THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

Monday, May 11, 2020

The House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2020, convened at 12:05 p.m., with Speaker Saiki presiding, pursuant to S.C.R. No. 242.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 242, this session is reconvened by a signed memorandum issued by the Senate President and myself on May 7, 2020.

"Before we have the roll call, the Chair has some brief remarks for the members. First of all, the Chair would like to acknowledge General Kenneth Hara and Comptroller Curt Otaguro for coordinating and staffing our screening and security team at the State Capitol.

"Members, we all know that this is an unprecedented time for all of us. And especially now, Hawaii residents want leadership. As I have said before, the House of Representatives is a leader. Rather than just criticize, the House has stood up and taken on challenges when no one else has.

"For example, in just three days, the House took the lead with the Department of Labor to stand up the unemployment intake center at the Waikiki Convention Center. Over 210 volunteers are now processing unemployment applications and taking phone calls to help people. More than 57,000 new claims have been paid out in the last three weeks alone. Although we know that there is more work to be done, we are making progress and doing the work to help people.

"The Chair would like to thank the volunteers who have worked over the past three weeks at the unemployment intake center. These volunteers include the House members and their staff, the Legislative Reference Bureau, the Chief Clerk's Office, Sergeant-at-Arms Office, HMSO, HMIR, and volunteers from throughout state government including public school teachers and university faculty. Thank you for all of your work at the intake center.

"Besides unemployment, the House is leading in other areas. The House has identified and prioritized construction projects that can begin now. The House is working with farmers to innovate production and distribution methods that can last beyond this pandemic. The House is working with the Department of Education to determine how video technology can enhance student learning and teaching in our schools.

"These are just a few examples, and we know that there is more important work ahead of us. But this is what the House does. We identify problems, we develop solutions, and then we get the work done. This pandemic has shown us that government is key to reopening Hawaii and protecting our safety net.

"In the next two weeks, we will stabilize our state budget to avoid drastic cuts and disruption in basic government services. We will continue our work on a statewide framework to gradually reopen Hawaii in a coordinated manner while keeping people healthy and safe. And we will work with the Governor to design this framework quickly, and to ensure that the entire state understands our plan.

"When we began our session on January 15th, no one would have imagined where we find ourselves today. But as I mentioned, this is the time to lead. The public wants us to lead with intelligence, compassion, and strength. And I have no doubt that this is exactly what the House will do. Thank you, members."

Representative Ward then rose and stated:

"Mr. Speaker, three quick points, as I spoke to you earlier. First, thank you for your leadership. Thank you for the volunteers that have stepped forward. Thank you for the House being part of the leadership team. Secondly, my sympathies to yourself and all the extroverts who are now out of captivity and into the public, and it's great seeing everybody face to face, eyeball to eyeball. And thank you, lead on. Thank you."

The Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Thielen, who was excused.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 4) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 4, dated April 16, 2020, informing the House that an arbitration award was issued for the Hawaii Government Employees Association, Collective Bargaining Unit 14, on April 15, 2020, and transmitting a proposed H.B. No. 2309, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1 to fund the award.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following miscellaneous communication (Misc. Com. No. 4) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 4, from the Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, President of the Senate, and the Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker of the House of Representatives, dated May 7, 2020, transmitting a Joint Signed Memorandum reconvening the 2020 Legislative Session on Monday, May 11, 2020, pursuant to S.C.R. No. 242, as follows:

"May 7, 2020

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Senate and House

FROM: Senate President Ronald D. Kouchi /s/

House Speaker Scott K. Saiki /s/

RE: Reconvening of the 2020 Legislative Session

Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 242, the Legislature recessed the 2020 Legislative Session beginning March 17, 2020. SCR 242 allows for the Senate President and the Speaker of the House to reconvene the 2020 Legislative Session by joint signed memorandum.

Please be advised that pursuant to SCR 242 and with this joint signed memorandum, the 2020 Legislative Session will reconvene on Monday, May 11, 2020. Senate floor session will begin at 11:30 a.m. and House floor session will begin at noon."

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1102-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3073, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3073, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORLD WAR II COMMEMORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1103-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2523, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2523, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2885, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2885, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1105-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3072, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3072, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1106-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2888, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2888, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE INTEROPERABLE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1107-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2887, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2887, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1108-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2788, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2788, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1109-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2911, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2911, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING REPORTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1110-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2925,

SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2925, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAYMENT FOR AIRPORT CHARGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1111-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2103, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2103, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1112-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3158, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3158, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1113-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2672 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2672, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1114-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2992 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2992, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTORCYCLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1115-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2508, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2508, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1116-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2166, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2166, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused. Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1117-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2993, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2993, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Aquino and Takumi, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1118-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2384, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2384, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Mizuno and San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1119-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2102, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2102, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I can't emphasize the importance of this bill enough. In strong, strong favor. This is the only bill that we have before us that mentions by its name, at least as far as I know, COVID-19. This is not only by its title, very valuable. I want to commend the Chair of Human Services for bringing this forward, as well as the Chair of Finance, as a way of, and this is the key to our future, testing. Testing the long-term care facilities should, I would hope, lead to testing of even our employees who are sometimes fearful to go to work, thinking that maybe one of their colleagues has been exposed. Case in point, Senator Nishihara.

"And now especially, this is more that you're going to hear from the Representative of District 40 and myself, that those who think that Hawaii is not safe to visit, they will not come. If they don't feel it's safe, they won't come. So, the testing that this bill kicks off, Mr. Speaker, I hope will have a rippling effect. That everybody who gets on an airplane, 72-hours prior to that will either be at a CVS or a Walgreens to be tested, so when they come here it won't be like the good people of Molokai who say, tourists go home and take your disease with you. We've got to prevent that.

"And if you heard the quote today that was in Civil Beat about rioting, Mr. Speaker, we have to take testing very seriously, and this is the beginning of that long journey up the mountain. It's a foothill, but it's an excellent bill. For those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I hope this bill really goes far and meets implications, as I've indicated, for tourism. Thank you."

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

"Request a ruling on a potential conflict, Mr. Speaker. My company does COVID-19 testing," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2102, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Mizuno and San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1120-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2458, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2458, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCREEN TIME AWARENESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Mizuno and Woodson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1121-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2983, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2983, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOAN REPAYMENT FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1122-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2891, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2891, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1123-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2337, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2337, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1124-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3117, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3117, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives San Buenaventura and Takayama, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness and the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1125-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2345, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2345, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN AND FAMILY OF INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused. Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1126-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2631, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2631, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MENTAL HEALTH OF DEFENDANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1127-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2342, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2342, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KUPUNA CAREGIVERS PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1128-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2893, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2893, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHRONICALLY HOMELESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1129-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2942, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2942, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1130-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2291, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2291, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1131-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2603, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2603, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1132-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2505, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2505, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives San Buenaventura and Mizuno, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1133-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2335, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2335, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTHY AGING PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives San Buenaventura and Mizuno, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1134-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2469, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2469, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Johanson and Woodson, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1135-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2488, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2488, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Woodson and Johanson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1136-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2056, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2056, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Woodson and Johanson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1137-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2065, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2065, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Woodson and Johanson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1138-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2259, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2259, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Woodson and Johanson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1139-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3013, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3013, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Woodson and Johanson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1140-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3014, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3014, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-SITE EARLY CHILDHOOD FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Woodson and Johanson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1141-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3058, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3058, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1142-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2262, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2262, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1143-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2690, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2690, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1144-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2063, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2063, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1145-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2736, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2736, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1146-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2052, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2052, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOAN FORGIVENESS FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROFESSIONALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1147-20) recommending that S.B. No. 584, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 584, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING FOR SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1148-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2264, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2264, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL LUNCH REFORM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1149-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2392, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2392, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1150-20) recommending that S.B. No. 35, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 35, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1151-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2485, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2485, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Lower & Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1152-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2295, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2295, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE-LEARNING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1153-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3141, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3141, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGAL SERVICES FOR LOW-INCOME IMMIGRANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1154-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2051 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2051, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTERING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1155-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3180, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3180, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1156-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2275, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2275, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTARIAL ACTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1157-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2047, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2047, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1158-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2480, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2480, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1159-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2849, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2849, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1160-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2268, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2268, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1161-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2077, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2077, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1162-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2265, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2265, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Okimoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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. 2265, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOMELANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Okimoto voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1163-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2370, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2370, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO KALAUPAPA MONTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164-20) recommending that S.B. No. 70, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 70, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1165-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2303, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2303, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAHIAWA DAM AND RESERVOIR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1166-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2701, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2701, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL BUILDINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1167-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2417, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2417, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1168-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2191, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2191, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A WATER STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM FOR CERTAIN AGRICULTURAL LAND IN WAHIAWA, OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1169-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2692, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2692, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NA WAI EHA WATERSHED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused. Representatives Yamane and Lowen, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1170-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2548, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2548, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE DEBRIS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Yamane and Onishi, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Tourism & International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1171-20) recommending that S.B. No. 3011, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3011, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII MUSEUM OF MONARCHY HISTORY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1172-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2512, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2512, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Okimoto 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. 2512, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY MEDICINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Har and Okimoto voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1173-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2876, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2876, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative San Buenaventura 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. 2876, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative San Buenaventura voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1174-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2513, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2513, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1175-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2875, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2875, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIXED MARTIAL ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1176-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2647, SD 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2647, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1177-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2884, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Belatti moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2884, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"With reservations, short comment. At the time when we are looking at a budget deficit, huge budget deficit, I am for having the carryover funds to go into general funds rather than keeping it into PUC funds. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2884, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION SPECIAL FUND CARRYOVER BALANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative San Buenaventura voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Lee, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1178-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2421, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2421, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Lee, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1179-20) recommending that S.B. No. 2425, SD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2425, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1180-20)

recommending that H.R. No. 32, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 32, HD I, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE EFFECTS OF FELONY DISENFRANCHISEMENT, PARTICULARLY THE EFFECTS ON MINORITY GROUPS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1181-20) recommending that H.C.R. No. 47, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 47, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE EFFECTS OF FELONY DISENFRANCHISEMENT, PARTICULARLY THE EFFECTS ON MINORITY GROUPS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1182-20) recommending that H.R. No. 48 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 48, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORKING GROUP TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF BUILDING AN ADDITIONAL WORK FURLOUGH CENTER ON THE PRESENT SITE OF THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER ONCE THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER HAS BEEN RELOCATED TO HALAWA," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Public Safety, Veterans, & Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1183-20) recommending that H.C.R. No. 64 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 64, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORKING GROUP TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF BUILDING AN ADDITIONAL WORK FURLOUGH CENTER ON THE PRESENT SITE OF THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER ONCE THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER HAS BEEN RELOCATED TO HALAWA," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Thielen being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Luke: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Committee on Finance will continue our public hearing on the two bills we have posted, that is S.B. No. 75, SD 2 and S.B. No. 3139, SD 1. The hearing will be today, May 11 at 2:00 p.m. in the Auditorium.

"We have received all written testimony so far. Once we had reviewed the written testimony, we have seen some contradictory or conflicting testimony from the departments, contrary to their public opinion, and I think it would serve both the public and the legislative members well by calling them in for Q&A, so we will also be doing an extended hearing tomorrow.

"Today's hearing will just be on taking in the testimony, tomorrow will be Q&A based on their written testimony submitted. It's invitation only, and we will be providing them an opportunity, the various departments in question, an opportunity to either testify in person or via Zoom. But because of social distancing, we will probably do it by Zoom.

"We wanted to just let the committee know, so if I could ask for a waiver of the 48-hour notice requirement to continue our hearing tomorrow. We will have our hearing today, but it will be a continuation for further questioning tomorrow. Tomorrow, Tuesday, May 12, 2020, 2:00 p.m. in the Auditorium," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Luke: "Thank you very much. And decision making on these two bills will be on Wednesday, but time is to be determined depending on whether we want to take action prior to the Senate coming in at 11:30 a.m. or not, if we are able to process our committee reports. So, that will be on call and I will make further announcements tomorrow. Thank you very much."

Representative Ward: "Mr. Speaker, in view of my colleague that I referenced earlier, Representative McDermott, if any of you see him using a cane, it's a warning to all of you, when you lift weights, don't try to do 200 to 300 pounds if you're not ready for it. So, when you see him, sympathize with him. It's his exercise, when he got cooped up he had to pump iron, and he just pumped a little bit too much. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Belatti: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Not as colorful an announcement. All members, we are going to have caucus following adjournment today. All members, caucus here on the Floor following adjournment. Thank you."

Representative Luke: "Thank you, I also have another announcement regarding unemployment insurance. Unemployment insurance on a daily basis, even if you filed the initial application, you still need to file your weekly certification. At some point in time your claim will tell you if it has to be bi-weekly or weekly. So, this is so that I can pass on the information to you folks, because I think you folks have been getting a lot of unemployment questions. And one of the biggest complaints is that even if they file for unemployment, they're having a hard time doing weekly certification because the traffic on the system is so heavy.

"What I wanted to announce is that as of Saturday, they have switched on to what is known as a shadow system. So, as opposed to the unemployment office being able to accommodate about on average between 12,000 to 15,000 filings, as of yesterday, just yesterday, they were able to accommodate 65,000.

"So, we have received a lot of calls when a bunch of us were at the call center this morning that they did see that their certification did go through and they're being processed. Once it shows up that it's being processed, it will take a while for it to show up on the bank account. So, if people are having a hard time getting onto the system, if you could also relay back to your constituents that DLIR has upgraded their IT systems, so they should be able to get on and ask them to get on.

"If they are having a hard time getting onto the call center, so this is the other thing, the call center, when we stood up the call center, it started out with 60, now we are able to take in 250 volunteers, so we have about 200 people at the call center this morning. As a comparison to the wait time when it was first set up, the wait time was, you couldn't even get in. But if you were one of the lucky ones to get on queue, you waited about two hours or more. The average wait time, as of this morning from 8:00 a.m. to when I left at 11:00 a.m., it was about 15 minutes.

"So, if people have questions, ask them to call the call center. If people have outstanding verification, please ask them to file their verification. This is the best way that you can help your constituents, just ask them to call or file online. Because what people don't realize is that even after you file your initial claim, that doesn't mean it's automatic, you have to file your weekly verification. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:26 p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Matsumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until noon tomorrow, Tuesday, May 12, 2020. (Representative Thielen was excused.)