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STATE OF HAWAII
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FIRST DAY

Wednesday, January 20, 2021

In accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 10 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2021, convened at 10:03 o'clock a.m.

The Honorable Mark M. Nakashima, being the Representative who was elected from the First Representative District of the State of Hawaii, called the House to order.

At this time, the Temporary Chair stated:

"The House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii is now called to order.

"*Aloha*, I am Representative Mark Nakashima from the First House District on the Big Island, and I am honored to preside over Opening Day floor session per House Rule 1.1."

The invocation was then delivered by Representative John M. Mizuno.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 1) was announced by the Temporary Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ELECTING THE TEMPORARY CHAIR OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE," resolving that the Honorable Mark M. Nakashima, Representative from the First District, be and is hereby declared the duly elected Temporary Chair of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, was offered by Representative Belatti.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.R. No. 1 was adopted.

At this time, the Temporary Chair stated:

"Members of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature, thank you. Let us commence with the Order of the Day."

The Temporary Chair appointed Mr. Brian L. Takeshita as Temporary Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The Temporary Chair then called upon Representative Mizuno for the report of the Committee on Credentials.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

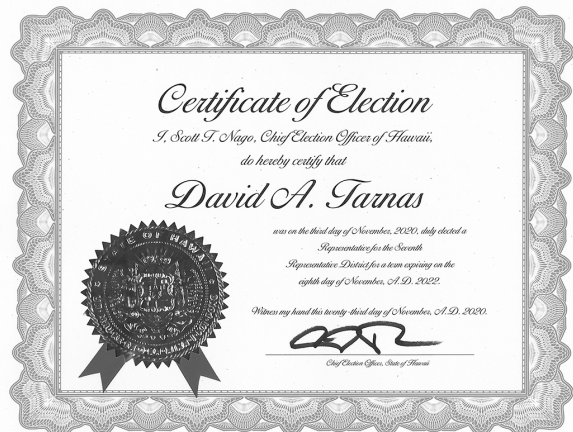
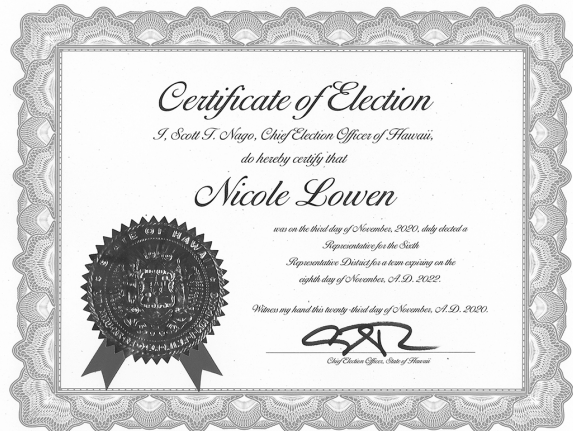
Representative Mizuno, for the Committee on Credentials, presented a report (Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1) as follows:

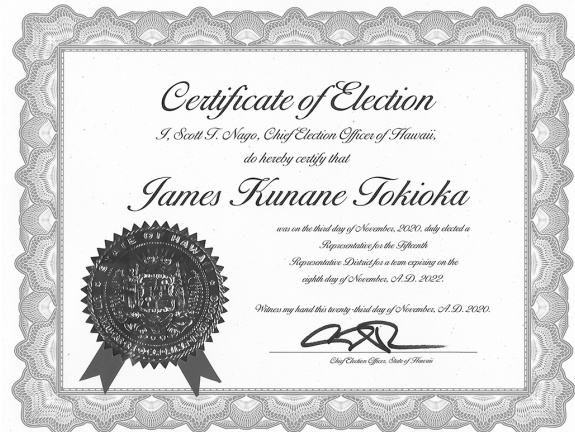
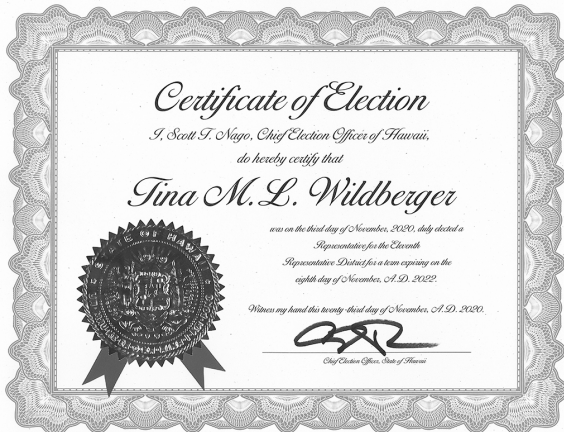
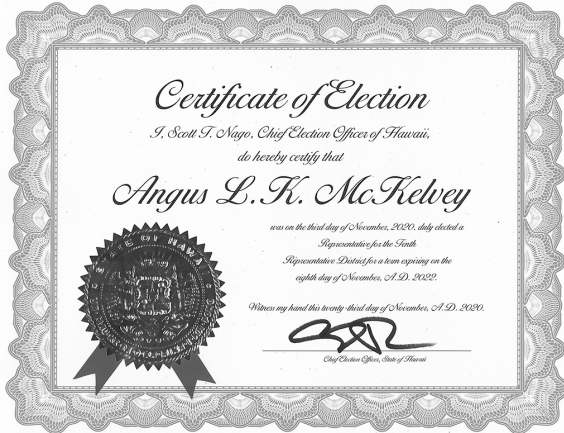
"Pursuant to the authority vested by Article III, Section 12, of the Hawaii State Constitution, which identifies each House of the Legislature as sole judge of the elections, returns, and qualifications of its own members, your Committee on Credentials begs leave to report that it has thoroughly considered the matter of the seating of the members elect of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-first Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2021, and finds that, based on the certificates of election issued by the Office of Elections (attached), the members elect are duly qualified to sit as members of the House of Representatives as follows:

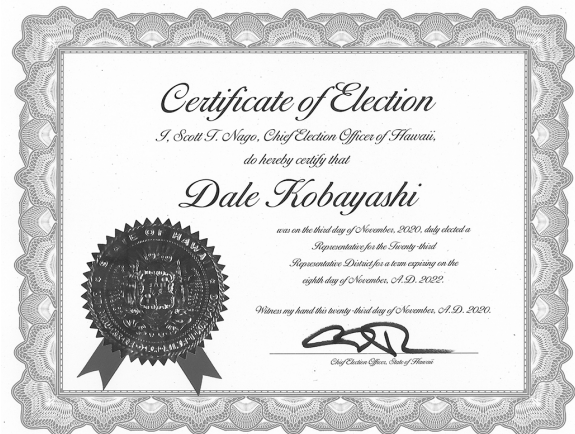
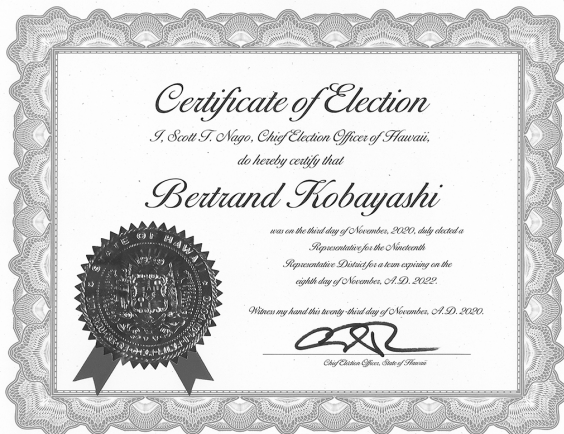
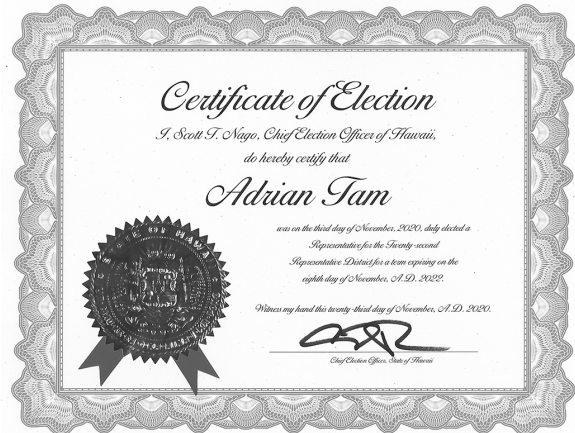
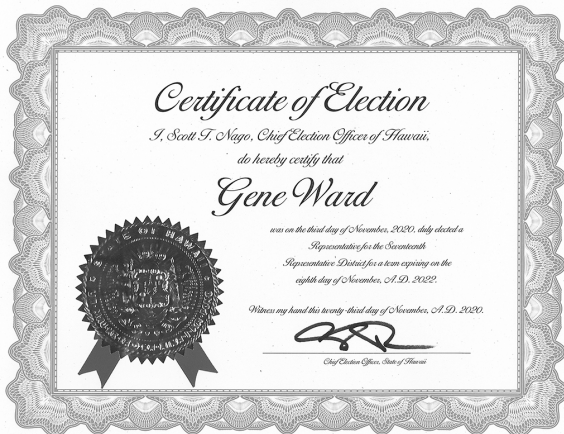
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Second District:	Chris Todd
Third District:	Richard H.K. Onishi
Fourth District:	Greggor Ilagan
Fifth District:	Jeanne Kapela
Sixth District:	Nicole E. Lowen
Seventh District:	David A. Tarnas
Eighth District:	Troy N. Hashimoto
Ninth District:	Justin H. Woodson
Tenth District:	Angus L.K. McKelvey
Eleventh District:	Tina Wildberger
Twelfth District:	Kyle T. Yamashita
Thirteenth District:	Lynn DeCoite
Fourteenth District:	Nadine K. Nakamura
Fifteenth District:	James Kunane Tokioka
Sixteenth District:	Dee Morikawa
Seventeenth District:	Gene Ward
Eighteenth District:	Mark J. Hashem
Nineteenth District:	Bertrand Kobayashi
Twentieth District:	Jackson D. Sayama
Twenty-First District:	Scott Y. Nishimoto
Twenty-Second District:	Adrian K. Tam
Twenty-Third District:	Dale T. Kobayashi
Twenty-Fourth District:	Della Au Belatti
Twenty-Fifth District:	Sylvia Luke
Twenty-Sixth District:	Scott K. Saiki
Twenty-Seventh District:	Takashi Ohno
Twenty-Eighth District:	John M. Mizuno
Twenty-Ninth District:	Daniel Holt
Thirtieth District:	Sonny Ganaden
Thirty-First District:	Aaron Ling Johanson
Thirty-Second District:	Linda Ichiyama
Thirty-Third District:	Sam Satoru Kong
Thirty-Fourth District:	Gregg Takayama
Thirty-Fifth District:	Roy M. Takumi
Thirty-Sixth District:	Val Okimoto
Thirty-Seventh District:	Ryan I. Yamane
Thirty-Eighth District:	Henry J.C. Aquino
Thirty-Ninth District:	Ty J.K. Cullen
Fortieth District:	Bob McDermott
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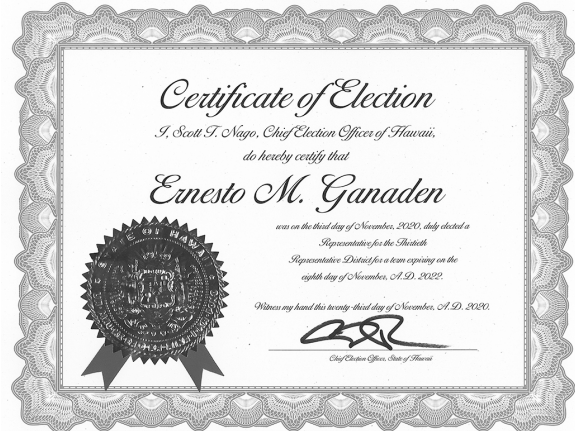
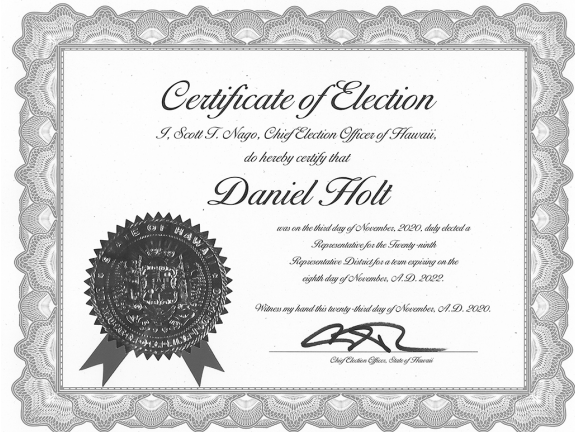
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 Forty-Sixth District: Amy A. Perruso
 Forty-Seventh District: Sean Quinlan
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 Forty-Ninth District: Scot Z. Matayoshi
 Fiftieth District: Patrick Pihana Branco
 Fifty-First District: Lisa Marten"

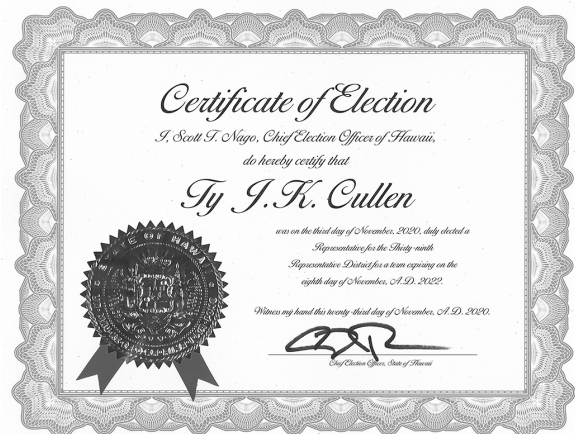
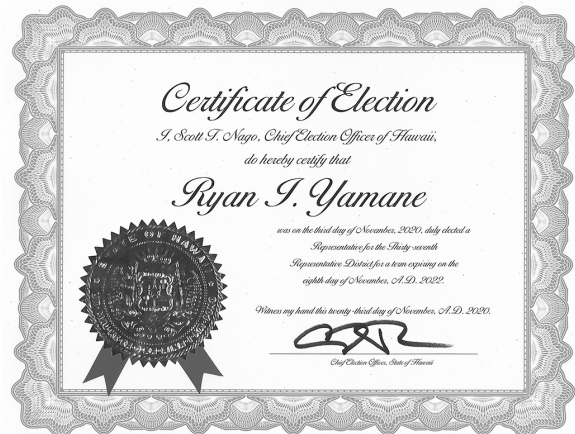
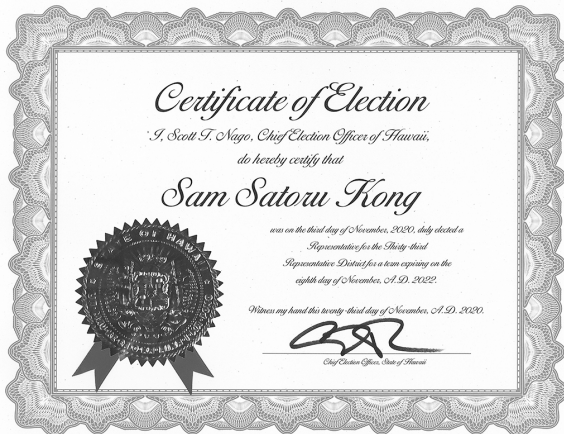
The report was submitted by Representatives Mizuno, Belatti, and Morikawa, with the following Certificates of Election attached:

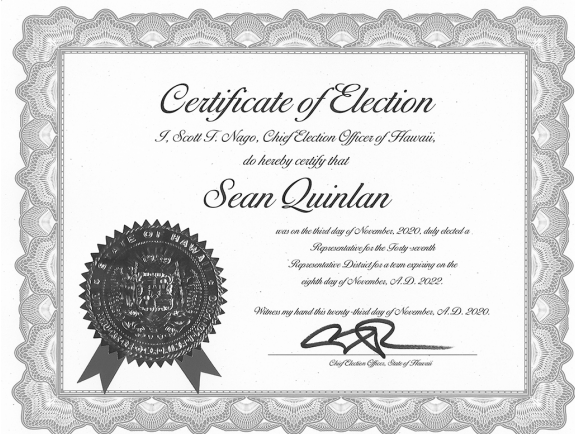
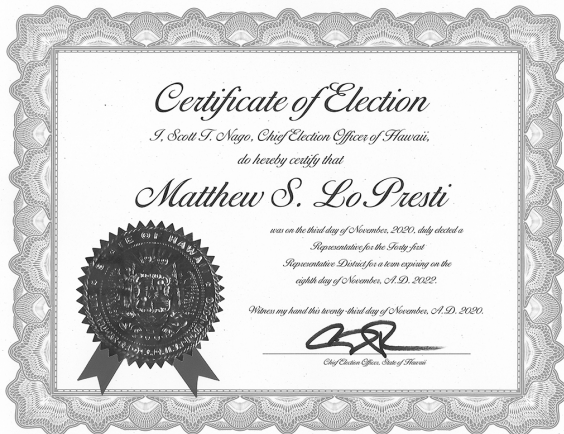
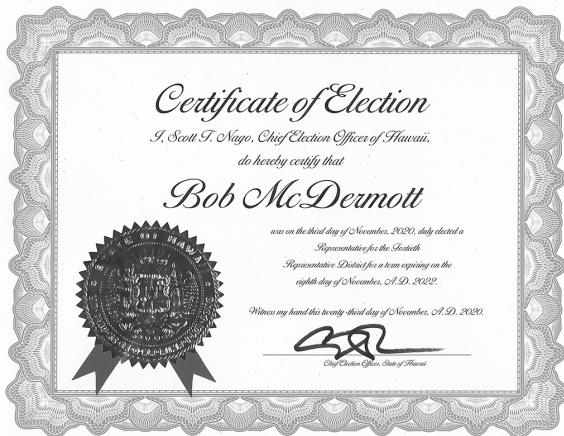


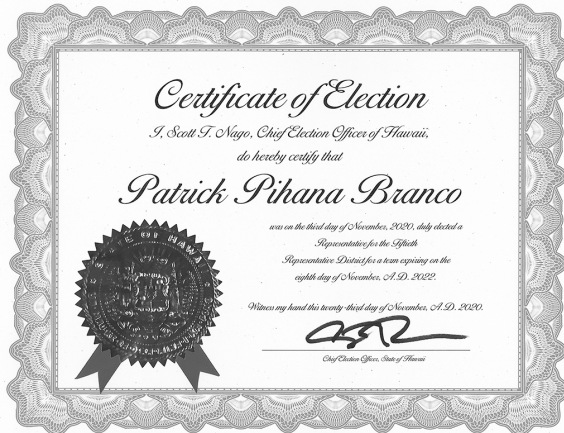












On motion by Representative Mizuno, seconded by Representative Belatti and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted.

The Temporary Chair appointed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort the Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice of the Hawaii State Supreme Court, to the rostrum, and requested that he administer the Oath of Office to the members of the House.

OATH OF OFFICE

The Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice of the Hawaii State Supreme Court, called upon the members of the House of Representatives who had been elected to serve in the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii to rise, and the Oath of Office was administered in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii to the following members of the House:

FIRST DISTRICT:

Mark M. Nakashima

SECOND DISTRICT:

Chris Todd

THIRD DISTRICT:

Richard H.K. Onishi

FOURTH DISTRICT:

Greggor Ilagan

FIFTH DISTRICT:

Jeanne Kapela

SIXTH DISTRICT:

Nicole E. Lowen

SEVENTH DISTRICT:

David A. Tarnas

EIGHTH DISTRICT:

Troy N. Hashimoto

NINTH DISTRICT:

Justin H. Woodson

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Kyle T. Yamashita

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Lynn DeCoite

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT:

Nadine K. Nakamura

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT:

James Kunane Tokioka

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT:

Dee Morikawa

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT:

Gene Ward

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT:

Mark J. Hashem

NINETEENTH DISTRICT:

Bertrand Kobayashi

TWENTIETH DISTRICT:

Jackson D. Sayama

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT:

Scott Y. Nishimoto

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT:

Adrian K. Tam

TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT:

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TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT:

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Takashi Ohno

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Daniel Holt

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Sean Quinlan

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Lisa Kitagawa

FORTY-NINTH DISTRICT:

Scot Z. Matayoshi

FIFTIETH DISTRICT:

Patrick Pihana Branco

FIFTY-FIRST DISTRICT:

Lisa Marten

The Temporary Chair directed the Temporary Clerk to call the Roll, which being done disclosed that the following members were present: Representatives Henry J.C. Aquino, Della Au Belatti, Patrick Pihana Branco, Ty J.K. Cullen, Lynn DeCoite, Stacelynn K.M. Eli, Sonny Ganaden, Cedric Asuega Gates, Sharon E. Har, Mark J. Hashem, Troy N. Hashimoto, Daniel Holt, Linda Ichiyama, Greggor Ilagan, Aaron Ling Johanson, Jeanne Kapela, Lisa Kitagawa, Bertrand Kobayashi, Dale T. Kobayashi, Sam Satoru Kong, Matthew S. LoPresti, Nicole E. Lowen, Sylvia Luke, Lisa Marten, Scot Z. Matayoshi, Lauren Matsumoto, Bob McDermott, Angus L.K. McKelvey, John M. Mizuno, Dee Morikawa, Nadine K. Nakamura, Mark M. Nakashima, Scott Y. Nishimoto, Takashi Ohno, Val Okimoto, Richard H.K. Onishi, Amy A. Perruso, Sean Quinlan, Scott K. Saiki, Jackson D. Sayama, Gregg Takayama, Roy M. Takumi, Adrian K. Tam, David A. Tarnas, Chris Todd, James Kunane Tokioka, Gene Ward, Tina Wildberger, Justin H. Woodson, Ryan I. Yamane, and Kyle T. Yamashita, a total of fifty-one, with Representative Sharon E. Har participating remotely via videoconference.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 2 and 3) were announced by the Temporary Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ELECTING THE SPEAKER AND VICE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE," resolving that hat the Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Representative from the Twenty-Sixth District, and the Honorable John M. Mizuno, Representative from the Twenty-Eighth District, be elected as Speaker and Vice Speaker, respectively, of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, was offered by Representative Belatti.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.R. No. 2 was adopted.

The Temporary Chair then presented to the members of the House the Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Thank you, members, for your vote of confidence and support."

The Chair then acknowledged the Honorable John M. Mizuno, Vice Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature.

The Chair then stated:

"Before we take up more resolutions, I'd like to just spend a couple of minutes to welcome our newly elected members of the House. So, when I call you, could you please stand.

"First from District 4, Puna, Representative Greggor Ilagan. Representative Ilagan served as Hawaii County's youngest councilmember and has served six years with the Hawaii Air National Guard. Congratulations.

"From District 5, Representative Jeanne Kapela. District 5 includes Naalehu, Ocean View, Captain Cook, Kealahou, and Kailua-Kona. Representative Kapela was born in Kona, raised on a small coffee farm, and served as Miss Hawaii 2015. Congratulations.

"From District 20, Representative Jackson Sayama. District 20 includes St. Louis Heights, Palolo, Maunalani Heights, Wilhelmina Rise, and Ka'imuki. Representative Sayama was raised in St. Louis Heights with his twin brother, graduated from NYU Shanghai, and has been training in martial and fine arts at the Chozen-Ji Zen Temple. Congratulations.

"From District 22, Representative Adrian Tam. District 22 includes Waikiki and Ala Moana. Representative Tam is a realtor, second-generation Asian American, and is an LGBTQ+ member of the Hawaii State Legislature. Congratulations.

"From District 30, Representative Sonny Ganaden. This district includes Kalihi Kai, Sand Island, Hickam, Pearl Harbor, Ford Island, and Halawa Valley Estate. Representative Ganaden is a lawyer serving domestic violence victims and is also a college instructor. Congratulations.

"From District 50, Representative Patrick Pihana Branco. This district includes Kailua and Kaneohe Bay. Representative Branco is a fourth-generation resident of Kailua and is a former diplomat with the U.S. Foreign Service. Congratulations.

"From District 51, Representative Lisa Marten. This district includes Kailua and Waimanalo. Representative Marten grew up in Kailua, has served on the neighborhood board and Lanikai Association, and created and operates an environmental non-profit organization. Congratulations.

"And finally, we have a returning House Member from District 41, Representative Matthew LoPresti. This district includes Ewa, Ewa Beach, Ewa Gentry, Ewa Villages, Hoakalei, and Ocean Pointe. Representative LoPresti is a college professor and business owner. Congratulations.

"So, since we are doing things a little bit differently in this pandemic, I'd just like to give a couple of minutes to the new members to introduce their family members who are in the gallery with us this morning."

Representative Sayama introduced his parents, Yumiko Sayama and Mike Sayama, and thanked them for all their hard work to get him here.

Representative Branco introduced his parents, Edwina Pihana Branco and Patrick R. Branco, Jr., and thanked them for their support.

Representative Tam introduced his family, Joannie Hsieh, Akemy Hayashi, Vivienne Tam, and David Tam, and thanked them.

Representative Ilagan introduced two of his *hanai* moms, Tisha Uyehara and Gail Nakamura, and shared his appreciation for all they have done for him, and recognized his mom in the Philippines and father on the Big Island.

Representative Kapela introduced her partner, David Wild, and pageant papa, Tony Alcosiba, recognized her family who were unable to attend due to COVID-19, and thanked them for all their support.

Representative Ganaden introduced his family, Lucy Ganaden, and friend, Joe Dumayag, recognized his parents who were unable to be here due to his dad getting sick with COVID-19 and his mom taking care of him, and thanked them for their support.

Representative Marten introduced her mother, Ann Marten, and husband, James Moonier, and thanked them for their support.

Representative LoPresti introduced his friends, Jacob Vela and Dao Vela.

The Chair then stated:

"Members, could we give one more round of applause to our new members and to their family members who are here today."

H.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ELECTING THE OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE," resolving that Brian L. Takeshita, Rod Tanonaka, Rupert Juarez, and Tamah-Lani S.K. Noh be elected as Chief Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Assistant Chief Clerk, and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, respectively, of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-first Legislature of the State of Hawaii, was offered by Representative Belatti.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.R. No. 3 was adopted.

Thereafter, the Speaker administered the Oath of Office to the officers named, and presented the officers of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature.

The following resolution (H.R. No. 4) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING AND RECOGNIZING THE MAJORITY CAUCUS LEADERS AND NAMING THE CHAIRS, VICE CHAIRS, AND MEMBERS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE," acknowledging and recognizing the Majority Caucus Leaders and Naming the Chairs, Vice Chairs, and Members of the Standing Committees of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature, as listed below, was offered by Representative Belatti.

Majority Leader Della Au Belatti

Majority Floor Leader Dee Morikawa

Agriculture:

Mark J. Hashem Chair
Amy A. Perruso Vice Chair

Nicole E. Lowen
Lisa Marten
Scot Z. Matayoshi
Chris Todd
James Kunane Tokioka
Lauren Matsumoto

Consumer Protection & Commerce:

Aaron Ling Johanson Chair
Lisa Kitagawa Vice Chair

Henry J.C. Aquino
Sharon E. Har
Mark J. Hashem
Sam Satoru Kong
John M. Mizuno
Dee Morikawa
Richard H.K. Onishi
David A. Tarnas
Lauren Matsumoto

Corrections, Military, & Veterans:

Takashi Ohno Chair
Sonny Ganaden Vice Chair

Patrick Pihana Branco
Bertrand Kobayashi
Sam Satoru Kong
Dee Morikawa
David A. Tarnas
Bob McDermott

Culture, Arts, & International Affairs:

Cedric Asuega Gates Chair
Matthew S. LoPresti Vice Chair

Sharon E. Har
Jeanne Kapela
Scott Y. Nishimoto
Adrian K. Tam
Ryan I. Yamane
Gene Ward

Economic Development:

Sean Quinlan Chair
Daniel Holt Vice Chair

Della Au Belatti
Dale T. Kobayashi
Richard H.K. Onishi
Jackson D. Sayama
Gregg Takayama
Val Okimoto

Education:

Justin H. Woodson	Chair
Jeanne Kapela	Vice Chair
Della Au Belatti	
Lynn DeCoite	
Sonny Ganaden	
Cedric Asuega Gates	
Troy N. Hashimoto	
Takashi Ohno	
Sean Quinlan	
Gregg Takayama	
Ryan I. Yamane	
Val Okimoto	

Energy & Environmental Protection:

Nicole E. Lowen	Chair
Lisa Marten	Vice Chair
Mark J. Hashem	
Scot Z. Matayoshi	
Amy A. Perruso	
Chris Todd	
James Kunane Tokioka	
Lauren Matsumoto	

Finance:

Sylvia Luke	Chair
Ty J.K. Cullen	Vice Chair
Patrick Pihana Branco	
Stacelynn K.M. Eli	
Daniel Holt	
Greggor Ilagan	
Bertrand Kobayashi	
Lisa Marten	
Scott Y. Nishimoto	
Amy A. Perruso	
Jackson D. Sayama	
Adrian K. Tam	
Tina Wildberger	
Kyle T. Yamashita	
Bob McDermott	

Government Reform:

Angus L.K. McKelvey	Chair
Tina Wildberger	Vice Chair
Ty J.K. Cullen	
Stacelynn K.M. Eli	
Linda Ichiyama	
John M. Mizuno	
Justin H. Woodson	
Kyle T. Yamashita	
Gene Ward	

Health, Human Services, & Homelessness:

Ryan I. Yamane	Chair
Adrian K. Tam	Vice Chair
Cedric Asuega Gates	
Sharon E. Har	
Jeanne Kapela	
Matthew S. LoPresti	
Scott Y. Nishimoto	
Gene Ward	

Higher Education & Technology:

Gregg Takayama	Chair
Lynn DeCoite	Vice Chair
Della Au Belatti	
Sonny Ganaden	
Cedric Asuega Gates	
Troy N. Hashimoto	
Jeanne Kapela	
Takashi Ohno	
Sean Quinlan	
Justin H. Woodson	
Ryan I. Yamane	
Val Okimoto	

Housing:

Nadine K. Nakamura	Chair
Troy N. Hashimoto	Vice Chair
Henry J.C. Aquino	
Lynn DeCoite	
Greggor Ilagan	
Lisa Kitagawa	
Roy M. Takumi	
Bob McDermott	

Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs:

Mark M. Nakashima	Chair
Scot Z. Matayoshi	Vice Chair
Linda Ichiyama	
Dale T. Kobayashi	
Matthew S. LoPresti	
Nicole E. Lowen	
Angus L.K. McKelvey	
Nadine K. Nakamura	
Roy M. Takumi	
Chris Todd	
James Kunane Tokioka	
Gene Ward	

Labor & Tourism:

Richard H.K. Onishi	Chair
Jackson D. Sayama	Vice Chair
Della Au Belatti	
Daniel Holt	
Dale T. Kobayashi	
Sean Quinlan	
Gregg Takayama	
Val Okimoto	

Legislative Management:

Dale T. Kobayashi	Chair
John M. Mizuno	Vice Chair
Della Au Belatti	
Dee Morikawa	
Gene Ward	

Pandemic & Disaster Preparedness:

Linda Ichiyama	Chair
Stacelynn K.M. Eli	Vice Chair
Ty J.K. Cullen	
Angus L.K. McKelvey	
John M. Mizuno	
Tina Wildberger	
Justin H. Woodson	
Kyle T. Yamashita	
Gene Ward	

Transportation:

Henry J.C. Aquino	Chair
Greggor Ilagan	Vice Chair
Lynn DeCoite	
Troy N. Hashimoto	
Lisa Kitagawa	
Nadine K. Nakamura	
Roy M. Takumi	
Lauren Matsumoto	

Rod Tanonaka, Sergeant-at-Arms
 Rupert Juarez, Assistant Chief Clerk
 Tamah-Lani S.K. Noh, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.R. No. 5 was adopted.

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:25 a.m., on motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 21, 2021.

Water & Land:

David A. Tarnas	Chair
Patrick Pihana Branco	Vice Chair
Sonny Ganaden	
Bertrand Kobayashi	
Sam Satoru Kong	
Dee Morikawa	
Takashi Ohno	
Bob McDermott	

H.R. No. 4 further states that:

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any member of a Standing Committee is called to active duty in the military and is deployed and unavailable to participate in committee activities, then for that period of unavailability, the member shall not be considered a member of that Standing Committee."

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.R. No. 4 was adopted.

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 1 and 2) were announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2021," resolving that the dates of the mandatory recess for the Regular Session of 2021 are hereby determined to be the 25th and 26th days of February and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd days of March, on which dates the Regular Session of 2021 shall be recessed; and the dates of the recesses other than the dates of the mandatory recess for the Regular Session of 2021 are hereby determined to be the 26th and 28th days of January, the 8th and 10th days of March, and the 12th, 14th, 21st, 26th, and 28th days of April, on which dates the Regular Session of 2021 shall be recessed, was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Mizuno.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.C.R. No. 1 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE CONCERNING THE AFFAIRS OF THE STATE," resolving that the Governor of Hawaii is requested to address the Legislature pursuant to article V, section 5 of the Hawaii State Constitution at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, January 25, 2021; and that the Governor is requested to deliver the address to the Legislature remotely from the Executive Chambers, was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Mizuno.

On motion by Representative Belatti, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.C.R. No. 2 was adopted.

The following resolution (H.R. No. 5) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMUNICATING THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE HAS ASSEMBLED AND IS READY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS," resolving that this body has assembled and is ready to transact business with the officers as listed below, was offered by Representative Belatti.

Scott K. Saiki, Speaker
 John M. Mizuno, Vice Speaker
 Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk