

FIFTIETH DAY

Monday, April 14, 2025

The House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2025, convened at 11:35 a.m., with Speaker Nakamura presiding.

The Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Reyes Oda and Sayama, who were excused.

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

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Quinlan introduced his constituent, Dr. Ye Nguyen; her daughter, Surya; and her apprentice, Cecilia Rouvillois.

Representative Pierick introduced home birth advocates.

Representative Cochran introduced the Global Council of Indigenous Midwives and Mālama Nā Pua o Haumea.

Representative Ilagan introduced his staff: Nicky Watts, Kari Sochor, Charles St. Sure, Donnie Pogtis, and Ariel Hall; former staff, Alexey Katko; and Rep. Kusch's staff, JB Araula.

Representative Matsumoto introduced Nakeli Blanchard and her family; and her chiropractor, Dr. Carrie Kwan.

Representative Iwamoto introduced Carrie Ann Shiota, policy director, ACLU Hawai'i.

At 11:44 a.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:02 p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2066) recommending that S.C.R. No. 90 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 90 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land, 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 S.C.R. No. 90, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ROUTINE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF THE KOHALA DITCH," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2067) recommending that S.C.R. No. 139, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 139, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DESIGNATE KUNIA, LEILEHUA PLATEAU, AND POAMOHO AS THE CENTRAL OAHU AGRICULTURAL CORRIDOR AND TO ESTABLISH A LIST PRIORITIZING POTENTIAL AGRICULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT

PROJECTS THAT WOULD PROVIDE THE MOST VALUE TO THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2068) recommending that S.C.R. No. 63 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 63, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO STUDY THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A HAWAII WORKFORCE EXCELLENCE AWARD PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2069) recommending that S.C.R. No. 145, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 145, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, 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 S.C.R. No. 145, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ESTABLISHING AND IMPLEMENTING A PAID FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE PROGRAM FOR THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2070) recommending that S.C.R. No. 117, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 117, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO COLLABORATE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO CONDUCT AN INVENTORY OF BUS STOPS ON HAWAII ISLAND UTILIZED BY CHILDREN TO TRAVEL TO SCHOOL AND DEVELOP STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE SAFETY AT EACH LOCATION," was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2071) recommending that S.C.R. No. 8, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 8, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS BOTH THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF PROPOSED MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR A PERCENTAGE OF THE COSTS OF INTRAVENOUS KETAMINE THERAPY TO TREAT DEPRESSION," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2072) recommending that S.C.R. No. 16, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 16, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY AND DEVELOP MINIMUM PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH

WORKER TRAINING PROGRAMS," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2073) recommending that S.C.R. No. 69, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 69, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY TO CONVENE A PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGER WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE THE BEST POLICIES TO LOWER DRUG COSTS FOR PATIENT CONSUMERS AND INCREASE ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2074) recommending that S.C.R. No. 86, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 86, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE AN AEROMEDICAL SERVICES WORKING GROUP," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2075) recommending that S.C.R. No. 70, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 70, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO ESTABLISH AND CONVENE A PHARMACY REIMBURSEMENT WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE AND PROPOSE LEGISLATION FOR THE 2026 LEGISLATIVE SESSION," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2076) recommending that S.C.R. No. 118, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 118, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE FEASIBILITY OF ALLOWING BUSINESS OWNERS IN THE STATE TO UTILIZE FILTERED WATER COLLECTED BY WATER CATCHMENT SYSTEMS FOR BUSINESS ACTIVITIES," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2077) recommending that S.C.R. No. 120, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 120, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF PROPOSED MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITORS," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2078) recommending that S.C.R. No. 194, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 194, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ENCOURAGE

REDUCTIONS IN THE USE OF DISPOSABLE SURGICAL EQUIPMENT AND ADOPTION OF SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES IN THE PROVISION OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES FOLLOWING EXAMPLES SET BY CALIFORNIA AND JAPAN," was referred to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2079) recommending that S.C.R. No. 51 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 51 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, in opposition. So, this resolution is asking for an expansion of the government, creating an Office of Resiliency and Recovery. When the government increases, usually the people's livelihoods decrease, so I think the smaller the government the better. So, I'm voting no."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 51, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE ESTABLISHMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE PLACEMENT OF AN OFFICE OF RESILIENCE AND RECOVERY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2080) recommending that S.C.R. No. 136, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 136, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Amato rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 136, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE ENERGY OFFICE TO CONVENE A NUCLEAR ENERGY WORKING GROUP TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF USING ADVANCED NUCLEAR POWER TECHNOLOGIES IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Amato voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Perruso voting no.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2081) recommending that S.C.R. No. 123, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 123, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE TO DETERMINE IF ANY AMENDMENTS OR UPDATES ARE NECESSARY TO IMPROVE LANDLORD-TENANT INTERACTIONS AND ADDRESS OTHER HOUSING ISSUES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2082) recommending that S.C.R. No. 3, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R.

No. 3, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A PERPETUAL, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT MAUNALUA, HONOLULU, OAHU, FOR THE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT OUTFALL AND DRAINAGE SYSTEM, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2083) recommending that S.C.R. No. 4 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 4, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TWENTY-FIVE-YEAR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KIKIAOLA, KEKAHA, KAUAI, FOR A SHORELINE PROTECTION STRUCTURE, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2084) recommending that S.C.R. No. 5, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 5, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TWENTY-FIVE-YEAR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU, FOR CONCRETE STAIRS, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2085) recommending that S.C.R. No. 6 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 6 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Amato 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 6, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TWENTY-FIVE-YEAR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT EWA BEACH, EWA, OAHU, FOR A SEAWALL, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Amato and Perruso voting no.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2086) recommending that S.C.R. No. 7 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TWENTY-FIVE YEAR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAIE, KOOLAULO, OAHU, FOR A ROCK REVETMENT THAT INCLUDES STAIRS, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2087) recommending that S.C.R. No. 54, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 54, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONVENE AND PROVIDE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANCE TO A DESALINATION PLANNING TASK FORCE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE USE OF DESALINATION FOR LARGE-SCALE WATER CONSUMPTION IN THE STATE IS FEASIBLE," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2088) recommending that S.C.R. No. 119, SD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 119, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONVENE A KAILUA BAY ADVISORY WORKING GROUP," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2089) recommending that S.C.R. No. 34, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 34, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO PETITION THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ADDRESS THE LACK OF PARITY BETWEEN HAWAII AND OTHER STATES AND TERRITORIES PERTAINING TO THE EXPORT OF AGRICULTURAL GOODS," was adopted.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2090) recommending that S.C.R. No. 41, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 41, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING EACH COUNTY TO ESTABLISH ITS OWN BIOSECURITY PLAN THAT PRIORITIZES THE NEEDS OF THE COUNTY," was adopted.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2091) recommending that S.C.R. No. 56 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 56, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO DEVELOP A NATIONAL BIODIVERSITY STRATEGY," was adopted.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2092) recommending that S.C.R. No. 88 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 88, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH AND ADMINISTER A MICROBIAL ALGAE SOIL PRODUCTS PILOT PROGRAM," was adopted.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2093) recommending that S.C.R. No. 94, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R.

No. 94, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO TAKE FURTHER MEANINGFUL ACTION TO ADDRESS THE AXIS DEER OVERPOPULATION," was adopted.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2094) recommending that S.C.R. No. 141, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 141, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO COLLABORATE WITH THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION REGARDING GRANT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE," was adopted.

Representative Kahaloa, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2095) recommending that S.C.R. No. 164, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 164, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES AUTHORIZING RODEOS ON LANDS ZONED FOR AGRICULTURAL USE," was adopted.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2096) recommending that S.C.R. No. 53, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 53, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMPTROLLER TO COOPERATE WITH THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM, OFFICE OF PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT, AND HAWAII BROADBAND AND DIGITAL EQUITY OFFICE TO IDENTIFY RURAL AND UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES IN THE STATE WITH A NEED FOR BETTER TELECOMMUNICATION ACCESS FOR RESIDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE LEGISLATIVE PROCESS," was adopted.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2097) recommending that S.C.R. No. 134 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Todd, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 134, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE A DETAILED REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON THE TRUE COST OF PRODUCING SCHOOL MEALS TO ENSURE TRANSPARENCY AND AVOID UNNECESSARY PRICE INCREASES," was adopted.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2098) recommending that S.C.R. No. 115, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 115, HD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Muraoka 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 S.C.R. No. 115, HD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE IMPORTANCE OF MARINE ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION TO ACHIEVE THE STATE'S DECARBONIZATION GOALS," was adopted, with Representatives Garcia, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2099) recommending that S.C.R. No. 132, SD 1 be adopted.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 132, SD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Garcia rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, 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 Shimizu 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 S.C.R. No. 132, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ADOPTION OF RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE UNITED NATIONS GLOBAL PLASTICS TREATY AND RAPA NUI SUMMIT DECLARATION TO ADDRESS CLIMATE JUSTICE AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT," was adopted, with Representatives Garcia, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2100) recommending that S.C.R. No. 183 be adopted.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 183 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

Representative Garcia rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, 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 Shimizu 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 S.C.R. No. 183, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENDORSING AND REAFFIRMING SUPPORT FOR THE PROGRESS ACHIEVED BY THE ALOHA+ CHALLENGE THROUGH ITS INTEGRATED APPROACH AND SIX AMBITIOUS TARGETS TO BE REACHED BY 2030," was adopted, with Representatives Garcia, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2101) recommending that S.C.R. No. 93, SD 1 be adopted.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 93, SD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

Representative Muraoka 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 93, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR, MAYORS OF EACH COUNTY, AND THE STATE TO WORK TOWARDS A JUST CLIMATE FUTURE BY INTEGRATING INDIGENOUS KNOWLEDGE INTO POLICY AND DECISION-MAKING PROCESSES RELATED TO CLIMATE ADAPTATION, CLIMATE MITIGATION, AND CLIMATE RESILIENCY," was adopted, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2102) recommending that S.C.R. No. 76, SD 1 be adopted.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.C.R. No. 76, SD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise in support with reservations and comment. My reservation stems from some community testimony opposing the solutions that are being considered in this measure. However, I support this measure because as it was confirmed in our hearing on Water & Land, that even though we support this resolution, the work that this resolution seeks to achieve will not be done without the consent of the County of Maui. They will have final say on this, and I support that based on home rule and other issues. So, this is why I'm supporting this measure. Thank you."

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

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

"Thank you, Speaker. In support, with comment, though. And I've been tracking this, because this issue has been happening for decades. And as a council member, when this first started, and all these condos, that are literally falling into the ocean today, have come together supporting each other with their own funding to do studies, come up with answers, solutions, and reports, and I've been very supportive of their efforts.

"And yes, we're facing degraded sandbags and seawalls and all these things, which unfortunately are there. And they're just trying to move forward. So, I feel like because the efforts have been occurring for years, we're going backwards to get back to the table and urge these people to talk once again, I'm kinda like, well, what happened to some of these solutions I recall on the table that were doable and the community did have buy-in. So, if we have to do this, then great, continue the conversation again. So, those are just my comments in reflecting on the evolution of this issue. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 76, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT TO CONSULT WITH THE KAHANA BAY STEERING COMMITTEE, COUNTY OF MAUI, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS REGARDING A PATH FORWARD FOR THE PROPOSED KAHANA BAY EROSION MITIGATION PROJECT," was adopted, with Representative Iwamoto voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Amato voting no.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2103) recommending that H.R. No. 43, HD 1 be adopted.

Representative Todd moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 43, HD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. No vote and permission to insert written comments into the Journal. And just a brief comment. I'm just not certain if the committee report is an accurate reflection as far as the robust discussion and full scope of what transpired during the committee hearing. Thank you."

Representative Souza's written remarks are as follows:

"I am in opposition to HR 43, HD 1, Urging the City and County of Honolulu to work with stakeholders to construct an emergency access road on the Wai'anae Coast. In the House Committee on Public Safety hearing on April 2, 2025, where this measure was last heard, amendments were sought to include an emergency access road in Makakilo. The recommendation from the acting chair to include these amendments were voted down by the committee, and subsequently, a motion for reconsideration was made by the chair to vote on the measure as-is. The measure then passed out of the House Committee on Public Safety as-is.

"I will express the same sentiments here that I did when this measure previously came to the House floor and emphasize that it is supremely important that all communities have an emergency access road for egress and ingress in the event of an emergency.

"I am in agreement that in the event of an emergency, residents on the westside (specifically west beyond District 43) need another route for ingress and egress aside from Farrington Highway. However, if this issue is significant for the communities on the westside, mainly referring to the communities that comprise House District 44 and House District 45, then having another route for ingress and egress on the mountain in Makakilo in House District 43 should be of equal importance in the event of an emergency or wildfire. The Makakilo Drive Extension was promised to Makakilo residents decades ago and would be a second route for the well over 20,000 residents of Makakilo to have access off the mountain in the event of an emergency. The current mitigation plan of utilizing an access road in the Makakilo Quarry owned and operated by Grace Pacific LLC is not sustainable and merely serves as a bandage for a longstanding problem. I introduced two resolutions this session, HR 9 Requesting the Director of Transportation to establish the Makakilo Drive Extension Task Force to address issues delaying the construction of the Makakilo Drive Extension Project, and HR 14 Requesting the City and County of Honolulu to transfer its authority to construct a Makakilo Drive Extension to the State, in addition to bills I introduced also relating to the Makakilo Drive Extension.

"Equity for all communities is important, especially when it comes to providing safety measures for communities. One community is not more important than another community. It is unfathomable that the safety of my community is not being prioritized when it comes to providing a second point of access for Makakilo residents.

"From a safety perspective, any emergency access road that is designated as such by the state or City and County of Honolulu will suffice at this point in time for Makakilo residents, while we continue to push for the completion of the Makakilo Drive Extension."

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

"In support. Thank you, Madam Chair. I rise today in strong support of this resolution, a resolution born from a very real, very urgent need in the Wai'anae Coast community. Wai'anae has nothing, no plan, no escape route, no clear way out in the event of a natural or man-made disaster. This resolution is not just paperwork. It's the first step towards ensuring that the over 50,000 residents of the Wai'anae Coast are not trapped physically or politically by inaction. We are hopeful, we are optimistic, and we are ready to work together to make sure no community is left behind when the next emergency comes. Because we all know it's not a matter of if, but when. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise in support and ask that the words of the representative from Wai'anae be entered into the record as my own, with a few additional comments. And I want to echo what he said, which was no community be left without egress in case of emergency. I am in full support of every community having that access to government resources to flee when there is a crisis that could cost lives. Thank you very much."

Representative Souza rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. Second time, still in opposition. And I would like the words of the representative from Kaka'ako inserted into the record as my own. And I do want to just reiterate that I do support an egress and ingress route for the Wai'anae Coast. It's important that in the event of an emergency, especially a wildfire, that residents have the means of escaping. And I also feel that it's important that every single community has this opportunity to save their residents. And so, I do hope that as we move forward, we can also do the same for the residents of Makakilo. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 43, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO WORK WITH STAKEHOLDERS TO CONSTRUCT AN EMERGENCY ACCESS ROAD ON THE WAI'ANAEO COAST," was adopted, with Representative Souza voting no.

FINAL READING

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, there will be three motions. One to agree to the Senate amendments, one to suspend the rules for final reading by consent, and one to pass the House bill on final reading."

Representative Todd moved to agree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Bill, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried:

H.B. No. 1194, HD 2, (SD 3)

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Todd and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a certain House Bill for Final Reading by consent calendar.

FINAL READING

H.B. No. 1194, HD 2, SD 3:

Representative Todd moved that H.B. No. 1194, HD 2, SD 3 pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

At 12:15 p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:16 p.m.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"I'd like to call this meeting back to order. And I ask the audience to please refrain from any language, outbursts that will disrupt the deliberations and proceedings on the floor. Thank you very much."

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

"Thank you, Speaker. And so, you can feel the energy in this room in reference to the, I stand in opposition. And I just want to justify just some points and flaws in this bill as to why I completely do not agree with it in its current form, I didn't agree with it in its original form, and wish that H.B. 1328 had been in this position instead of this one.

"Anyways, so one, I just want to acknowledge again the 17 countries here and the midwives associated with their respective traditional, cultural, customary practice of midwifery. This is an accepted practice worldwide, globally. And why it is so difficult to acknowledge and put into practice here, just boggles me to no end.

"Anyways, so if we were to look at the 17 countries here today in their title and role profession as midwives and they moved here and wanted to do their job that God has elected them to do, they would be subject to heavy fines with this bill. A thousand dollars a day for practicing their indigenous midwifery practice. Our women here in Hawai'i would not be able to choose them as their midwives, so they should choose. And to me, a woman has all the rights, must have, should have all the rights and option and choice of

who will be with them in that time of birthing. Touching their bodies, being with them. And so, it's a matter of reproductive rights and choice.

"Also, this restricts access for all *wahine* in Hawai'i to receive care from two types of midwives, Western-trained and *pale keiki*, yet have removed the choice to all these other indigenous midwives sitting, again, in the chambers here behind me. Reproductive rights have been removed in this bill. You cannot choose someone knowing the care they will give you could result in financial burdens that could devastate their livelihoods. This is not a choice. This is not freedom of choice.

"I also think that other main points can be expanded on. I want to thank, I do appreciate the change with the Senate, adding in the PEP pathway. That was a really big move and I applaud the Senate and ACLU and all the efforts that moved that body to put in the PEP pathway. But PEP students are not clearly recognized in the exemption language. And also, qualified midwife preceptors does not include the ability for licensed midwives and professionals in this state to legally precept student midwives into the pathway that we have added into this bill.

"So, there was talk, I mean if we could have just done some simple amendments of this kind to make the bill have more sense. Because as written, it is severely flawed still. And I'm really afraid that this body is going to face litigation in the future, as we have already. And I was hoping we could address those things collectively in a unified voice moving forward. That has not happened this year. As I understand, revisit it next year. So, I guess that's what we're going to have to do because I don't think any of us in this room is going to leave and forget this issue for a long time coming. So, hopefully we can move forward, but those are my comments, Speaker, and reasons for in opposition."

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

"In opposition. I just wanted to point out to our colleague from Hawaiian Paradise Beaches that we are in this room today because we're voted to serve the people. And I'd like everybody to take a look in the gallery today. Those are the people we were elected to serve, and their voices should count and should be heard. We are not here for ourselves or the people who donate to us or stand behind us. We are here for the people who have elected us."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise in opposition, and I ask that the words of the representative from Lahaina be entered into the record as my own, and may I make a few comments. Yes, I am concerned. We say that we welcome everyone. We acknowledge indigenous families who are here in Hawai'i, indigenous families, not just Hawaiian, but also from Aotearoa, from Samoa, from various parts of the Pacific. We have a multicultural tapestry, and to not allow a family who's experiencing this birth to have attendance from their own practices, their own cultural practices. In fact, if we now put them in a position to be fined and financially harmed, it is offensive to what is natural, to what is custom, and for those reasons I oppose this version of the bill. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"In opposition. And I'd like to adopt the words of the representative from Lahaina and Wai'anae as my own with a few comments. Madam Speaker, midwives have been in existence, well, ever since humans have, really, for thousands of years on Earth. And I find it very, very troubling that we think in 2025 of 6,000 years of documented human existence, we can then decide arbitrarily who's licensed and who's not, while also violating people's religious rights.

"Forget the whole licensure aspect, what about the religious aspect of this? As a human being in this country, every citizen is entitled to practice the tenets of their faith, and that includes birthing practices. I believe this bill is a clear violation of our First Amendment rights to practice freely with our religions. Therefore, I urge my colleagues to vote no. Thank you."

Representative Reyes Oda rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I rise in opposition. Throughout the course of this bill's movement through the Legislature, the various committees had multiple opportunities to adopt language pertaining to broader religious exemptions, as seen in Chapter 457 of our current nursing licensing laws, but has failed to do so. This is a balancing act between birthing freedom and consumer protection. Protection for consumers and healthcare certifications should not come at the cost of limiting a mother's choice in whom she decides to be present at her child's birth. In addition, I am concerned that Native Hawaiian practices are not fully recognized within the current language. For these reasons, I rise in opposition."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise with reservations. This is a complex topic balancing public health needs, cultural rights, constitutionality, and more. I greatly appreciate the author's intent and recognize that many parts of this bill are intended to protect the public. I also appreciate that significant progress has been made in amending the bill to fix issues, to remove midwifery criminalization, and to allow a path for licensure for midwifery without leaving Hawai'i. I feel it is a significant concern that the teaching preceptorship path, as stated in the bill, will effectively limit opportunity for licensure for teachers, possibly limiting or virtually phasing out midwifery in the future.

"I also have concerns about potential violation of Article 12, Section 7 of the Hawai'i State Constitution and ensuring that we preserve Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices. As a result, I fear an unnecessary continuation of the lawsuit against the state. As I said, it is complex to balance these issues.

"At minimum, we have a quadruple obligation. Foremost, to protect public safety and yet to stand up for an industry providing much-needed health care, where so many of us live in a health care desert here in Hawai'i, and to protect practitioners' rights. As no floor amendments are being considered, yet progress has been made on this bill, after careful consideration, I vote with reservations."

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

"Thank you, Madam President. In support. Madam President, this bill before us today is the product of many, many hours of hearings and debate in both the House and Senate. When the House passed this measure as the HD version, I said that the purpose of this measure is to enact professional standards of training, experience, and knowledge for midwives so that all expectant mothers can be assured of a safe quality of care when they utilize the services of a licensed midwife. That is still the reason I ask my colleagues to support the measure before us today.

"The Senate amended HB 1194 in three key areas, as has been mentioned. It added the portfolio evaluation process, known as PEP, plus the bridge certificate as a pathway to receive a midwifery license in Hawai'i. Secondly, it added an exemption for persons invited by a patient to be present at a birth in the community as long as they are not using the title 'midwife' or practicing midwifery. Finally, it added that nothing in this measure should be construed as establishing a criminal penalty. The provisions regarding certified midwives did not change at all. This bill allows certified midwives to practice to their full extent and training, including providing prescriptive authority.

"Also, it's very important to note that this bill preserves the constitutional right of Native Hawaiians to exercise traditional and customary practices regarding childbirth. Let me say again, this bill preserves the constitutional right of Native Hawaiians to exercise traditional and customary practices regarding childbirth. For all these reasons, I ask my colleagues to support the measure before us today. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. In opposition. So, this bill would basically limit people by allowing to give birth at home with midwives, and then the term 'midwife' is becoming very restrictive. My dad was, for all intents and purposes, the midwife for my mom when I was birthed. Same with my two older brothers and my younger sister. It carried on to my sister and her four kids and soon to be fifth kid in June. So, this is a common practice amongst

multiple states, and it goes back thousands of years. In fact, in the Bible, in Exodus chapter one, there's midwives mentioned that were helping people give birth. Jesus was born without a licensed midwife present, Joseph. So, I think the standards of Jesus are good enough for us. And I recommend we vote no on this bill."

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Again, members of the public, there is disruption of our proceedings and it's not appreciated. Please conduct yourselves and respect our process and our rules in this chamber. Thank you."

At 12:29 p.m., Representative Quinlan requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:30 p.m.

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

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

"In opposition. Over the past decades, midwives been giving birth, as our colleagues say right now. They were the heroes. They were the one helping and going out and saving peoples' lives and being able to help our community. And all of a sudden, we putting bills in. And I can see the intent that we want the best for our families. But the practice always has been there. When is it we got to reach out and go get another certificate to save someone, to help someone. To get a fine if you're trying to help someone just because you don't have a certificate. These ladies been out there, husbands been out there, and doing this for many, many years. So, I oppose to this bill. Thank you."

Representative Garcia rose to respond, stating:

"Second time, yes, still in opposition, Madam Speaker. I did hear a previous speaker mention that the bill does carve out protections for Native Hawaiian religious practices. But my question is, why just Native Hawaiian religious practices? Why not all the other religions in this country? Asians, some Orientals, have their birthing practices. Jews have their birthing practices. Why just Native Hawaiians? I think that in and of itself is discriminatory. No vote."

Representative Cochran rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you again, Speaker. And I rise once again in opposition. I concur with all the opposition testimony thus far. And I just want to add, I heard a comment about how this bill sitting on the floor, it was vetted and had all this work being done. I want to point out one of the biggest things I am in opposition, because there was a side-by-side bill that was presented from day one. That in particular took thousands of hours of people that are actually sitting in this gallery right now, days and weeks, days after last session. Because the word back to the group was, well, let's work on it next year, which here we are, that year. And now they're being told again, next year again and again. So, this is my third year here and I've been hearing it over and over. So, this not the first time other bills have been worked out.

"So, what's come to the floor to me isn't worthy. The other bill totally was. It had 700 in support, none in opposition. This bill that moved through, 75 in support, 300 in opposition of testimony. The other bill was just deferred and killed with no discussion. And so, yes, this bill moved forward, lots of discussion and what have you, but this is not the vehicle that should have been as far as I'm concerned. And so, to me, we did not listen to the people and their voice. And because it had vetted through literally globally, global buy-in, medical profession buy-in, from all walks of life, yet this bill that we're sitting on went instead. So, those are more of my reasons for opposition. And if there's a time for me to ask for a roll call vote on this."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise in opposition with comments, please. First of all, I want to thank the chairs and the committees for the work that was put into this bill to get it to this point. I really don't want to frame this as an us-versus-them argument, I would rather see it as a win-win situation. And what I see is, although the purpose of this bill is to provide public safety,

on the other hand, we are disenfranchising a great part of our population, their culture, their freedom to choose what they feel is best for themselves, their families, their bodies.

"And what I am afraid of is, as we pass bills like this, if it does, in fact, pass, and I hope it doesn't. But if it does pass, we are heading in a direction where we are moving away from taking away people's rights, the freedom to choose. And that is a dangerous precedent, Madam Speaker. And I would really encourage my colleagues to think about that, to realize that we represent everyone, not just one side of the argument, but we need to pass bills that consider everyone's rights. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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

Representative Perruso's written remarks are as follows:

"In opposition. We need to talk about the elephant on the labor and delivery table: the so called 'Portfolio Evaluation Process' (PEP) pathway that HB 1194 claims to create.

"The bill tells students they may practice midwifery while they are, quote, 'currently enrolled in a midwifery educational program . . . under the direct supervision of a qualified midwife preceptor' (§ 457J 6, SD 3). That sounds reasonable—until you open the existing statute.

"HRS § 457J 2 defines a 'qualified midwife preceptor' as someone who precepts only for programs accredited by MEAC or ACME. But the entire point of PEP is to allow an apprenticeship outside those accredited programs. In other words, the door we crack open in this bill is immediately slammed shut by the very definition we leave untouched in statute. A logical impossibility masquerading as a pathway.

"So where does that leave the student apprentice? Squarely in a gray zone—'allowed' to apply for a license yet not clearly exempt to use the PEP Pathway as a student midwife and unable to find a legally recognized preceptor. And where does that leave the experienced CPM who trained through PEP? Licensed to practice, but disqualified from mentoring the next generation. We have written a riddle, not a remedy.

"While this contradiction could be simply the result of lack of careful attention to all of the issues, it invites uneven enforcement, deters new midwives, and ultimately restricts birthing families' options—especially on neighbor islands already facing maternity care deserts. If we truly intended to honor the PEP pathway, we had to amend the preceptor definition or create a separate category altogether. We did neither.

"For that reason, and because the bill still sidesteps clear accommodations for faith based care, I must vote 'No.' Our task is to legislate coherence, not confusion. Until we reconcile the statute with the promise we make on this floor, we have not finished the job."

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

Representative Belatti's written remarks are as follows:

"Regretfully, I rise in opposition to House Bill 1194, Senate Draft 3. While the Senate has amended and improved this measure, by not continuing to work on House Bill 1194 during the conference process that we are afforded as a legislative body, we are shortchanging ourselves and, more importantly, the people of Hawai'i in passing a bill that could more fully address the practice of midwifery in the state of Hawai'i.

"Fundamental flaws continue to exist within Senate Draft 3 with the lack of an exemption for religious and spiritual midwifery practices that likely violates the free exercise of religion. While the Senate included the 'Portfolio Evaluation Process' (PEP) pathway in this measure, by not addressing the definition of 'qualified midwife preceptor' in HRS Section 457J-2, the measure if adopted does not clearly exempt and leaves vulnerable the student apprentice midwife from being able to pursue the PEP pathway nor does the current law allow a certified professional midwife who was trained through PEP to train others to become midwives. Finally, while Senate Draft 3 provides reassuring language that '[n]othing in this chapter shall be construed as establishing any criminal penalty,' the existing fines of \$1,000 for each separate offense where each day of violation shall constitute a

separate offense are extremely punitive and chilling for those who may be engaging in legitimate and safe practices consistent with their religious and cultural beliefs.

"To reiterate, I have long supported safeguarding and protecting reproductive rights for the people of Hawai'i. The midwifery model of care is a subset of these reproductive rights and practices that need to be strengthened and supported with appropriate safeguards in the interest of health and public safety. Expanding access to midwifery care in Hawai'i with reasonable regulations is even more important now in light of attacks on reproductive autonomy at the federal level and with the ongoing shortages of maternal healthcare providers, especially in our rural communities. My sincere belief is that further work could, should, and will need to be done on this measure, once enacted, to ensure reproductive rights and access to quality care that our people deserve. Because of this belief, I respectfully dissent to House Bill 1194, Senate Draft 3."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise in strong opposition to this measure. I do think that this particular bill could go further in protecting Native Hawaiian customary rights and practices. And I will point to the Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation's testimony from the Senate hearing on April 1st from the Commerce and Consumer Protection and Judiciary Committees. They provided three proposed amendments, which the Office of Hawaiian Affairs also supported in their testimony.

"And to quote from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs testimony, they support the Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation's stance in that first, they need to 'make explicit the legislature's intent not to regulate traditional and cultural practices under the proposed chapter by adding language to the preamble to this effect.' So basically, in the preamble, we should be explicitly stating about the Native Hawaiian cultural practices, and that the Legislature intends to avoid infringing on Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practice rights. Second, to 'amend the traditional and cultural practices exemption to read that the proposed chapter will not apply to persons: "Practicing Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices, including but not limited to practices related to pregnancy, birth, or infancy, as protected under article XII, section 7 of the Hawai'i State Constitution;" and three, to remove duplicative language from the definition of the practice of midwifery, as the above amendments make clear the intent not to regulate traditional and customary practices.'

"With all of that being said, we did have 48 hours, basically, to try to figure out what the comparison was between the House version and the Senate version. And even for someone with my legal expertise, it was very difficult to do that this weekend. To try to really parse out the differences between the House bill and the Senate bill. And I do feel that perhaps if this bill were to be discussed further in conference, we would have had more of an opportunity to truly understand the ramifications of this legislation.

"And I also want to say to that, that the Star Advertiser did have it on the front page yesterday. And it's pretty sad when I have to read in the Star Advertiser on a Sunday about this particular measure, just to try to gain some bearings as to what this legislation actually means in its effect.

"My grandmother, a full-blooded Native Hawaiian woman from 'Ualapu'e, Moloka'i, was born here on O'ahu to a midwife. And a few days after her birth, she ended up going back to Moloka'i on a ship called the Hualalai. And it was good enough for my grandmother back in 1935, And here I am today. And so, I really do feel that we need to protect our cultural practices, our Native Hawaiian cultural practices and our Indigenous cultural practices. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

Representative Quinlan rose to a point of order, stating:

"Just a brief point of order, Madam Speaker, not related to the merits of the question. But I wonder if the minority floor leader wouldn't mind retracting his remark about Orientals."

At 12:40 p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:41 p.m.

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

"Madam Speaker, thank you very much. In opposition. First of all, I'd like to have the remarks of the representative from Lahaina entered into the Journal as my own, or most recent remarks, if I may, regarding HB 1328," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Hussey continued, stating:

"The second thing that I wanted to say is simply, *he mahalo nui i nā makuahine a pau e hiki mai i ke 'aha, i ke 'aha 'ōlelo, mana hearings a pau, ma nā komike a pau. Nui nui iho, nui ino ka nā mana o like 'ole i lawe mai ai i mā kōnei. Mau 'ōlelo mana loa ala o kou. No laila, he mahalo nui kou iā lākou a pau. I nā makuahine me kona mau kāko 'o, 'o ia ho 'i nā pale keiki. Mahalo iā lākou.*

"I think it's important for all of us to remember that we think a lot about the work of the Legislature. But there is so much work that happens outside of our chambers, outside of our committees. There was tremendous amount of work put into the other vehicle. And we have tried, I think, in both bodies, our body and in the Senate as well, to take a lot of that additional work, the work that happened by many of the people here, and to try to apply it to this measure. But frankly, the constraints of our schedule have made the work insufficient. And this measure will move forward, I don't doubt. And I look forward to subsequent amendments and modifications to it in the sessions to come. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

At this time, Representative Cochran requested a roll call vote.

At 12:44 p.m., Representative Todd requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:46 p.m.

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

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. In support, and I have just two brief points that I wanted to share about why I support this measure. Before I do that though, I would like to thank the chairs of the Committees on Health, Consumer Protection, and Finance, as well as the Senate chairs, Health and Human Services, Consumer Protection, Judiciary, for the many hours that they spent listening to the testimony on this bill and the work that they did to improve it.

"The first point that I wanted to emphasize about this bill and why I support it is because it will remove the sunset date on Chapter 457J and fully establish midwifery as a profession in the State of Hawai'i. It implements the recommendations of several auditor's reports that the profession of midwifery should be licensed. The second reason I support it is because it amends a flawed definition that we had in the prior law, Act 32, which was passed in 2019, on the definition of midwifery. It was too broad, it was confusing, and it swept too many people into that definition. And this bill fixes that.

"And I wanted to emphasize for the members that the definition of the practice of midwifery that we are adopting in this bill starts on page 24. And I'd like to read it so that everyone understands what exactly we are regulating by passing this bill. The "practice of midwifery" means the independent provision of care, including initial and ongoing comprehensive assessment, diagnosis, and treatment during pregnancy, childbirth, the postpartum period, and for healthy newborns; sexual and reproductive health; gynecologic health; and family planning services, including preconception care according to the midwife's scope of practice for all persons seeking midwifery care in all settings through the performance of professional services commensurate with the educational preparation and demonstrated competency of the individual having specialized training, and skill based on the principles of the biological, physical, behavioral, and sociological sciences and midwifery theory, whereby the individual shall be accountable and responsible to the client for the quality of midwifery care rendered. "Practice of midwifery" does not include Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices as protected under article XII, section 7, of the Hawaii State Constitution."

"That is the definition of the practice of midwifery, and that is what we are trying to say is covered under this bill. It does not include lactation

consultants, it does not include doulas, it does not include support people such as family or friends that you would like to have present at your birth.

"I also appreciated the amendment made by the Senate to clarify that there are no criminal penalties for any violations of this chapter, but fees and fines would still apply, such as HRS 457J-13, for violations of this chapter. So overall, Madam Speaker, I think this is a good bill that would protect the consumers of Hawai'i. Thank you."

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

"*Mahalo*, Madam Speaker. In support. I'd like to adopt the words of the previous speaker as if they were my own, and brief comment, please," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kila continued, stating:

"Madam Speaker, this bill before us, I want to clarify, that does not restrict, criminalize, or interfere with Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices. On page 3, the bill affirms the practice of midwifery under this act does not include Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices. On page 32, it goes further by exempting and practicing Native Hawaiian traditional customary practices as protected under Article XII, Section 7 of the Hawai'i State Constitution.

"The language is not vague. It is intentional, constitutional, and rooted in the respect for our people and the ways of our knowing. This comes after consultation with practitioners, birth workers, and voices who wanted to make sure that they have that exemption. And I want to *mahalo* every single person that has submitted testimony, questions, and *mana 'o*. Also on page 25, we reaffirmed this same thing and on page 4 as well.

"Article XII, Section 7 of the Constitution protects Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices, and we see that reaffirmed throughout everything that we do in legislation here. And it is modeled after some of the same things that exist today, such as the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands.

"Madam Speaker, I was born and raised in the community of the Wai'anae Coast. And birth is not just a medical event, it is spiritual, ancestral, and sometimes, and most times, very sacred. The bill was never intended and will not criminalize the tradition. It makes sure that our families who choose clinical midwifery involves medication, diagnostic, and medical interventions that are being cared for and trained by licensed and accountable providers.

"In the district I serve, we have some of the highest birth rates in the state, with the deepest disparities in access to care. The auditor's report, the unregulated practice of midwifery, poses a clear and significant risk to public safety, where 45% of some of these births are covered by Medicaid. These families deserve the care that is competent but also culturally aware and safe.

"I think this bill strikes the balance that affirms that traditional practices are not subject to licensure. It ensures midwives and provisional midwives have the education and training standards as set forth with the PEP, and it allows for the authority under clear guidelines. I think this bill strikes a practice of traditions while keeping it protected and respected.

"I also want to think about some of the stories that have come through from my community. Hawaiian homestead that was built in Nānākuli on Nānākuli Ave, there's a family that gave birth in their house, not because of just practicing traditional midwifery, they also could not afford medical and licensed care. I think moving forward, should they continue to practice that with this bill, they have that right to do so. But I also want to give our communities the opportunity that should they want to pursue a different birth practice, it is allowed and exempted.

"I think this bill strikes the balance of both, and I understand that there is concern. But I do not want this bill to cause division and to tear our communities apart. It is grounded in respect, and it think it is built on trust. And I go back to reaffirming that when we were sworn into the Legislature, to reaffirm the Constitution, in the Constitution we have carved out rights for Native Hawaiians. And for those reasons, Madam Speaker, I support the bill today."

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

"Thank you, I rise in support. I'd like to adopt the words of the Health chair, the Transportation chair, and the vice speaker as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Marten continued, stating:

"And add to that, as somebody who represents a Hawaiian community, it was very important to me, and I spoke with a lot of people about the language, and I do feel that this allows the Native Hawaiian community to regulate themselves as they see fit or not regulate themselves at all. And the state does not weigh in on that, the state does comment on that, the state does not set standards for that.

"However, for other people, the state does set standards, and that is a safety issue for our moms and our babies. And that is not something that we are doing for no reason. That is something we are doing because there are cases, and we have heard a lot of testimony from healthcare providers, where people who are providing traditional birth or midwifery services do make bad choices. And it is our hospitals and our OBGYNs that have to try to save the mothers, record deaths in the hospital of unborn babies that died before they reached the hospital, or care for babies in the NICU who will be permanently developmentally disabled, and our state will have to fund those for the rest of their lives. It is for this reason that we need accountability. And that doesn't mean that all traditional birth attendants make poor choices. But by asking for no regulation, it does not allow us to hold accountable the few that do.

"And so, for those that want to provide safe services to our community, there are now pathways that are very low barrier to become licensed. And I would encourage everyone, because I believe our mothers and our babies deserve not only the richness of cultural practices, but also some of the safety that comes with training and the ability to use different medications, different screenings that go with that license so that they can offer their patients the best of both worlds. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. In support. May I also adopt the words from the vice speaker as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative La Chica continued, stating:

"And just brief remarks. In support of this measure because this bill is not about exclusion, it's really for those families who do want to choose midwifery care and to do so safely and confidently. And we know that many local families, including many Filipino, Pacific Islander communities, I'm a Filipina, we look through cultural guides, through different traditions. But we want to be able to do that through trust and be able to do that with somebody who can provide that safe quality care.

"I know that somebody who also believes in public health and prevention, public health is about prevention, it's about protecting people. And I think that this bill is just really something that can do both. I believe that we are able to both have that choice and as well as also be able to make sure that families are also safe. So, in support, Madam Speaker."

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Representative Cochran has asked for a roll call. Before we go to the vote, let's go through this request. All those in favor of a roll call vote, please signify such by raising your hands and keep them up until the clerk has finished counting."

Representative Garcia rose, stating:

"Madam Speaker, I second the roll call vote."

The request for roll call was put to vote by the Chair and upon a show of hands, the roll call was approved.

At 12:59 p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:59 p.m.

Roll call having been approved, the motion that H.B. No. 1194, HD 2, SD 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIDWIVES," pass Final Reading was put to vote by the Chair and carried on the following show of ayes and noes:

Ayes, 34: Chun, Evslin, Garrett, Hashem, Holt, Ichiyama, Ilagan, Kahaloa, Kapela, Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Kila, Kitagawa, Kong, Kusch, La Chica, Lamosao, Lee, Lowen, Marten, Matayoshi, Miyake, Morikawa, Nakamura, Olds, Quinlan, Sayama, Takayama, Takenouchi, Tam, Tarnas, Templo, Todd, Woodson, and Yamashita.

Noes, 16: Alcos, Amato, Belatti, Cochran, Garcia, Grandinetti, Hussey, Iwamoto, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Perruso, Pierick, Poepoe, Reyes Oda, Shimizu, and Souza.

At 1:03 p.m., the Chair noted that the following bill passed Final Reading:

H.B. No. 1194, HD 2, SD 3

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Takayama: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. I just want to take this opportunity to thank my colleagues for your generous donations to this year's Dress for Success women's clothing drive benefiting the YWCA. We collected 80 bags of clothing, which is the most ever. So, I'd like to thank House and Senate members, as well as their staffs and support agencies for being so generous in this drive.

"I might also mention that in my frequent meetings with health organizations, several representatives after the meeting came back the next day with donations of their own. So, this was a very widespread effort. The important thing is I want to invite members to a photo opportunity tomorrow in the Lieutenant Governor's Office upstairs at 11:00 a.m. And all members are invited 11:00 a.m. tomorrow, whether you donated or not. If you just want to admire the number of donations we've had, please come. And thank you very much."

Representative La Chica: "Members, the day has arrived, good news, I have good news to share. To those who have placed orders, House jacket orders, they have arrived. So, they are in my office today. My staff is sorting through them. My staff will be giving your offices a call when they are ready for pickup. So, thank you to all of you for being so patient as our vendor has been stitching through them the last couple of weeks. So, thank you all, stay tuned. You'll get a call in the next couple of days for pick up. So, thank you all."

Representative Hashem: "I just want to make an announcement that it's the birthday for my staff member Jane Taylor today. Thank you."

Representative Kong: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Tomorrow is April 15th, and it marks the Purple Up Day. So, in order to honor our dependents of the military members, wear purple. Thank you."

Representative Shimizu: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. I just wanted to congratulate our Lachiclets for winning the talent show. And it was a very inspired performance. Thank you."

Representative Kapela: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. I just wanted to thank every single member who participated in Art at the Capitol. I would also like to shout out our Lachiclets. They were wonderful, and they won first place at our legislative talent show. But thank you to the staff who stayed late, to the legislators who stayed late and opened up your offices. I think Art at the Capitol was a great success, and it was only because of all of you. So, thank you again."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.

Nos.

Re-referred to:

3, Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance
HD2,
SD1

302, HD2, SD2	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 3, HD 2, SD 1	Garrett/Hashem/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu
423, HD2, SD1	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 48, HD 2, SD 1	Kahaloa/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Kusch, Perruso, Pierick
736, HD1, SD1	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 54, HD 2, SD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Kitagawa, Pierick
918, HD2, SD1	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 70, HD 1, SD 1	Matayoshi/Todd, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Pierick
969, HD2, SD2	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 72, HD 2, SD 1	Takayama/Matayoshi/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Alcos
1137, HD2, SD1	Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 86, HD 2, SD 1	Hashem/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Poepoe, Shimizu
1300, HD1, SD1	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 97, HD 2, SD 2	Tam/Matayoshi/Templo, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
1345, HD1, SD2	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 126, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu
1370, HD1, SD1	Committee on Economic Development & Technology, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 133, HD 2, SD 1	Kapela/La Chica/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Reyes Oda
1482, HD1, SD3	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	H.B. No. 134, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
		H.B. No. 139, HD 2, SD 1	Takayama/Chun/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Alcos
		H.B. No. 159, HD 1, SD 1	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda
		H.B. No. 202, HD 1, SD 2	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda
		H.B. No. 212, HD 2, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Tam, Templo, Alcos
		H.B. No. 226, HD 3, SD 1	Kila/Matayoshi/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka
		H.B. No. 228, HD 1, SD 2	Kila/Tarnas/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
		H.B. No. 244, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Templo, Alcos
		H.B. No. 250, HD 2, SD 2	Takayama/Chun/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Marten, Alcos
		H.B. No. 256, HD 2, SD 1	Lowen/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Perruso, Pierick
		H.B. No. 277, HD 2, SD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka
		H.B. No. 280, HD 3, SD 1	Marten/Tarnas/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Garcia
		H.B. No. 302, HD 2, SD 2	Takayama/Chun/Tarnas/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Alcos
		H.B. No. 309, HD 1, SD 1	Hashem/Garrett/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu
		H.B. No. 329, HD 2, SD 2	Woodson/Poepoe/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; La Chica, Souza
		H.B. No. 345, HD 2, SD 1	Kapela/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Lee, Reyes Oda
		H.B. No. 348, HD 1, SD 1	Tam/Lowen/Templo, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
		H.B. No. 359, HD 2, SD 2	Marten/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Templo, Alcos
		H.B. No. 370, HD 2, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Garcia

S.B.
No. **Re-referred to:**

79, SD1, HD2 Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs

S.C.R.
Nos. **Re-referred to:**

20 Committee on Public Safety

22 Committee on Human Services & Homelessness

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:08 p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, April 15, 2025.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated April 14, 2025, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the Speaker has this day appointed as conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House Bill:

H.B. No. 300, Yamashita, Chr.;
HD 1, SD 1 Grandinetti, Holt, Hussey, Keohokapu-Lee Loy,
Kitagawa, Kusch, Lamosao, Lee, Miyake, Morikawa,
Takenouchi, Templo, Alcos, Reyes Oda

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H.B. No. 395, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Garcia	H.B. No. 550, HD 2, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu
H.B. No. 396, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Garcia	H.B. No. 563, HD 1, SD 1	Garrett/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Kusch, Souza
H.B. No. 398, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Garcia	H.B. No. 596, HD 1, SD 1	Belatti/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Poepoe, Souza
H.B. No. 399, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Garcia	H.B. No. 606, HD 1, SD 1	Evslin/Poepoe/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka
H.B. No. 400, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Poepoe, Takenouchi, Garcia	H.B. No. 613, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Alcos
H.B. No. 401, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Garcia	H.B. No. 620, HD 1, SD 1	Woodson/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Souza
H.B. No. 410, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Poepoe, Takenouchi, Garcia	H.B. No. 622, HD 1, SD 1	Woodson, Chr.; La Chica, Souza
H.B. No. 420, HD 3, SD 2	Evslin/Matayoshi/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Miyake, Pierick	H.B. No. 648, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Marten, Shimizu
H.B. No. 423, HD 2, SD 1	Sayama/Matayoshi/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Reyes Oda	H.B. No. 650, HD 1, SD 1	Ilagan/Hussey, Co-Chrs.; Hashem, Templo, Matsumoto
H.B. No. 427, HD 2, SD 2	Kahaloa/Tarnas/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Quinlan, Matsumoto	H.B. No. 667, HD 1, SD 1	Kila/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; La Chica, Miyake, Pierick
H.B. No. 428, HD 1, SD 1	Kahaloa/Kusch, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Quinlan, Matsumoto	H.B. No. 692, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Alcos
H.B. No. 429, HD 1, SD 1	Woodson/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Amato, La Chica, Muraoka	H.B. No. 697, HD 2, SD 1	Kila/Tarnas/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Pierick
H.B. No. 430, HD 2, SD 2	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda	H.B. No. 698, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas, Chr.; Poepoe, Shimizu
H.B. No. 431, HD 2, SD 2	Marten/Evslin/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Pierick	H.B. No. 703, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Chun, Templo, Alcos
H.B. No. 432, HD 1, SD 2	Evslin/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka	H.B. No. 705, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Chun, Templo, Alcos
H.B. No. 433, HD 1, SD 1	Belatti/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Morikawa, Shimizu	H.B. No. 706, HD 1, SD 1	Kila/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Takenouchi, Pierick
H.B. No. 437, HD 1, SD 1	Ilagan/Hussey, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto	H.B. No. 713, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Olds, Garcia
H.B. No. 441, HD 2, SD 2	Takayama/Garrett/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Alcos	H.B. No. 718, HD 1, SD 1	Garrett/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Miyake, Sayama, Souza
H.B. No. 448, HD 1, SD 1	Tam/Ilagan/Templo, Co-Chrs.; Hussey, Matsumoto	H.B. No. 727, HD 1, SD 2	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Belatti, Ichiyama, Poepoe, Shimizu
H.B. No. 454, HD 2, SD 1	Ilagan/Templo, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto	H.B. No. 732, HD 2, SD 2	Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Lamosao, Souza
H.B. No. 474, HD 2, SD 1	Takayama/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Chun, Lee, Alcos	H.B. No. 735, HD 2, SD 1	Lowen/Hashem/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Evslin, Alcos
H.B. No. 480, HD 1, SD 1	Sayama/Matayoshi/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Reyes Oda	H.B. No. 736, HD 1, SD 1	Garrett/Lowen/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Alcos
H.B. No. 496, HD 2, SD 1	Kahaloa/Matayoshi/Kusch, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto	H.B. No. 740, HD 2, SD 2	Evslin/Poepoe/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka
H.B. No. 505, HD 1, SD 2	Hashem/Lowen/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu	H.B. No. 750, HD 2, SD 1	Lowen/Chun/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Quinlan, Pierick
H.B. No. 510, HD 1, SD 2	Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Ichiyama, Lamosao, Shimizu	H.B. No. 773, HD 1, SD 1	Kahaloa/Kusch, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Todd, Matsumoto
H.B. No. 511, HD 1, SD 1	Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Ichiyama, Iwamoto, Shimizu	H.B. No. 784, HD 1, SD 1	Takayama/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Lowen, Quinlan, Garcia
H.B. No. 544, HD 1, SD 1	Matayoshi, Chr.; Chun, Pierick	H.B. No. 794, HD 1, SD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Kitagawa, Reyes Oda
H.B. No. 549, HD 3, SD 1	Garrett/Marten/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Souza	H.B. No. 795, HD 1, SD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Reyes Oda

H.B. No. 799, HD 2, SD 2	Takayama/Chun, Co-Chrs.; Garcia	H.B. No. 1137, HD 2, SD 1	Hashem/Tarnas/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu
H.B. No. 800, HD 1, SD 2	Hashem/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Souza	H.B. No. 1145, HD 1, SD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Alcos
H.B. No. 806, HD 1, SD 2	Sayama/Todd/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Garrett, Souza	H.B. No. 1146, HD 1, SD 1	Takenouchi, Chr.; Holt, Alcos
H.B. No. 830, HD 2, SD 2	Evslin/Hashem/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka	H.B. No. 1153, HD 1, SD 2	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Reyes Oda
H.B. No. 833, HD 1, SD 1	Evslin/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, La Chica, Muraoka	H.B. No. 1155, HD 1, SD 2	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Reyes Oda
H.B. No. 850, HD 1, SD 1	Matayoshi, Chr.; Chun, Pierick	H.B. No. 1162, HD 2, SD 2	Kila/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
H.B. No. 874, HD 3, SD 2	Marten/Sayama/Chun, Co-Chrs.; Lee, Garcia	H.B. No. 1164, HD 1, SD 1	Kila/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Pierick
H.B. No. 879, HD 1, SD 1	Lowen/Hashem/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Alcos	H.B. No. 1167, HD 1, SD 1	Kila/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Pierick
H.B. No. 904, HD 1, SD 1	Woodson/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Souza	H.B. No. 1168, HD 1, SD 1	Garrett/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Muraoka
H.B. No. 918, HD 2, SD 1	Matayoshi/Todd/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Holt, Pierick	H.B. No. 1169, HD 1, SD 2	Garrett/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Muraoka
H.B. No. 957, HD 1, SD 1	Kapela/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda	H.B. No. 1170, HD 1, SD 1	Garrett/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Muraoka
H.B. No. 958, HD 2, SD 2	Kila/Tarnas/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Lamosao, Muraoka	H.B. No. 1171, HD 2, SD 1	Garrett/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Muraoka
H.B. No. 961, HD 1, SD 1	La Chica/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Souza	H.B. No. 1173, HD 1, SD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Alcos
H.B. No. 969, HD 2, SD 2	Lowen/Hashem/Poepoe/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Quinlan, Garcia	H.B. No. 1179, HD 1, SD 2	Takayama/Chun/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Miyake, Alcos
H.B. No. 984, HD 2, SD 1	Kahaloa/Kusch, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Quinlan, Matsumoto	H.B. No. 1220, HD 1, SD 1	Hashem/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Kahaloa, Shimizu
H.B. No. 987, HD 1, SD 1	Woodson/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka	H.B. No. 1259, HD 1, SD 1	Kila/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Pierick
H.B. No. 988, HD 1, SD 1	Takenouchi, Chr.; Holt, Reyes Oda	H.B. No. 1291, HD 2, SD 1	Kahaloa/Matayoshi/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Kusch, Pierick
H.B. No. 1001, HD 1, SD 3	Tarnas/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Poepoe, Takenouchi, Garcia	H.B. No. 1293, HD 2, SD 2	La Chica/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
H.B. No. 1020, HD 1, SD 2	Lowen/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Kusch, Olds, Alcos	H.B. No. 1296, HD 1, SD 1	Belatti/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Morikawa, Souza
H.B. No. 1033, HD 1, SD 1	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda	H.B. No. 1297, HD 1, SD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Alcos
H.B. No. 1045, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu	H.B. No. 1300, HD 1, SD 1	Garrett/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Alcos
H.B. No. 1050, HD 1, SD 1	Chun, Chr.; Tam, Pierick	H.B. No. 1345, HD 1, SD 2	Garrett/Woodson/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Muraoka
H.B. No. 1051, HD 1, SD 1	Lowen/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Perruso, Pierick	H.B. No. 1348, HD 2, SD 2	Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Morikawa, Souza
H.B. No. 1052, HD 1, SD 2	Matayoshi/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Pierick	H.B. No. 1370, HD 1, SD 1	Ilagan/Chun/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Holt, Matsumoto
H.B. No. 1055, HD 1, SD 1	Matayoshi/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Pierick	H.B. No. 1378, HD 2, SD 2	Kapela/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Ichiyama, Lee, Reyes Oda
H.B. No. 1064, HD 2, SD 2	Belatti/Tarnas/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Ichiyama, Souza	H.B. No. 1391, HD 1, SD 1	Ilagan/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Hussey, Quinlan, Matsumoto
H.B. No. 1093, HD 1, SD 1	Evslin/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka	H.B. No. 1406, HD 1, SD 2	Ilagan/Hussey, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
H.B. No. 1098, HD 1, SD 1	Marten/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Olds, Alcos	H.B. No. 1422, HD 2, SD 1	Kila/Chun, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Quinlan, Pierick

H.B. No. 1424, HD 1, SD 1	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda	S.B. No. 344, SD 1, HD 2	Kila/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Takenouchi, Muraoka
H.B. No. 1427, HD 1, SD 1	Takayama/Kahalaloa/Keohokapu-Loy, Co-Chrs.; Garcia	S.B. No. 382, HD 1	Takenouchi, Chr.; Holt, Reyes Oda
H.B. No. 1462, HD 1, SD 1	Takayama/Marten/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Kila, Garcia	S.B. No. 385, SD 1, HD 1	Matayoshi, Chr.; Chun, Iwamoto, Pierick
H.B. No. 1482, HD 1, SD 3	Takayama/Matayoshi/Tarnas/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Pierick	S.B. No. 405, SD 1, HD 1	Tarnas, Chr.; Perruso, Shimizu
H.B. No. 1483, HD 1, SD 1	Tarnas/Kitagawa, Co-Chrs.; Shimizu	S.B. No. 414, SD 2, HD 2	Evslin/Belatti/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Poepoe, Pierick
House Communication dated April 14, 2025, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the Speaker has this day appointed as conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills:		S.B. No. 423, SD 1, HD 2	Woodson/Perruso, Co-Chrs.; Souza
S.B. No. 15, SD 1, HD 2	Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Lamosao, Shimizu	S.B. No. 532, SD 2, HD 2	Woodson/Keohokapu-Loy/Chun, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Souza
S.B. No. 30, HD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka	S.B. No. 572, SD 1, HD 1	Evslin/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
S.B. No. 31, SD 2, HD 2	Evslin/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka	S.B. No. 576, SD 1, HD 2	Evslin/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
S.B. No. 38, SD 2, HD 2	Evslin/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; La Chica, Miyake, Muraoka	S.B. No. 589, SD 1, HD 3	Lowen/Matayoshi/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Pierick
S.B. No. 71, SD 2, HD 1	Evslin/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Pierick	S.B. No. 597, HD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
S.B. No. 79, SD 1, HD 2	Evslin/Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Miyake, Muraoka	S.B. No. 601, SD 1, HD 1	Tarnas, Co-Chr.; Perruso, Garcia
S.B. No. 88, HD 1	Belatti/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Morikawa, Souza	S.B. No. 694, HD 1	Tarnas, Co-Chr.; Belatti, Garcia
S.B. No. 102, SD 2, HD 2	Matayoshi/Todd, Co-Chrs.; Pierick	S.B. No. 717, SD 1, HD 1	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda
S.B. No. 109, SD 2, HD 1	Tarnas, Chr.; Poepoe, Garcia	S.B. No. 742, SD 2, HD 1	Ilagan/Hussey, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
S.B. No. 119, SD 1, HD 1	Garrett/Holt, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Miyake, Souza	S.B. No. 752, SD 1, HD 1	Matayoshi, Chr.; Chun, Pierick
S.B. No. 140, SD 2, HD 1	Kahalaloa/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Kusch, Pierick	S.B. No. 822, SD 2, HD 2	Matayoshi/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Pierick
S.B. No. 176, SD 1, HD 1	Tarnas, Chr.; Poepoe, Shimizu	S.B. No. 825, SD 2, HD 2	Matayoshi/Poepoe/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Chun, Pierick
S.B. No. 228, SD 1, HD 2	Takayama/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Garcia	S.B. No. 855, SD 1, HD 1	Sayama/Lee, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda
S.B. No. 284, SD 1, HD 1	Tarnas, Chr.; Belatti, Shimizu	S.B. No. 890, SD 2, HD 2	Kahalaloa/Ilagan/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Hussey, Matsumoto
S.B. No. 292, SD 1, HD 2	Marten/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Kapela, Garcia	S.B. No. 903, SD 2, HD 2	Tarnas/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Holt, Poepoe, Garcia
S.B. No. 298, SD 1, HD 1	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Olds, Alcos	S.B. No. 933, SD 2, HD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Holt, Alcos
S.B. No. 299, SD 2, HD 1	Takayama/Keohokapu-Loy, Co-Chrs.; Alcos	S.B. No. 951, SD 2, HD 2	Marten/Belatti/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Souza
S.B. No. 321, SD 1, HD 2	Kila/Hashem/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Kusch, Muraoka	S.B. No. 989, SD 1, HD 1	Ilagan/Hussey, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
S.B. No. 326, SD 1, HD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Alcos	S.B. No. 1002, SD 2, HD 2	Evslin/Hashem/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Pierick
S.B. No. 330, SD 1, HD 2	Kahalaloa/Ilagan/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Todd, Matsumoto	S.B. No. 1008, HD 1	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
S.B. No. 332, SD 1, HD 3	Evslin/Chun/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka	S.B. No. 1030, SD 2, HD 1	Tarnas, Chr.; Poepoe, Garcia
		S.B. No. 1044, SD 2, HD 2	Matayoshi/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Chun, Tam, Pierick

S.B. No. 1051, SD 1, HD 1	Kapela/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Reyes Oda	S.B. No. 1452, SD 1, HD 2	Takayama/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Alcos
S.B. No. 1102, SD 2, HD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka	S.B. No. 1464, HD 1	Yamashita, Chr.; Takenouchi, Reyes Oda
S.B. No. 1117, SD 2, HD 2	Kila/Matayoshi/Tarnas/Grandinetti, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka	S.B. No. 1465, SD 1, HD 1	Takenouchi, Chr.; Holt, Reyes Oda
S.B. No. 1216, SD 1, HD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Grandinetti, Muraoka	S.B. No. 1496, SD 1, HD 2	Marten/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Garcia
S.B. No. 1220, SD 2, HD 1	Lowen/Matayoshi/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Pierick	S.B. No. 1522, HD 2	Kila/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Muraoka
S.B. No. 1229, SD 2, HD 1	Evslin/Miyake, Co-Chrs.; Pierick	S.B. No. 1536, SD 2, HD 2	Tam/Sayama/Templo, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
S.B. No. 1245, SD 2, HD 2	Takayama/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Garcia	S.B. No. 1578, SD 2, HD 1	Ilagan/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto
S.B. No. 1279, SD 2, HD 1	Takayama/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Alcos	S.B. No. 1602, SD 1, HD 1	Lowen/Hashem/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Kapela, Souza
S.B. No. 1296, SD 2, HD 2	Hashem/Belatti/Tarnas, Co-Chrs.; Souza	House Communication dated April 14, 2025, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has this day agreed to the amendments made by the Senate and passed the following House Bill on Final Reading:	
S.B. No. 1298, SD 2, HD 2	Lowen/Matayoshi, Co-Chrs.; Quinlan, Pierick	H.B. No. 1194, HD 2, SD 3	
S.B. No. 1304, SD 2, HD 1	Kahaloa/Kusch, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Quinlan, Matsumoto		
S.B. No. 1318, HD 1	Lowen/Hashem/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Perruso, Shimizu		
S.B. No. 1322, SD 2, HD 2	Takayama/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Garcia		
S.B. No. 1323, SD 2, HD 2	Takayama/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Garcia		
S.B. No. 1343, SD 1, HD 2	Ilagan/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Matsumoto		
S.B. No. 1365, HD 1	Takayama/Chun/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Amato, Alcos		
S.B. No. 1367, SD 1, HD 1	Matayoshi/Takenouchi, Co-Chrs.; Pierick		
S.B. No. 1369, SD 1, HD 1	Chun, Chr.; Tam, Pierick		
S.B. No. 1377, SD 2, HD 1	Belatti/Lamosao, Co-Chrs.; Iwamoto, Morikawa, Shimizu		
S.B. No. 1396, SD 3, HD 3	Lowen/Tam/Hashem/Yamashita, Co-Chrs.; Ichiyama, Matsumoto		
S.B. No. 1413, SD 1, HD 2	Evslin/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; La Chica, Miyake, Muraoka		
S.B. No. 1419, SD 1, HD 2	Marten/Morikawa, Co-Chrs.; Olds, Templo, Garcia		
S.B. No. 1421, SD 1, HD 2	Takayama/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Garcia		
S.B. No. 1422, SD 1, HD 1	Takayama/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Garcia		
S.B. No. 1431, SD 1, HD 2	Takayama/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Garcia		
S.B. No. 1433, SD 2, HD 2	Takayama/Poepoe, Co-Chrs.; Garcia		
S.B. No. 1434, SD 1, HD 1	Takayama/Keohokapu-Lee Loy, Co-Chrs.; Alcos		
S.B. No. 1449, SD 1, HD 2	Takayama/Chun, Co-Chrs.; Alcos		