

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

Friday, March 1, 2024

The House of Representatives of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2024, convened at 12:07 p.m., with Speaker Saiki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Gregg Takayama, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cochran and Woodson, who were excused.

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

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 18 through 27) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 18, transmitting S.B. No. 2193, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPUTER CRIME," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 19, transmitting S.B. No. 2251, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDECENT EXPOSURE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 20, transmitting S.B. No. 2310, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARASSMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 21, transmitting S.B. No. 2333, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION AUDITS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 22, transmitting S.B. No. 2334, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION AUDITS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 23, transmitting S.B. No. 2347, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 24, transmitting S.B. No. 2387, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OWNERS OF LAND," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 25, transmitting S.B. No. 2959, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 26, transmitting S.B. No. 3091, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR FOOD SERVICES," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

Sen. Com. No. 27, transmitting S.B. No. 3092, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 29, 2024.

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the following Senate Bills passed First Reading by title and further action was deferred: (Representatives Cochran, Gates, Nishimoto, Todd, and Woodson were excused.)

S.B. No. 2193, SD 1
 S.B. No. 2251, SD 1
 S.B. No. 2310, SD 1
 S.B. No. 2333
 S.B. No. 2334, SD 1
 S.B. No. 2347
 S.B. No. 2387
 S.B. No. 2959, SD 1
 S.B. No. 3091, SD 2

S.B. No. 3092, SD 2

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Quinlan introduced his constituents: Dr. Lori Kimata, Dr. Ye Nguyen, and her children, Surya and Pax Nguyen.

Representative Tarnas introduced Jennifer Brown, faculty at the William S. Richardson School of Law; and Frank Stiefel, legislative strategist and policy analyst with the Last Prisoner Project.

Representative Perruso introduced advocates for reproductive justice: Ki'i Kaho'ohanohano, Makalani Franco-Francis, Ezinne Dawson, Kiana Rowley, Morea Mendoza, Carmela Leomana Mendoza, Pi'ilani Schneider-Furuya, Moriah Renee Salado, and Waitāhinuarua Quenga.

Representative Amato introduced Maui residents: Kadi Mourningstar, Pahnepi McKenzie, Alia Louise Retes Stenback, Kekoa, Amanda, and Waiola Powers, Kristina Mau, Ha'aheo Au, Kawailani Mau-Au, Brissa Christophersen, and Kūākea Yasak.

Representative Belatti introduced Stevenson Middle School 8th grade legislative warrior team: Duke Alamillo, Alexander Barnes, Ethan Blake Brown, Zhan Peng Chen, Nadia Choi, Connor Chun, Jada DePeralta, Jordyn Dong, Lucas Ezawa, Crystal Ferreira, Adelle Forrest, Peyton Gimeno, Nathan He, Quincy Higa, Jerusalem Hoover-Crawford, Michele Kamakahi, Dhruv Kamavaram, Paige Kawana, Terren Lam, Quentin Lau, Chloe Li, Maryjane Malo, Devynn McAdams, Matthew McEvoy, Monica Miah, Niustha Morocho-Aguagallo, Wainani Naeole, Megan Nagata, Jason Nguyen, Tommy Nguyen, Jace Okamoto, Noble Quinto, Kamilah Rekis, Luke Rosa, Anita Sisavang, Emeline Skelton, Scarlet Smith, John Sohlith, Roycen Strom, Ryan Trinh Tatsuyama, Aleizea Tranetzki, Anaiah Tuavela, Sarai Wong, and Wes Yamagata; their teachers: Dr. Andrea Pratt, Jason Tanaka, Adelle Talaeai, and Shunya Ku'ulei Arakaki; and teaching assistant: Julianne Nomura.

Representative Matsumoto introduced her friend, Nakeli Blanchard, and son, Judah Blanchard.

Representative Hussey-Burdick introduced women's rights advocates: her mother, Ramona Hussey; and Neva Keres.

Representative Garcia introduced Louisiana State Representative Beryl Amedee, Council Chair John Amedee of the Terrebonne Parish Council, and Elijah Kala McShane.

Representative Pierick introduced his former staff, Taylor Kaaumoana; a worship leader from Reunion Church; and Joshua and his wife.

Representative Kapela introduced Camron Hurt, director of Common Cause Hawai'i.

Representative La Chica introduced her constituent, Mel Kennedy.

At 12:19 p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:04 p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 739-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1801 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1801, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 740-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1660, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1660, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"In opposition. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. HB 1660, I think I mentioned before the statistic that there are more Native Hawaiians who are living on the U.S. continent than here in Hawai'i, but specifically because of stuff like this, increasing taxes, our economy right now, the cost of living right now. And here we are increasing taxes. It's just, it's very unfortunate. And I don't know how we can continue voting yes on tax increases in 2024. No vote."

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

"In opposition. This bill, as the former representative mentioned, will increase taxes, specifically capital gains taxes for our residents. That's not a good thing. This would de-incentivize investors. And a lot of our elders rely on capital gains for their income. So, I'm voting no."

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

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

Representative Matsumoto rose in support of the measure with reservations and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Matsumoto's written remarks are as follows:

"As Hawai'i's economy struggles to experience meaningful growth, the Legislature continues to create economically unfriendly pieces of legislation that have significant consequences for our state. Raising capital gains tax discourages investment into our state's economy, thus slowing economic growth and activity as a whole. Also, it should be noted that this increase will also impact our *kūpuna*, who often rely on converting their assets to spendable income during retirement.

"Raising the tax on capital gains adds to the ever-growing tax burden that weighs down on entrepreneurship and investment in our state's already stagnant economy. The Legislature must keep in mind the economic implications behind measures such as this one that threaten economic growth, investment, and the movement of capital within our state. For these reasons, I vote with reservations on this measure."

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support, strong support, please. Fiscal austerity harms working families. This year we've heard many concerns about our state budget. The Maui wildfires have taken a toll on our fiscal surplus. The Department of Budget and Finance has even proposed across the board budget cuts of 10% to 15% for every state agency, which would be a devastating blow for public services.

"We cannot cut our way back to prosperity. Hawai'i saddles low-income neighbors with a heavy state and local tax burden. On average, the lowest income 20% of taxpayers face a state and local tax rate that's nearly 60% higher than the top 1% of households. Hawai'i is also one of only nine states that taxes all capital gains. These are profits from the sales of stocks, bonds, investment properties, art, and antiques, at a lower rate than ordinary income. This tax loophole almost entirely benefits high income taxpayers, including nonresidents who profit from investing in local real estate.

"Some taxes, not all, should be raised. If Hawai'i were to tax capital gains at the same rate as ordinary income, we would bring in between \$130 million to \$180 million per year, this is according to our State Department of Taxation, 97% of which would be paid by the top 5% of income earners in

our state. The bottom 80%, that's most working families, that's almost every single person on this floor, would pay nothing at all. For those who earn more than \$400,000 per year, long-term capital gains constitute about one third of the total taxable income for residents and nearly half for nonresidents.

"As Hawai'i Children's Action Network pointed out in their testimony, long-term capital gains constitutes 4.5% of total taxable income in the state. That's nearly \$7 billion. We need this revenue to fund our future. So rather than cutting essential services and positions, let's close the tax loopholes that benefit the most economically privileged at the expense of everyone else. Thank you."

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

Representative Ward rose to respond, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in opposition with a brief comment, given the former comment of the good representative from the Big Island. Part of our problem, Mr. Speaker, is that we don't grow the pie. We have a pie that's so small that a lot of people can't afford a roof over their head, or food on the table. I'm talking about the ALICE families. But the other difficulty is we keep slicing the pie thinner and thinner, and we got to give from this group to that group. We're already the highest taxed in the nation, Mr. Speaker.

"Until this body commits itself to diversifying the economy and getting high paying jobs, all of the comments that we've just heard from the Big Island are going to be continually of class warfare type of comment, and it's not good for the health of it. Because our responsibility is to provide for all the people, not taking away from one to give to the other. We've got to be fair, of course, but we've got to get an economy that works for all of the people of Hawai'i. It doesn't do that. And, Mr. Speaker, I think we're derelict in our duty."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1660, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL GAINS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Holt and Matsumoto voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Kong, Pierick, and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 741-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1662, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1662, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CHILD TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 742-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2239, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2239, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 743-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2372, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2372, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2372, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SOLAR ENERGY STORAGE LOAN PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 744-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2376, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2376, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING ADJUSTMENTS FOR STATE PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 745-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2377, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2377, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING ADJUSTMENTS FOR STATE PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 746-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2399, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2399, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 747-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2404, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2404, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"With reservations and a brief comment. Thank you. I want to commend the governor for engaging in some kind of tax cuts, even though it's temporary. My with reservations is it just, it doesn't go far enough. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2404, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 748-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2454,

as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2454, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 749-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2489, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2489, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 750-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2652, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2652, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

Representative Belatti 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 H.B. No. 2652, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Belatti voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Hussey-Burdick, Kapela, Perruso, and Poepoe voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 751-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2653, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2653, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

Representative Belatti 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 H.B. No. 2653, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTATE TAX," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Belatti voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Hussey-Burdick, Kapela, Perruso, and Poepoe voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 752-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2655, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2655, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 753-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2664, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2664, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition, strong opposition, to 753. This is the stadium bill that shifts the Hālawā Valley to Mānoa. Mr. Speaker, we know that all bills should be logical, should be factual, should be scientific, should be based upon good reasoning, not for short, but also long range. This is a very short range, myopic bill. And not only am I opposed to it, so is DBEDT, so is DAGS, so is the Stadium Authority. And the unkindest cut of all, if you will, the most important cut is that UH doesn't want it.

"This bill is pushing the Stadium Authority, instead of being where it is now, back to Mānoa. Mr. Speaker, that, because of the contractual obligations, is going to cost us an arm and a leg and waste of millions of dollars in state funding for actions that have already been taken to date. UH admits that it doesn't know how to build stadiums. In fact, they say, the only thing we need is a place to play football. And they don't make any money because their stadium is going to be smaller and if we look at how the stadium at Hālawā made money, it was because of concerts. We don't have a super juggernaut of a football team that's going to attract a lot of people to be able to make money. But we've got concerts and we bring people in.

"The challenge is, do we want to do what seems very illogical and against the will of the university itself? Or do what is the right thing, to continue with what we're doing instead of switching horses in the middle of the stream?

"The bottom line, Mr. Speaker, why are we forcing this down UH's throat? I'd love to hear the sponsor's reason why this is financially viable as well as strategically objective. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

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

"Same request, and with a brief comment. So, I think that in light of our current fiscal situation, it's exactly this kind of project that I think we should consider imposing a moratorium on. Not just the transfer to UH, but also the stadium project writ large. And I think that we should go through all of our projects and identify those projects that can be paused while we deal with the fiscal situation from the Maui wildfires. And for that reason, I am voting no."

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Representative Marten 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 H.B. No. 2664, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Amato, Belatti, Holt, Hussey-Burdick, La Chica, Marten, and Matsumoto voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Aiu, Alcos, Ganaden, Garcia, Kapela, Perruso, Pierick, and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 754-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2779, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2779, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 755-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2780, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2780, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 756-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2484, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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

H.B. No. 2484, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 757-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1808, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1808, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 758-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2238, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2238, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 759-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2388, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2388, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MONEY TRANSMITTERS MODERNIZATION ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain House Bills for Third Reading by consent calendar. (Representatives Cochran, Ichiyama, Matayoshi, Quinlan, and Woodson were excused.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 760-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1651, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1651, HD 2 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. I want to commend the chair of Education and the committee for amending the bill. And this is a similar bill to one that came across this floor about two years ago, House Bill 2125, which was a blatant attack against parents, and it was regarding harassment of educational workers. And the word was used in there, annoy. If someone feels annoyed, that would be considered harassment. I want to thank the chair for removing the word annoyed and taking the amendments proposed by the AG."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1651, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SAFETY OF EDUCATIONAL WORKERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 761-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1652, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1652, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 762-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1653, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1653, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 763-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1775, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1775, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"In opposition. This bill would basically use the taxpayer money of people from around the State of Hawai'i to pay for the breakfasts and the lunches of all students in the Department of Education. Currently, those with financial needs get breakfast or lunch. This bill would give it to everybody. Currently in the State of Hawai'i, we're ranked number 17 with regards to a state budget line iteming funds for the Department of Education. I believe that comes out to be about \$18,000 per student. So, I think there's a lot of funds already for this. I don't think we should be giving more funds to this. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, in support. I just wanted to note that currently, a very large percentage of students already receive free and reduced lunch. My daughter benefits from this even though we would not personally qualify, because a certain percentage of students at our school do qualify. She therefore does qualify. So, in a way it is an anti-class warfare bill. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support. Can I adopt the words of the representative from Hilo. I would also just like to say that students can't learn if they're hungry, and this bill fixes that," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kahaloa rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Todd be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Thank you. In strong support, same request," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"In strong support, same request. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"In opposition. As someone who was raised, as I said before, in this category that qualifies for free breakfasts and school lunch, I'm opposing this bill because parents need to learn how to parent. And I'm not saying this in a sarcastic way. It's the truth. For children who are in families that don't meet a certain income limit or criteria, they already qualify for free school lunch. So, kids who are hungry, who can't afford it, like me growing up, we

qualified for free school lunch. And we already have those programs for families who need it. So, this is just free food for everyone. Not a good idea. No vote."

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

"Mr. Speaker, in strong support. This measure aims to protect all those who can't necessarily fulfill their student account. So, too often, and especially during committee, we heard from several dozen students who shared with us that this is their only meal of the day. They often get turned away at the lunch line for simply not having money in their school lunch account. So, no child should have to be hungry. And for many of them, whether it's a lapse or their parents forget, or because some of these kids actually even have to take on jobs, this will help fulfill their nutritional requirement and help them because, as they mentioned, it is their only meal of the day. So, for these reasons, I'm in strong support."

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

"In strong support. May I adopt the words of the Transportation chair as if they were my own. And just a brief comment. With our high cost of living, our residents deserve any break they can get. *Mahalo*," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support. I would like to please adopt the words of the Transportation chair as if they were my own. Also, I would like to say this bill is really a unifier and removes the stigma that many students face when they get to the lunch line and they're told that they cannot have lunch, yet they have to sit in the cafeteria with all the other students who are. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm between with reservations and support. And because of this, because I think this has been a driver the DOE themselves has been responsible for this, regardless of the economic arguments that we've heard on the floor. We heard in our testimony in the Finance Committee that if you are a student who doesn't qualify or your account has gone down, you are personally, publicly, and openly yanked out of the line. And I said to the DOE, don't you have any prescreening before you get to the cashier that you can save face a little bit for these people? So, I see entirely the motivation for this. Why are they doing that? Because they don't have a system, which to me is leadership and management rather than the economics of which we pleaded various poverty concessions.

"So, I say part of this bill is DOE's doing. And because they're not doing their job in terms of managing and leading, they should never have students belittled in front of a cashier because they can't afford it. When kids want to wear Fila shirts and Chanel and all other kinds of name recognition stuff, being turned down at a lunch line is totally unacceptable. I would think DOE should be a little bit more sensitive to their needs. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1775, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representative Ward voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

At 1:22 p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:22 p.m.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 764-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1837, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1837, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 765-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1903, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1903, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 766-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1906, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1906, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROMOTE STUDENT MENTAL HEALTH," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 767-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1977, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1977, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRAILLE LITERACY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 768-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2082, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2082, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUS SERVICES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 769-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2222, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2222, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, strong support. This bill has the intention to possibly address and ratify our school bus driver shortage epidemic right now. As a school bus driver, you're assigned one school bus route and you're expected to complete that in a period of 2.5 hours. As we look through across the state when we're talking about traffic issues, the idea to stagger our school schedules may have a larger impact, not just on school bus drivers, but our communities as well. If we can move to a staggered school bus schedule, it would also address the needs that older students need a little bit more rest to be qualified to receive the education that they're getting. But ultimately, if we can keep our school bus drivers on the road for just an hour or two more, their jobs now become competitive and we may be able to address the school bus shortage. So, for those reasons, I stand in support."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2222, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 770-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2402, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2402, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2402, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR FOOD SERVICES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 771-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2661, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2661, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Kapela 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 H.B. No. 2661, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Kapela and Perruso voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 772-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2774, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2774, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOCAL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 773-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2403, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2403, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 774-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1534, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1534, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 775-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1535, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1535, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"In opposition. This would provide scholarships for the unmet needs of qualified students at any four-year University of Hawai'i campus who met certain criteria. In other words, free college. So, people all across the State of Hawai'i, they work hard, maybe with non-college jobs. Their tax-earned money would go toward students going to college. We can increase economic mobility without university education. There's lots of people who do really well without a college degree. I don't think non-college degree people should be taxed for someone else's college."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1535, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROMISE PROGRAM," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 776-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1677, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1677, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 777-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1784, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1784, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 778-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1802, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1802, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII REVENUE BONDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 779-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1826, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1826, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 780-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2113, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2113, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2113, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 781-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2359, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2359, HD 2 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2359, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII BROADBAND AND DIGITAL EQUITY OFFICE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 782-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2498, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2498, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RESIDENT TUITION FEE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 783-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2500, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2500, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CONFERENCE CENTER REVOLVING FUND," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 784-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2501, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2501, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII REPORTING REQUIREMENTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 785-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2502, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2502, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 786-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2503, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2503, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RESEARCH," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 787-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2683, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2683, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS TO LEARNING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 788-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1643, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1643, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDEBTEDNESS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 789-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1967, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1967, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HUMAN TRAFFICKING VICTIM SERVICES FUND," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 790-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2235, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2235, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 791-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1771, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1771, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH AGING PARTNERSHIP," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 792-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1772, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1772, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FALL PREVENTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 793-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1773, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1773, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

DEMENTIA," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 794-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1774, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1774, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MISSING PERSONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 795-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1974, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1974, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL SERVICES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 796-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2215, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2215, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 797-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2309, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2309, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2309, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 798-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2535, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2535, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 799-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2712, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2712, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Requesting a ruling on a potential conflict of interest. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. My sister owns and operates an autism clinic and employs behavioral analysts."

The Chair addressed Representative Evslin, stating:

"The Chair's ruling is that there is no conflict because this legislation applies to a class of individuals and entities. And the ruling is in effect through *sine die*."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2712, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 800-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2713, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2713, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADOPTION ASSISTANCE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 801-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2427, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2427, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRESCHOOL OPEN DOORS PROGRAM," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 802-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2790, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2790, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 803-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1691, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1691, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Alcos and Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 804-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1759, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1759, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 805-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1735, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1735, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, in strong support. I wanted to thank the introducer for this. Just wanted to share that one of the highlights over the five-day recess was an opportunity for me to be able to, along with members from the corrections committee, to visit Waiawa Correctional Facility in my district, which is a minimum security that focuses specifically on reentry and rehabilitation

programs. So, I've personally seen the success. It was quite a sight to see incarcerated members in a room going through therapy and then also talking about their feelings. So, one way to reduce our prison population is to look at how we can reduce our recidivism rates. *Mahalo.*"

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1735, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENDER REENTRY PROGRAMS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 806-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2241, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2241, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL AIR PATROL," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 807-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1530, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1530, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 808-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1639, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1639, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND BASE COMPOSITE MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 809-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1640, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1640, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 810-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1645, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1645, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE POSITION VACANCIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 811-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1832, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1832, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIRING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 812-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1889, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1889, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION MEDICAL BENEFITS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 813-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1945, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1945, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LEAVE CASH-OUT PROGRAM," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

At 1:30 p.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Third Reading:

H.B. No. 1651, HD 2
 H.B. No. 1652, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1653, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1775, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1837, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1903, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1906, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1977, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2082, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2222, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2402, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2661, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2774, HD 2
 H.B. No. 2403, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1534, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1535, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1677, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1784, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1802, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1826, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2113, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2359, HD 2
 H.B. No. 2498, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2500, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2501, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2502, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2503, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2683, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1643, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1967, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2235, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1771, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1772, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1773, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1774, HD 2
 H.B. No. 1974, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2215, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2309, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2535, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2712, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2713, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2427, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2790, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1691, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1759, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1735, HD 1
 H.B. No. 2241, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1530, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1639, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1640, HD 1

H.B. No. 1645, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1832, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1889, HD 1
 H.B. No. 1945, HD 1

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 814-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2069, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2069, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 815-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2196, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2196, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 816-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2395, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2395, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 817-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2396, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2396, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 818-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2401, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2401, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 819-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2480, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2480, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CERTIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 820-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2496, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

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

H.B. No. 2496, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 821-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2499, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2499, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 822-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2552, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2552, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEE BENEFITS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 823-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2641, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2641, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPRAISAL MANAGEMENT COMPANIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 824-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2658, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2658, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 825-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1900, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1900, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HYDROLOGIC DATA COLLECTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 826-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2016, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2016, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 827-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2331, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2331, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 828-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2237, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2237, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 829-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2460, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2460, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELAND SECURITY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 830-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2467, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2467, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Poepoe 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 H.B. No. 2467, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENT CREDITS FOR DEMOLITION AND INFRASTRUCTURE COSTS ON PUBLIC LAND LEASES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representative Poepoe voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 831-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2473, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2473, HD 2 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Poepoe 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 H.B. No. 2473, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION MITIGATION PROGRAMS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 44 ayes to 4 noes, with Representative Poepoe voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Hussey-Burdick, Kapela, Lowen, and Perruso voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 832-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2453, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2453, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2478, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

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

H.B. No. 2478, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC MARINE FISHERIES COMPACT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 834-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2515, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2515, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 835-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2626, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2626, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHPONDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 836-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2579, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2579, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HILO COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DISTRICT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 837-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2610, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2610, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 838-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2611, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2611, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE FEES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 839-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2695, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2695, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 840-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2696, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2696, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with a few comments with reservations. I don't know how to express the pain that a lot of people in Maui are going through, and the representatives and the senators from those areas know better than I. But I do know that the notion of governance is important about who's in charge, what is supposed to be done, roles and responsibilities assigned accordingly. This is probably good in the sense that it allows another voice in another group of people. But, Mr. Speaker, I'm confused by the layers of governance of which we are going to rebuild Maui. It's almost like the Abbott and Costello, who's on first? We've got to get leadership, and, I'm going to give an example, when 911 came, the mayor of New York said, you're going to do this, you're going to do that, and we coordinated it in a very cohesive way, and it was very effective.

"My fear is that we've got overlapping layers of governance of which some people are on all of them, some people are not on all of them, some people are on some of them, some people are not on some of them. Mr. Speaker, we've got to get clarity because the people of Maui, and again I'm not the best source of it, but from what I've heard, we are slow in responding and getting the people of Maui back onto their feet, restored economically, housing-wise and otherwise. So, if we keep putting layers of democracy in the way rather than getting on with getting the job done, we're going through the motions, but we're not getting anywhere.

"For those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I hope this adds something to the mix of governance. But let's get on with it, with leadership, and with precision on what should be done to make the people of Maui whole, the way we did in 1992 when Iniki hit Kaua'i, they knew what they wanted, we gave them the money, and they did it and they survived. I think it's a great model, but with this layers of governance, I'm not sure that we're heading in that same direction. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2696, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAHAINA WILDFIRE RECOVERY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representative Ward voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 841-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1544, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1544, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1544, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE WATER CODE PENALTIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representative Miyake voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 842-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1581, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1581, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support. This measure is a result of your interim working groups that you created amidst the Maui fires and the co-chair for Wildfire Prevention with Chair Ichiyama. These are one of the measures that came out of the working group. So, as we look forward to replanting and restoring the areas that were scarred, it is important that we reforest them and replant them with native plants to allow the soil to stabilize, but to also reassure that Hawai'i plants have a place here in our state. *Mahalo.*"

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1581, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO WILDFIRE PREVENTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 843-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1592, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1592, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND CONSERVATION FUND," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 844-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1781, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1781, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 845-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1835, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1835, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION MANAGEMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 846-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1919, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1919, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, no vote, please, with a brief comment. I support the intention of this bill, to support small boat harbors and starting a pilot program to create a public-private partnership. The challenge with the bill is that the state boat harbor is not identified. So, it's confusing and it causes a lot of concern for small boat harbors across the state, because they don't know if they're subject to this legislation if it were to pass. So, for that reason, I'm in opposition."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Strong reservations and comments. Public-private partnerships of our small boat harbors is not a good idea. Granted, the Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation was given the running of these small boat harbors from the Department of Transportation many years ago with very little personnel and resources, it should not be the reason we need to suddenly try to go in this direction. What happens with the current government personnel? How much will the harbor users need to pay to use the harbor? The bottom line is the bottom line, profits.

"Government was meant to provide a service for the health and safety of the public. Small boat harbors allow users to access the ocean, which Hawai'i is surrounded by, for food sustenance, recreation, and business. All of this helps to boost the economy of our communities. We cannot lose our free access to small boat harbors. DOBOR has a history of being mismanaged, but if they were provided the necessary guidance and resources, we would not be having this discussion today. These sudden

legislative initiatives has led to many stresses from businesses who have spent so many years to build their business.

"There is a better way to help small boat harbors survive, and that would be with everyone coming together to develop a plan that will assure that ocean use does not impact the environment, and the public does not lose access to this important facility. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. No vote and request to adopt the words of the flying saucer connoisseur and majority floor leader, please," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Perruso rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Morikawa be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Matayoshi rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Morikawa be entered into the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kapela rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Kahaloa be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Lowen rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representatives Kahaloa and Morikawa be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Souza rose in support of the measure with reservations and asked that the remarks of Representative Morikawa be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative La Chica rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representatives Kahaloa and Morikawa be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

Representative Amato 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 H.B. No. 1919, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 37 ayes to 11 noes, with Representatives Amato, Morikawa, and Souza voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Belatti, Garrett, Gates, Hussey-Burdick, Kahaloa, Kapela, Kila, La Chica, Lowen, Marten, and Perruso voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 847-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2174, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2174, HD 2 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Hussey-Burdick rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"In opposition, brief comment. I share the concerns of the State Fire Council and the Maui Fire Department, which stated in testimony that this bill may cause hikers to hesitate or not request assistance from first responder agencies. Mr. Speaker, I've lost far too many friends on our trails here to ever give anybody a reason not to call for help when they need it. Thank you."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2174, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH AND RESCUE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representative Kong voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Ganaden and Hussey-Burdick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 848-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2248, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2248, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH MANAGEMENT ON THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 849-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2407, HD 2 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2407, HD 2 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I want a ruling on a potential conflict of interest. I own Hawaiian Electric stocks."

The Chair addressed Representative Onishi, stating:

"The Chair's ruling is that there is no conflict because this legislation applies to all HECO shareholders. This ruling remains in effect through *sine die*. That applies to all members who have a similar circumstance."

Representative Poepoe 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 H.B. No. 2407, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDFIRE RISK MITIGATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Poepoe voting aye with reservations, with Representative Amato voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 850-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2477, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2477, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, strong reservations. There was a lot of opposition to this bill throughout the hearings, but thank you to the chair of Water & Land, amendments were made that were well received. However, in Finance, you could sense that there was still a lot of mistrust from harbor users about how the Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation has been running the small boat harbors. The intent of this bill is good, but there still needs to be more input from all stakeholders, where most everyone is confident that this is what we need to do. And I think that would promote the confidence and trust we need from the public. What we have done on Kaua'i at the Kikiaola Small Boat Harbor is working. Through community involvement with

residents, fishermen, tour boat operators, we have been able to work the partnerships necessary to help this harbor to become more sustainable. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2477, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL OCEAN RECREATION OPERATIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 36 ayes to 12 noes, with Representatives Kong and Morikawa voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gates, Kahaloa, Kapela, Kila, La Chica, Lowen, Miyake, Souza, Tam, and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 851-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1674, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1674, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 852-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1886, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1886, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 853-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1976, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1976, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 854-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2058, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2058, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

"In strong support. This is an issue that's been growing, particularly in rural areas. And right now, there is very little recourse whatsoever, even with increased penalties, on the Big Island side at the county level. It puts prosecutors in a very weird situation. I can only speak to the Big Island on this, where you have something really, truly horrific, including a death happening, and their recourse is to charge something like a petty misdemeanor, which almost seems like an insult. So, I'm for providing the prosecuting attorney's offices with more flexibility, which this would do. So, in strong support."

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

"Mr. Speaker, may I have the remarks from the gentleman from Hilo as my own and I add a brief comment in support. I think he was rather strongly in support, and I'm strongly in support. If you were in the Finance

Committee and you heard the women who said their father got killed by a dog and he was outside the purview of the police and any law, it was sad to think that, as advanced as we are in terms of statutes and regulations, that we have nothing when a dog basically becomes a murderer.

"Mr. Speaker, this is a serious area which we've either been blindsided to, or we've never paid attention to, or we've never heard enough of these anecdotes in this building to act upon it. So, this bill is very serious and very necessary. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2058, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DANGEROUS DOGS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Amato and Kong voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 855-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2444, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2444, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representatives Amato and Hussey-Burdick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 856-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2455, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2455, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE SECURITY CONTRACTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 857-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2622, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2622, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

"In opposition, thank you. This bill would basically use taxpayer money to buy guns. In different countries, governments make efforts to procure the citizens guns, and those efforts usually end up in an infringement of freedoms and a decreasing of freedoms. If the government says something and the people rise up against it, if they don't have firearms, there's usually less bravery in the people to speak up when they don't have firearms. This bill doesn't require people to sell their guns to the government, but it does require tax dollars to be used to purchase those guns. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. Mr. Speaker, back in November 2023, there was a successful gun buyback program where we collected, on O'ahu, nearly 500 firearms. This allows individuals who no longer want to own guns to safely trade it in anonymously. This provides individuals who currently have guns free gun locks and supports safe storage. The reason why I'm supporting this is because I really support the idea of safely selling their guns to the government rather than selling it on the black market where it can end up back on our streets."

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

"Mr. Speaker, in support. As the previous representative noted, there was over 500 guns submitted when this program was enacted here on O'ahu.

Many of those guns, several dozen, were illegal. Several were threaded for silencers, there were several sawed off shotguns, the officers believe that a few of them might have been connected to homicides. All of those firearms by law are destroyed. So, if anybody is listening in the public and they're wondering what happens to these guns, they are destroyed.

"What we also heard from law enforcement was that many of these guns are the result of somebody who passed away and they've just been collecting dust in a closet somewhere, and they pose a danger to young people and to other family members, they don't know what to do with them. So, people turn them in with heavy hearts, for pennies on the dollar, really. And it's another opportunity to promote public safety in our community. For that reason, I support law enforcement on all islands in their ability to make our communities safer. Thank you."

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

"In opposition. I just want to say that our freedoms are worth a lot more than Foodland gift cards. Thank you."

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

"In strong support and I'd like to have the words of the representative from Kalihi adopted as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2622, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 43 ayes to 5 noes, with Representative Kong voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia, Holt, Kila, Pierick, and Souza voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 858-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2657, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2657, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In opposition. I can understand the value of the sentiment of this measure and the detrimental effects that litigation could have on domestic violence victims. But this measure presents a slippery slope, because I have engaged with litigants on the other side of this coin who may be penalized by this measure when trying to bring legitimate causes of action before the court.

"We need to preserve access to the courts, and I am worried about the unintended consequences of this bill. This bill makes sure that litigants and family law matters do not weaponize the courts. But in some cases, what this bill seeks to do could suppress legitimate litigation, even if this measure seemingly provides a rational framework to deter abusive litigants. Measures passed in other states like Washington and Texas are still in its infancy in regards to abusive litigation, and we haven't seen the full effects of its implementation. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2657, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSIVE LITIGATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Souza voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Finance, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 859-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2735, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2735, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Kahaloa 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 H.B. No. 2735, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 41 ayes to 7 noes, with Representatives Kahaloa and Poepoe voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gates, Holt, Kila, Lamosao, and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 860-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1777, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1777, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 861-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1828, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1828, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY-EFFICIENCY PORTFOLIO STANDARDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 862-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2337, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2337, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 863-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2462, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2462, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTRONIC PRESCRIPTION ACCOUNTABILITY SYSTEM," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 864-24) recommending that H.B. No. 2654, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2654, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING CODES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 865-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1526, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1526, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"In opposition. This would change the timeline for affordable housing projects to be looked at from a 45-day window to 60-day window. This is basically adding red tape or adding an elongation process into the

government. We need a swift government that serves the people, not a slow government. So, I'm voting no."

Representative La Chica 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 H.B. No. 1526, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes to 2 noes, with Representative La Chica voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 866-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1539, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1539, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 43 ayes to 5 noes, with Representatives Garcia, Hussey-Burdick, Kapela, Perruso, and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 867-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1577, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1577, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TOWING FEES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 1 no, with Representative Amato voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

Representative Nakashima, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 868-24) recommending that H.B. No. 1991, HD 1 pass Third Reading.

Representative Nakamura moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1991, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to request a ruling on a potential conflict of interest. While currently inactive, I am a registered Turo host, and I have two family members who are current Turo hosts."

The Chair addressed Representative Evslin, stating:

"The Chair's ruling is that there is no conflict because this legislation applies to all Turo hosts. The ruling remains in effect through *sine die*."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1991, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 43 ayes to 5 noes, with Representatives Garcia, Marten, Onishi, Pierick, and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

At 1:54 p.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Third Reading:

- H.B. No. 2069, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2196, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2395, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2396, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2401, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2480, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2496, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2499, HD 2
- H.B. No. 2552, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2641, HD 1

- H.B. No. 2658, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1900, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2016, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2331, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2237, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2460, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2467, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2473, HD 2
- H.B. No. 2453, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2478, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2515, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2626, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2579, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2610, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2611, HD 2
- H.B. No. 2695, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2696, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1544, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1581, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1592, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1781, HD 2
- H.B. No. 1835, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1919, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2174, HD 2
- H.B. No. 2248, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2407, HD 2
- H.B. No. 2477, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1674, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1886, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1976, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2058, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2444, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2455, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2622, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2657, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2735, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1777, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1828, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2337, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2462, HD 1
- H.B. No. 2654, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1526, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1539, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1577, HD 1
- H.B. No. 1991, HD 1

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1880:

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 1880, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

H.B. No. 1541:

On motion by Representative Nakamura, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, H.B. No. 1541, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION AND AWARENESS MONTH," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Cochran, Quinlan, and Woodson being excused.

At 1:55 p.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Third Reading:

- H.B. No. 1880
- H.B. No. 1541

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 16 and 17) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 26 and 27) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE KO'OLAUPUNUA COUNCIL AS AN ADVISORY RESOURCE TO THE ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE REPRESENTING THE KO'OLAUPUNUA COMMUNITY," was offered by Representative Kitagawa.

H.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE THE TEACHING OF FINANCIAL LITERACY IN THE EXISTING PERSONAL TRANSITION PLAN COURSE REQUIREMENT FOR EACH STUDENT," was offered by Representative Kitagawa.

H.C.R. No. 26, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE KO'OLAUPUNUA COUNCIL AS AN ADVISORY RESOURCE TO THE ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE REPRESENTING THE KO'OLAUPUNUA COMMUNITY," was offered by Representative Kitagawa.

H.C.R. No. 27, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE THE TEACHING OF FINANCIAL LITERACY IN THE EXISTING PERSONAL TRANSITION PLAN COURSE REQUIREMENT FOR EACH STUDENT," was offered by Representative Kitagawa.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Chun: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd just like to wish the chair of the Committee on Corrections, Military, & Veterans a happy birthday coming up this Sunday."

Representative Marten: "*Aloha*, I just wanted to mention that in the basement level entrance, you'll notice there is some children's artwork on why they love trees, showing the benefit of trees, put up there by Trees for Honolulu's Future and Healthy Climate Communities. And I hope you folks get to enjoy that."

Representative Pierick: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In the gallery and in the rotunda, there's a lot of birth advocates. So, they'd love to meet you all."

OPEN JOURNAL

At this time, Representative Morikawa moved to keep the Journal open until midnight this legislative day for the purpose of receiving Standing Committee Reports and House Bills transmitted thereby, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried. (Representatives Cochran, Ichijama, Quinlan, Tarnas, and Woodson were excused.)

RECESS

At 1:56 p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the House of Representatives stood in recess until 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 5, 2024. (Representatives Cochran, Ichijama, Quinlan, Tarnas, and Woodson were excused.)

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR #1

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

In accordance with the motion made, the following Standing Committee Reports (Stand. Com. Rep. Nos. 869-24 through 1068-24), were received by the Clerk prior to midnight this legislative day, in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, printed copies were made available to the Members of the House, and the following action was taken:

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 869-24 (EDN) and H.B. No. 1904, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 870-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2292, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 871-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1631, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 872-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1760, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 873-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1761, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 874-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1763, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 875-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1833, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING REVOLVING FUND," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 876-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2091, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL IMPACT FEES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 877-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2218, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 878-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2357, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 879-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2358, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 880-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2416, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 881-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2514, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 882-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2642, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVICTION MEDIATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 883-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1812, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 884-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1782, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEMP," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 885-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2336, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEMP," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 886-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1861, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUMBER PLATES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 887-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2736, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GESTURE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 888-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2227, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

CHILD CARE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 889-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2555, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 890-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2426, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RELATIVE RESOURCE CAREGIVERS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 891-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2428, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 892-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2183, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL EXPLOITATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 893-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2479, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAKING OF MARINE DEPOSITS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 894-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2471, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSPECTIONS ON PUBLIC LAND," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 895-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1529, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURIAL COUNCILS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 896-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1554, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 897-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1923, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 898-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1542, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 899-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2029, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION REVIEWS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 900-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2148, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 901-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2067, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 902-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2278, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING OF MACADAMIA NUTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 903-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1611, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 904-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2400, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 905-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 2710, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 906-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 1897, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SINGLE-USE PLASTICS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 907-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 2390, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 908-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 2020, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 909-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 1896, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 910-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 1936, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBOR SAFETY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 911-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 2112, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEL INSURANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 912-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 2475, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL OCEAN ACTIVITY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 2089, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUILDING CODE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 914-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 1836, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 915-24 (CPC) and H.B. No. 1989, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAW MILK," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 916-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2644, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTLE FIRE ANTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 917-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2140, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORNAMENTAL GINGER," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 918-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2131, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TWO-LINED SPITTLEBUG," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 919-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2133, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 920-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2136, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 921-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2146, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL TOURISM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 922-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2236, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 923-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2546, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 924-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1780, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORLD PEACE DAY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 925-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1939, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ARTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 926-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2715, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL NUMBER PLATES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 927-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1807, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WORKS OF ART SPECIAL FUND," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 928-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1940, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 929-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1957, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESEARCH ACTIVITIES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 930-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2384, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHOOL FACILITIES SPECIAL FUND," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 931-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2242, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 932-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1779, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 933-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1624, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 934-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1675, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 935-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2159, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 936-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1845, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING OF ELECTIONS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 937-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1881, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE FINES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 938-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1968, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ABUSE OF MINORS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 939-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2425, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT CENTRAL REGISTRY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 940-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2482, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEETING NOTICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 941-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1917, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 942-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1608, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 943-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1912, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUDGES FOR THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIRST CIRCUIT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 944-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2231, as amended in HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 945-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2340, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 946-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2443, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL CANNABIS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 947-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2457, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 948-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1556, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 949-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1827, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 950-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1946, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCESS IMPROVEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 951-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2463, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAGE AND HOUR LAW," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 952-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2373, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS

FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 953-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2374, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 954-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1638, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY LABOR STANDARDS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 955-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1686, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 956-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1844, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 957-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1902, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 958-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1949, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERATION OF WILDFIRE SUSCEPTIBILITY MAPS FOR HAWAII," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 959-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1839, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 960-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1841, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 961-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1843, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 962-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1925, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PLANNING ACT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 963-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2107, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO DISASTER SERVICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 964-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2263, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EAST KAUAI IRRIGATION SYSTEM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 965-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1932, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 966-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1934, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 967-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2015, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 968-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2065, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXCESSIVE NOISE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 969-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2446, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 970-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1997, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERISLAND TRANSPORT OF HYDROGEN," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 971-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2175, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAAAWA-HAUULA COMMUNITY-BASED LONG-RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 972-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2270, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 973-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2673, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROADS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 974-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2380, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 975-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2490, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL ADVANCEMENT CONTRACTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 976-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2650, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 977-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2702, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROAD IMPROVEMENTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 978-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1533, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEATH BENEFITS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 979-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2430, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUMMER ELECTRONIC BENEFITS TRANSFER FOR CHILDREN PROGRAM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 980-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2217, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 981-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2662, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 982-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1769, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 983-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1776, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE

HOUSEHOLD AND DEPENDENT CARE SERVICES TAX CREDIT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 984-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1964, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILD CARE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 985-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2216, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARE HOMES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 986-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2224, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 987-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1654, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 988-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1655, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 989-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1657, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 990-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2577, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 991-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2578, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 992-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1969, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 993-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2043, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 994-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2074, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAIAPUNI EDUCATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 995-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2620, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROCUREMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 996-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2759, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL-BASED HEALTH SERVICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 997-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2483, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 998-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2420, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 999-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1960, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PLANNING ORGANIZATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1000-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2005, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1001-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2356, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2046, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERAL CHICKEN MANAGEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1003-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2134, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1004-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1591, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MICROENTERPRISE KITCHENS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1005-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1830, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1006-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2544, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1007-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2556, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII ABLE SAVINGS PROGRAM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1008-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2744, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORAL HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1009-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 408, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1010-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1831, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRISIS INTERVENTION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1011-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1834, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1012-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1941, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO IMPLEMENT QUALITY IMPROVEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1013-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2042, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1014-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2084, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1015-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2415, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSE LICENSURE COMPACT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1016-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2451, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1017-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1545, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADAPTATION PATHWAYS PLANNING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1018-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1840, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1019-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1907, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREAM MAINTENANCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1020-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2690, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1021-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2361, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1022-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2805, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1023-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2700, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDFIRES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1024-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1829, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1025-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1972, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE BATTERIES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1026-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2366, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GREENHOUSE GAS SEQUESTRATION TASK FORCE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1027-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2367, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1028-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2517, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1029-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2614, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1030-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1688, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1031-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2103, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG DURATION CLEAN ENERGY STORAGE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1032-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2685, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1033-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2738, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1034-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2767, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE FUEL," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1035-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2406, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1036-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1892, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1037-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2264, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1038-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2743, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1039-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 1988, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY HOUSING POWERS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1040-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2328, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1041-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2364, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1042-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2548, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1043-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2787, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INDIVIDUAL HOUSING ACCOUNT PROGRAM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1044-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2083, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL MEALS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1045-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2705, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1046-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2139, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1047-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2081, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1048-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2246, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE

STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1049-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2563, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1050-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2012, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE PARKING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1051-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2492, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1052-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2491, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1053-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2493, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1054-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1856, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC REGULATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1055-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2526, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1056-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2748, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1057-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2775, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1058-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2253, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1059-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2553, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACISTS," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1060-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2079, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1061-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2007, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1062-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 2261, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1063-24 (JHA) and H.B. No. 1838, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1064-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2684, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1065-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2504, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTE TAXES," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1066-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2341, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING FOR THE TOBACCO ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL FUND," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1067-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2382, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1068-24 (FIN) and H.B. No. 2720, HD 2, as amended in HD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," were placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 5, 2024.

ADJOURNMENT

At midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 5, 2024.