcellana, Princess Martinez, Don Matsuda-Lucas, Izabael Mendoza, Evan Mizushima, Kayla Morigawara, Angeline Nahoi, Jesse Ociones, Jason Okutani, Edwin Pagdilao, Zhanina Paguirigan, Ezekiel Palabay, Jeraldyn Paned, Joaquin Panoy, Rylee Paranada, Nadyne Pascua, Angelica Pascua, Alexis Patalinghog, Nympha Paulino, Tai Pham, Michael Pintor-Alonzo, Brayden Rempillo, Davey Reyes, Edrei Rivera, Csariez Rivera, Glemarie Rosete, Maile Rutowski, Sophie Saoit, Rylan Schroeder, Evie Somera, Gabrielle Soriano, Haylee Tadeo-Juntura, Rondey Tampon, Zachary Tampon, Fetuumoana Tautuiaki, Therese Teves, Xylor Tiposo, Cassera Togia White, Prince Tominiko, Shyra Valdez, Arfe Villanueva, Jack Vongsavanh, Sam William, Zixuan Wu, Yuan Yasay, Shaydon Ybanez-Ishikawa, Reyson Yim, Keina Yoshimoto, Dylan Yoshizawa and Hanshan Zhou.

Representative Woodson introduced his staff: Jose Estrada, Shanda Delos Reyes, Brandon Kim, Starshine Chun and Napela Shim.

Representative Kong introduced rapper John Paul "JP Cali Smoov" Misquez; his friends, Lisa Shozuya and Cody Yandell; and his staff, Scot Shimamura.

At 10:14 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:28 o'clock a.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Matsumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain House and Senate Bills for Final Reading by consent calendar. (Representatives DeCoite and Nakashima were excused.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Belatti moved to agree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Bill, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried: (Representatives DeCoite and Nakashima were excused.)

H.B. No. 702, HD 1, (SD 2)

H.B. No. 702, HD 1, SD 2:

Representative Belatti moved that H.B. No. 702, HD 1, SD 2 pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

"In opposition. So, Mr. Speaker, when I look around this room, I've got to say, I don't just see 51 supremely intelligent, incredibly beautiful people. I see a lot of sacrifice. That's honestly what I see when I look around this room and I look at these people's faces, what I see is a lot sacrifice. I see people that missed their kid's birthdays or soccer games or an anniversary. I see people that have given up so much of themselves. But that's honestly what I see. I know that so many of us have given up so much of themselves to be here and to do these incredible things that we do.

"I have serious concerns about 702. For too long, I have witnessed this body rush headlong to be first in the nation on so many issues, sometimes to our detriment. I think this is one of those cases. And when I look around and I see, I look at some of my friends and I know what they're going through and what they have sacrificed this year and in past years to be here.

"This bill could have serious and far-ranging consequences for the State. I haven't gotten a straight answer on whether or not it's a good thing from anybody. We are 1.5 million people on some tiny little rocks in the middle of the Pacific Ocean.

"I agree with the intent of this bill and I would actually like to thank the introducer for working on this measure. But if we do something like this, it has to be really, really good. It has to be almost perfect. We can't risk legal challenges, we can't risk our constituents losing access to services like Google Maps or Amazon or their banking.

"There's a lot more that I would like to say on this measure, and I think the members of the body understand exactly what I mean to say, but I can't say it on this microphone without having my words struck from the record. So, I'll just leave it at that, and I hope you all join me in voting no on this measure."

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

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

"No vote, Mr. Speaker. I really, really appreciate the passion of my colleague from the North Shore of Oahu. Sometimes when you're here awhile you see things that you don't agree with, but that's just the process. But I think we should take his words into consideration. I know no one wants any company following them or stalking them, but I think the problem that most of us had with this bill is that there's no clarity on what it will actually do or what it won't do. So for those reasons I'm voting no, Mr. Speaker, and I'd like to ask to insert additional comments into the Journal."

Representative Tokioka's written remarks are as follows:

"This bill is totally vague and it seems that we are trying to beat California with the effective date."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In opposition. Mr. Speaker, before I begin, may I please adopt the words of the Representative from the North Shore into the Journal as if they were my own. May I also adopt the words of the Representative from Lihue as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Har continued, stating:

"That said, everybody received the memos regarding the issues with this measure. Unfortunately, I don't have it in front of me, but one of the biggest problems is this measure is absolutely vague. There are no definitions, and that is why there are serious ramifications for this measure.

"We had a bill earlier this year, it was one of the claims against the State, in which the State had to pay money. We knew that the bill was unconstitutional and yet we passed it. And here we go once again, once again being irresponsible. That is not what we have an obligation to do. We took an oath to the State Constitution, and so we have to be responsible in what we are doing. It's not about politics, it's about policy. And so, Mr. Speaker, we all know what's going on with this bill. So that said, I'm in strong opposition and I ask members to please consider submitting their green slips."

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

Representative Cabanilla Arakawa rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'm voting no, Mr. Speaker, and I share the passion of the Representative from the North Shore. And I would like the words that he implied in this body to be inserted into the record as if they were my own. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Hashimoto 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."

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

"Mr. Speaker, no with reservations. I have reasons for this, Mr. Speaker. My reservations come because it's half cooked, half baked. And my no vote is because there's a better way to go about it, and I really regret that my colleague from the North Shore was not feeling safe in the marketplace of ideas where we should have freedom of expression more so than even the University of Hawaii. So, with the regrets on what otherwise this bill is intended to make for privacy, we have shut down one of our members who probably had a lot to say.

"But, Mr. Speaker, let me end by saying this. There are out there monopolies of information. The Googles, the Bezos, the Amazons, and the others, inevitably are going to be brought to task, the same way that Ma Bell

was brought to task when every telephone or telephone line was owned by them and we broke it up. Right now, we have a monopoly of information on the people of this nation and the people of this state. So, inevitably this is going to come about, but as some of my colleagues have said, there's a proper way of doing it and there's an improper way, Mr. Speaker. And this one, given the division that it's created in this House, does not seem to be the proper way. For those reasons, Mr. Speaker, reservations, but no first and then reservations second. So, I'm a no. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.B. No. 702, HD 1, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SATELLITE NAVIGATION TECHNOLOGY," passed Final Reading by a vote of 32 ayes to 17 noes, with Representatives Hashimoto, Kitagawa, Matayoshi, McKelvey and Perruso voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Aquino, Cabanilla Arakawa, Cachola, Gates, Har, Holt, D. Kobayashi, Kong, Matsumoto, Ohno, Okimoto, Quinlan, Say, Todd, Tokioka, Ward and Yamane voting no, and with Representatives DeCoite and Nakashima being excused.

At 10:38 o'clock a.m., the Chair noted that the following bill passed Final Reading:

H.B. No. 702, HD 1, SD 2

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 203 and H.B. No. 624, HD 1, SD 3, CD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 624, HD 1, SD 3, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STRUCTURE OF GOVERNMENT," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 204 and S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

S.B. No. 1342, HD 1, CD 2:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, S.B. No. 1342, HD 1, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROBATE CODE," passed Final Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Wildberger voting no, and with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 1453, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 1453, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Final Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Okimoto and Say voting no, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1, CD 2:

Representative Belatti moved that S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1, CD 2 pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Okimoto rose in opposition to the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Okimoto's written remarks are as follows:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in opposition to Senate Bill 976, SD2, HD1, CD2. Mr. Speaker, I am not opposed to the idea of leasing public library lands to generate additional funding for the Hawaii State Public

Library System. Rather, I am opposed to the language which allow these lands to be leased for a period of 99 years, and I am especially opposed to this measure if the parcels chosen by the Board of Education are 'ceded' and/or Public Land Trust lands.

"The proposed lease term of 99 years is unnecessary, and unjust to Native Hawaiians. The lease of public lands to private developers, the highest bidder, for 99 years, invokes a sense of entitlement to public lands. Furthermore, multi-generational leases will lead to long-term uncertainty. Future Legislatures may extend the number of parcels allowed to be leased by the board and may authorize lease extensions. Perhaps the board may be required to implement lease to fee conversion over a century from now. Who knows?

"This body should not entertain the idea of leasing public library lands for 99 years until it can ensure there are sufficient provisions in the HRS to prevent public school 'ceded' and/or Public Land Trust lands from being lost forever. This body should not entertain the idea of leasing public library lands for 99 years while it continues to fail to fulfill its fiduciary and constitutional duty to fully fund the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands and the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. This measure will result in many unintended consequences if it is passed this morning.

"For these reasons, Mr. Speaker, I am opposed to Senate Bill 976, CD2. *Mahalo.*"

Representative Perruso rose in opposition to the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Perruso's written remarks are as follows:

"Public libraries are a vital community resource. The pilot program envisioned by this measure mirrors Act 155's 21st Century Schools program, which sacrifices public land to for-profit developers to generate revenue for education. Yet, to date, that program has failed to produce the funding needed to deliver the schools our *keiki* deserve.

"Such programs turn public space over to corporate control, making Hawaii even more dependent on private land and real estate developers to pay for public goods. This is no way to fund our critical educational infrastructure and programs. In contrast, we can and should commit to increasing funding for education by passing legislation that raises taxes on those who can most afford it, including the developers who hold our children's future hostage to boost their own bottom lines.

"Public lands should be kept in public hands. Accordingly, I take issue with the 99-year leases called for by this bill. While lands held by the DOE were exempted from the definition of public lands in Chapter 171 in 2018, doubling down on that misguided action with regard to our state's library system recommitments the Legislature to circumventing important land use requirements for lease appraisal and valuation, public auction, lessee qualifications, and lease length and renewal restrictions, among other mechanisms of accountability and transparency.

"Additionally, when discussing public lands, we must always account for 'ceded' lands, to which Native Hawaiians maintain an unrelinquished claim. Long-term leases, like those called for by this bill, prevent the Hawaiian community from determining the most appropriate use of public trust lands, prolonging the erasure of Hawaiian voices in decision-making about land use that could lead to the betterment of Native Hawaiian conditions.

"Finally, the 21st Century Schools initiative on which this measure is based relies on the commercialization of public school space—the space in which our *keiki* play and learn. Developers are given the opportunity to build commercial residential and retail properties, in exchange for providing a few pennies of each dollar they earn to the DOE. Essentially, the 21st Century Schools program allows developers to privatize public education lands, taking away precious school space to boost corporate profits. Following that model with our public library system would greatly undermine the civic function that libraries perform, especially for our most vulnerable residents.

"Our children's education, whether through schools or libraries, should not be for sale to the highest bidder, nor should we be taking steps to

privatize education, which is the ultimate public good. We should, instead, be working to increase education funding by asking wealthy businesses and residents to pay their fair share to ensure that our children can reach their fullest potential and we, the people, can engage in a lifetime of learning."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES," passed Final Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Okimoto and Perruso voting no, and with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 888, HD 1, SD 2, CD 2:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 888, HD 1, SD 2, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE MAUI HEALTH SYSTEM," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2, CD 2:

Representative Belatti moved that S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2, CD 2 pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Say 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 S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC SMOKING PRODUCTS," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representative Say voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 843, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 843, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 1547, HD 2, SD 3, CD 2:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 1547, HD 2, SD 3, CD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

At 10:41 o'clock a.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Final Reading:

H.B. No. 624, HD 1, SD 3, CD 1
 S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1
 S.B. No. 1342, HD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 1453, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2
 S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 888, HD 1, SD 2, CD 2
 S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2, CD 2
 H.B. No. 843, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 1547, HD 2, SD 3, CD 2

FINAL READING

Representative Belatti moved to agree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Bills, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried: (Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan were excused.)

H.B. No. 314, HD 1, (SD 1)
 H.B. No. 437, HD 1, (SD 1)
 H.B. No. 531, HD 1, (SD 1)

H.B. No. 901, HD 1, (SD 2)
 H.B. No. 1007, (SD 1)
 H.B. No. 1009, HD 1, (SD 1)

The Chair addressed the Clerk who announced that the record of votes for the appropriate measure had been received which indicated that the requisite number of House conferees appointed had agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, and had cast affirmative votes to report said measure to the floor for final disposition.

H.B. No. 314, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 314, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GIFT CERTIFICATES," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 437, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 437, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 531, HD 1, SD 1:

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the House of Representatives and the Senate, the managers on the part of the House recommended that the House agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 531, HD 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 4 (McKelvey, Kitagawa, Quinlan and Matsumoto). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Nakashima).

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 531, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 901, HD 1, SD 2:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 901, HD 1, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 1007, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 1007, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADDING THE ROTH OPTION FOR THE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.B. No. 1009, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 1009, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOVIE THEATERS," passed Final Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

At 10:43 o'clock a.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Final Reading:

H.B. No. 314, HD 1, SD 1
 H.B. No. 437, HD 1, SD 1

H.B. No. 531, HD 1, SD 1
 H.B. No. 901, HD 1, SD 2
 H.B. No. 1007, SD 1
 H.B. No. 1009, HD 1, SD 1

**DISPOSITION OF MATTERS
 PLACED ON THE CLERK'S DESK**

Representative Belatti moved to agree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Concurrent Resolutions, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried: (Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan were excused.)

H.C.R. No. 25, HD 1, (SD 1)
 H.C.R. No. 55, HD 1, (SD 1)
 H.C.R. No. 113, HD 1, (SD 1)
 H.C.R. No. 168, (SD 1)
 H.C.R. No. 193, (SD 1)

Representative Ward rose, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, point of information. These are final votes, correct? Could we hear those numbers again? That was really rapid-fire for us to absorb, if you may indulge my request, Mr. Speaker."

H.C.R. No. 25, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.C.R. No. 25, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON THE PROCESSING OF STATE OF HAWAII PLANT AND ANIMAL DECLARATION FORMS, INCLUDING THE COSTS INVOLVED," was Adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.C.R. No. 55, HD 1, SD 1:

Representative Belatti moved that H.C.R. No. 55, HD 1, SD 1 be Adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.C.R. No. 55, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE CONSOLIDATION OF STATE ENVIRONMENTAL FUNCTIONS AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT," was Adopted, with Representative Okimoto voting no, and with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.C.R. No. 113, HD 1, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.C.R. No. 113, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING THE MULTIPLE LANGUAGES EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION WORKING GROUP," was Adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.C.R. No. 168, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.C.R. No. 168, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE AND IDENTIFY POTENTIAL SOURCES AND MEANS OF FUNDING AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR AND HELP MAINTAIN THE HAWAII WILDLIFE CENTER FACILITY AND HAWAII'S ENDANGERED WILDLIFE," was

Adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

H.C.R. No. 193, SD 1:

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.C.R. No. 193, SD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FOLLOW-UP STUDY TO ITS 2015 STUDY OF DEPARTMENTAL ENGINEERING SECTIONS THAT MANAGE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS," was Adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 224 through 226) were announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 224, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE," was offered by Representative Saiki.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.R. No. 224 was adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima, Perruso and Quinlan being excused.

H.R. No. 225, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND EMPOWERING THE SPEAKER TO PERFORM AND CARRY OUT ANY OFFICIAL LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN THE 2019 AND 2020 REGULAR SESSIONS," was jointly offered by Representatives Belatti and Ward.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Ward and carried, H.R. No. 225 was adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima, Perruso and Quinlan being excused.

H.R. No. 226, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION INFORMING THE SENATE AND THE GOVERNOR THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IS READY TO ADJOURN SINE DIE," was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Nakashima.

Representative Belatti moved that H.R. No. 226 be adopted, seconded by Representative Ward.

At 10:47 o'clock a.m., Representative Luke requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:48 o'clock a.m.

At this time, the Chair introduced the Honorable David Y. Ige, Governor of the State of Hawaii.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 226 was adopted, with Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, just a moment to say *mahalo* to you for the food, for keeping good decorum, and for a *mahalo* to all of the majority, and a *mahalo* to the Governor, who we had gracing our presence at a luncheon here.

"But especially to the freshmen, you survived your first session, and we're looking forward to the freshman skit this afternoon, Mr. Speaker. So, that's really the announcement, but the real challenge is this. The gold standard of the freshman skit is with Representative Hashem of East Honolulu. If they beat that, they will have scored very, very well. But I know they'll probably be better than the Representative from Waikiki who tried to give us his best

poem this morning. For those reasons, Mr. Speaker, *aloha* to everyone, *mahalo* from the minority. *Aloha*."

Representative San Buenaventura: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. So, last year on the last day of session, after we had passed the Kauai relief bill, I turned around to Chair Luke and I asked her, because we were undergoing a number of earthquakes at that time, so what would happen during the interim if a disaster fell in my district? And that day, at 5:00 p.m., the first fissure on Leilani Estates opened up.

"Since then, one year later, we are still recovering. I would like to thank leadership for the many times you folks have visited my district, my island. The many times you folks have met with county officials. I'd like to thank the Governor for the relief that was far more than we expected during the interim. And I'd like to thank the Legislature for passing House Bill 1180 that kick starts our recovery. And hopefully next year on the last day of session we could say we are on the path towards recovery. And for those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I'd like to also extend *mahalo* to everyone in this Chamber. Thank you very much."

Representative Holt: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise on a point of personal privilege. So, I know towards the end of session we have to pass bills without knowing everything, definitions aren't set, but it's for the betterment of the people of Hawaii. And I don't have concern with that. What I do have concern with is when we do know we have a responsibility to the people of Hawaii and we fail to act. What we do know is that the Hawaiian Kingdom lands are held in a trust, a public land trust, and 20% of those funds are supposed to go for the betterment of the Native Hawaiians. What we do know is that \$15 million is not 20% of that fund, and we do have a responsibility to update that amount. I look forward to going into next session and taking care of this responsibility that we all have. Thank you."

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, may I adopt the words of the former announcement as if my own. I know it's never been done, but what he said is very important."

The Chair then recognized Representative Belatti, the Majority Leader, to deliver closing remarks on behalf of the Majority Caucus:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, for this opportunity to make remarks. I would like to start my remarks with those same remarks that I ended with on Opening Day, by thanking the hard-working staff of the House. The Clerk's Office, the Sergeant-at-Arms, the Legislative Reference Bureau, the House Minority and Majority Staff Offices, and all of our individual staffs and offices. A session of 60 legislative days like the one we have had in 2019 could not happen without them. Please, a round of applause for them.

"Mr. Speaker, I trust that you will take care of the substantive bills and mentioning the highlights. What I'd like to share with this body is that every year, like every year when I was a teacher, at the end of the year it was a time for self-reflection. It was a time to think about what we had done and to look forward to the future.

"For me, the lessons that I have learned in this body and in this year, and I learn them every year, every time that I come back to this place. But the lessons I learned this year was that leadership starts from a place of listening, really listening to the broad range of perspectives and concerns that come before us as lawmakers, and putting aside our own preconceived notions of what is absolutely the right thing to do.

"Leadership seeks to balance these concerns and, inevitably, the competing needs and conflicting agendas that arise from diversity. Leadership is being willing to roll up one's sleeves to do the heavy lifting of working through tough issues and crafting pragmatic solutions and pass forward for the community at large to benefit from. Leadership is about allowing all to share in the workload. Leadership is then, in this body, among all 51 of us, it is to share both the burden of leadership and to celebrate the wins together.

"It is also for all of us to come back next year, to come back if we are so lucky enough to have our neighbors, our *kūpuna*, our children, have enough

faith in us to elect us again. It is to come back and to continue to do the work of the House and the State of Hawaii. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Saiki then gave his closing remarks as follows:

"The Chair has a few remarks to close this session. To reiterate the Majority Leader, thank you to the staff who have helped us achieve this point in time. So, the Legislative Reference Bureau, Sergeant-at-Arms, Chief Clerk's Office, Printshop, Research Offices, our individual members' staff offices, and also to Governor Ige.

"I wanted to just, in particular, thank the Governor for working with the House throughout this session. I think that this is a really good partnership that we have between the Governor and the House, and we look forward to building upon that after this session concludes. So, thank you, Governor, for being here today.

"I would also like to thank the members of the House for all of your work. I wanted to say that there are more and more people on the outside who tell me that they look to the House to provide direction and stability for our state. And this is really an acknowledgement of all of your work. You have earned that acknowledgement from the public.

"The first year of the biennium is always the most challenging, frankly because we only have a few weeks to prepare for it. But this year, the House took the lead and made some big strides. We initiated a zero-based budgeting system that allowed our committees to scrutinize specific agency budgets, appropriations, and expenditures. This will reform and modernize state functions such as the State Energy Office, Hawaii Technology Development Corporation, Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation, and the recruitment process to fill state employee vacancies. And this new oversight has resulted in budget decisions that are being made in public and with maximum involvement.

"The members of this House have also taken charge to expand disaster relief for the Big Island and Kauai; fund personal care, meals, transportation, and daycare for seniors; implement statewide mail-in voting and mandatory recounts; expand rapid re-housing and 'ohana zones for homeless persons; revamp our pretrial detainee and corrections practices; fund the community college Promise program; stop opioid abuse; strengthen pedestrian crosswalk safety; create a permanent industrial hemp program; preserve natural resources such as the Bishop Museum, Festival of Pacific Arts, Molokini, He'eia State Park, and manta rays. And also, members, very importantly, to date, our six-week Water Dispenser Pilot Project has saved the equivalent of 12,507 plastic water bottles.

"So, the House has redefined the Legislature's role as the policy-making branch of state government. I know that there is more to be done, and we will use this interim to develop priorities for next year. So, members, thank you very much for all of your work and have a great summer. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Belatti moved that the House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2019, adjourn Sine Die, seconded by Representative Ward.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and at 11:00 o'clock a.m., the Speaker rapped his gavel and declared the House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2019, adjourned Sine Die. (Representatives DeCoite, Nakashima and Quinlan were excused.)

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated May 2, 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 House has this day passed the following bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 624, HD 1, SD 3, CD 1
 H.B. No. 843, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 888, HD 1, SD 2, CD 2
 H.B. No. 1453, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 1547, HD 2, SD 3, CD 2
 S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1, CD 2
 S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1
 S.B. No. 1342, HD 1, CD 2
 S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2, CD 2

House Communication dated May 2, 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 House has this day agreed to the amendments made by the Senate and passed the following House Bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 314, HD 1, SD 1
 H.B. No. 437, HD 1, SD 1
 H.B. No. 531, HD 1, SD 1
 H.B. No. 702, HD 1, SD 2
 H.B. No. 901, HD 1, SD 2
 H.B. No. 1007, SD 1
 H.B. No. 1009, HD 1, SD 1

House Communication dated May 2, 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 House has agreed to the amendments made by the Senate and has this day adopted the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

H.C.R. No. 25, HD 1, SD 1
 H.C.R. No. 55, HD 1, SD 1
 H.C.R. No. 113, HD 1, SD 1
 H.C.R. No. 168, SD 1
 H.C.R. No. 193, SD 1

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 969 and 970) were received by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 969, dated May 2, 2019, informing the House that the Senate has on April 30, 2019, reconsidered its action taken on April 11, 2019, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and has moved to agree to the amendments, and that said bill has this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 78, SD 2, HD 2

Sen. Com. No. 970, dated May 2, 2019, informing the House that the following bills have this day passed Final Reading:

H.B. No. 624, HD 1, SD 3, CD 1
 H.B. No. 843, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 888, HD 1, SD 2, CD 2
 H.B. No. 1453, HD 1, SD 1, CD 2
 H.B. No. 1547, HD 2, SD 3, CD 2
 S.B. No. 976, SD 2, HD 1, CD 2
 S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1
 S.B. No. 1342, HD 1, CD 2
 S.B. No. 1405, SD 2, HD 2, CD 2

A copy of the following Senate Resolution was received by the Clerk:

S.R. No. 177, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION INFORMING THE HOUSE AND GOVERNOR THAT THE SENATE IS READY TO ADJOURN SINE DIE," which was adopted by the Senate on May 2, 2019.

EMPLOYEES OF THE HOUSE

The following is a list of all House employees for the 2019 Session:

- Representative Aquino: Maureen Andrade, Jayne Nantkes, Kourtney Park
- Representative Belatti: Jon Kawamura, Robert Choy, Kimberly Puente
- Representative Brower: Cynthia Nyross, Elyse Nakamoto, Luke Sarvis
- Representative Cabanilla Arakawa: Philmund Lee, Thomas Marzec, Stephanie Albana, Bot Ling Lam, Christopher Manabat
- Representative Cachola: Leo Gozar, Dennis Galolo, Lorenz-Jo Galvan
- Representative Creagan: Napualani Young, Joline Chew, Jennifer Courtney, Shayne Matsuda
- Representative Cullen: Shanell Cullen, Jamaica Agustin, Lawson Fernandes, Brianna Siler
- Representative DeCoite: Rebecca Crall, Richard Oshiro, Sara Riggs
- Representative Eli: Soana Tupua-Fanoga, Nancy Barry, Sydney Fanoga, Ivan Levy
- Representative Gates: Benjamin Gates, Alexander Beaulac, Joanna Patterson
- Representative Har: Nathan Takeuchi, Marry Huynh, Chanelle Miwa
- Representative Hashem: Kathy Kato, Kenneth Best, Michael Leong
- Representative Hashimoto: Wren Fukada, Marlo-John Ting, Charles Yoo
- Representative Holt: Roth Puahala, Teriitavae Perez, Yvonne Ryan
- Representative Johanson: Christine Choi, Dorene Eddy, David Enriquez
- Representative Kitagawa: Jennifer Tobar-Honold, Harvey Alexander Jr., Richard Mizusawa
- Representative B. Kobayashi: Edward Thompson, Joni Ekimura, Melvia Kawashima
- Representative D. Kobayashi: Jolyn Rosa, Darian Kwon, Robert Mon
- Representative Kong: Crystal Kionia, June Kong, Scot Shimamura
- Representative Ichiyama: Sheldon Galdeira, Debra Shiraiishi-Pratt, Kaishu Tamura
- Representative Lee: Arwyn Jackson, Matthew Prellberg, Joseph Brown III, Angelie Byerlotzer, Andrew Carmody, Christilei Hessler, Melita Lani, Anthony Miranda, Kathryn Pacheco, Derek Turbin
- Representative Lowen: Peter Moala, Maile Edwards, Pono Suganuma
- Representative Luke: Suhyeon Burns, Gayzel Joy Alonzo, Natassja Arakaki, Sean Cummings, Alyssa Hayamoto, Andrew Howard, Joy Nakashima, Candace Okouchi, Harrison Oshiro, Zephania Smith Eisenstat, Michael Smith, Alexandra Van Pernis, Tabrina Webb-Hayes, Lily Zheng
- Representative Matayoshi: Kiona Esteban, Arjuna Heim, Janina Tully
- Representative Matsumoto: Mark Clemente, Eleanor Church, Kiku Khan
- Representative McDermott: LuAnn Poti, Cesar Caoili, Harvey Hukari
- Representative McKelvey: Stewart Lambert, Jerome Mackey, Donald Martin
- Representative Mizuno: Joje "May" Mizuno, Christine Fehn, Erwin Gabrillo, Charles St. Sure
- Representative Morikawa: Mark Mararagan, Megan Mararagan, Alvin Takahashi, Lori Tobar
- Representative Nakamura: Benigno "Ben" Viernes Jr., Kylee Babcock, Nichol Kunioka-Volz
- Representative Nakashima: Lori Hasegawa, Derek Okubo, Angela Thomas, Naomi Wong
- Representative Nishimoto: Megan Kira, Kevan Wong
- Representative Ohno: Jenna Takenouchi, Patrick Castro, Melanie Fujita
- Representative Okimoto: Jame Schaedel, Eric Jordan Kamanu, Nannette Oudraad
- Representative Onishi: Tracy Weidie, Timothy Coughlin, Isaac Goya, Tammy Yamamoto
- Representative Perruso: Kristopher DeRego-Coffield, Thora-Jean Cuaresma, Jeanne Kapela, Christopher Mikesell
- Representative Quinlan: Kamalei Grace, Sunshine David, Spencer Fong
- Representative San Buenaventura: John Honda, Brandon Garay, David Kim, Kevin Wilson
- Representative Saiki: Kim Bowman, Wesley Machida, Kathleen Sakamoto, Ryan Sakuda, James Stone, Kay Yasufuku Tam
- Representative Say: Evelyn Hee, Jesus Arriola, Elton Fukumoto, Karen Taroc
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